



## Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: When is this event?**

A: Miles 4 Malaria is on Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup>. Please plan to arrive at 7:00am to check in and receive your T-shirt. The course will open at 7:30am, and close at 9:00am.

**Q: Who can participate?**

A: This event is open to the public. You do not have to attend Annual Conference to participate in the 5K. All ages are welcome (children must have permission from a parent or guardian and be supervised during the race). However, the course at Minto-Brown may be difficult for bikers and strollers to manage, because parts of it are unpaved.

**Q: What are we raising money for?**

A: The proceeds of Miles 4 Malaria will go to Imagine No Malaria, which is an extraordinary effort of the United Methodist Church to end deaths from malaria. We're putting our faith into action to protect people in Sub-Saharan Africa-- especially mothers and children under five-- from this needless killer.

**Q: How do I register, and how much will it cost?**

A: Register online at [miles4malaria.org](http://miles4malaria.org). The entry fee is \$20.

**Q: What's included in the cost of my registration?**

A: A bib number, T-shirt (while supplies last), snacks and entertainment at the finish line, and one entry into a door prize drawing upon completion of the course.

**Q: Will Miles 4 Malaria be a timed race?**

A: No. There will be a race clock, but each participant will be responsible for making note of his or her time. The bib numbers will be used for entry into a door prize drawing upon completion of the course, not for timing.

**Q: What should I bring with me?**

A: It's smart to bring shoes and clothes that can be easily washed, since Minto-Brown is often muddy in June. If you have chosen to collect pledges, bring your pledge form and an envelope with cash or checks made out to Imagine No Malaria. You may also want to bring a water bottle, although there will be a water station with cups available.

**Q: Can I bring my dog?**

A: Please do not bring your dog to the 5K-- it's important that we provide good hospitality to people who have allergies or are nervous around dogs. However, there is a designated dog park at Minto-Brown near the course, and your furry friend is welcome there!

**Q: How will I get to Minto-Brown?**

A: You are responsible for your own transportation to the 5K. There should be many carpools available from the Annual Conference hotels. Take Commercial Street south from the Convention Center, and then turn right on Owens Street, which will turn into River Road. River Road will take you all the way to Minto Island Road, where you can take a right turn to enter the park.

**Q: Once I arrive at the park, how will I find this event and where will I park?**

A: Drive past the first and second parking lots and the dog park. Our registration and check-in tables will be under the pavilion near the third and final parking lot. There is ample free parking.

