

Clarian North Pumpkin Patch 5K presented by the Carmel Lions



100% Will Go to Children Related Programs

DID YOU KNOW?

More than 60% of the children in the United States have not been examined by an optometrist or ophthalmologist by the age of 6. Some eye problems must be corrected before age 6 to prevent a lifetime of visual problems!

Most people think that when they take their children to the pediatrician that any of the problems that the child has will be discovered and treated. Most pediatricians have only had a small amount of training related to the eyes, so vision problems are more likely to go undetected unless they are referred to an optometrist or ophthalmologist. Carmel Lions can do the referring.

The hardest part of the problem with young children is that the child doesn't know that he or she has a vision problem. Because of this, Carmel Lions offer free eye screening to children in the community at scheduled daycare site screenings. The screening provides instant photographs of the child's eyes to determine the presence of possible eye disorders including farsightedness and nearsightedness, astigmatism, strabismus (misaligned eyes), anisometropia (unequal prescriptions) and media opacities (i.e. cataracts). No physical contact is made with the child and no eye drops or medications are used. This screening is approximately 85-90% effective in detecting significant factors that can cause a decrease in vision.

Carmel Lions have screened over 2,400 kids. Although the cost is FREE to the parents the Carmel Lions club incurs costs of \$3.00 per child. This program along with the Juvenile Diabetes Camp, Indiana Deaf Camp, etc. all benefit by your contribution and/or participation.

Run / Walk Information

Place: Clarian North Campus @ 116th and Illinois St.
Date: October 10, 2009 @ 8:30 a.m. for runners & walkers.
Registration begins @ 7:30 a.m. day of event
Fee: Registration prior to 9/30 - \$15 Adults - \$10 Children *includes shirt; Registration after 9/30 - \$20 Adults
Route: Meet @ Clarian North (Southside Parking Lot). Run North on Illinois St. to 126th and return. Final route will be clearly marked.

Refreshments & Door Prizes: At start line after the race.

Website: <http://www.carmellions.org>

- I would like to register as a walker
- I would like to register as a runner
- I would like to contribute. Enclosed is \$_____



Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

*Shirt size: ___ sm ___ med ___ lg ___ 1X ___ 2X ___ 3X

<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Levels:		
1. \$100 – Company Name on T-Shirt		
2. \$250 – Logo at top of T-Shirt + Marketing		
3. \$500 – Logo at top of T-Shirt + Marketing + Booth		
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Mail Registration to:
 Carmel Lions Club
 Pumpkin Patch 5K
 P.O. Box 1021
 Carmel, IN. 46082-1021

Make checks payable to: Carmel Lions Club
 Remember to mail your pledges early (so that we can order your shirt in the right size) or bring them with you on 10/10/09.

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