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Further to Steve Crams' visit to school as part of his launch of the Worcester City 10k and Half Marathon runs for 2019 we are hoping that, inspired by his talk and training run, children will now want to sign up for the Young Athlete events.

There are two events for Young Athletes, full details of which can be found on:

<http://worcestercityrun.com>

U11 (7-10 years) – will complete a 1 mile loop

U16 (11-15 years) will run approximately 3km

We are hoping to get as many children as possible to take part in these events and in the summer term an after school club will be set up to help with some training. Any child can come along, no previous experience necessary, they don't have to be athletes! It is the taking part that is important and if they are there with their friends it should make for a thoroughly enjoyable time.

There is a small entrance fee to take part in the actual run itself but each child gets a finishers medal, a t-shirt and a goody bag plus of course the satisfaction of having taken part. It is a fantastic atmosphere and all events take part on roads closed to traffic. Both of the children's courses go over the old Worcester Bridge and around Cripplegate Park.

For those of you in year 7 moving on to high school we would still love you to take part and join the "school team" on the day.

If your child is interested please can you sign up at the Worcester City Run website above and also let the school know so that we can keep details of who is going to run as part of the school team. Please can you also enter the school name on the entry form when prompted as there are going to be prizes for the winning school this year.

Steve's company have very kindly offered to give a £1 discount for Drakes Broughton children who sign up by 14 April 2019. The following code should be entered on the "checkout" page - STBARN10.

If your child is unable to run on the 15th then you may be interested in the new Worcester 1,2,3 event on the evening of the 14th where families (min age 7) can run together around the city centre over a choice of distances. Again full details are on the website.

