

# BOWLEGS 5K RUN FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by the Faculty & Friends Club of FSU and Gulf Winds Track Club

One Mile Fun Run/Walk

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**DATE:** Saturday, **January 27, 2024** at 9:00 a.m.

**PLACE:** Start/Finish at the FSU/FAMU Engineering Building  
Innovation Park - Pottsdamer Street - Across from Seminole Golf Course  
The course runs through the Innovation Park area– Certified: FL21047JK  
For more information text Bill Hillison (850 228-2392)

**AWARDS:** *BOWLEGS shirt to all fully-paid preregistered entrants. Race day until supply is gone.*  
Medallions for 1<sup>st</sup> Place in Five-Year Age Groups  
Awards for (One award per participant):

**5K Runners**

- Male & Female Overall
- Male & Female Masters
- Male & Female Grandmasters
- Male & Female Student
- Male & Female Educator
- Male & Female Faculty Club

**One Mile**

- Male & Female Overall
- Male & Female Faculty Club

All registered entrants have a chance to **win prizes** from local merchants (Winners must be present at drawing held after the race)

**REGISTER:** Visit: [RunSignUp.com/Race/FL/Tallahassee/BowlegsRunforScholarship5K](https://RunSignUp.com/Race/FL/Tallahassee/BowlegsRunforScholarship5K)  
or use the following QR code:



## **BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF THE BOWLEGS 5K RUN FOR SCHOLARSHIP**

The race was initiated in 1984 by Leitch Wright, a professor and GWTC member, as a vehicle to raise FSU scholarship funds for The University Club (now Faculty and Friends Club of FSU). Originally the race began and ended at Tully Gym. Subsequently, to avoid traffic problems, it was moved to Innovation Park beginning and ending at the Engineering Building. The race became a club race in 2002. Scholarships (\$600 - \$1,000) are typically awarded to needy, 28 and older, returning full-time undergraduate students who maintain a 3.2 or better GPA. To date, more than 225 scholarships have been awarded from the net proceeds from the race. One of the key highlights of the race is the door-prize drawing for those runners and volunteers attending the announcement of the race results.