



# Fairbanks Counseling & Adoption's

21st Annual

# MOSQUITO MEANDER



## 5K FUN RUN/WALK

### FUNDRAISING TIPS!

- Update your personal fundraising webpage and share your story! Tell others why it's important for you to be a part of the 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Mosquito Meander.
- Send emails from your JoinMe website (already written for you!) to ask for support from friends, family and co-workers.
- Use social media! Your Facebook page or Twitter account are great ways to get the word out. Include a link to your fundraising page or an invitation to join your team in your status.
- Invite others. Take your fundraising efforts to the office or host a garage sale, bake sale, dinner party or game night with your team. Ask for donations in exchange for goods or entry to your event.
- Ask your employer to match your fundraising or make a straight donation. You might also ask them to institute a casual dress or half-day off for all employees who join your team or make a donation.
- Host a garage sale and increase the amount you raise by asking for a \$1 donation on every transaction.
- Give friends a jar or cardboard box and ask them to collect their spare change over the months leading up to the event.
- Add a standard signature line to your outgoing email reminding recipients to support your efforts.
- Ask your favorite hairdresser or barber to donate \$2 for every haircut they complete over a weekend.
- Request an event poster and post it at school, work and around your community.

### 5 EASY WAYS TO RAISE \$250

- Invite ten friends over for movie night and ask each of them to contribute \$10
- Ask three family members to sponsor you for \$25 each
- Ask your employer to contribute \$25
- Ask five coworkers to sponsor you for \$10 each



### WHERE DOES THE MONEY GO?

Funds raised at the 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Mosquito Meander support the programs and services provided by Fairbanks Counseling and Adoption. This includes individual and family counseling, family support services, parenting education classes, youth Street Outreach and Advocacy Program (SOAP), free pregnancy counseling and support for teens and young women and adoption services.

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR INCREDIBLE SUPPORT!

*Fairbanks Counseling and Adoption is a 501(c)(3) non-profit. Donations to Mosquito Meander are tax deductible as a charitable gift.*

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