Active Terp 5K – Glow on the Greens
Event Rules

The University of Maryland and Campus Recreation Services make no representations or warranties, express or implied, regarding the degree of safety that may or may not result from complying with these Active Terp 5K – Glow on the Greens rules. Each participant is responsible for his/her conduct.

General Conduct
At or during an event, or while at the event site, all participants must:
a. Act in compliance with these Active Terp 5K – Glow on the Greens Rules;
b. Conduct themselves in a manner that is not offensive in any way to fellow participants, spectators, officials or volunteers and is considered reasonable and acceptable in the community;
c. Treat all participants, officials, volunteers and spectators with fairness, respect and courtesy;
d. Refrain from the use of abusive language or conduct; and

General Conduct continued:
e. After violating any of the Active Terp 5K – Glow on the Greens Rules, report such violation to CRS Staff or retire from the event.

Entire Course. Participants must cover the prescribed course in its entirety. It is the participant’s responsibility to know the course. Any violation of this section, even if no advantage is gained, shall result in a disqualification.

Unsportsmanlike Conduct. Participants shall refrain from unsportsmanlike conduct, including the improper use of language or conduct directed toward an official. Violations of this Section shall result in disqualification.

Obstruction. Participants shall refrain from intentionally or accidentally blocking, charging, obstructing, or interfering with the forward progress of another participant.

Unauthorized Assistance. No participant shall accept from any person (other than a race official) physical assistance in any form, including food, drink, equipment, support or pacing.

Re-entry. Upon leaving the course, a participant shall re-enter the course and continue at the same point of departure.

Race Numbers. Participants shall plainly display their race numbers at all times, and shall maintain the race number in an unaltered, unobstructed and readable state at the start and finish gates, and on the course.

Unfair Advantage. No participant shall use his body, head, arms, or legs to gain an unfair advantage, or to push, pull, hold, strike, or force through one or more participants.

Abandoned Personal Gear. No participant shall leave any personal gear on the race course.

Unauthorized Accessories. No participant shall, at any time during the event, use or wear a hard cast, headset, radio, personal audio device, or any other item deemed dangerous by the CRS Staff. Violators will be removed from event and disqualified.

Glass Containers. No participant shall utilize any glass bottles or glass containers at any time during the event.

Indecent Exposure. Public nudity at any time during the event is prohibited.

Obstruction and Interference. No participant shall impede the forward progress of another participant or interfere with another participant's equipment while in the transition area.

On the Course

Permitted Conduct. A participant may run or walk the entire portion of the course. Except for reasons of safety and when no advantage is gained, all runners shall follow and remain within the prescribed course. A participant who gains forward progress by crawling or otherwise violates this Section shall be disqualified.

Knowledge of the Course. The responsibility of knowing and following the prescribed course rests with each participant.

Permitted and Illegal Equipment. The use of a headset, radio, headphones, and/or personal audio device is prohibited.

Weather Policy

Event will happen rain or shine. In the case of inclement weather that jeopardizes participant safety, the event will be cancelled. This information will be posted on the event website and at registration. No refunds will be issued.