

Merrickville Heritage Classic Team Spirit Award

To those individuals who have entered as a team for the Merrickville Heritage Classic Road race event, Bravo!! We would like to recognize those who wish to participate in a little added fun, all in the name of team spirit.

According to the Collins dictionary, *team spirit* is the feeling of pride and loyalty among team members.

Team spirit cultivates motivation and collaborative behaviour among individuals in a team to work towards a common goal. It enables every individual to work with full enthusiasm to promote healthy active living of all ages, gender, and abilities.

The Team Spirit award is being introduced for the first time in the history of the Merrickville Heritage Classic Road race event. We hope with its inaugural launch, it will become a mainstay of the race for years to come.

This annual race brings the community together to enjoy the camaraderie of the Merrickville-Wolford area. The event is supported by the generosity of local businesses and the many volunteers that help to organize and execute a fun, vibrant day for the participants. This is the essence of a team.

Bib Pickup

When you pick up your bib, please confirm what team you are registered to.

For those teams wishing to participate in the Team Spirit Award, please have the team captain identify and confirm participation.

Bib pickups will be held at
the Merrickville Community Centre,
106 Read Street, (corner of Read and Main Streets),
Merrickville, Ontario

Friday evening, April 28, 2023,
from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Saturday morning, April 29, 2023,
from 6:30 am to 7:45 am.

Criteria for Team Spirit Award

- Teams must comprise 2 or more participants
- Teams must register prior to the start of the event
- Team members must be identifiable but not limited to your imagination (matching shirts, matching colours, theme or team decorations etc.)
- Demonstrating extra ordinary Enthusiasm during the event
- Promoting healthy active living
- Enhances the image of the Merrickville Heritage Classic event – A fun, safe activity

Judging:

Members of the Run Merrickville organizing committee will observe the teams and select the winner and two honourable mentions. Awards will be presented at the award ceremony after the race.