SAVE THE DATE

John Lyman All School Marathon Fundraiser

RAIN OR SHINE!

The John Lyman Parent Association is hosting its 1st All School Marathon run on <u>Sunday, May</u> 15th at 2:00 PM at Peckham Park located at 161 Strickland Road in Middlefield. The JLPA is hopeful that this fundraiser will be a great way to fund the programs that truly benefit our children. Other schools have had similar fundraising marathons with great success (e.g. raised \$70,000 with 1,100 students)!!

More information will be coming in the near future as details are finalized. In order to plan appropriately, we are asking for your help in identifying the number of children we can expect that day. Siblings are welcome to participate as well for a nominal donation. We are also looking for volunteers.

The children who sign up will ask family and friends to sponsor them. All proceeds will go to the John Lyman Parent Association to fund resident artists, HOT Schools membership, class trips and so much more. Medals/ribbons will be given to all participants.

Please complete the bottom portion of this form and return to school by April 27th. Please label the envelope ATTN: Brian Dreyfus or you can respond directly to Brian at bmattdreyfus@yahoo.com. If you have any questions please contact Brian Dreyfus at 860-759-3149 or bmattdreyfus@yahoo.com.

| A fundraising letter will be going out approximately 2 week prior to the marathon. | |
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| John Lyman All School Marathon Fundraiser | |
| FAMILY NAME: | |
| Name and Grade of Child Participants: | |
| VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!! | |
| If you are interested in helping, please fill in the information below this line: | |
| Your Name: | Email Address: |

Cell Phone #:

Greetings,

I am running in our 1st Annual John Lyman All School Marathon to raise money for enrichment programs at my school, John Lyman Elementary School. Please help us achieve our Marathon Goal!

I attend John Lyman Elementary School, a public HOT (Higher Order Thinking) school in Middlefield, CT. Each year my school provides a resident artist for educational development, class trips, membership in the HOT schools and so much more. Because we are a public school, we don't receive funding for all of these great programs. So, I am trying to help. All the money that my classmates and I raise for the Marathon goes to all of the wonderful programs at John Lyman. I am excited to be a part of our school's biggest fundraiser of the year and help raise money for my school.

This year we are raising money to continue the exceptional programs for all of us.

I am asking for your help in sponsoring me in my Marathon run. My school is working hard to get donations before our Goal Date of Sunday May 15th. Then on Sunday, May 15, my class and I will run our share of our 26-mile All School Marathon! This year our Marathon Goal is \$10,000 and I am doing my share to help achieve this goal! You can easily send a check or cash to me or to the school (address below) - please make the check out to "JLPA" and put my name in the memo line.

The school address is:

JLPA

Attn: Marathon

106 Way Rd

Middlefield, CT 06455

I am excited to help my school, and I appreciate you sponsoring me in our 1st Annual John Lyman All School Marathon.

Thank you for your support!