



Thetford Grammar School

Independent School for pupils aged 3 - 19

Head: Mr Michael Brewer

14th January 2020

Dear Parents,

I am writing to you with some exciting news regarding 8G's charity work. The form has voted and decided that they would like to take part in a 'Pretty Muddy' 5k obstacle course-style run in aid of Cancer Research, the event takes part on Saturday 9th May at the Norfolk Showground. Participants' entry fees and sponsorship monies all go to Cancer Research. 8G are a very persuasive form, and I will also be taking part on the day- the event is also open to parents and other pupils so if you would like to join in this will be a fun family day and in aid of a fantastic cause!

Further details of the event can be found on the charity's website at -

<https://raceforlife.cancerresearchuk.org/node/13321>

I have signed up for the race and opted to start at 10.45am, there is also a Justgiving page called '8G TGS Fundraising' should you wish to join this and donate, details listed below.

8G will present to the school in an assembly about the cause and invite other pupils, teachers and parents to participate in the mud run. The form will also host a cake sale (date to be confirmed) profits of which will go to Cancer Research. I'm really proud of 8G for all their input and motivation towards this cause. Since this is a community event, I need to stress that responsibility of participants regarding drop-off and collection lies with parents. Consent forms will not be required and the group's photograph will be taken before and after the event.

It would be wonderful if we had as many parents and children supporting the event as possible, even if this is walking alongside during the obstacle course.

If you and/or your child would like to take part in the event please do sign up via the following link, as mentioned I have opted for the 10.45am slot – <https://raceforlife.cancerresearchuk.org/node/13321>

If you would like to sponsor us please donate to <https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/team/8g-tgs-fundraising>

Please be aware that the event is open to pupils who are aged 13 or over, for those under 13 on the date of the event there is a slightly earlier 'Pretty Muddy Kids' race on Saturday 9th May which requires a parent being present throughout. Please follow this link to sign up- <https://raceforlife.cancerresearchuk.org/find-an-event/norfolk-showground-pretty-muddy-pretty-muddy-kids-2020-05-09-0945>

Thank you for your support with all our charity endeavours at TGS. Please contact me if you intend to take part, or have any questions about any of the above, as mentioned this event should be a really fun way to raise some money for a good cause.

Yours sincerely,

Caroline Griffiths

8G Form Tutor