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NJA MNDA Runathon 2023

motor neurone disease

I hope that this letter finds you all well.

I am writing to you on behalf of some Year 5 pupils, who have been working very hard to organise a charity event for MNDA. The pupils have organised a two-day event, without much adult support, called the Lucy, Summer and Millie Runathon (LSMR for short!). With the help of their friends, they delivered an assembly this morning telling the school about their charity work.

The Year 5 pupils are hoping to get the whole school involved in a charity run for MNDA, having been inspired by the work of Kevin Sinfield. We hope that you will support your child to gain sponsorship for their participation in the event organised by LSMR. We understand that families may be facing difficult financial circumstances at this moment in time; any donations are much appreciated and will make a difference to this much needed cause.

On Tuesday 7th February, all children will be taking part in a runathon. Each class will be allocated a 15-minute slot to try and run 1km or more. The Year 5 children have specified that children can wear rugby jerseys or yellow and blue (the colour of Leeds Rhinos).

On Wednesday 8th February, the Year 5 group of ten children will then also be running 88 laps of the school running track, which is a distance of 7.7km.

The team of children are hoping to raise £777 through this event. They have asked for me to explain that all the number 7s are in honour of Rob Burrow who wore the number 7 jersey at Leeds Rhinos.

We feel lucky to be part of this community, where the children want to make a difference. We know you will all rally around this cause!

A sponsor form has been sent home with your child. The money will be collected on Tuesday 7th of February, before the runathon!

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Black Assistant Headteacher

(On behalf of the Year 5 children, LSMR)



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