

Friends of Goodrich April 29th 2022 Newsletter

FoG Fun Run 2022....with the emphasis on FUN! Small kids, big kids, runners and non-runners - we need you!

This year's sponsored Fun Run will take place on **Sunday 22 May** in Peckham Rye Park. There will be a 5k race and a 1mile race so...dig out your running shoes (and perhaps your favourite fancy dress costume?), pop the date in your diary and drop your completed entry form into the school office asap (by **Tuesday 3 May**).

The 5k race will start at 10am (warm-up at 9.45) and the 1 mile will start at 11am (warm up at 10.45). Entry form attached and have gone out in the childrens book bags as well.

Do you own or work for a local business that may be interested in sponsoring the event? It's a good opportunity for publicity – sponsor's logos are on t-shirts worn by runners and there will also be shout-outs in this newsletter and on social media. If so, please let us know asap (as we are finalising the t-shirt design next week).

And a huge thank to you to **Lourdes Gonzales** who has designed this year's logo which will feature on the t-shirts – keep an eye out for the posters around school. If you have any questions, would like to sponsor the event or would like to volunteer to help on the day, please contact Sarah Rahim (<u>Sarah.rahim@hotmail.co.uk</u>).



Dad's Cricket - New Players Wanted

The summer is almost upon us and the Goodrich dad's cricket team is looking for new players to join us for the coming season. Regardless of whether you've been a regular club player or not donned whites for 20 years, everyone is welcome. We have matches confirmed in May, June, July and September against the parents of other local schools. Games are sociable Sunday afternoons, conducted in good spirits, but also competitive. If you'd like to get involved or want know more, email Matt at mattosborne70@gmail.com. Please do come and join us.

And don't forget the FoG Summer Fair returns on Saturday June 18th! But only if we can find an organiser, yikes! This is a brilliant event, that the kiddos really love. Think loads of games, stalls and general shenanigans. To make this event happen we need an overall Summer Fair Organiser/s and a Summer Fair Raffle Organiser/s. The summer fair organiser is generally like a project mang role, making sure roles and jobs are allocated to the various classes & volunteers. Each class is also asked to set up and run a stall on the day and ask for volunteers. The fair raffle organiser role will be charged with selling tickets (with the help of volunteers and class reps) and sorting raffle prizes.

Both jobs very much do-able by one person or a team and FoG can help with more details and how it has worked in the past. If you are interested & can help please contact friendsofgoodrich@gmail.com.

Are you good with money?! We're looking for someone with a head for figures to help the existing treasurer look after FoG finances. The role is quite straightforward and covers helping to count money raised after events and approving payments from the bank account. No experience required. It's a vital role as the rules are that 2 treasurers are required and we currently only have 1.

We also have other FoG roles still available so please get in touch for more information.

Goodrich looking good! In case you didn't notice our gates got an upgrade over the break! A new paint job was paid for by FoG. And our newly planted flowers are in bloom as well.



Dates for the diary

FoG Fun Run – Sunday May 22^{nd} in Peckham Rye park Summer Fair – June 18^{th} at the school End of term cake sale – July date TBD

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