



Stand Up For Girls in Kenya



TOWPATH HALF MARATHON

Saturday, May 27, 2023

Fletcher's Cove, 4940 Canal Road, Washington DC

Enter on-line at safetyandhealthfoundation.org/towpathhalf

Hosted by Mercy Center Foundation, USA – www.mercyproject.org

February 12, 2023

Dear Friends of the Girl Child in Kenya:

On behalf of [Mercy Center Foundation, USA](https://www.mercyproject.org), we are pleased to invite you to become a corporate sponsor for our annual charity Towpath Half Marathon race this year.

We are proud to have continued sponsorships from Georgetown Running Company and Safety and Health Foundation, and we welcome a host of new sponsors this year. We expect 350 runners at this year's race.

All net proceeds from this year's race help us to support girls to attend the Mercy Girls Secondary School in Lare, Kenya. Started in 2011, the school now has 200+ girls from many parts of Kenya as well as the surrounding community. Without our help, girls in Kenya are vulnerable to trafficking, child prostitution, early forced marriages, and a life with very limited opportunities.

For complete information about our race, please visit:

www.safetyandhealthfoundation.org/towpathhalf

Sponsorship opportunities:

\$5,000 ... Corporate Sponsor

\$3,000 ... Leader

\$1,500 ... Towpath Half Race Shirt Sponsor

\$ 500 ... Builder

\$ 250 ... Friend

Every sponsor shares in the credit for supporting the girl child in Kenya. We recognize our sponsors and their logos on all half marathon race materials. Your sponsorship is tax deductible!

Mercy Center Foundation, USA, Inc. is a 501(c)3 organization, Federal Tax ID 54-2124269

You may mail sponsor checks to: Mercy Center Foundation, 1500 35th Street NW, Washington DC 20007.

Thank you all for your gracious support for our 2023 Charity Race for Girls in Kenya!

Sister Rose, VHM

Mercy Center Foundation, USA Board of Trustees



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Join Us to Support Girls' Education in Kenya

In honor of • Sr. Rose, VHM

Course • Scenic course along C&O Canal at Fletcher's Cove www.fletcherscove.com/directions.htm or your selected course anywhere

Benefits • Mercy Center Foundation U.S.A. to build a secondary school & support education for young women in Kenya

Sponsors • See www.mercyproject.org or contact Adrienne Doherty (703-309-6657) adriannedoherty@gmail.com

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Corporate and Individual Sponsor Opportunities:

Corporate Sponsor (\$5,000)

- your LOGO on race website
- your LOGO on back of race T-shirts

Towpath Half Shirt Sponsor (\$1500)

- your LOGO on race web site
- your NAME on BACK of race t-shirts

Leader Sponsor (\$3,000)

- your LOGO on race website
- your LOGO on back of race t-shirts

Builder (\$500)

- your NAME on race web site
- your NAME on back of race t-shirts

Friend (\$250 or 4 or more \$25 gift certificates)

Please send this form to: **Mercy Center Foundation USA, 1500 35th Street NW,
Washington DC 20007**

Organization _____

Contact Name _____ Business Phone _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____

E-mail _____ web page _____

Enclosed is \$[] a tax deductible donation to **MCF, USA**

Discover Master Visa _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

Name on card _____

Exp.Date ____ - ____

Card Code _____

I pledge in-kind support _____ (e.g., printing)

Gift certificates from your store or business (e.g., four or more \$25 certificates)

Course • Scenic, mostly flat course along the C&O Canal at Fletcher's Cove www.fletcherscove.com/directions.htm • Free Parking!

Pre-Race • Packet pick-up Friday, May 6th from 3:00-6:30 PM at Georgetown Running Company, 3405 M Street NW, Washington DC (202-337-8626)

Race Day • Packet pick-up on site 8:00-8:45 AM

- your name on all publicity and press releases
- race-day on-site exhibit
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- your ad insert into 350 runners' goodie bags

Post-race • Quality Awards Medals, Music, Light fare and refreshments and great vibes!