

Dear Runner/Walker:

FUTURES Foundation for Volusia County Schools is seeking participants for its Saturday, November 14, Take Stock in Children Strides for Education 5K Run/Walk at Creekside Middle School in Port Orange. This 8:30 a.m. race will take place on a 5K USATF Certified Course #FL4102EBM through the beautiful Water's Edge subdivision.



This year's event will feature a Volusia County School competition with the Volusia County Public School or Department with the most paid registrants earning a first place award of \$250 and the year's bragging rights complete with trophy. Second place shall receive \$150 and third place \$100.

Runners/walkers receive a discount if they pre-register by Oct 17. Adults are \$25 while youth aged 18 & under are \$20. Once the early registration discount concludes, adults are \$30 and youth are \$25 until race day when the entry fee is \$35 and \$30. The race will be professionally timed and scored by RaceSmith who also is managing registration at [www.racesmith.com/races/TakeStockInChildrenStridesForEducation5K.html](http://www.racesmith.com/races/TakeStockInChildrenStridesForEducation5K.html). Medals shall be awarded for male and female participants and categories include Overall, Masters (40-49), Grandmasters (50-59), Senior Grandmasters (60 and over) and age categories beginning with 14 and under then every five years through age 75 and over.

Event proceeds shall benefit the local Take Stock in Children Scholarship & Mentor Program facilitated by FUTURES Foundation. Take Stock in Children (TSIC) is a statewide scholarship mentoring program for low-income students. FUTURES' TSIC scholars are selected in the eighth grade through an application and selection committee review process. TSIC scholars are paired with a mentor who meets with them for 30 minutes each week at school beginning in ninth grade. FUTURES' TSIC scholars must maintain a weighted cumulative GPA of 3.0 and maintain good citizenship (no drug, alcohol, crime or gang activity). Upon achieving these goals and graduating high school, FUTURES Foundation awards these scholars with a Florida Prepaid tuition scholarship through the STARS Program.

The Take Stock in Children Strides for Education 5K is one of the funding sources for these scholarships. We hope you will support TSIC by participating in the event. All scholarship contributions currently are matched 100% with dollars from the Florida Prepaid Scholarship Program's STARS Program which enhances each dollar donated locally.

If you have any questions, please contact FUTURES Executive Director Cynthia Perrick Ramirez at 386.255.6475, ext. 50730, or [caperric@volusia.k12.fl.us](mailto:caperric@volusia.k12.fl.us) or Administrative Assistant Brenda Hamilton at ext. 50723 or [bshamilt@volusia.k12.fl.us](mailto:bshamilt@volusia.k12.fl.us).

Sincerely,

Cynthia Ramirez  
Executive Director



P.S. -- We hope you can join us in supporting *scholarships, mentors and hope* through Take Stock in Children! Please use the registration form on reverse side to register today or online at [www.racesmith.com](http://www.racesmith.com)!





# 5K RUN/WALK ENTRY FORM

8:30 a.m. Saturday, November 14, 2015

Creekside Middle School  
6801 Airport Road, Port Orange



### 5K USATF Certified Course FL14102EBM

Medals to be awarded in standard race categories including Overall, Masters, Grandmasters, Senior Grandmasters and 5 year age increments beginning with age group 14 & under through 75 & over

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age on Race Day \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male Female  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size (Circle One) Adult S M L XL XXL

Availability and size of t-shirts only guaranteed to those who register before October 17th, 2015.

We will be awarding three cash prizes to the Volusia County Public Schools  
or Departments with the most paid registrations!

I currently attend/support \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

(Name of Volusia County Public School or VCS Dept.)

### PAYMENT INFORMATION

**ADULT ENTRY FEE:** \$25 until Oct. 17th - \$30 Oct. 18th-Nov. 13 - \$35 on day of race

**YOUTH\* ENTRY FEE:** \$20 until Oct. 17th - \$25 Oct. 18th-Nov. 13 - \$30 on day of race

\*Youth: 18 years old and under

Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Payable to FUTURES, Inc.

Bill My: \_\_\_\_\_ AMEX \_\_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_\_ MC in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Cardholder Signature \_\_\_\_\_

#### WAIVER FORM:

I, the undersigned, hereby represent that I do not have any medical/physical conditions which would be adversely affected and/or aggravated by my election to participate in the 5K Run & Walk. I do hereby release and forever discharge FUTURES, Inc. (d/b/a) FUTURES Foundation for Volusia County Schools, Volusia County Schools, Racesmith, Inc., TSIC, Inc., City of Port Orange, FL, and Water's Edge HOA, Inc., all event sponsors, their officers, employees, agents, administrators, and assigns from any and all claims, demands, actions or rights of action, of whatsoever kind or nature, arising from or by reason of any bodily injury or personal injuries resulting from any occurrence as a result of my election to participate in said event.

I give my full permission to FUTURES, Inc. and TSIC, Inc. to use my name, any photographs and video tapes that are made during the event.

Signature/Date (Parent/Guardian must sign if participant is under 18.)

Parent/Guardian Name (printed)

For more information, please contact Futures Foundation for Volusia County Schools at 386.255.6475, ext. 50730, or visit [www.FuturesVolusia.org](http://www.FuturesVolusia.org).



Register in advance online at [Racesmith.com](http://Racesmith.com) OR print and mail this form with payment to: FUTURES, Inc., 3750 Olson DR, Daytona Beach, FL 32124. If mailed, advance registration must be postmarked by November 7, 2015. Online advance registration at [www.racesmith.com/races/TakeStockInChildrenStridesForEducation5K.html](http://www.racesmith.com/races/TakeStockInChildrenStridesForEducation5K.html) must be completed by November 11, 2015.

**Registration fees are non-refundable.**