



Join Us For:
**WEE Read's Athens Kids Expo 5K and
Family Fun Run**



Benefiting Wee Read!!!

Wee Read's Athens Kids Expo is a fundraising event benefiting the **Wee Read Program of United Way of Northeast Georgia**. Wee Read was launched in January 2007 in an effort to encourage the vital practice of reading to young children. In partnership with Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, every registered child from birth to age 5 in Athens-Clarke and Oconee counties receives one free, age-appropriate hardback book in the U.S. mail each month. This highly effective program takes advantage of the natural excitement connected with receiving a package in the mail — children are eager to open and dive into the brand new book that comes addressed specifically to them. Parents are reminded and motivated to read to their young children when they receive a colorful, new, interesting book each month. This excitement surrounding books and reading will lead to a life-long love of reading in young children, which is an important characteristic for educational success. Included in the book flap of each Wee Read book are reading activities endorsed by the United Way to guide parents and enhance the reading experience with their child. The Wee Read program is available to all children living in Athens-Clarke and Oconee counties regardless of socio-economic status and costs just \$25 per child annually.



WHEN: April 16, 2016. Expo runs from 10:00am to 4:00pm. **5K begins at 9:00am.**

LOCATION: Cedar Shoals High School, 1300 Cedar Shoals Drive, Athens, GA 30605

5K REGISTRATION: \$20.00 by 04/06/16 includes a t-shirt, \$15.00 by 04/06/16 no t-shirt.

\$25.00 after 04/06/16 includes a t-shirt; \$20.00 after 04/06/16 no t-shirt.

Race day registration will be available beginning at 8:00am. T-shirts are guaranteed only to those that register prior to 04/06/16 and will be available on race day as supplies last. Registration is also available at www.active.com

AWARDS: Overall Male/Female, Masters Male/Female, and the top three Male/Female in age groups beginning 10 and under, 11-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69 and 70 older.

INFORMATION: Jeanine Russell (706) 543-5254; e-mail successby6@unitedwayneg.org



Make check payable to Wee Read's Athens Kids Expo.
Fill out one entry per person (copy as needed) and mail 5K entry to:
WEE Read 5K
Classic Race Services
1860 Barnett Shoals Road, Suite 103-498, Athens, GA 30605

NAME: _____ **AGE:** _____ **DOB:** _____ **MALE FEMALE**
(circle one)

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **ST:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

SHIRT SIZE: YS YM YL S M L XL XXL

WAIVER: In consideration of acceptance of this entry, I waive any and all claims for myself and my heirs against officials, sponsors, hosts, or any person associated with the Wee Read 5K. I understand that running in a race is strenuous and I am in proper physical condition to participate in this event. I also give permission for use of my name and photograph to be used in any media or other account of this event.

Signature: _____ (under 18, parent or guardian signature) **Date:** _____