RUN FOR A BETTER WORLD

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Ever watched Race Across the World and thought, I wish I could do something like that?
Well… this is your chance!

Street Child is inviting **16–21 year olds** to pair up with their favourite grown-up and take on a once-in-a-lifetime challenge — all while **making a real difference to the lives of hundreds of children.**
This is more than a race. It's teamwork, adventure, challenge — and purpose.

The Ultimate Half-Term Adventure:

📅 5 nights in October half-term 2027

📍 Sierra Leone

Run, Walk or Cycle one of these options:

🏃 Running distance: 5K, 10K, 21K, or 42K

🚴 Cycling distance: 42K or 75K

🚶 Walking distance: up to 21K

Explore:

🌴 You will have the opportunity to explore Sierra Leone with like-minded individuals, attending workshops and discovering more about Street Child's work.

Fundraise!

🌍 Rally your friends, family, school, and local community to sponsor you as you embark on this epic challenge. The fundraising goal is £2.000 a team.

A LIFETIME ADVENTURE!

Why sign up? Because this is more than a trip — it's an experience you'll never forget.

Run for a Better World takes learning far beyond the classroom. You'll visit schools built by Street Child, meet the children who learn there, and spend time with their families and communities — seeing first-hand how education can change lives. You'll also learn how family business schemes help caregivers build sustainable incomes and keep their children in school, and hear directly from the Street Child team supporting thousands of children and families across Sierra Leone.

Along the way, there's often the chance to show off your football skills or dancing moves during project visits — moments of joy that will stay with you long after the trip ends. On race day, you'll hear children singing, cheering, and clapping as you run, walk, or cycle through the stunning landscapes of their villages. With smiles and encouragement at every mile, you'll quickly forget you're completing a challenge at all — it becomes a shared celebration of effort, joy, and connection.

Add leadership and global citizenship workshops, inspiring conversations with Street Child's Sierra Leone team, incredible food, vibrant culture, and you have the ultimate way to challenge yourself, travel with purpose, and finish your school years doing something that truly matters.

Challenge yourself. Travel with purpose. Make your mark on the world.



FUNDRAISING!

What about fundraising?

Fundraising is meant to be FUN! Here's the exciting part — you're part of your school community, and your grown-up teammate will have their own circle of friends and supporters, so you're never doing it alone! Plus, you'll have direct support from our Street Child team every step of the way.

GET YOUR SCHOOL INVOLVED

We've seen some incredible creativity when it comes to raising funds. You could become a standout leader at your school by rallying classmates to support you. Share your story and get your school behind you with a sports tournament, bake sale, non-uniform day, talent show, or anything else that excites your peers! If a group of you signs up together, you can support each other with fundraising ideas. You'll also be supported with school assemblies — delivered by you or our Street Child team — who will be your **number one cheerleaders.**

Your grown-up teammate can also involve their own friends, family, and workplace. Together, you could host community or family events, like game nights or barbecues, that contribute to your fundraising journey. The adventure starts the moment you say yes, and there's plenty of time to have fun while making a real difference.

Every little bit adds up — and the more creative you get, the bigger the impact you'll make!

SOCIAL MEDIA

Social media is a wonderful tool to help you report back to your supporters, share what you're learning, and highlight key points of Street Child's programmes. Be sure to tag us in your posts!

Relevant accounts:

LinkedIn: Street Child

Instagram: @streetchild

TikTok: @streetchildcharity

X: @streetchild

Facebook: /streetchild

SET UP YOUR FUNDRAISING PAGE

Setting up a fundraising page is crucial for raising funds for Street Child. It simplifies sharing your campaign and allows supporters to donate easily. We suggest using Givestar.

SET UP YOUR FUNDRAISING PAGE HERE

SIGNING UP & TRIP PACKAGES:

To see all the travel details and follow the simple step-by-step sign-up process, use the link below, **choose either the Standard or Premium package, and enter the discount code: RUN.**

SIGN UP

NOTE: We recommend the Standard or Premium packages for extra comfort and convenient additions like Wi-Fi and air conditioning. If you have any questions or want to chat through options, our team would be delighted to help. **Just email us at slmarathon@street-child.org.**



FUNDRAISING IDEAS

Pledge your next birthday



Rather than birthday presents, ask your loved ones to donate the cost of a present!

Virtual events



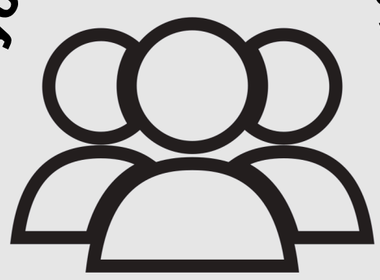
Get creative with quizzes and murder mystery games, utilise the internet, you could be the next viral sensation!

