

## Firecracker 5K Run/Walk Marks 5 years

On Saturday, June 30, Harpers Ferry Boosters, Inc. hosted the fifth annual Firecracker 5K Run/Walk. The 5K which follows a route through the scenic town of Harpers Ferry drew runners, walkers and onlookers from all across the state of Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota and from as far away as California. The day was already heating up at 8:00 a.m. when City Councilman Tom Diggins welcomed the participants, the horn sounded and the sneakers hit the streets.

There was an overall male and female winner of the event and first, second and third place for female and male broken down by age category. The overall male winner was Lenny Bulman from Waukon with a time of 20:45. Leeta Votsmier of Waukon was the overall female winner with a time of 22:29. The winners of the other categories are shown below in order of 1<sup>st</sup>-Gold, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Silver and 3<sup>rd</sup>-Bronze.

After the awards ceremony, a Superhero Children's Race took place on the grounds of St. Ann's-St. Joseph's Church. Approximately 50 boys and girls participated in the races and each received a special medal for their efforts and hard work.

	<b>Male 14 &amp; under</b>	<b>Female 14 &amp; under</b>
<b>Gold</b>	Reece Gallagher, Cedar Falls, IA	Skylar Fisk, Monona, IA
<b>Silver</b>	Xavier Uhrmacher, Cedar Falls, IA	Reese McCormick, Harpers Ferry, IA
<b>Bronze</b>	James Anderson, El Segundo, CA	Emma Giesler, Denver, IA
	<b>Male 15-19</b>	<b>Female 15-19</b>
<b>Gold</b>	Cade Murray, Waukon, IA	Bailey Shafer, Waukon, IA
<b>Silver</b>	Dalton Godfrey, Cresco, IA	Jenna Murry, Waukon, IA
<b>Bronze</b>	Jeremiah Giesler, Denver, IA	Lexie Godfrey, Cedar Falls, IA
	<b>Male 20-29</b>	<b>Female 20-29</b>
<b>Gold</b>	Brandon Kerian, Waukon, IA	Jacqueline Welch, Waukon, IA
<b>Silver</b>	Dalton Kerian, Cresco, IA	Miranda Kerian, Cresco, IA
<b>Bronze</b>	Henry Dickey, Rochester, MN	Katy Farley, Cedar Falls, IA
	<b>Male 30-39</b>	<b>Female 30-39</b>
<b>Gold</b>	Jeremy Gomez, Cedar Rapids, IA	Marlow Jung, Charles City, IA
<b>Silver</b>	Jay Jung, Charles City, IA	Lindsey Fisk, Monona, IA
<b>Bronze</b>	Paul Pellett, Decorah, IA	Trisha Wilkins, Waukon, IA
	<b>Male 40-49</b>	<b>Female 40-49</b>
<b>Gold</b>	Steve Murray, New Hampton, IA	Heather Kalous, Vinton, IA
<b>Silver</b>	Brian Brandsmeier, North Liberty, IA	Carrie Gleason, Denver, IA
<b>Bronze</b>	Chad Wilkins, Waukon, IA	Sarah Murray, New Hampton, IA

**Male 50-59**

**Gold** Daniel Byrnes, Waukon, IA  
**Silver** Kim Welch, Waukon, IA  
**Bronze** Mark Farley, Cedar Falls, IA

**Female 50-59**

Kristin Cote, Waukon, IA  
Ann Ott , Mitchell, IA  
Lori Farley, Cedar Falls, IA

**Male 60 & Over**

**Gold** Dave Farmer, Postville, IA  
**Silver** Lee Smith, Elkader, IA  
**Bronze** Joseph Cash, Rolfe, IA

**Female 60 & Over**

Mary Moen, Decorah, IA  
Pam Larson, Harpers Ferry, IA  
Dianna Jennerman, Harpers Ferry, IA