

The Friends



of the RSPCA Leybourne Animal Centre

February 08

3 MILE SPONSORED WALK AT LEYBOURNE LAKES SUNDAY 27 APRIL 2008 AT 10.30AM

Dear Volunteer

You are invited to join us on our 2008 sponsored walk to raise funds to help RSPCA Leybourne Animal Centre, which this year is taking place at Leybourne Lakes, at 10.30am on Sunday 27.04.08.

The entrance to the lakes is at just off the Ham Hill roundabout on the A228 at Snodland, near to the centre.

Enclosed is a sponsor form, if you would like to take part, please collect sponsors and turn up on the day. There will be a 50p or 60p charge to use the car park, which we will refund when you register at the RSPCA marquee at the start of the walk. Soft drinks and snacks will be available.

If you wish to bring your dog/dogs they are more than welcome, with the following conditions:

1. All dogs must be vaccinated.
2. You must ensure you have adequate water and poo bags for your dogs.
3. As the walk is three miles, puppies under 12 months are too young to take part.
4. All dogs taking part must be kept under control at all times.

If you cannot collect sponsors but would still like to take part you can join us on the day for a small donation.

Copy forms are available at the centre, can be sent on request or downloaded from our website www.friends@rspcaleybourne.com.

If you would like to take part please read the following notes though which will help you to maximise your sponsorship money.

I am sure you will all have heard of Gift Aid. This is where the Government will give us an extra 28% (or £2.80 per £10) of all monies we have given to us. You will find on your form a column headed Gift Aid. If your sponsors pay income tax, we can claim this extra money. So please make sure you ask them if they do pay tax and, if so, whether they would mind us claiming Gift Aid on their donation.

We need their full name and their home address. They don't have to fill in their address completely if they don't want to, just the house number and post code will suffice. We cannot claim Gift Aid on monies from donors who give us their work address.

If these simple conditions are adhered to when filling in the form, we can make SO much more money to help the animals.

So let's hope that the weather is kind to us. We have a new picturesque venue this year which is an easy walk – let's make the most of it!

Yours sincerely


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