

DO HARD THINGS TOGETHER



HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE-AGE TOUGH MUDDER HALF

Hey parents!

We kicked off 2018 with an incredible series called DO HARD THINGS. The point? Doing hard things is good for us because it promotes growth – as an individual, in character and when following Jesus. We threw out challenges left and right and the students embraced them. Well this is one more challenge we're inviting our high school and college students to give a shot: a Tough Mudder Half on August 26, 2018

What is a Tough Mudder Half?

This isn't a race, it's a challenge. It's not a solo challenge either; it's a team-building community challenge that reinforces a lot of values we believe in. Here are some details about this event:

The course is 5 miles long with 13 team focused obstacles. Yup, there's a lot of mud but there's no electric shock or ice water (which are on longer courses). While some might feel the urge to run, it's not necessary. There's no clocks, no timing chips, no awards. It's a challenge, and as long as someone steps outside their comfort zone and embraces the experience...they've already won.

Where/When?

This event is at Rockford International Airport outside Chicago on Sunday, August 26, 2018. We'll learn our start time closer to the event, but estimate we'll leave in the morning and arrive early evening.

Who is this for?

High school students (14+ as of 8/26/2018) and college age adults who want to experience something fun, unique and outside their comfort zone! Also, almost ALL our Slife leaders are committed to the event and will be right next to your student to help, encourage and cheer them on!

What's included?

We'll cover transportation and parking, provide a custom team shirt and have snacks and water available after the event. Check out the event page [here](#) to find details on what's included with event.

How to sign up:

You can head to our [website](#) select the STUDENTS/KIDS tab and click EVENTS & CAMPS to find registration link and this info packet. Or you can register directly through Tough Mudder's website [here](#).

Please make sure to select SUNDAY AUGUST 26, 2018 TOUGH MUDDER HALF PARTICIPANT

You'll need to use code **BRAND357** at checkout to get RiverGlen's 30% off discount. If you would like to come and be a spectator, you are welcome to do that as well.

The sooner you register, the better! Tough Mudder increases prices on events throughout the year. So the earlier you sign up, the less you pay. Prices start at \$55 for the event.

When you've completed registering, please forward your confirmation email to Andy at andy.averill@riverglen.cc. We'll need to know who's going so we can place your student on the team and get their name on the shirt.

If you have any questions or concerns, don't hesitate to ask! Many of our leaders including me have participated in Tough Mudder events and are confident this will be an incredible/unique experience for your teen and it'll be a memory they never forget!

Thanks,

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