

Date: Sunday, May 7, 2023

RAIN OR SHINE

Location: Trinity Health Stadium
(formally Dillon Stadium)
Home of the Hartford Athletic
250 Huyslope Ave, Hartford



Parking: Parking is free and plentiful, and directly across from the entrance of the Stadium – look for signs. Use the parking lot entrance at the corner of Huyslope and Curombe Street, near the Sport and Medical Sciences Academy (280 Huyslope)

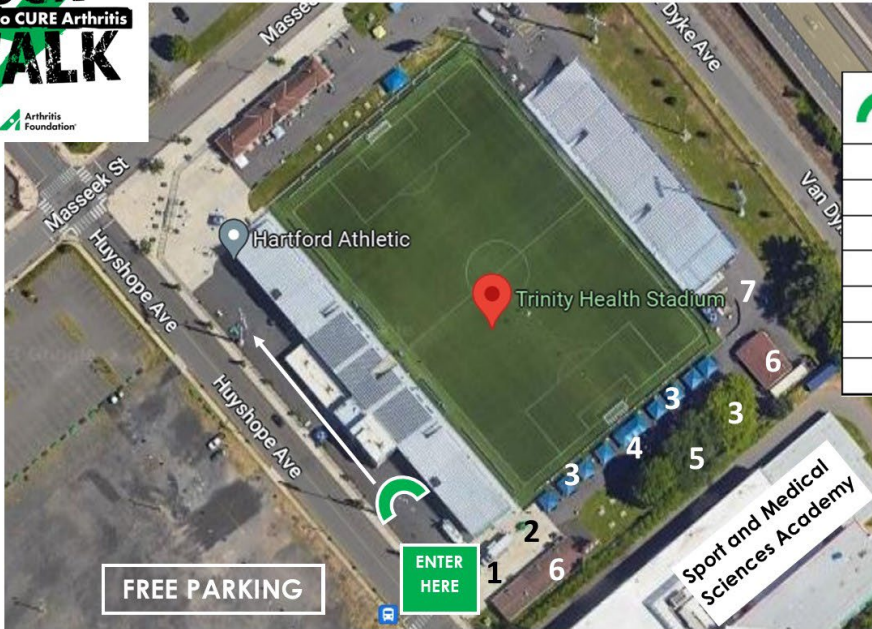
***Please note, the entrance we are using for the walk area is different than last year; it is the opposite end of the stadium! See map below.**

We look forward to seeing you this Sunday at the [2023 Walk to Cure Arthritis Connecticut](#). It's going to be an incredible day for us to rally as a community and support one another in a common goal to find a cure for arthritis. Together, we can create a lifetime of better for people battling arthritis and related diseases. We are also coming together to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Arthritis Foundation!

Event Schedule and Details

- Registration and Check-In 10:00am
- Team Photos 10:00am – 1:00pm
 - Look for the photographer roaming the walk site, gather your team together and hold up our walk banner! OR take a team photo in front of the "Rock the Walk" banner with photo props!
- Kids activities 10:00am – 1:00pm
 - Inflatable obstacle course
 - Mini bounce house for 3 and under
 - Yard games – cornhole, giant Jenga, connect four and more!
 - We are allowed to go on/play on the actual soccer field BUT NO WATER OR FOOD on the field!
 - Free Popcorn and water
 - Rock painting and more!
- Opening Ceremonies 10:45am (times may slightly vary)
- Walk 11:00am
 - We will be walking around the Stadium 4 times to represent the 1 in 4 Americans living with Arthritis. This is approximately ½ miles - or .3 miles each lap – feel free to do as little or as much as you like
- **Post Walk Party 11:30am-1:00pm**

- o Dancing, Live Music from the [Professors of Sweet Sweet Music](#), balloon animals, on field activities and more!
- o Food Truck sales; Beer, seltzer and wine sales available as well



Map Key

	Walk Start Line
1	Check in/Reg/T-shirts
2	Food Trucks
3	Team Tents
4	Vendors/Mission Tent
5	Stage Area
6	Bathrooms
7	Kids Area



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On-Site Registration

Invite your friends, family, neighbors and co-workers to the Walk to Cure Arthritis! If they haven't already registered online, they can check in, donate and sign the event waiver on-site at 10:00 a.m. Please note: all attendees, regardless of being pre-registered online prior to walk, need to enter the walk site through this area – the GREEN BOX on the map. We are **CASHLESS** at Registration, so any donations you have, please convert to check, or make a donation directly online. We will have QR Codes to scan for quick online access to register or donate at the event.

Commemorative 2023 YES! Pins and Walk Day T-Shirts

Any walker who has fundraised \$75 or more will receive a YES! Pin to commemorate the 75th anniversary at the registration tent. Any walker who has fundraised \$100 or more will receive a t-shirt at the registration tent. *Please note, this is a special individual fundraising incentive, not your team total divided by \$100 in terms of number of shirts you will receive. If we run out of shirts or your size, we will be placing an additional order post walk.*

Social Media

Connecticut Arthritis Foundation Facebook @arthritisconnecticut

National Arthritis Foundation Twitter @ArthritisFdn

Local Connecticut Instagram @arthritis_foundation_ct

National Arthritis Foundation Instagram @arthritisfoundation

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Questions?

For more information, contact Lauren Amendola at lamendola@arthritis.org, or call 203.435.0922; *Lauren will be wearing a GREEN Walk shirt with "STAFF" on the back.*

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