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**The Arc Allegany-Steuben's Annual 5k Raffle Run/Walk Set for September 18th**

The Arc Allegany-Steuben is holding a 5K Raffle Run/Walk on Saturday, September 18, 2021. The race begins at 9:30am with a starting point at The Arc's Shine Facility (240 O'Connor Street, Wellsville, NY). The 3.1 mile course begins at the Arc Allegany-Steuben and winds through the streets of Wellsville, ending back at The Arc.

Myriah Perry, Event Chairperson, said "We are very thankful for the amazing amount of support we have received from not only sponsors for the event but also people participating and volunteering. The event will once again have a raffle/prize element added to the race," said Perry. "Your bib is your raffle ticket; prizes will be randomly attached to finish line crosses. If you finish in a designated prize slot, you win. There will be cash prizes for the overall winner, 2nd and 3rd places and all event participants will be entered into a Grand Prize drawing for \$100."

Event proceeds benefit the Green Machine athletic teams and the Friends of Allegany Arc Foundation; supporting individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities in Allegany and surrounding counties served by the Arc Allegany-Steuben.

The registration fee is \$25 per person. There are no divisions; everyone is equal. If you register before September 10<sup>th</sup>, you will receive a free race day t-shirt. Computer chip timing provided by Falcon Race Timing.

You can register for the 5K Raffle Run/Walk at [www.thearcas.org/friends-foundation](http://www.thearcas.org/friends-foundation). For more information, please contact Myriah Perry at 607-622-1893 or [myriah.perry@thearcas.org](mailto:myriah.perry@thearcas.org).

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