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### **GET READY FOR THE MARDI GRAS MAMBO 10K**

**Baton Rouge, LA** – Approximately 800 runners from all over Louisiana and the country will compete in the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Mardi Gras Mambo 10K/1 Mile Fun Run that will take place on Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>. Club South Runners and The Baton Rouge Area Sports Foundation will host the event, which will take place in historic downtown Baton Rouge.

The course will start and return to the beautiful Nicholson Drive with a loop through, LSU campus past Tiger Stadium, Mike the Tiger's Cage and the parade grounds. The 10K will begin at 9 a.m. and the 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk will begin at 8:30 a.m. The age groups for the 10K vary, with runners' ages 5-90 participating in this monumental event.

“This will be a great family outing or a great time to catch up with friends,” said Jerry Stovall, President of The Baton Rouge Area Sports Foundation.

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An “After Race Awards & Party” will await the runners at the Sheraton Baton Rouge Capital Atrium. As a prelude there participants and attendees can stay and enjoy the Krewe De Mystique starting at noon in downtown, followed that evening the Krewe of Orion parade.

Make plans to come and enjoy an eventful day filled with the spirit of fun, competition and camaraderie inspired by this vigorous sport.

The Baton Rouge Area Sports Foundation would like to extend special gratitude to Baton Rouge Coca-Cola, Belle of Baton Rouge, Brooks, Jambalaya Shoppe and Mockler Beverage for their continued support.

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