



32nd Annual Leprechaun Run – Saturday, March 11, 2017 Presented by TMNA Services

WHAT – Special Olympics Pennsylvania’s Philadelphia program will host its 32nd Annual Leprechaun Run presented by TMNA Services. The Leprechaun Run offers three different races: a new Lucky 7-Mile Race, a Classic 5-Mile Race, and a 2-Mile Fun Run/Walk. All courses start where Martin Luther King Drive meets West River Drive and the Schuylkill Trail Connector. The race is a flat 2.5 or 3.5 mile out and back down Martin Luther King Drive. A short program will begin at 7:15 am, and the first race will start at 7:30 am. After the completion of the race, awards will be given out to the top two overall male and female finishers, as well as the top two male and females in several age categories. The event is expected to conclude by 12:00 pm.

WHERE – Where MLK Drive meets West River Drive and the Schuylkill Connector Trail

WHEN – Saturday, March 11 from 7:30 AM – 12:00 PM

VISUAL OPPORTUNITIES –

- **7:00 am – 7:30 am:** Hundreds of participants decked out in green
- **7:15 am – 7:25 am:** Opening Ceremony including Special Olympics athletes and guest speakers and short performance by Celtic Flame School of Irish Dance
- **7:30 am:** Runners from our first ever Lucky 7-Mile Race begin followed shortly thereafter by the Classic 5-Mile Race and 2-Mile Fun Run/Walk
- **10:30 am (roughly):** Awards presented to the top two overall male and female finishers as well as the top two male and females in various age categories.

PARKING – Parking is available next to the registration tent.

CONTACT – Please contact Kristin Craven, Special Olympics Pennsylvania – Philadelphia Special Events & Marketing Manager, at 609.658.6003 or kcraven@specialolympicspa.org for further information or to arrange interviews. Media is welcomed to attend any portion of the event.

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