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'KIDS FUN RUN' ADDED TO 2008 TEMPLE TERRACE ROAD RACE

TEMPLE TERRACE, FL. – (3/13/08) – Nearly 300 runners of all ages are expected to participate in the 31st annual *Temple Terrace Road Race*, scheduled for Saturday, April 12, 2008.

The 5K road race is USATF certified and offers runners an attractive course through Temple Terrace's tree-shaded neighborhoods. New this year is a *Kids Fun Run* that's sure to be a blast. The 1-mile race is open to youngsters 14 and under.

Races will start at the Temple Terrace Family Recreation Complex, 6610 E. Whiteway Drive. The 5K race begins at 7:45 a.m. The fun run will start at 8:15 a.m.

Free T-shirts will be given out to the first 175 entries in the 5K run. Awards will be given to the overall male and female, and the overall male and female masters. First- through third-place medals will be awarded in age-group categories in the 5K. All Kids Fun Run participants will receive an award.

A runners' party will be held immediately following the races, with refreshments, drawings for prizes, massage opportunities and more.

The Temple Terrace Parks and Recreation Department is registering runners now at the Family Recreation Complex. The 5K entry fee is \$15 if registered on or before March 23; \$20 after that. The fun run entry fee is \$5. Runners also may register the day of the race, 15 minutes prior to starting time. Runners under age 18 will need a parent's or guardian's signature.

Sponsors of this year's event include Publix; Sweetbay; Bright House; TECO; Smoothie King; 7-Eleven; Bay Area Neuro Clinic; the Greater Temple Terrace Chamber of Commerce; and the law firm McIntyre, Deese and Baruch.

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