Sponsor my miles



Ask your donors to 'sponsor a mile' of your marathon.

Get your community's support



Host a community event and share your fundraising page far and wide!

Hold a supper club



Ask your friends and family to donate the cost of their meal!

Design my running playlist



With each donation, your sponsor can pick a song for your Sierra Leone Marathon running playlist.



Donate for a personalised gift

- £5 for a social media thank you post
- £10 for a postcard from Sierra Leone
- £20 for a video shout out from the Marathon

Enjoy your fundraising! Just like your running training it needs dedication and a positive attitude. Reach out to us for some new ideas and inspiration!

TRAINING

Training Plan

All great things start with a plan, and if running a marathon, half marathon, 10km, 5km or cycling 75km seems like a distant achievement right now, sticking to a solid plan will help you get there. The Sierra Leone Marathon & Cycle Challenge is like no other race so deserves its own training plan. We've put together a unique, tailored plan to help you reach your goal and prepare you for the challenge of a lifetime - plus we have former SLM heroes on hand to pass on any helpful tip or advice - get in touch for more details: slmarathon@street-child.org

Be kind to yourself

If you miss a planned training session or for whatever reason have to take some time off, don't beat yourself up. The Sierra Leone Marathon & Cycle Challenge is designed for all abilities to take part, so take a break if you need it. You can always catch up on the plan, and worrying about it will do more harm than good! You'll still get there.

Hear from our SLM heroes

Take a look at the blog posts below from some of our Sierra Leone Marathon participants and get inspired!

Bea Meitiner, part of the travel duo Bea Adventurous, wrote a detailed account of her experience of race week here, including her experience of the project visits: Is Sierra Leone Marathon the craziest marathon? - BEA ADVENTUROUS (bea-adventurous.com)

Will Greenwood, former England Rugby star spoke about his experience in Sierra Leone and supporting Street Child: Will Greenwood takes on the Sierra Leone Bike Challenge (Evening Standard)



ODETTE'S EXPERIENCE

"I went into this experience with no expectations, mediocre training and preparation but with an open heart. And oh, it got filled!

As you can see on this picture, I am enjoying myself to the fullest somewhere 20k in my first marathon. The trip of a lifetime, something I will never forget."

STREET CHILD
SIERRA LEONE MARATHON

ABOUT STREET CHILD

Street Child works to see all children kept safe, in school and learning — especially in low resource environments and emergencies.

Our vision is a world where it is seen as unacceptable for a child not to be in education. But today there are 250 million school-aged children around the world who are not in education. Millions more children are in school but failing to learn.

Street Child believes that education is a fundamental right and achieving universal basic education is the single greatest step toward eliminating the inequality gap and global poverty. We go to places where others don't go, where we seek out remote, hard-to-reach, fragile and disaster-affected states that are forgotten about and ignored. It's in these contexts where our pragmatic and cost-effective approaches can make a real difference to a child's future.

Street Child works to remove the complex social, economic and structural barriers to education wherever they lie. We are there to close the gaps through which the most marginalised children can slip. Our work includes not only building schools and training teachers but also protecting children and livelihood support for caregivers to ensure they can afford the cost of their children's education.

Wherever we work, we partner with local organisations and communities which allows us to be responsive and nimble. We use simple, low-cost and replicable solutions that allow us to create maximum impact for the most children.

£30 COULD...

Provide a child with an education support package

£80 COULD...

Provide a teenage mother with vital counselling

£100 COULD...

Provide one household with livelihood support

£500 COULD...

Provide resources for over 500 children



STREET CHILD OF SIERRA LEONE

Street Child started working in Sierra Leone in 2008 when the country had recently began recovering from a devastating civil war. Today, children continue to face significant barriers to learning. Many children never complete primary school, leaving school without foundational literacy and numeracy skills.
Makeni, the biggest town in Northern Sierra Leone and home of the Sierra Leone Marathon, is where Street Child's first-ever project was launched to support 100 street-connected children and get them to go back to school. Since then Street Child has grown to be a major NGO in Sierra Leone with offices and projects that span the entire country.

Street Child of Sierra Leone is our local partner and during SLM you will meet the team of project coordinators, social workers, family business officers, drivers and our excellent management team who implement and monitor our projects across Sierra Leone:
301,663 Children reached through our programmes.
54,092 Adults reached, 45,943 of which received family business grants
1,610 Classrooms across 541 schools supported through renovations or construction.
Since 2008, Street Child has grown rapidly. We now have programmes in over 25 countries around the world and have supported over one million children into education. Sierra Leone will always be that bit special to Street Child - it's where it all began!

