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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are planning to hold our next Golden Mile event on **Wednesday 13th March** before the school day for children and their parents to take part in together. Please don't feel that you have to run the whole mile – it's fine to walk or jog too, we just want to see as many people as possible taking part. This is a special Golden Mile event because Simon Williamson, who is completing a 365 challenge where he is aiming to run every day in 2024 with a different person, has asked us if we could help him with his quest. He will be running with us and then giving an assembly to KS2 about his running adventures. He is raising money for Parkinsons Disease UK so any donations you are able to give would be greatly appreciated.

The school hall will be open from 8:15am if children wish to leave their bags inside ready for the run to begin at 8:20am. A course will be marked out around the field and members of staff will be joining in. At 8:35am, a whistle will be blown to indicate the end of the run and the children will need to come into school ready for registration.

For health and safety reasons, this event is only open to children whose parents or carers (or other designated adult) are with them. If you have a younger sibling with you, they are welcome to join in but will be your responsibility.

Children can take part in their school uniform but should wear trainers if they are planning to run or jog – please remember to bring their school shoes for them to change into.

We plan to go ahead whatever the weather unless we advise you otherwise. Please remember your coats if it is raining!

After the event a drink will be provided for all who have taken part. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible. The main aim is for everybody to have fun!

Kind regards,

Mr C. Wilson and Mrs H. Rayner.
PE Co-ordinators.