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FAIRFIELD FALL CLASSIC FIVE MILER BENEFITS THE FAIRFIELD MEDICAL CENTER EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

LANCASTER, Ohio (November 5, 2007) – Fairfield Medical Center hosted its First Annual Fairfield Fall Classic Five Miler on Sunday, October 28th at 8:00 am. The overall male winner was Alex Koksai of Lancaster and the overall female winner was Deirdre Winkle of Delaware. Following close behind in second through fifth places for the men were Noboru Yuki (2), Mitchell Biederman (3), Daniel Moore (4), and George Edstrom (5). For the women, second through fifth place included Keena Hilsbery (2), Heather Boyer (3), Amanda Disbennet (4), and Irina Strickler (5). Romey Crawford from Galloway and Monica Price from Lancaster, took the top honors in the walking category. Eighty-one runners and walkers participated in the event. The Fairfield Fall Classic Five Miler course began and ended at Fairfield Medical Center. The course guided runners and walkers through the scenic streets of Lancaster.

Proceeds from the Fairfield Fall Classic Five Miler will benefit the Fairfield Medical Center Educational Resource Center through the Fairfield Medical Center Foundation. The new Educational Resource Center will include a clinical skills training lab and medical library. This new facility will help promote healthcare recruitment and provide an enriching environment for learning. In August, Congressman Dave Hobson visited Fairfield Medical Center and is working to secure additional funding for the project.



Caption for Photo: On Sunday, October 28th, eighty-one runners and walkers moved through the streets of Lancaster as they participated in the first ever Fairfield Medical Center Fall Classic 5 Mile Run. Pictured here on Pleasantville Road are #55, Tom Halliday of New Albany who finished 9th overall for the men, and #38, Keena Hilsbery of Green Bay who finished 2nd overall for the women.

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