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CROSS COUNTRY RUN TO BENEFIT USD ATHLETIC PROGRAM, DEC. 8

Stereo equipment from Mad Jack's Sound Center and refreshments from the Miller Beer Co. are just two of the kinds of prizes and awards to be given winners and participants in a cross country benefit run at the University of San Diego's Sports Center on Saturday, December 8, at 9 a.m.

The 5 or 10 mile event, which runs through nearby Tecolote Canyon, will raise funds to benefit the USD Athletic Program, which this year has moved into the West Coast Athletic Conference and NCAA Division I level competition.

The winners in both the mens' and womens' categories will receive gift certificates for stereo equipment from Mad Jack's Sound Center, along with award plaques. All participants will receive refreshments from the Miller Beer Co., and commemorative T-shirts. The USD pool will also be open to all runners.

Additionally, all sponsored runners collecting \$10 or more are eligible for a drawing for a complete stereo system donated by Mad Jack's.

Other sponsors include Adidas, and many local sporting goods stores and other businesses.

Fees for the race are \$6 in advance, \$8 the day of the event. For information and registration, call Scott McCarthy, USD Sports Center, 291-6480, extension 4272.