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR WORK IN SIERRA LEONE









FLIGHTS

If you choose to arrive before Wednesday 20th October, please let us know if you need any assistance in booking extra hotel nights (this can be done via the WeTravel booking platform). If not then arrange to meet us at the Lungi International Airport early on the morning of Wednesday 20th October. You will then join other SLM participants for some breakfast, a welcome briefing and then transfer from the airport to Makeni (approx 3 hour drive).

Ideally you should aim to arrive in to Sierra Leone early on the morning of Wednesday 20th October for the 5-night package, where a member of the SLM team will meet you at the airport and assist you on your transfer to Makeni (approx 3 hour drive).

Airport transfers are only permitted during daylight. If your flight arrives in the early hours of the morning or later in the evening then you will have to travel to Makeni the next morning. Also, if your flight leaves in the early hours of the morning, you will have to travel to the airport the evening before.

Return flights should be booked from the afternoon of Monday 25th October onwards. The departure flights on Tuesday 26th and Wednesday 27th October are for those that sign up to the beach extension (approx. 3-hour drive from Tokeh Beach to Lungi Airport).

If you arrive in Sierra Leone earlier or leave later than the dates stated on your selected package, please let us know so we can help you book extra hotel nights:

- 5 nights (Wednesday 20th October - Monday 25th October 2027)
- Beach Add On - 1 night - (Monday 25th October - Tuesday 26th October 2027)
- Beach Add On - 2 nights - (Monday 25th October - Wednesday 27th October 2027)

The Sierra Leone Marathon Team will continue to work with and monitor different flight options over the next few months, regularly updating the group on possible options via the Whatsapp group chat or regular webinars.

Please send your flight details to the Sierra Leone Marathon Team once they are booked.



SEE WHAT PETRONELLA SAYS...

“I can absolutely see why people keep coming back year after year.

There really is something very special about this event, the people and Sierra Leone itself.”

STREET CHILD

STREET CHILD SIERRA LEONE MARATHON

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

You must bring the following with you to Sierra Leone:

Travel Itinerary
Passport (+ photocopied versions)
Visa (+ photocopied versions)
Travel Authorisation from Sierra Leonean Government (link below)
Insurance details (policy number, insurer and international phone number)
Yellow Fever Certificate
Cash
Staff contact details
Emergency contacts

Make sure you have printed two versions of each document, send a copy of your travel documents to your next of kin, and email a copy to the Sierra Leone Marathon team before you travel.

Passport

Passport validity - If you are visiting Sierra Leone, your passport should be valid for a minimum period of 6 months from the time of your visa application.

Visa

Unless you have a West African (ECOWAS) passport, you will need a visa to enter Sierra Leone. It is best to apply as early as possible. Unless you are returning to Sierra Leone, it is best to apply for a single-entry visa which costs $80. Please follow this link to apply: Sierra Leone E Visa

Please note that the landing visa you will receive is valid for entry anytime within 3 months and for stays of up to 1 month. You can apply for extensions, multiple-entry and business visas when in Freetown or through the relevant High Commission or Embassy.

Please use the following details when applying for your visa:
Host name: Alusine Kanu - Phone Number: +23288784642
Address: Street Child Office, 18 Thaimu Bangura Street, Back of Birch, Makeni, Sierra Leone

Also all inbound and outbound passengers from international airports in Sierra Leone are required to pay a $25 (each way) airport security fee prior to travel. Payment can be made online at: Sierra Leone Securipass

Sierra Leone Health Portal

All travelers to Sierra Leone must complete the Health Travel Portal no more than 72 hours before arriving into Sierra Leone, the form can be completed here: Sierra Leone Health Travel Portal

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

INSURANCE

Your insurance must be valid for travel to Sierra Leone specifically and include long distance running and or cycling, medical evacuation and Covid-19 cover. Please send us your insurance details once booked via the emergency contact form.

Recommended Travel Insurance Provider: World Nomads

VACCINATIONS

Sierra Leone requires that you have received the Yellow Fever vaccine and you must have your valid vaccine certificate otherwise you will be denied entry into the country. Yellow fever has a 10-day incubation period so participants must ensure they are vaccinated at least 11 days before departure.

Anti-malarial medication is compulsory throughout your stay in Sierra Leone. There are different options (such as Malarone and Doxycycline) and participants should speak to their GP or local travel clinic for advice.

