

UBER ENDURANCE SPORTS PROUDLY PRESENTS THE 1ST ANNUAL

“RUMSPRINGA 1/2”

13.1 Miles, Adamstown, Lancaster County

Saturday, April 21st 2012 9:00 A.M

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Rumspiringa is a Pennsylvania German term meaning “running around” and generally refers to a period of adolescence for some members of the Amish that begins at the age of 16 and ends either with the youth choosing baptism within the Amish church or instead leaving the community. During this time a minority of young Amish might experiment with dressing “English”, driving motor vehicles and consuming alcohol.

The Rumspiringa ½ marathon starts and finishes in Adamstown, PA which is located in Northern Lancaster County just on the edge of Amish country and the midsection of the course will lead you through some Amish farmland. Obviously while running you will be on your best behavior, however the race finishes in front of an award winning micro-brewery, so you will be able to do a little “Rumspiringa” after you were “running around” for 13.1 Miles.

As all UES events, we do cater to a certain type of runner, one who does not need a glitzy expo, a shiny medal (our finisher award this year is a cuckoo whistle ☺), rock bands or a celebrity telling them how awesome they are. Instead we focus on a course that is fun and well supported, but also more challenging than the average pancake flat big city race (translation, yes there will be hills). We have awesome German themed Aid stations and the best post race food that you will ever find at a race. To top it off, every runner will receive a free Stoudts beer to rehydrate at the post race party where you will be entertained by live German music. We will raffle off a German cuckoo clock and give out imported handmade German weather houses as agegroup awards. If you think you are not fast enough to win one of these awesome awards, dress up in German or Amish attire and you have a shot of winning one of these weather-houses for best dressed runners.

REGISTRATION/ENTRY

2800 North Reading Road (Route 272), Adamstown, PA

Packet pickup starts at 7:30 a.m. Race starts: 9:00 AM . Time limit 3 ½ hours.

Fee: \$55 till 3/25 \$60 till 4/15 \$65 after and raceday.

Registration online only at www.uberendurancesports.com

YOU GET: Tech. shirt with no advertising on back, finisher award, excellent post race carbs, well supported course, 5 aid stations, toilets, free parking right at start/finish area, unique awards free beer and raffle ticket to win a cuckoo clock.

AWARDS: Top 3 overall M & F and Masters Winner (Overall winner receives a German cuckoo clock).
Top 3 M & F, 14-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59 and Winner 60+ receive a unique German weather-house as an age group award.

LOCATION: Registration will take place behind the clock tower at the Stoudts Complex 7:30AM-8:45AM
2800 North Reading Road (Route 272), Adamstown, PA
Start/Finish is located at Stoudtburg plaza in the German Shopping Village across the street.
Post race party starts at 11:00AM at the beerhall at Stoudts Brewery.

INFO:

More info is available at www.uberendurancesports.com or contact the

Race director: Stephan Weiss, stephanweiss@comcast.net, 717-484-1127

PARKING:

Plenty free parking at Stoudts Brewery close to registration and start/finish.
Insurance Provided by Road Runner Clubs of America (R.R.C.A.)

Disclaimer: By signing up for this race I confirm that I do not like to pay \$130 for a big city race. I enjoy suffering running hills. I have no urge to spend money for some expensive brand name merchandise at a prerace expo. I do not need rock bands or millions of spectators telling me that I'm almost there, but I also don't mind having a few Amish folks or cows look at me funny during the race.