



## Team ER Multi- Sport Race Team

### What is Team ER?

Team ER is a multi-sport team founded in 2005 in a joint effort between Eddy's Bike Shop of Stow, Ohio and Ritchies Sporting Goods of Tallmadge, Ohio. These two family-owned and operated businesses envisioned assembling a team of athletes who would not only train and race together, but who would also promote multi sport and its fitness benefits, develop aspiring athletes helping them to achieve their goals and represent their sponsors in a professional manner.



### Who are the Team ER members?

Team ER members range from relative beginners to elite athletes who compete in local races to national championships. Several of our top athletes have compiled both male and female overall race wins and top age group places in local and national races. Our team members have competed in the top national races including The Boston Marathon, USA Triathlon Age Group Nationals, and several Ironman Triathlons.

This year we have added several promising athletes and expect nothing less that another great season. We have also seen our beginners start to move up the ranks and expect podium finishes from some of them this year.

Team ER has also “graduated” one team member to the rank of pro-athlete.





## Team ER Race Schedule

### Running Events

Event	Location	Website
Shamrock 5K/15K	Woodridge High	summitathletic.com
Union Hospital Half Marathon/Relay	New Philadelphia	runohio.com
Jeep Davis 5K	Barberton	runohio.com
Tallmadge Memorial 5K	Tallmadge	ritchiessports.com
Canton Marathon and Half	Canton	runohio.com
National Interstate	Akron	
Goodyear Half Marathon & 10K	Akron	
North Canton 5 Miler	Canton	runohio.com
Circle City Mile	Tallmadge	ritchiessports.com
Akron Marathon, Half, Relay	Akron	akronmarathon.org
Buckeye Half	Peninsula	summitathletic.com
Great New Years Eve 5k	Stow	summitathletic.com

### Multi-Sport

Event	Location	Website
LifeCenter Plus	Hudson	LifeCenterPlus.com
Hinckley Du	Hinckley	NCN racing.com
Twinsburg Du	Twinsburg	NCMultisports.com
Munroe Falls Tri	Stow	Champracing.org
Miltonman Tri	Lake Milton State Park	Champracing.org
Greater Cleveland Tri/Du	Mentor	NCMultisports.com
Portage Lakes Tri/Du	Portage Lakes St Pk	hfpracing.com

### Bike Rides

Event	Location	Website
Eddy's Sweet Corn	Richfield	sweetcornride.com
Red Fannel	Oberlin	lorainwheelmen.org





## Benefits of Sponsorship

Team ER's members will be competing annually in over one hundred and seventy-five events. Team members are required to wear official team uniforms, with sponsor logos at all races they compete in. In addition warm up and cool down gear with sponsor logos are to be worn providing maximum exposure.

At each designated race a team banner with sponsor logos. This will be attached to a tent where the team will gather before and after the race.



In addition to representing our sponsors out on the race course, members are also required to wear their uniforms during training. All team members have signed letters of agreement insuring our sponsors will be represented in a professional manner.

Each team member is also required to perform two community service events each year. Again, this is done wearing clothing with logos that identifies us Team ER members. This allows for additional impressions for our sponsors and provides the team an excellent avenue to give back to the community.

Finally, the team web site [www.ohioteam-ER.com](http://www.ohioteam-ER.com) offers us yet another way to spread our message and promote our sponsors. We will be doing multiple press releases throughout the season and are contacting all local newspapers and sports and fitness publications to request coverage for the team and help draw viewers to our website.