Please discuss vaccinations further with your GP/travel nurse. You'll usually need a course of injections over a 28-day period, so make sure you leave yourself enough time to do this.

You can research advice here on the Fit for Travel website:

https://www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk/destinations/africa/sierra-leone



SECURITY

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Street Child liaises with various embassies on their assessment of security within Sierra Leone throughout the year and leading up to event week. We work with national staff, local police and immigration who are aware of our event and the team we have visiting Sierra Leone.

If a security situation arises, we will ensure participants are updated and have plans in place to manage those. The trip is planned with a complete itinerary so participants will not be on their own for a significant amount of time and will be stewarded throughout the trip by national and international staff.

MEDICAL TEAM

The UK medical team GEM will be present throughout the whole trip.

TRAVEL ADVICE

We highly recommended that you stay up to date with current government travel advice, which can be found here: Sierra Leone travel advice - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)



HEALTH AND SAFETY

SAFEGUARDING

There will be a briefing ahead of travel, and on your arrival in Makeni, on the regulations in place to keep you safe whilst in Sierra Leone. This will also include our expectations for participants during the school project visits, and general behaviour whilst in Sierra Leone.

RACE DAY

- Heat: Please be wary that the temperature can be high with high humidity. Please respect the climate, wear sunscreen and any other sun protection and drink plenty of water.
- Hydration: Please drink plenty of water throughout your time in Sierra Leone. There is a serious risk of dehydration due to high temperatures. Please bring rehydration salts Traffic: Although steps have been taken to reduce traffic on the roads, there may still be a risk of vehicles. Please follow guidance provided in the Pre-Race Briefing.
- Headphones: Please do not run/cycle with headphones on so that you are aware of all traffic and any other warnings around you.
- Running/Cycling: where possible, please run or cycle with a partner or group.
- Valuables: Please try and leave your valuables in the bag drop off/secured in your hotel. If you wish to run with your valuables, please do not have these on display and keep these hidden.
- Hygiene: Always bring handsanitiser with you. You may feel more comfortable to bring a SheWee as toilet conditions may not be ideal/limited on race day/

COVID-19/MPOX

We will be closely monitoring the COVID-19 and MPOX situations in Sierra Leone and updating you with any key information. We highly recommend that you stay up to date with the guidelines via the UK foreign travel advice website. From the 8th July 2022, the Government of Sierra Leone withdrew the need for both inbound and outbound testing for all passengers, regardless of vaccination status.





ITINERARY

Wednesday 20 October:

Arrival - On arrival you will be greeted by a member of the Street Child staff. Depending on your flight arrival time, we will either take you to the Lungi hotel or directly to your hotel in Makeni (approx 3 hour drive).

Thursday 21 October:

Explore Street Child's work - You will learn all about Street Child's work in Sierra Leone directly from our local teams. You will travel (a few hours) to rural communities to visit schools and meet our local staff so you can better understand how the money you fundraise will be used to help children stay in school, safe and learning.

Friday 22 October:

Meet SCoSL - This is your chance to meet with Street Child of Sierra Leone staff members and take part in workshops to discover how Street Child operate with local partners and overcome some of the challenges that they face.

Saturday 23 October:

Workshops and Exploring Street Child's work - You will visit some of our Family Business schemes in Makeni before attending the Pre Race Briefing. In the afternoon, you will have the opportunity to watch a local football match.

Sunday 24 October:

Race Day and Party - See more details on the next page.

Monday 25 October:

Departure / Optional Beach Extension - All participants will travel to the beach in the morning to walk along the white sands, enjoy a fresh coconut, and go for a swim in the sea! It is a chance to relax and reflect on your incredible achievement whilst taking in the beautiful ocean views, followed by a bonfire beach celebration in the evening (Makeni to Tokeh Beach is approx 3 hour drive).

Tuesday 26 and Wednesday 27 October:

Optional beach extension



RACE DAY ITINERARY

4:00AM:

You will be provided with breakfast at your hotel, however, we do recommend you bring your race breakfast that you are used to training with. From there you will be transported to the Wusum Field Stadium at 4:30am.

5:30AM:

All participants will be in the start line. You will be given time to warm up and prepare for the day ahead. There will also be a safe and secure bag drop-off point, where you can leave anything that you are not carrying whilst running/cycling.

5:45AM:

Cyclists called to the start line for a 6:00am Start.

6:05AM:

Marathon and half marathon runners called to the start line for a 6:10am Start.

7:15AM:

10km runners called to the start line for a 7:30am Start.

