## ST. MARY'S IOMILER

## OFFICIAL PRESS RELEASE Rip It Events Announces the St. Mary's 10 Miler & 5K, 2018.

Columbia, MD – Rip It Events, LLC, a running & multisport race management company, announces the launch of the St. Mary's 10 Miler & 5K. This race will replace the annual St. Mary's Half Marathon held each spring in St. Mary's, MD. The change in race distance aims to better position St. Mary's premier running race amongst the various local and regional races held each spring.

The St. Mary's 10 Miler will start and finish on the edge of the St. Mary's College of Maryland campus. Participants will run through the college campus, along Point Lookout Road and through Historic St. Mary's. The 5K will follow a similar course starting and finishing at the same location. This race will benefit the St. Mary's College of Maryland Cross Country team. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the school.

The St. Mary's 10 Miler will take place on Sunday, April 29, 2018. Online registration for this race will open on July 14, 2017. A special low registration fee will be available for 72 hours. For more information about this event and to register, visit: <a href="http://www.stmarys10miler.com">www.stmarys10miler.com</a>. For a list of sponsorship opportunities, email Danny Serpico at <a href="mailto:racedirector@ripitevents.com">racedirector@ripitevents.com</a>.

## About Rip It Events, LLC

Rip It Events, LLC was founded in 2010 and has successful event planning experience in the entertainment, athletic, and non-profit sectors. Owned and operated by Danny & Suzy Serpico, Rip It Events produces the Little Patuxent River Half Marathon, Maryland Duathlon, Columbia 10 Miler, Patuxent River Half Marathon & 10K, Ellicott City 5K/10K, Columbia Glow Run, Brides Maids 5K and the Columbia Turkey Chase 10K as well as manages other large scale race events including the Howard County Public School System 5K.