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5K RACE

Girls on the Run, even in the cold

Union County Girls on the Run braved temperatures in the teens and ran their annual fall 5K race at Parkwood High School on Saturday. Girls on the Run is a nonprofit character development program for elementary and middle school girls that encourages a healthy lifestyle through running. Seven elementary schools and one middle school from Union County participated.

About 100 girls ran in the race and 150 spectators cheered them on. "Everyone stayed until the last girl finished and they all received medals for running," said Bonnie Grote, council director.

The event was sponsored by CMC-Union and Lending Tree. If parents are interested in getting their daughters involved, e-mail Grote at bbgrote@bellsouth.net.

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