

Staff Report

Report To: Mayor Cole and Members of South Huron Council

Meeting Date: April 18, 2017

From: Dan Best, Chief Administrative Officer

Report: CAO 17.15

Subject: Talk Walk/Run

Recommendations:

That South Huron Council receives the report of Dan Best, Chief Administrative Officer regarding the TALK Walk/Run;

And that Staff be authorized to coordinate with the South Huron Optimist Club and Organizers of the TALK Walk/Run to hold a 1.5 km Children's Run and a 5 km Family run on September 16, 2017

Purpose:

Council Authorization

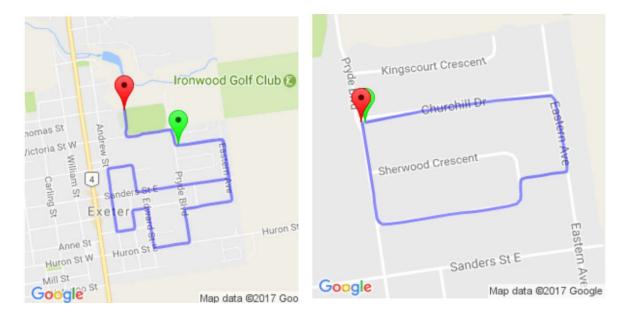
Background and Information:

The TALK Walk/Run, sponsored by the South Huron Optimist Club is a fundraiser for the children of Ms. Kara Gosleigh, to be held on September 16, 2017 as part of the Great Community Challenge weekend.

Kara is a mother of three children (ages 8-11), who has been battling cervical cancer that is now progressing quickly. This walk is being organized to provide a trust fund for her three children.

The vision of TALK Walk/Run is to be a celebration for families. The event will begin with opening ceremonies and guest speaker who will provide an education/awareness of cervical cancer and prevention. Following, this portion of the event, a 1.5 km children's route followed by a 5km family route will round out

the event. The proposed routes are outlined below:



Link to the Strategic Objectives:

Section 6.2.2 of the Municipality of South Huron 2015- 2019 Strategic Plan identifies key priorities and strategic directions. The following elements are supported by the actions outlined in this report:

✓ Improved Recreation and Community Wellbeing

Legal Implications:

There are no legal implications as a result of the actions outlined in this report.

Staffing Implications:

There are no staffing implications as a result of the actions outlined in this report.

Financial Implications:

There are no financial implications as a result of the actions outlined in this report.

Attachments:

None

Respectfully submitted,

Dan Best MPA, BA

Chief Administrative Officer