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# **Press Release**

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## **Annual Adopt-a-Healthy Duck Race to once again support the Greene Community Health Foundation**

**XENIA, OH --** Various restaurants and businesses in Greene County are turning yellow this month in an effort to help keep kids healthy. It's time for the Greene Community Health Foundation's annual **Adopt-a-Healthy Duck** campaign. Proceeds benefit the Greene Community Health Foundation which provides health and wellness support to families in need throughout Greene County.

Racing ducks are available for adoption for \$5 each and can be adopted at the health district located at 360 Wilson Drive in Xenia. Ducks will race across the pond at Clifton Mill on Saturday, August 30th at 2:00 p.m. for an exciting race to the finish. Prizes on tap for the top race finishers include:

- 1st Place: \$500 Cash
- 2nd Place: \$200 Pre-Paid Visa Gift Card
- 3rd Place: Portable Gas Grill from Walmart/Alan Besco Cars & Trucks
- 4th Place: \$100 gift certificate to Dick's Sporting Goods from McColaugh Funeral Home
- 5th Place: \$50 gift certificate to Clifton Mill from Clifton Mill

There is an additional opportunity to support the campaign by purchasing paper ducks for \$1 each. These ducks can be purchased at various local establishments including banks, credit unions, restaurants and libraries, as well as at the health district.

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For more information on the Adopt-a-Healthy Duck race, please contact Carol Sue Knox at 937-374-5658 or by email at [cknox@gcchd.org](mailto:cknox@gcchd.org).

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