



GRISSOM JROTC WARRIOR 5K

MARCH 3RD, 2018

GRISSOM HIGH SCHOOL

1001 HAYSLAND RD SW, HUNTSVILLE

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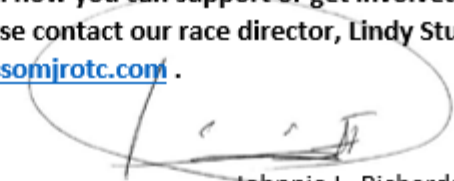
The Grissom High School JROTC Corps of Cadets will host the Grissom JROTC Warrior 5K Run on March 3, 2018. For nine years, Grissom JROTC cadets have hosted a 5K race to support wounded service members. With the help of our sponsors, we have donated over \$46,000 in support for this effort. That is a tremendous accomplishment and speaks to the cooperation and patriotism that characterizes our communities. We would be honored by your sponsorship of this great event!

This year, our race will raise funds to support Still Serving Veterans. The mission of Still Serving Veterans is to serve and honor Veterans and their families, transition service members by assisting them in securing meaningful employment and the Veterans benefits they have earned. All services they provide are at no cost to the veterans.

The Warrior 5K Run will continue the long-standing traditions set by previous Grissom JROTC 5K runs, with all the patriotism and pageantry that characterized those races. There will be static displays, vintage cars, lots of flags, and formation runners. We hope to see over 500 racers this year, with multiple teams participating in the ROTC/JROTC and Corporate/Community Divisions.

We hope you will take a moment to review the great impact that Still Serving Veterans and the Grissom JROTC program have on our local and military communities. If you are a past sponsor, we would appreciate your continued support. If you have not supported our race previously, please join with us as we honor and assist our local veterans. The proceeds from this race are shared with Still Serving Veterans and the Grissom JROTC program.

If you have any questions on how you can support or get involved with the Grissom JROTC 5K Run, please contact our race director, Lindy Stuart, at 256-457-5067 or warrior5k@grissomjrotc.com.



Johnnie L. Richardson
Lieutenant Colonel (retired)
Senior Army Instructor



Still Serving Veterans (SSV) is a decade old, registered 501(c)(3), headquartered in Huntsville, AL, with the mission to **serve** and **honor** Veterans and their families, transitioning servicemembers, and members of the Guard and Reserves by assisting them in securing meaningful employment, securing the Veteran benefits they have earned, and connecting them with the myriad of community-based services available to them in our generous, military-friendly community. All services are provided at no charge to clients or employers. Still Serving Veterans focuses on three main areas of assistance for our Veterans.

- Veteran Employment Services
- Veterans VA Benefits and Claims Assistance
- Veteran Resource Connections to services they may need in the community.

Since 2006, SSV served over 50,000 Veterans who received over \$507 million in cumulative benefits and salaries enabled by only \$9.1 million in donations. In 2016, SSV served 1,795 new Veteran clients, conducted over 10,387 one-on-one counseling sessions, and helped 737 Veterans find good jobs yielding some \$34.9 million in new salaries, benefits, and services. Today, SSV has over 3,200 active clients, 80% of whom reside in North Alabama.

Beyond serving our clients, SSV has been recognized for its community contributions, as well as its high-quality business excellence. These achievements include receiving the Call of Duty Endowment's (CODE's) national Seal of Distinction Award, being recognized as the 2015 Nonprofit of the Year Award from both Huntsville/ Madison County and City of Madison Chambers of Commerce, and receiving the 2014 BBB Torch Award for Ethics. Additionally, annually SSV undergoes both a national external audit by Deloitte and a local audit by Mercer & Associates. All audit results have been "all green" with no faults. Delivering high quality, value-added services in a professional and ethical manner is a hallmark of Still Serving Veterans.

Grissom High School Army JROTC Warrior 5K



March 3rd, 2018
9:00 A.M.

Grissom High School
1001 Haysland Rd. SW
Huntsville, Alabama

Visit our websites at:

<http://grissomjrotc.com/>
<https://facebook.com/GrissomJROTCWarrior5K>

For Questions, contact:

Race Director: Lindy Stuart

Warrior5k@grissomjrotc.com

256-457-5067

How Do You Help?

1. Please consider sponsoring the race. Non-cash race support, such as prizes, food, race bag items and other equipment, are most welcome. We thank you for anything you can do.

2. Send your contribution to:

Grissom JROTC Warrior 5K
C/O Lindy Stuart
2237 Towne Park Dr SW
Huntsville, AL 35803

3. Make checks payable to **Grissom JROTC**. If donating to an individual school is an issue, please contact us.

4. Please email us your high-quality company logos by December 15, 2017 for inclusion on the race flyer. We would like your donations by 15 December as well! Thank you!

5. Email your company logo in jpeg or vector format for use on the race T-shirt, race website, and race flyer to:

warrior5k@grissomjrotc.com

6. Please accept our sincerest gratitude and appreciation!

Levels of Support

Bronze:	\$0- \$500	Website/Flyer
Silver:	\$501- \$1,000	Website/Flyer/T-Shirt
Gold:	\$1,001- \$2,000	Website/Flyer/Large Logo on top of T-Shirt
Platinum:	\$2,001+	Website/Flyer/Large Logo on top of T-Shirt

+ Your logo on a Race Day Banner & Public Recognition before Race!



About Grissom JROTC

Grissom JROTC is a program that teaches the high school students character education, student achievement, wellness, leadership, and diversity. Grissom JROTC has a successful program with a history of nationally ranked a nationally ranked MST Team, Cybersecurity Team, a Drill Team, and our Color Guard. We hope to have our Rifle Team up and running this year. Our instructors are LTC Johnnie Richardson, MSG Derrick Hamilton, and SFC Scott Reed. Our program's mission is to produce successful students and citizens.

Some of the lessons Grissom JROTC teaches our cadets are to:

- Act with integrity and personal accountability
- Engage civic and social concerns in the community, government, and society
- Graduate prepared to excel in post-secondary options and career pathways
- Make decisions that promote positive social, emotional, and physical health
- Value the role of the military and other service organizations

We hope you can partner with us in raising money to donate to the Still Serving Veterans to help veterans in our local area, and throughout North Alabama.

Our Programs

Military Skills Team: Our MST is one of the best in the nation, placing highly in every event we compete in. We have one male team, and one coed team. Each competition consists of a 5K run, CCR (Cross Country Rescue), PTT (Physical Team Test), obstacle course, and timed construction of a rope bridge.

Drill Team: The drill team competes locally, and tests the skill of cadets to stay focused and sharp as their commander gives orders in their formation.

Color Guard: The color guard presents the national and state colors at a variety of events. These are chosen out of the best of the drill team members.

Cyber Patriot Team: The Cyber Patriot Team defends computer systems against potential cyber-attacks. They compete in the Army JROTC Division at competitions. We placed 1st in the region, and 2nd in the state.

