



**OFFICIAL APPLICATION**  
**FALL COLOR 5K RUN & WALK**  
**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2010**



Don't miss the most scenic event of the season! As part of our spectacular Fall Color Festival, join us for the seventh annual Fall Color 5K Run & Walk. Enjoy the view on the rolling course that winds through the grounds on the East Side.

Note: One form per participant (photocopies accepted). Unsigned entries will not be accepted. Application must be postmarked by September 24. There will be a \$35 charge for all returned checks. Sorry, no refunds. Please print clearly and fill out the form completely to guarantee accurate and proper input of information.

**Race Selection**

- 5K Run: \$30** (\$25 for Arboretum members)
  - 5K Walk: \$30** (\$25 for Arboretum members)
  - Kids Dash Ages 10 and under: \$12** (\$10 for Arboretum members)
- Race-Day Registration: \$35 adults / \$15 Kids Dash

**Participant Information**

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt or Unit # \_\_\_\_\_

Town or City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Age on 9/30/10 \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Membership # (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about this event?**

- Arboretum website
- Other website: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please list \_\_\_\_\_
- At the Arboretum
- Seasons, the Arboretum member magazine
- E-mail from the Arboretum
- At another race: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please list \_\_\_\_\_
- Newspaper or magazine: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please list \_\_\_\_\_
- Participated in past Arboretum races

5K Run/Walk T-shirt Size (technical): Adult S M L XL XXL **OR** Kids Dash T-shirt Size (cotton): Youth S M L

**Payment Method** Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (A \$5.00 service fee will be added to all credit card transactions.)  
 Credit Card  Visa  Mastercard

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ V code (last 3 digits in signature box on the back of your card) \_\_\_\_\_

**Check** (Make payable to **The Morton Arboretum Fall Color 5K Run**)  
**Fax to:** 630-719-7956 by noon on September 29 **OR Mail to:** The Morton Arboretum, 4100 Illinois Route 53, Lisle, IL 60532 by September 24

**WIN A FREE MEMBERSHIP to The Morton Arboretum**  
*All race participants registered by September 30 are automatically entered to win! We'll draw the name of the lucky winner from the event stage after the race.*

RELEASE: I am aware that participating in a running event is a potentially hazardous activity and that I and/or my child should not enter and run unless I and/or my child are physically able. I agree to abide by the rules and the decision of any event official relative to my and/or child's ability to safely compete in the event. I will provide adult supervision for my child to and from the event. I assume all risks associated with my and/or my child's participation in the 2010 Fall Color 5K, including, but not limited to falls, contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, traffic, road conditions, all such risks to myself and/or child being known and appreciated by me. Having read this waiver and release from liability form, and knowing these facts, and in consideration of your accepting my entry and/or my child's entry, I for myself and/or my child and anyone entitled to act on our behalf, waive and release The Morton Arboretum, Jim Brimm & Associates, Dick Pond Athletics, Inc., Illinois USATF, the Village of Lisle, race day volunteers, all event sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising from my participation and/or my child's participation in this event. I hereby grant permission to Jim Brimm & Associates and The Morton Arboretum and its authorized agents to use my name, photographs, videotapes, motion pictures in connection with this event, including recording any other record of my participation in this event for any purpose.

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BIB#	_____
REG FEE	\$ _____
DONATION	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

Participant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ If under 18 years old, Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**For more information please visit [www.mortonarb.org/fallcolor5krun](http://www.mortonarb.org/fallcolor5krun)**  
 The Morton Arboretum 4100 Illinois Route 53 Lisle, IL 60532-1293 630-968-0074

*Thank you! Your registration fee helps The Morton Arboretum's mission to plant and protect trees for a greener, healthier, and more beautiful world.*

IT'S EASY TO REGISTER!

REGISTER EARLY!

