

Alabama's 18th Annual Blue Star Salute and Armed Forces Day Celebration



Memorial 5K Run/Walk & 1 Mile Fun Run For Alabama's Fallen Heroes



Saturday May 20, 2023 7:30 AM Battleship Park

- Date and Time:** 5K race will start at **7:30 AM** 1 Mile will start at **7:35 AM**
- Location:** USS Alabama Battleship Park on the Causeway.
- Benefits:** Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc. (www.bluestarsalute.org) Each runner will run with the name of one of Alabama's Fallen Heroes on their Race Bib and afterwards during activities, they can visit the wall of Alabama's Faces of the Price of Freedom to see the faces of their fallen service member.
- Distances:** Out and back certified 5K (AL17045JE) course along the Causeway between Mobile and Spanish Fort. Fun Run is approximately 1 Mile. Race starts and finishes at Battleship Park.
- Registration:** Pre-register by mail (entries should be postmarked by May13), in person at McCoy Outdoor, Run-N-Tri, or Fleet Feet in Mobile until noon on May 18 or online (<https://bluestarsalutefallenheroes5k2023.eventbrite.com>) until 4 AM May 19. Early packet pick-up and late registration available on Friday, May 19 from noon until 5:30 PM at the Port City Pacers office located at 358 Morgan Avenue. **Packet pick-up and race day registration at USS ALABAMA Battleship Memorial Park from 5:30 AM – 7:15 AM**
- Entry fees:** **Pre-registered Adult:** \$20 **Day of Race Adult:** \$25
Pre-registered Youth (12 and under): \$15 **Day of Race Youth:** \$20
Blue Star Supporter: \$15 (gets a shirt but does not run the 5K or Fun Run)
Upgrade cotton tee shirt to moisture management fabric: Add \$5
- Shirts:** Participants registered by May 9, 2023 will be guaranteed a t-shirt in requested size on race day. Additional shirts available while supply lasts.
- Awards:** Top male and female Overall and top three male and female in age groups: 9 and under, 10-14, 15-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75-79, and 80+.
- Special Activities:** Enjoy a day full of entertainment, fun and food at the USS Alabama Battleship Memorial Park where there will be a variety of activities for everyone. Aeronautical entertainment provided by Silver Wings and others. Music provided by Alabama's 151st Army National Guard Band. Join us in honoring Alabama's Military Service members, Veterans and our Fallen Heroes. Many Veteran Service Organizations will be available for serving our military and Veterans. Day will begin with a Fallen Heroes Salute honoring Alabama's fallen military service members who died since 9/11.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Age: _____ Sex: M F

Address: _____ City, State & ZIP: _____

Phone Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Email: _____

I am running/walking in honor/memory of: _____

Event: 5K Fun Run I belong to a team: Yes No Team Name: _____

T-Shirt Size (circle answer): YL S M L XL XXL No Shirt (subtract \$2) Upgrade to tech fabric (add \$5)

I know that running a road race is a potentially hazardous activity that could cause injury or death. I should not enter and run unless I am medically able, and by my signature I certify that I am medically able to perform this event, am in good health. I agree to abide by any decision of a race official relative to any aspect of my participation in this event, including the right of any official to deny or suspend my participation for any reason whatsoever. I assume all risks associated with running or walking in this event, including but not limited to: falls, contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, traffic and the conditions of the road, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. I understand that bicycles, skateboards, baby joggers, strollers, roller skates or blades, animals, and headsets/headphones/ear buds are not allowed in the race and I will abide by these guidelines. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts and in consideration of your accepting my entry, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc., the USS Alabama, their volunteers, officers, and agents, LRH Productions, all sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this event, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this waiver. Photo Release: I agree to grant to AFD/BSS and its authorized representatives permission to record pictures and/or video, of my participation. I further agree that any or all of the material photographed may be used, in any form, as part of any future publications, brochure, or other printed materials used to promote AFD/BSS, and further that such use shall be without payment of fees, royalties, special credit or other compensation.

Signature of Participant _____ Date _____

(Parent/Guardian must sign for children under 19)

Make checks payable to: Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc. or BSSFI
Mail fees and completed application to: LRH Productions; Fallen Heroes 5K; PO Box 6976; Mobile, AL 36660

