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Dear Team Captain:

The 28th Annual **YMCA Corporate Challenge 2017** is right around the corner. We are so excited to share this race day with you and your colleagues.

The YMCA would like to thank everyone for their dedication to the event over the years, especially our returning major sponsors: **BlueStorm Technologies, Delta Engineers, and the Raymond Corporation**. The YMCA would love to continue to keep this event affordable for all who participate. We cannot do that without your support, we always welcome new sponsors. If your company wants to support a great community event and increase exposure, become a sponsor for this year's race.

Important Information

Information	Date	1 st Event	Each Additional Event
Date of Event	Thursday, June 8 th 2017		
Location	SUNY Broome		
Early Registration	Monday May 8 th 2017	\$18	\$12
Registration Deadline for Shirts	Monday May 22 nd 2017	\$18	\$12
Late Registration	Monday June 2 nd 2017	\$25	\$18

Team Spirit Award! Once again, the Team Spirit Award will be given to the team that demonstrates the true meaning of team spirit: supporting their team, respecting others, encouraging their teammates all while having a great time! So...decorate those tents, design your team shirts and have a blast!

SO WHATS NEW IN 2017?

- Awards Ceremony after each race!!
- Gazelle Timing-Local company working with our timing system.
- Medals for winners.

The YMCA has partnered with Gazelle Timing to offer, on-line registration and immediate race day results! Please go to **YMCACorporateChallenge.eventbrite.com** to register for the race!!

We are providing paper packets this year as an option to register. You can request a packet by emailing Ronald Smith @ rsmith@ymcabroome.org. You simply fill out the packet and return to the YMCA and we will register for you.

Stay informed with all things Corporate Challenge! All you need to do is like our Facebook page (YMCA of Broome County) and share it with your friends and colleagues and encourage your teammates to like the event page as well!

As with last year, you will find event information, full event rules on our website at www.ymcabroome.org. You can find the Corporate Challenge page on our event page. A map of the 5k course will be posted once it becomes available. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the YMCA at 607-770-9622 ext. 404. Thank You all again for your support and we look forward to seeing you all on June 8th.

Yours in the YMCA,
Ronald M. Smith
Branch Executive

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YMCA CORPORATE CHALLENGE

GENERAL RULES AND INFORMATION

A CORPORATION (COMPANY) - is defined as a profit or non-profit business or service including State and Municipal organizations. **In all cases, at the time of the run, the participant must be a part-time or full-time employee of the business/corporation.**

Each team must allocate a **TEAM CAPTAIN**. This person will be responsible for the completion and accuracy of the team entry form on-line at ymcacorporatechallenge.eventbrite.com or complete paper packet and return to Ronald M. Smith. The team captain will be the point of contact for that team.

Race packets will be available for pick-up at the **BINGHAMTON YMCA** on Tuesday, June 6, 2017. Included will be a race guide and Corporate Challenge T-shirts for your team.

CORPORATE DIVISIONS: **Small** 1-99 employees **Medium** 100-599 employees **Large** 600+ employees

SCORING & TROPHIES: Points will be awarded to the top 15 finishers in each of the 3 company divisions. We will have a brief awards ceremony for the top three male and female finishers at the completion of each race. The scoring for the team competition will remain the same as previous years.

TEAM SPIRIT AWARD! This award will go to the team that demonstrates the true meaning of team spirit: supporting their team, respecting others, encouraging their teammates while having a great time! So, go all out with decorations, team shirts and have a great time!

Race Results:
GazelleRaceTiming.com

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TO REGISTER FOR THE RACE!
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**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
AND EVENT DESCRIPTION**

- 4:30-5:15PM** **Race Packet Pick Up** Registration for team captains who didn't pick up race packets on Tuesday.
- 5:15-6:00pm**  **5K Road Race**
3.1mile race around campus. **No walkers please due to scheduling issues.**
- 6:00-7:30pm** **RAYMOND Predicted Mile: (2 Heats)**
This event for is everyone! Participants will pre-register and predict the time it will take to cover the 1 mile course. Participants can walk or run. The winner will be the person closest to their predicted time. **(All timing devices including music and headphones are not permitted during the race).**
Heat 1 Sponsorship opportunity available
Heat 2 The Raymond Corporation.
- 7:30-8:15pm**  **Relay Race**
3 team members will each cover the 1mile course. 1 team member must be female, 1 over 40 years old and 1 'open'. The female and over 40 can be the same person.
- 8:15-8:30pm** **Executive Mile** (sponsorship opportunity available) A 1 mile road race open to senior staff members. (Only 2 participants per company will score toward the team competition)
- 8:30pm** **Closing Ceremony**