**Pre-Registration Fee: \$30** (\$25 for Arboretum members)  
**Kids Dash Fee** *ages 10 & under*: \$12 (\$10 for Arboretum members)  
**Race-Day Registration Fee: \$35 adults / \$15 Kids Dash**  
*Paid registration includes a technical T-shirt and goody bag.*

**1. Pre-Register Online** (*closes at 6 p.m. on Sept. 30*)

Visit [www.mortonarb.org](http://www.mortonarb.org)  
(Calendar ▶ Featured ▶ Fall Color 5K Run); credit card only

**2. Pre-Register In-Person at the Arboretum**

(*applications must be received by noon on Sept. 29*)  
9 a.m.–5 p.m. daily; credit card, cash, or personal check

**3. Pre-Register by Mail** (*applications must be postmarked by Sept. 24*)

Use this form; credit card or check  
Mail to: The Morton Arboretum  
4100 Illinois Route 53, Lisle, IL 60532  
Additional forms are available at [www.mortonarb.org](http://www.mortonarb.org) or  
at the Arboretum Visitor Center.

**4. Pre-Register by FAX** (*applications must be faxed by noon on Sept. 29*)

FAX the completed form to **630-719-7956**.

**Packet Pick-Up and Pre-Registration**

Pre-Register and pick up your runner or walker bib number, D-tag timing strip, technical T-shirt, goody bag, course map and other race information at:

Dick Pond Athletics, 2775 Maple Avenue, Lisle, IL  
Phone: 630-357-6884

Packets will not be mailed to participants. Packet pick-up, including for the Kids Dash, is available as follows:

**Saturday, September 25:** 10 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

**Friday, October 1:** 4 p.m.–8 p.m.

**Saturday, October 2:** 10 a.m.–4 p.m.

If you are unable to pick up your packet at the times listed above, you may pick it up the morning of the event at the Pre-Registration Area at the Arboretum. NO packet pick-up is available at The Morton Arboretum except on event day.

**Race-Day Registration**

Register and pick up your race packet from 6:30 to 7:45 a.m. (8:00 to 8:45 a.m. for Kids Dash) on Sunday, October 3, at the Registration Area in the Arboretum main parking lot. Please arrive early to ensure proper registration.

RACE INFORMATION

**Course**

The USATF-certified course is set within the Arboretum grounds. Start and finish lines are located on the East Side, near the main parking lot, adjacent to the Visitor Center.  
**Strollers are limited to walkers only. No pets allowed.**

**Water & Timing System**

Water will be provided at the start, finish, and midway through the course. Time clocks will be provided at the finish with split times at miles 1, 2 and 3. Fast and accurate results are provided through the Chronotrack D-tag timing system and will be posted on [www.mychicagoathlete.com](http://www.mychicagoathlete.com) by 2 p.m. on race day.

**Restrooms and Gear Check**

Both are located near the registration tent. Gear will be checked according to assigned race number. Not responsible for any lost or stolen items.

**Kids Dash**

Kids 10 and under should meet at the start line at approximately 8:45 a.m. Distances vary by age. Participants must have an entry form signed by a parent or guardian.

**Awards & Raffle**

Awards will be given to the overall male and female winner, as well as to the top three men and women in each age group immediately after the Kids Dash. A raffle for running-related prizes and more will also be held at that time.

**Directions**

Located 25 miles west of Chicago, The Morton Arboretum is just west of I-355 and north of I-88 at 4100 Illinois Route 53 in Lisle.

- Westbound I-88: *Exit north onto Route 53.*
- Eastbound I-88: *Follow signs onto southbound I-355 and exit immediately to westbound Ogden Avenue (Route 34). Continue west on Ogden to Route 53 north. Proceed north less than one mile to entrance.*
- I-355: *Follow signs and exit onto westbound I-88.*

**Parking**

Free parking is available on-site. Please allow plenty of time to park and walk from parking areas at the Arboretum. The walk from remote parking areas can take up to 20 minutes. Runners are encouraged to carpool.

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*For upcoming events and race results visit [www.mortonarb.org](http://www.mortonarb.org).  
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