



Dear Eagle Community Supporters and Friends,

Santa Margarita Catholic High School invites you to participate in the 13th annual Sarah DeMille 5K Memorial Run on July 24, 2021. We are excited to have this event in person with the option to participate virtually if you choose. We are especially excited to see everyone after a year of staying at home and quarantining!

This annual event continues to be a meaningful opportunity for the school and local community to honor the memory of a member of the Eagle community, Sarah DeMille '05, a four-year cross country and track athlete who had a deep love for her sport and her teammates. All funds raised through this event support the Sarah DeMille '05 Memorial Scholarship* which, over the past 12 years, has awarded \$50,000 in scholarship funds to deserving student athletes who share the same passion and commitment that Sarah embodied while a student here at our beloved school.

Each year, we come together to keep Sarah's memory alive by gathering for community, fitness, and fun. We continue to be blessed by the generosity of the SM and local community who support this meaningful and fun event. As a whole, we have played an integral role in helping young men and women achieve their academic dreams by providing scholarships to nurture academic success and athletic competition.

Sponsorships: Becoming an event sponsor is a great way to support the Sarah DeMille run and your family or business will be recognized on the race t-shirt, race communication and on the school's website (see enclosed sponsorship opportunities).

Attendance: Join us in person or virtually for a run or walk! If you plan on doing this virtually, run a 5K individually any time between July 1 and July 24 and submit your information. More virtual runner information and registration available online at www.smhs.org/demille.

Please consider participating in this year's event! Register to run (by yourself or with your family), become a sponsor or underwriter, or make a donation to celebrate and continue the legacy of Sarah and Eagles everywhere! For more information, please either visit our website at www.smhs.org/demille, contact the Alumni Department at (949) 766-6000 ext. 1530 or email us at alumni@smhs.org. Thank you for your continuous support!

Gratefully,

Annie Phan
Associate Director of Alumni Giving & Relations

***About Sarah DeMille:**

The Sarah DeMille Scholarship was set up in remembrance of Sarah Ashley DeMille, a 2005 graduate of SMCHS and lady Eagle runner. Sarah was killed in an automobile accident in 2006 while attending Northern Arizona University. She had volunteered to accompany a friend driving a fellow NAU student home for the weekend so the driver would not have to make the long trip on mountain roads back to NAU alone. The student driving the car lost control while trying to avoid hitting a deer.

The idea for the scholarship and the initial donation to the fund was made possible by Applied Medical where Sarah had worked for two summers as an intern. Sarah was a true Eagle athlete: she loved to run, she loved her team and she loved her ability to make each athlete believe it was all about your personal best. The recipients of the scholarship are chosen based on the values and attributes that Sarah possessed - Passion, Commitment, Sacrifice, and Hard Work.



PASSION * DREAM * SACRIFICE
COMMITMENT * BELIEVE
HARD WORK

Please select donation level and return with completed donor and payment information to the SMCHS Advancement Office. Thank you!

Sponsorship Opportunities:

Sponsors will receive recognition on the race t-shirt, banner, course signage, race communications, SMCHS website and annual report. See sponsorship levels for further t-shirt recognition details and benefits.

Title Sponsor ~ \$5,000

- Company logo on the sleeve and back of the event T-shirt with most prominent placement
- Five race entries.

Gold Sponsor ~ \$1,000

- Company logo on event T-shirt
- Two race entries

Memorial Sponsor ~ \$2,500

- Company logo on the back of the event T-shirt with prominent placement
- Three race entries

Silver Sponsor ~ \$500

- Name on on event T-shirt
- One race entries

Bronze Sponsor ~ \$100

- Name on event T-shirt

Underwriting Opportunitites:

Help off set the cost of the event by underwriting one of the following items. Underwriters may provide a cash donation for the items or an in-kind donation of the item(s). Underwriters will receive recognition on the back of the race t-shirt, banner, course signage, SMCHS website and annual report.

Race T-Shirts ~ \$1,500

Breakfast ~ \$1,000

Beverages ~ \$500

Course Signage ~ \$250

Cash Donation:

I wish to support the Sarah DeMille '05 Memorial Run with a cash donation of \$_____

Donor Information

SMCHS Family SMCHS Alumni Business Other:_____

Name: _____

Donor Recognition: _____
Please print name EXACTLY as you would like it to appear in recognition publications.

Mailing Address (for tax purposes): _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Email: _____

Payment Options

CHECK Payable to SMCHS, Check # _____ Credit Card: VISA MasterCard AMEX

Name of Card Holder: _____

CC Number: _____

Exp Date: ____ / ____ 3 or 4 Digit Security Code: _____ Card Billing Zip Code: _____

Signature Required

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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