**SPONSORS WANTED FOR THE 9TH ANNUAL BRADLEY R. SMITH MEMORIAL 5K RUN/WALK**

**July 16, 2018, TROY, IL** – The 9th annual Bradley R Smith Memorial Scholarship 5K Run/Walk has been set for September 8th, 2018, and we are currently in need of donations and sponsors to help make this race as successful as it has been in the past!

 All donations are greatly appreciated. Each sponsor will be recognized the day of the race. Any sponsor that donates $100 or more will have their business name printed on the back of the race day t-shirts given to each runner. Bronze, Silver, and Gold sponsors will have their logos printed (small, med, large) on the back of the t-shirts. Sponsorship and Donation Forms must be received by 8/20/18 to be included on shirts. The forms can be downloaded from the website, filled out, and mailed back to Bradley R Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 21, Troy, IL 62294.

 This 5K run/walk event is to honor a local fallen hero, Senior Airman Bradley R. Smith, of Troy, Illinois who served in the United States Air Force from 2006 until making the ultimate sacrifice for his country in Afghanistan 2010. This event raises money for the Bradley R. Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund, in which over $225,000 in scholarships have been awarded to area students in memory of Airman Smith’s legacy throughout the history of the 5k run/walk.

For more information on how to become a sponsor please visit [www.runforbrad.org](http://www.runforbrad.org).

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