



To Our Wonderful Sponsors,

Thank you for supporting our first annual O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain.

The 1st annual O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain had over 170 participants, each running either a 5K, 10K, or half marathon distance. We had over 30 volunteers and employees from the City of Rexburg who worked to make sure our runners had a safe, well supplied, and organized route.

Jerry Gowan, CFO of Operation Underground Railroad opened the race. He also spoke of the work O.U.R. does and answered questions.

Our runners were strong and determined. Finishers received a specially designed O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain medal and race t-shirt. Runners also received an O.U.R. cinch bag, raffle ticket, O.U.R. swag, coupons, and more!

Along with our other post-race food/drink, Great Harvest Bread was at the finish line with freshly baked bread. The Rexburg College of Massage Therapy offered exhausted runners massages. Both of these organizations donated their time and resources at no cost.

We had a live DJ, bounce house, climbing wall, corn dog truck/food booths, carnival-style games hosted by local businesses and organizations, a raffle drawing, and more.

In total, O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain raised \$9048.23. Next year, our goal is to exceed \$10,000.

Thank you again for your support in helping us to bring awareness and financial aid to this noble and deserving cause. With an estimated 2-3 million children trapped in the nightmare of sex and labor trafficking, we have a long way to go in bringing safety and hope to them, and justice to their perpetrators. We plan to stand behind Operation Underground Railroad and this cause for as long as it takes. With the help of our community, we look forward to establishing O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain as a fun and meaningful tradition in this community for years to come!

We have scheduled next year's event for **Saturday, September 24, 2016**. We will have many of the great finish line festivities that we had this year, including Great Harvest bread, RCMT massages, live music, raffles, O.U.R. merchandise sales, and other sponsored booths, while most likely forgoing the more costly options of bounce houses and climbing walls. The event will run from approximately 8:00am to 1:00pm.

We would be honored to have your support as a sponsor for next year's event. If your business would like to continue supporting this cause by sponsoring O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain 2016, we would gratefully ask that you complete the attached "Sponsor Information Form and Receipt" and return it to us by mail, email, or scheduled pick up. We welcome any feedback you may have for us.

Once again we thank you for your great support and look forward to working with you in the future. Your support has been invaluable to us and to this cause. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts, as well as on behalf of the heroic men and women of Operation Underground Railroad and the precious children they are able to save because of your support. **THANK YOU!**

Most sincerely,

The O.U.R. Run to Break the Chain team