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TEAM CAPTAIN WAIVER FORM

We ask that each team captain sign this waiver form. By doing so he/she is acknowledging responsibility for their team members in relation to the following points:

1. I attest that to the best of my knowledge that all registered team participants are a part-time or full-time employee of said company and understand that the YMCA has the right to check employment. I also understand that my entire company will be disqualified from the Corporate Challenge if this statement is falsified
2. Only runners who are registered for an event are permitted in the finishing chute.
3. Competitor Numbers must be worn on the FRONT of participants' shirts and be visible to the finish line workers for scoring purposes.
4. The Corporate Challenge will start at 5:15pm with the 5K race. All other published event start times are 'estimates'. All participants should be available to participate 30 minutes prior to the listed event time; as prior races, may finish earlier than expected.
7. Anyone found to be using a watch or headphones in the Predicted Mile Walk/Run will be disqualified from the event.
8. No dogs permitted on the SUNY Broome campus.
9. For the relay team, you must have one female and one participant over the age of 40.

Name:

Company:

Captain email:

Captain phone:

Captain Signature:

Date:

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ACCIDENT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I acknowledge that this athletic event is an extreme test of a person’s physical and mental limits and carries with it the potential for death, serious injury and property loss. The risks include, but are not limited to, those caused by terrain, facilities, temperature, weather, condition of athletes, equipment, vehicular traffic, actions of other people including, but not limited to, participants, volunteers, spectators, coaches, event officials and event monitors, and/or producers of the event, and lack of hydration. These risks are not only inherent to athletics, but are also present for volunteers. I hereby assume all the risks of participating and/or volunteering in this event. I realize that liability may arise from negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities being released, from dangerous or defective equipment or property owned, maintained or controlled by them or because of their possible liability without fault.

I certify that I am physically fit, have sufficiently trained for participation in the event and have not been advised otherwise by a qualified medical person.

I acknowledge that this Accident Waiver and Release of Liability form will be used by the event holders, sponsors and organizers, in which I may participate and that it will govern my actions and responsibilities at said events.

In consideration of my application and permitting me to participate in this event, I hereby act for myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, and assigns as follows: (A) Waive, Release and Discharge from all liability for my death, disability, personal injury, property damage, property theft or actions of any kind which may hereafter accrue to me including my traveling to and from this event.

THE FOLLOWING ENTITIES OR PERSONS: SUNY Broome, Broome County, individual sponsoring companies, the YMCA of Broome County, their directors, officers, employees, volunteers, representatives, and agents, the event holders, event sponsors, event directors, event volunteers; (B) Indemnify and Hold Harmless the entities or persons mentioned in this paragraph from any and all liabilities or claims made as a result of participation in this event, whether caused by the negligence of releases or otherwise.

I hereby consent to receive medical treatment which may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident and or illness during this event.

I understand that this event or related activities, may be photographed. I agree to allow my photo, video or film likeness to be used for any legitimate purpose by the event holders, producers, sponsors, organizers and or assigns.

The Accident Waiver and Release of Liability shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law.

I hereby certify that I have read this document; and, I understand its content.

_____ **Print Participant’s Name** _____ **Age** _____ **Signature** _____ **Date**

Address: _____

Street City State Zip _____

***PARENT GUARDIAN WAIVER FOR MINORS (Under 18 years old)**

The undersigned parent and natural guardian or legal guardian does hereby represent that he/she is, in fact, acting in such capacity and agrees to save and hold harmless and indemnify each and all the parties referred to above from all liability, loss, cost, claim or damage whatsoever which may be imposed upon said parties because of any defect in or lack of such capacity to so act and release said parties on behalf of the minor and the parents or legal guardian.

Print Parent or Guardian Name:

Date:

Signature of Parent or Guardian:

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