



**ACHILLES INTERNATIONAL – CONNECTICUT CHAPTER**  
Invites you to be a vendor/exhibitor at our Hope & Possibility® Race Expo  
Location: Metropolitan Learning Center Campus - 1551 Blue Hills Ave Bloomfield, CT  
Limited to 15 spots inside the air conditioned gym.

**August 21st, 2016 Expo starts at 7am**

**RSVP by August 9th**

**\$75.00 for 8x8 space**

**Paid sponsors & Non-Profits  
are FREE**

**Set up:  
5:45am- Ready by 6:30am**

**Breakdown:  
Approx 10:30am**

**Don't delay..... reserve  
your spot today.**



**Expo Coordinators: Jessica Willis 860-882-4514  
and Margaret Rorrio 860-918-1953  
Email us at [Justgrit@gmail.com](mailto:Justgrit@gmail.com)**





# VENDOR/EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION FORM

(Please complete and return this form)

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. Are you a Paid Race Sponsor? Circle one (YES OR NO)
- 2. Are you a 501 (C) 3 Non Profit? Circle one (YES OR NO)
- 3. Do you need a table and a chair? Circle one (YES OR NO)
- 4. Do you need to rent a tent? Cost is \$175 Circle one (YES OR NO)

Please contact us if you need a Food Service permit form from the Town of Bloomfield. Submit food permit forms directly to the Town of Bloomfield.

Vendors/Exhibitor must have Certificate of Liability Insurance.

\* Tents need to be weighted for safety.

\*Please mail completed form and check no later than August 9, 2016  
Mail-in registration ONLY

\*Make payable to Achilles International CT Chapter

Mail to: Achilles International CT Chapter PO BOX 2302 Branford, CT 06405

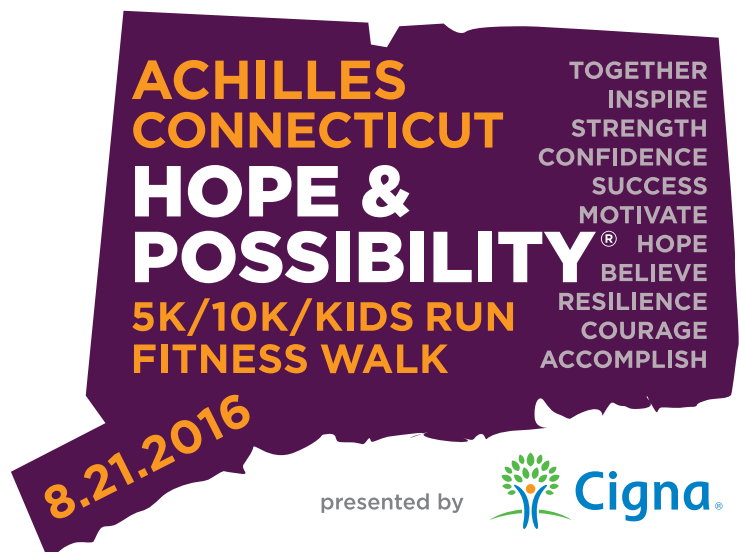
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## ABOUT ACHILLES INTERNATIONAL - CONNECTICUT CHAPTER

Achilles International-Connecticut Chapter is a not-for-profit organization that partners able-bodied guides with individuals who have differing abilities in mainstream athletic events, such as walking, running, and triathlon. Headquartered in New York City, Achilles has been a presence in CT since the late 1980's, when Trisha Meili was a patient at Gaylord Speciality Healthcare and ran with the Achilles Chapter that was founded there.

Our mission is to enable people with all types of differing abilities, as well as emotional, developmental and medical conditions, to participate in mainstream athletics in order to promote personal achievement, enhance self esteem, and lower barriers to living a fulfilling life.



### ABOUT HOPE & POSSIBILITY®

The Hope & Possibility® is the signature race of the not-for-profit Achilles International, headquartered in New York City. The race was founded in 2003 with the remarkable story and recovery of avid runner Trisha Meili, author of *I Am the Central Park Jogger: A Story of Hope and Possibility*. Achilles' flagship chapter in New York City hosts the Hope & Possibility® race in Central Park the last Sunday in June. Attendees have included Prince Harry of Wales, Jon Stewart, Gloria Gaynor, Heather McCartney, Cindy and Meghan McCain, and former New York governor David Paterson (now Achilles International's Chairman, Board of Directors).

### ABOUT ACHILLES CONNECTICUT HOPE & POSSIBILITY® PRESENTED BY CIGNA

The Achilles Connecticut Chapter is thrilled to announce that Trisha Meili will be the Honorary Chair of the 1st annual race in the state. The goal is to celebrate the power of the human spirit and to create a unifying event that showcases the abilities of all athletes, running side-by-side.

August 21, 2016

MLC Campus 1551 Blue Hills Ave.  
Bloomfield

8:00AM • 5K/10K/Fitness Walk

9:30AM • Kids Run & Post-Race Festivities

For more information or to register visit

[http://www.hartfordmarathon.com/  
Events/Achilles\\_CT\\_Hope  
Possibility\\_Run.htm](http://www.hartfordmarathon.com/Events/Achilles_CT_Hope_Possibility_Run.htm)