



Hello Second Wind Fund Supporter!

Just by signing up to participate in Second Wind Fund's 16th Annual Walk/Run event, you are supporting the important suicide prevention work that Second Wind Fund is doing in your community. Thank you! We are excited to see you out at Clement Park **this Saturday** for the event. Please take a moment to read through this entire email for all of the event details you will need to know.

## EVENT DETAILS

The event will take place THIS Saturday, October 7th at Clement Park on the west side of the park and on the east side of the lake ([CLEMMENT PARK MAP](#)), which is located between Wadsworth and Pierce just south of Bowles Avenue in Littleton. The event officially begins at 8:30 am when registration opens. The family activities will also be open at 8:30 am. The Silent Auction tent, sponsored by [Abiding Hope Church](#), will open at 9:00 am, but you may [bid online](#) via your mobile device until the tent opens. Please note that runners MUST be registered by 9:00 am. The 5K run ([COURSE MAP](#)) will take place first with a 9:30 am starting time. When the runners return, the program will begin and the walk will start at 10:45 am immediately after the dove release.

Please plan to check-in at event registration first thing, unless you have already picked up your packet or t-shirt at pre-registration at Barnes & Noble on October 5th. Event registration will be under shelters 4, 5, and 6 which are the shelters located closest to the library ([EVENT LAYOUT](#)).

Again this year, the [Silent Auction](#) sponsored by [Abiding Hope Church](#) is housed in a large white tent located between the amphitheater and registration shelters. There will be volunteers in the tent with tablets to assist with online bidding. We have a variety of items designed to match any interest and any budget. Second Wind Fund

depends on your generous bidding here to help fund our program for the coming months. You can preview items and bid at: [www.SWFsilentauction.org](http://www.SWFsilentauction.org).

## **PARKING**

Please carpool with friends, family, or other team members. Parking at the park itself is limited and carpooling will help ease congestion for everybody. There is a drop-off point for participants if parking is full at the park.

Please also note that parking is not permitted in the library parking lot and we have been asked to let participants know that parking is not permitted in Chanson Plaza or in West Bowles Village Shopping Center, as these lots are for the use of customers at the businesses located there. You may find overflow parking in Southwest Plaza. If you need to make any drop offs, please feel free to drive directly up the edge of the park to do so, but plan to then park your vehicle elsewhere after the drop off. If you are volunteering, please plan to park at the Columbine High School lot.

## **ENJOY THE EVENT!**

Our first band will play at 9:00 am and we invite you to enjoy live music throughout the event. Make yourself and your family comfortable anywhere on the open grassy areas. There will also be a variety of kids' activities located under a big tent near the amphitheater.

This year, please plan to take your own team photos with the camera on your phone. There will not be any official team photo area or photographer, but you can use the beautiful lake and foothills as your background! The official event program will kick-off at 10:15am and will feature The National Anthem, live dancing, and our signature Memorial Dove Release.

Please plan to bring any items you feel that you and your family may need. Strollers and dogs are welcome. Dogs will need to be kept on a short leash while on our walk/run courses and will need to be leashed throughout the event as well. We will offer bottled water and other Pepsi products at our BBQ (included in the event registration fee), but please feel free to bring your own water bottles, chairs, or any other food or beverage items you may require. Our BBQ will include both beef burgers and veggie burgers, hot dogs, and beef sliders.

Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns at [mmcknight@thesecondwindfund.org](mailto:mmcknight@thesecondwindfund.org) 720-962-0706 ext. 19 before 5 pm on Friday, or at the registration tables on event day. We look forward to seeing you on Saturday!

Sincerely,

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