

ALFAISAL JOURNEY TO 5K

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A WORD FROM THE DEPARTMENT CHAIR

We are thrilled to announce the successful conclusion of the Journey to 5K Bootcamp with an exhilarating 5K race held at Alfaisal University.

The Family and Community Medicine Department was excited to present a unique first of its kind initiative aimed to fostera healthy campus atmosphere and encourage active participation among students, staff, faculty and alumni.

In collaboration with We Run Team, we organized the "Sunday Alfaisal Runday" program, providing a running crew and expert coaches to help Alfaisal community strength train and prepare a 5K race.

Even though the bootcamp started on the 14th May, the Sunday StrengthRunning training exercises has been going for **12 months now** and it will continue even after the race to promote health and physical well-being.

This initiative also serves our department's social responsibility and community engagement goal.

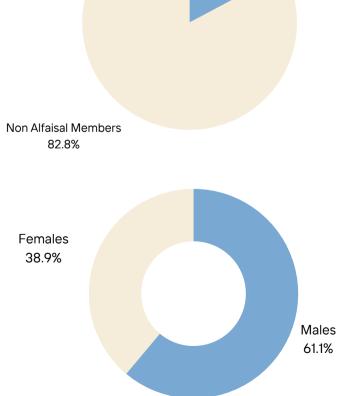
BARAA ALGHALYINI VICE DEAN, COLLEGE OF MEDICINE



JOURNEY TO 5K BOOTCAMP AND RACE

BY FATIMA ADEM

A total of 180 enthusiastic individuals participated in the race of both genders and all ages. This initiative was open to all the public . We announced the race through our social medial channels, internal email circulation, StudentAffairs and Marketing Department. This initative was possible due to our continued collaboration with We Run, a fantastic club that has consistently shown their dedication to keeping our campus active and vibrant throughout the year.



Alfaisal Members 17.2%



ALFAISAL RACE

Awards and Recognition:

During the event, we celebrated the accomplishments of the **top three male** and female participants by presenting them with trophies and financial prizes. Their outstanding performance served as an **inspiration to others**, emphasizing the importance of perseverance and physical fitness. This race had a budget of 1000 SR from Alfaisal University.





38.9%

We are proud to witness the era of female empowerment as more than 70 female enthusiast showed up at the race from all different walks of life.

80%

Most of our attendee were from the youth population that we are targeting.

HEALTHY CAMPUS

Promoting Health and Community:

We are extremely **proud** to have provided **Alfaisal students**, **staff**, **faculty and alumni** with the opportunity to engage in physical exercise and become an integral part of the campus community. This first of its kind event served as a testament to our commitment to social responsibility, as well as an excellent platform to showcase the beauty of our campus. The **enchanting palace and gardenswere** widely appreciated and became a topic of conversation among all attendees.



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We extend our sincerest gratitude to **Dr. Baraa** and her team member **Dr** Fatima Adem for wholeheartedly supporting this noble cause and actively participating in the event. We would also like to express our deep appreciation to We Run represented by Dr Sarah Farhoud, Coach Madkhali, and Coach Sami for their exceptional organizational skills and dedication to making this race a resounding success. Furthermore, we are grateful to the Alfaisal student body, staff, and faculty for their enthusiastic participation and commitment to maintaining a healthy lifestyle. Special thanks go to the facilities and security teams for their supportand assistance throughout the entire event.







