

‘Achieving Excellence through Leadership’

GILES JUNIOR SCHOOL

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"Excellence in Leadership"

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Giles Junior School Colour Fun Run - Wednesday 8th July

On Wednesday 8th July at 2:00pm, Giles Junior School will be holding our annual Fundraising Fun Run/Walk/Wheel event. This year, we are raising money to help refurbish the toilets in our older school building — improvements that will benefit all children across the school community.

This event is always a lovely way to celebrate the summer term and come together as a whole school community. It is a chance for pupils, staff, and families to enjoy an afternoon of fun, teamwork, and celebration, while raising money for something meaningful that will improve the daily experience for all our children.

This year's theme is a **Colour Run!** A colour run is a fun run/walk/wheel event where participants can choose to be showered with vibrant, non-toxic, eco-friendly cornstarch powder at different stations around the course — finishing the event covered in colour, much like the celebrations during the Holi festival.

On Wednesday 8th July please can all children come to school wearing clothes which they don't mind having the powder on, suitable for the event. If your child has PE on this day then please make sure they are wearing something appropriate for PE and running which are **OK to get colourful!** Although the powder washes off easily with water, we recommend clothing that you do not mind getting colourful! There will be four colour stations around the course, and children can decide how much or how little colour they would like to take part in. **Pupils are very welcome to complete the run/walk/wheel without colour if they prefer.**

Sponsorship Money

All sponsorship money must be paid via Arbor, to do this you will need to follow these instructions:

- Log into your Arbor app and click on SCHOOL SHOP
- Click on School Fun Run
- Click on quantity to take it up to the amount you have managed to raise (eg. £20 donation is quantity 20)
- Click on buy product and make your payment





Attached to this letter is a sponsorship form for children who would like to raise money for taking part. **Please support your child in completing the form and return it to school by Monday 6th July. All sponsorship money must be paid via Arbor.** There will be a prize for the pupil who raises the most money and they can select from either a dinosaur or flamingo Lego set if they are the top fundraiser!

The day has been organised by our school's Lighthouse Team. As you know, we are committed to empowering every child and helping each pupil find their voice so they can become confident leaders. Our Lighthouse Team helps to oversee, implement, and inspire activities across the whole school, and they have worked incredibly hard to organise this exciting event.

This is a whole-school event and will take place on the school field. Year groups will run in two separate 5-minute time slots, aiming to complete as many laps as possible. **Parents and carers are warmly invited to come along and spectate from 2:00pm onwards.**

If you have any questions, please speak to a member of the Lighthouse Team or contact me directly.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to a fun-filled and colourful afternoon together!

Kind regards,

Ria Tapner-Robinson and the Lighthouse Team.

SEND provision and LIM Lighthouse Lead.



A prize for the top fundraiser!