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Hastings Half Marathon Federation PTA/PTFA Fund Raiser!

Hello, I am Graham Sullivan, Head of School at Blackboys Church of England Primary School (Part of the St Thomas a Becket Federation). I have been in "strict" training ready to compete in this year's Hastings Half Marathon, taking place on Sunday 19th March, 10.30am. In order to raise funds for both Blackboys and Framfield Schools' PTA/PTFA's, I would be delighted if people could try and guess my finishing time for this gruelling 13 mile 192 yard run.

Armed with useful training statistics set out below and in exchange for £1, please encourage friends and family to estimate my official finish time by filling in the form below. The closest estimate out of all the entries returned by the closing date will win £25. In the event of more than one person correctly guessing the finishing time, the winner will be chosen from a hat at random. The estimate furthest from the actual time will win.....my half marathon socks (washed of course!). You may have as many tries as you like.

Useful Information:

- I last completed a half marathon in 1993.
- I began training for the Hastings Half Marathon on 22nd December 2016.
- My furthest run to date was 8.48 miles, completed in 1 hour 26 minutes and 37 seconds.
- My fastest average mile rate was 9 minutes 59 seconds over a 4.2 mile run.
- It often takes a good number of minutes to actually cross the start line in a popular half marathon. However my timing chip will not be activated until I have actually crossed the line.
- Long range weather forecasts predict a strong south westerly wind on 19th March.

| Name | Phone Number | Estimate in hours, minutes and seconds e.g. 5h;20min;34secs | £1 donated (please tick) |
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Completed forms along with collected money will need to be handed in to either school office by 3.15pm, Friday 17th March at the very latest. Entries after this date are sadly invalid.

The winner will be notified via the School Office of their respective child's school. A race day review will be published in the fortnightly school newsletter following the race!