

Roxbury Race Series To Co-Sponsor Shepaug Seussical Theater Fund-raiser

ROXBURY – The Roxbury Road Race Series will co-sponsor a fund-raiser this winter for “Seussical The Musical,” a production that will be performed by students at the Shepaug Valley Middle-High School in Washington over four nights in April.

Members of “Seussical The Musical” will take optional donations and sell T-shirts and other merchandise Saturday, March 12, before, during and after the 3.52-mile race, which starts at 8:30 a.m., and will include a trip down the long hill on Hemlock Road.

Runners are encouraged to dress in Seuss-ware with VIP passes to any one of the April shows awarded to the best costume.

The runners will also sponsor a 1.8-mile concurrent walk that morning which will travel from the starting line near the Everett Hurlburt Community Park at 18 Apple Lane to the Booth Free School on South Street and back to the park.

During the run/walk, Dr. Seuss books will be read aloud at the Apple Lane Pavilion. Those who cannot or choose not to participate in the run/walk can enjoy listening to Dr. Seuss and sipping hot cocoa.

The snow date is March 19 at 8:30 a.m., when the runners will be racing along the same course, except in the opposite direction.

The event is one of several of the several civic projects that the runners sponsor annually.

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