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Marcum Workplace Challenge returns

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The in-person Marcum Workplace Challenge is back.

After a “disruption” from COVID, the popular fundraiser returns on Tuesday, Aug. 2, at Jones Beach, according to an announcement from Marcum, an accounting firm with offices across the country and in Melville.

This 3.5-mile run-walk and corporate picnic has raised more than \$1 million for charity. At the event, employees from companies across Long Island, as well as their families and friends.

The event is produced by Marcum, in collaboration with the Greater Long Island Running Club.

This year’s beneficiaries will include Children’s Medical Fund of New York, Long Island Cares – The Harry Chapin Food Bank, Long Island Children’s Museum, and the Nassau County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

“This event has always been a magnet for the compassion and community spirit of Long Islanders,” Carolyn Mazzenga, Marcum’s Long Island office managing partner, said in a statement.

“There is truly no other event that brings together the business community in such a strong show of support for our region and for some of the organizations that help make Long Island such a great place to live and work,” she added. “To say that everyone is looking forward to returning to Jones Beach for this year’s run-walk doesn’t begin to express how excited we all are to once again put on our running shoes and team shirts, pitch our tents, and get out there to have some fun while doing good for our community.”

“Not only is this a 3.5 mile run-walk, it is also considered Long Island’s largest office picnic. It’s a great way for companies to socialize and network in a totally relaxed environment. That it’s all to raise money for Long Island charities makes the Marcum Workplace Challenge a wonderful opportunity for Long Island businesses,” Event Director Mindy Davidson of GLIRC said in a statement.