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Kids Running For Kids!

A 5-K Race for the Tijuana Ministries

If you look on the back of this page you will see the children who will benefit from this race. Some are children of abused or abandoned mothers at La Roca. Others are poor children who attend a free school for poor children in a neighborhood called Grupo Mexico. Still others are children who are participating in neighborhood children's clubs around Tijuana. There is a great funding need at the present to keep these programs going to show God's compassion for these dear children.

The good news is that **you** can help and also teach your own children something about sharing. On May 14 there will be a **BIG RACE** in Tijuana where all of these children that can run (or walk) will run 5 kilometers!. These children will be running to raise money for La Roca, the free school, and for their club and breakfast programs.

Please encourage these young ones by contributing a dollar or more per kilometer that they run. Children will be running from all the ministries. Turn to the back of this page and decide which ministry you'd like to support. By choosing that ministry we will pass on your sponsorship to one of the children running for that ministry. There will be up to 300 children running this race in Tijuana— children that are served by these ministries.

If you live in Southern California, there will be a sympathy race at Santa Fe Christian School in Solana Beach, CA, where U.S. children will be running the same day to raise funds for Tijuana. If you live in the area and your child wants to run to help a child in Mexico, get an application form from our web site www.teamtijuana.org. We hope many churches will stage sympathy races or find other activities to help these Mexican children!.

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La Roca Free School for poor children

La Roca School , which offers free education to students who can't get into other schools (often for lack of birth certificates), will have up to 175 boys and girls running to raise money for their school.



Marisol & her 6 children at La Roca

La Roca provides a home for 7 families (35 kids who have been abandoned by their fathers). About 25 of these kids are old enough to run.



Kids Clubs and breakfasts for needy kids

In four different barrios, we help neighborhood clubs which are struggling to have enough funds to feed breakfast to poor children on Saturday mornings. Here "niños" are given a chance to hear the gospel, presented with a good lifestyle and encouraged to avoid the gangs that often entrap children in those places. We hope 100 children from the four clubs will run.

YES! I would like to sponsor one of these children in their race in Tijuana. I would like to donate _____ per kilometer for five kilometers for a total of _____.

Please give my sponsorship to a child running for the following ministry (please check one)

____ Free school for needy children

____ Families at La Roca

____ Clubs and feeding programs for poor children

Please make your checks out to LAM, specifying the group you wish to sponsor.
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