

# NEWSLINE

North Primary School and Nursery

A Town Centre School with a Strong Community Ethos

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## SUPPORT OUR COLCHESTER HALF MARATHON TEAM



### The Team - 15 Strong

Chris Rookyard	Phil Wood
Claire Abraham	Mrs Watson
Mr Armitage	Louisa MacLean
Mark Farmer	Agrita Sparnina
Miss Moroz	Kevin Mooney
Mrs Ames (all pictured above)	Tom Sancassani
Louis Jennings	Alan Price
	Daniel Tutowski

This is the fifth year North have fielded a team and provided marshals for the Colchester Half Marathon. Some are running for the first time, Mr. Armitage has entered every one. Claire Abrahams ran last year in a time of 1.57 and enjoyed it so much she is running again and hoping to match that time. Chris Rookyard was our fastest runner last year achieving a time of 1.24, finishing 2 minutes ahead of Mr. Armitage. 120 seconds does not sound a lot but in a long race Mr. Armitage says, "120 seconds is a long way down the road!" Mrs. Ames is just aiming to finish her fourth Colchester race as she is recovering from injury - showing a spirit and commitment typical of North staff.

Mark Farmer is running for the fourth time, spurred on by his company who have donated £500 to Free For All - something companies can do because we have charitable status.

All the runners look forward to being cheered on by the children - "It makes such a difference," said Miss Moroz.

Free For All is one of North's unique selling points. Building an enterprise culture that embraces our local community teaches our children the importance of effort, commitment and making the most of every opportunity - and there have been so many of those over the years: memorable trips, clubs, music lessons, special days. But they can only continue with the support of everybody in our school community.

**Support our Runners**

### How You Can Support the Team

Sponsor the runners

Encourage your family to sponsor the runners

Persuade your family to sponsor the runners

Ask your workmates to sponsor the runners

Ask your company to sponsor the runners - tax relief may be available for charitable donations

Line the route and cheer the runners



**How to make a Donation**

Please go online to sponsor our runners on

[https://mydonate.bt.com/events/](https://mydonate.bt.com/events/freeforall2018/455932)

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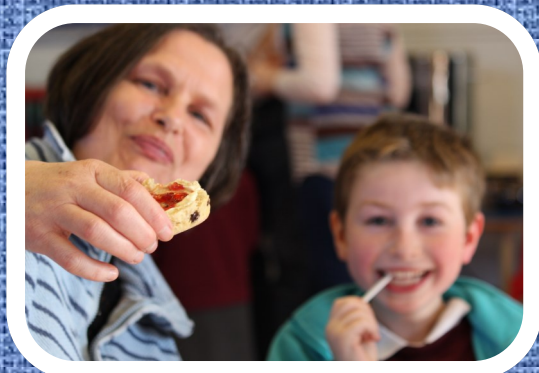
There is also a link from the Free for All page on the school website

# SUNDAY 25th MARCH

# FRIDAY 9TH MARCH

## NSA Proudly present

# THE SPRING FAIR



## Cream Teas



## Children's Arts and Crafts



**Fun For All The Family**  
Look at these photos from  
last year.  
**Don't Miss Out**

**Arts and Crafts Stalls**  
**Ideal Gifts**  
**for**  
**Mothering Sunday**



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## School Council