

## Park Lane Primary & Nursery School

**Executive Head:** Rob Litten **Deputy Executive Head:** Rachel Bains

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

## SPONSORED WALK - Friday 27th September 2019

It's that time of year again when we will be having our annual sponsored walk. This year, it will be held on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September starting at 1.30pm for KS2 children and 2.00pm for KS1 children. The walk involves children from Year 1 to Year 6 walking around the school field, with KS1 children completing 10 laps and KS2 children completing up to 20 laps.

We appreciate any sponsorship that children are able to collect. More details on what your child's class will be raising money for will be sent out later, however all money will go back into your child's year group.

Whilst this is a fundraising event, the most important thing that we want to achieve is for every child to have fun and to feel that they have done something wonderful for their school. Please encourage your child to take part and have fun in this event – it really doesn't matter how much they raise in sponsorship! It's the taking part that really matters.

In order for your child to take part, please sign and return the sponsorship form that will be sent home with your child in the next few days. **Due to the distances involved we cannot allow any child without a signed form to participate in this school event.** Every child returning their signed form will be entered into a prize draw to win a book token. Three in total will be presented with a winner from Year 1 or 2, a winner from Year 3 or 4 and the final winner coming from Year 5 or 6.

As always, parents are more than welcome to watch or join in with their children as they walk around the field. In addition to this, each class would greatly appreciate two parental volunteers to count the number of laps each child completes. If you can help for the afternoon, then please speak to your child's class teacher.

Here's hoping for some beautiful sunny weather on the day.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Peter Ingham

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## Macmillan Coffee Afternoon - Friday 27th September 2019

The date of this year's Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning coincides with Park Lane School's Sponsored walk afternoon for years 1 – 6 (Reception & Nursery will hold their own sponsored event at a different time – parents will be contacted). We have decided to combine the two events and have a tea, coffee and cake afternoon as part of our annual sponsored walk.

The Macmillan Cancer Support charity supports not just those who are suffering with the disease but carers as well. This is a worthwhile charity close to many people's hearts and we are pleased to support Macmillan Cancer again this year.

If you would like to send in a cake or some biscuits with your child on the day, or simply support us by buying refreshments during the afternoon of Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September then we would welcome your support. Any offers of help to serve refreshments will be appreciated, just let the school office know.

We hope that as many parents and friends as possible will be able to come along and support us in encouraging our pupils to contribute to Park Lane sponsored walk and Macmillan Cancer Support.

Yours sincerely,

Rob Litten

**Executive Headteacher** 

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