

Maybe YOU can be one of us...

The Few...The Proud...



THE MUDDY!



2008 Marine Mud Run

13 September 2008

Date, Time and Place: Race starts and finishes in Knox County's Melton Hill Park on Saturday, 13 September, 2008. Packet pick-up begins at 7am and race starts at 9am. **Directions:** Take Pellissippi Pkwy to Hardin Valley Rd. Go west on Hardin Valley for 2 miles to Steele Rd. Turn right onto Steele Rd. for 0.8 miles to Sam Lee Rd. Turn Left onto Sam Lee Rd for 3 miles into the Melton Hill Park, adjacent to beautiful Melton Hill Lake. Look for "MUD RUN" road signs.

Course Description: This course will be CHALLENGING. Would you expect anything less from Marines? It consists roughly of 3 miles of off-road running, which entails some obstacles, hills, and, of course, mud pits. We recommend that you wear old clothing and shoes, and bring a bag or container for muddy clothing.

Registration and Fees: Registration fee (postmarked by 1 September 2008) is **\$25.00 per team member**. You may register online at www.active.com or download a registration form at www.MCLKnox.org. There will be **NO** race day registration. Please make check payable to "2008 Marine Mud Run."

Note: There will be a short (200 meter) Kids Mud Run which includes the mud pit after the 5K for a \$5.00 donation collected on race-day. Kids will receive a commemorative souvenir Marine Mud Run ID tag for their effort.

Race Timing: Runner's time will be monitored by a race-timing chip (ChampionChip) provided at team packet pick-up.

T-Shirts: Registrants for the 5K will receive a T-shirt to wear with pride, proving they completed our challenge.

Team Categories: There will be team awards in five categories: MALE ONLY, FEMALE ONLY, COED, JROTC and PARA-MILITARY. Teams will consist of at least 4 members. Because Marines never leave their buddies behind, all team members **must cross the finish line together**. TO REGISTER AS A TEAM, HAVE EACH TEAM MEMBER COMPLETE THE INDIVIDUAL APPLICATION AND THEN SUBMIT THEM ALL WITH THE TEAM APPLICATION ON TOP. FOR ACCURATE TEAM REGISTRATION, WE **MUST** HAVE ALL THE TEAM MEMBERS INDIVIDUAL FORMS WITH THE TEAM APPLICATION.

Awards: Aside from the Purple Hearts that will be earned on our course, awards will be given at an awards ceremony to the winners of each team category shortly following the race. Awards must be picked up on race day.

Information: Email MR2008@MCLKnox.org

Official 13 September 2008 Marine Mud Run Team Application

Name: Last _____ First _____ Gender: Male _____ Female _____ Race Number _____
(Team Leader)

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Team Category: Male _____ Female _____ Coed _____ JROTC _____ Para-Military _____

Team Name: _____

Note: Please attach signed individual applications with this form.

The race is an official drop off point for Toys For Tots, so bring a new, unwrapped toy to the race where Marines from D Company, 4th Combat Engineer Battalion, will collect the toys.