OCT. 5, 2008 FIVE-MILER TEAM FORM

Please read carefully before completing form. Please print clearly. Entry Deadline: $35 for corporate, open and master team categories; $15 for family teams. Entries must be received by September 18, 2008. *No substitutes after September 18.* TO AVOID DISQUALIFICATION, COMPLETED INDIVIDUAL APPLICATIONS AND ENTRY FEE FOR EACH TEAM MEMBER MUST BE SUBMITTED TOGETHER WITH THIS TEAM FORM AND TEAM ENTRY FEE(NO EXCEPTIONS).

1. Team Name

2. Name of Corporation, Club, Family, etc.

3. Team Members (up to 5, name should be listed the same as an individual entry):

	Last Name	First Name	4. Age on race day	Sex: M	F
A.					
B.					
C.					
D.					
E.					

4. Category and Division of Entry:

A. Corporate	Men	Co-Ed	Women	
B. Open:	Men	Co-Ed	Women	
C. Masters:	Men	Co-Ed	Women	

D. Family (two members) Nature of relationship_____

NOTE: Individual entries & fees must accompany this application.

5. Contact Person or Team Captain

6. Address:

7. City: State: Zip:

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8. Daytime Phone

9. Amount enclosed

$15 (Family) **$35 (Corporate, Open, Masters)**

Make checks payable to: Portland Marathon, and mail in a #10 envelope to: P.O. Box 4040, Beaverton, Oregon 97076

Note: Team entry fees are in addition to the individual entry fee requirement. Teams may compete in only one division. Individuals may be a member of only one team.

TEAM COMPETITION: To promote corporate fitness programs and competition as well as encourage groups of runners to train together. There will be four categories: corporate, open, masters and family. Here are the details.

Corporate Team Competition —
There will be three divisions in this category, which is designed for employees of corporations, business firms and government agencies. One division for corporate teams is for all men, the second division will be co-ed, and the third division is for all women teams. Teams may consist of three to five employees. Team members must be full-time employees (at least 20 hours per week) of the sponsoring organization as of September 1. Organizations may enter more than one team.

Open Team Competition —
Walking and running clubs, athletic clubs, civic organizations, neighborhoods, church groups, eating clubs, sporting teams, political groups, etc. may enter any of the division within this category. Any affiliation whatever may enter. Again, one division is for all men, the second division will be co-ed, and the third division is for all women teams. Teams may consist of three to five individuals and organizations may enter more than one team.

Masters Team Competition —
There are three divisions within this category. One division is for all men, the second division will be co-ed, and the third division is for all women teams. The master age level for men is 40 years or older and for women 35 years or older. Teams may consist of three to five members.

The Family Challenge —
The family category may include any two family members such as: father/daughter, father/son, mother/daughter, mother/son, husband/wife, and sibling/sibling.

Entry
All teams must complete an entry form and all team individual applications must accompany the team applications. The team entry registration fee is $35 per team in the corporate, open, and masters categories. Family entry fee is $15 per team. Team entry fees are tax deductible.

The entry deadline for the receipt of team entries is midnight September 18. Be sure the information regarding team members matches the information submitted on the individual entry forms of those team members. No substitutes after September 18.

Team Scoring
Team scoring will be based on lowest total points. Each member's score will be his/her age group finish place divided by the total number of finishers in his/her age group.

For example:
31 yr. old male finishes 30 in the 30-34 age group. Assume there are a total of 150 finishers in this age group. His score is 30/150 or 0.20.

This scoring factor will be added to the factors of other team members. The total for the top three team members will be the score compared to other teams in the respective team division, i.e. Corporate, Open, and Masters. Family teams will be scored the same way.

Male and female age divisions in the marathon on which team finishing positions will be based include: 26 & under; 20-24; 25-29; 30-34; 35-39; 40-44; 45-49; 50-54; 55-59; 60-64; 65-69; 70-74; 75-79; 80-84; 85-89 & up.

Awards and Results
Special awards will be given in each division of the Corporate, Open, Masters and Family team categories. The number of awards that will be given will depend on the number of teams that enter. Last year most divisions were five deep. This year we hope to go to 10!

Participant teams will be mailed results and awards after the race. An effort will be made to announce winners at the Post-Race Party.

Participation Award:
A special award for the company, group, etc. which has the highest number of teams will also be given. All categories may be included. Teams are encouraged to print a team T-shirt or singlet and invite their fellow employees, friends and family to help as volunteers for the race.

For More Information
If you need more information, call the Marathon HOTLINE, (503) 226-1111 or write Portland Marathon, P.O. Box 4040, Beaverton Oregon 97076.