



# Suffolk County Veterans Run Series 2021 Newsletter - 15 April

Welcome Back!!

Welcome back to the Suffolk County Veterans Run Series for 2021. 2020 was a very challenging year in many respects. All 9 of our races last year were conducted virtually. We still had 4,000 people participate in at least one run. 32 individuals participated in all 9 races. THANK YOU for supporting our veterans through your participation especially during a very turbulent environment. We are working with the county to set up our 2020 Challenge Coin and Medal ceremony to kick off the 2021 season.

We have 9 races scheduled for 2021. We are hoping many will have in person events but a virtual run will be held if necessary. The Airborne Tri Team 5K is on hiatus for 2021. The Suffolk County Veterans Run Series wishes the Airborne Tri Team continued success on all their endeavors that support our veterans in Suffolk County and look forward to seeing team members at the other runs.

Welcome Aboard!

Joining our schedule for 2021 will be the first TSGT Deshan Briggs Memorial 5K in August. Though the first year will be virtual, future races will be held in the Port Jefferson area.



Next Race

CPL Christopher G. Scherer Memorial I Did the Grid 4 Mile/1 Mile  
Run/Walk

VIRTUAL FOR 2021

Friday, May 28, 2021 – Monday, May 31, 2021

Registration: [I Did The Grid \(runsignup.com\)](https://runsignup.com)

We kick off the 2021 season on Memorial Day weekend with a run that remembers all of those who gave their lives in service to our country. Your race bib will contain the names of 5 of the fallen and a spot for you to write in a 6th. You remember them by the miles you complete.

### 2021 Suffolk County Veteran Run Series Schedule

**May 28-31** - Cpl Christopher G. Scherer Memorial "I DID THE GRID" 4 Mile Run / Walk

**June 12** - Dog Tag Run – Veterans Ending Suicide Together

**June 26** - Navy SEAL LT Michael P. Murphy Memorial Run/Walk

**July 25** - Jordan's Run: Veterans' Memorial 5k Run / Walk

**August 13** - TSgt Dashan Briggs Memorial Run

**September 12** - Team RWB/Project9Line Heart of An Eagle 5K

**October 9** - E.O.C. of Suffolk, Inc. 5K for Fighters Race Supporting Women Veterans

**October 24** - Catholic Health Services' Suffolk County Marathon Half Marathon, 10K and 5K

**November 6** - Warriors Run

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