8:45AM:

5km runners called to the start line for a 9:00am Start.

ON ROUTE:

There are a number of aid stations with refreshments (water, banana's, rehydration salts) along every course and additional water will also be carried by Red Cross, Police and Army on motorbikes and other vehicles. If you would like more information about the routes, including elevation and GPX files, please visit our website here: Routes

12:00AM:

Prize-giving ceremony for national runners.

14:30PM:

The last participants cross the finish line.

FINISHED:

Once you cross the line, you can collect your medal and find your bag. Afterwards, you can enjoy the atmosphere in the stadium and cheer on your fellow runners. There will be food provided from the Clubhouse and staff on hand to help you if needed. There will be regular shuttles from midday to take you to your accommodation.

REST OF THE DAY:

Rest up and relax once you have returned to your hotel before preparing for the celebration party at the Clubhouse in the evening. The bus will pick you up and drop you off later that night.

FINISH

"Absolutely amazing and unique experience!"

Johah and his mum, Paula

BEACH EXTENSION

All beach extension hotels are based on Tokeh Beach, around 20 miles south-east of Freetown.

There will be a beach bonfire/small party whilst at the beach, which is another chance to celebrate all your efforts. Dinner at the beach party will be included, as well as breakfast each morning. All other food and drink is not included at the beach hotels.

You will need to bring cash for the duration of your stay in Sierra Leone. Credit card use in Sierra Leone is extremely limited, especially in Makeni so it's only worth bringing your card strictly as a back-up. Instead, bring cash in either pounds or dollars to change once you arrive. You will be able to change your money on the first evening with Street Child of Sierra Leone staff.

You will also be able to organise various activities with the hotel on arrival. More information on the hotels and activities available can be found on the websites below:

Standard: Tokeh Beach Resort

Premium: The Place, Tokeh









WHAT TO BRING

USEFUL ITEMS:

- Torch and batteries are particularly useful as electricity if often turned off
- Lightweight waterproofs as there may still be some rain but it will be hot
- Anti-malarial medication
- Mosquito repellent with 50% Deet and a mosquito net
- Unlocked smartphone
- Power banks
- Money belt
- Cash in large notes to exchange in Makeni
- Basic first aid kit including: antiseptic cream, plasters and blister plasters, anti-bacterial hand
- Gel, rehydration salts, high SPF sun cream, and after-sun
- Towel x 2 (quick dry is recommended)
- Hand held battery powered fan
- Filtering water bottle (you will be drinking bottled water but some people may still get sick)
- We strongly advise you bring your own pre-race breakfast that you are used to training with
- SheWee: Whilst visiting projects and on race day, you may feel more comfortable using a SheWee when needing the loo.

ON YOUR PERSON:

- Comfortable running clothes and trainers
- Camelbak or similar water bladder or bottle
- Energy gels and snacks - we will have some snacks on course

IN YOUR BAG (SMALL DAY RUCKSACK):

- Sun lotion
- Waterproof or lightweight jacket
- Small amount of cash. There will be small stalls in the stadium to buy drinks or snacks, but you will be provided with a post-run lunch
- Hat and sunglasses





KIT LIST

Running Kit List:

- Running trainers
- Vest/T-shirt & Shorts
- Hydration vest (with bottles or bladder)
- Sunglasses
- Cap

Cycling:

- Bike Helmet
- Bike Gloves
- Water Bottle
- Sunglasses
- Small backpack
- Bike Repair Kit (small)

- Please note we will provide you with a locally sourced bicycle for the event, along with mechanical assistance in adapting it to suit you. This is likely a mountain bike.

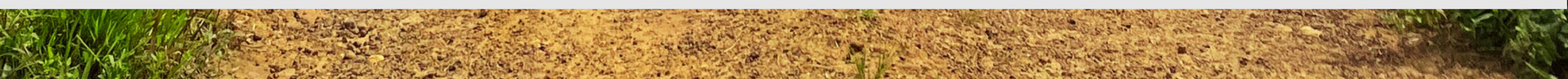
Other useful items:

- Vaseline
- Sun cream
- Snacks - sweets, gels, energy bars
- Whistle
- Sweatbands
- Smart watch - GPX files available upon request



YOUR CHECKLIST

THINGS YOU NEED TO DO	THINGS WE WILL DO
☐ Pay your deposit and package cost to confirm your place.	Send your Sierra Leone Marathon booking page - WeTravel.
☐ Set up your fundraising page and start fundraising!	Introduce you to the Sierra Leone Marathon Team.
☐ Ensure you have all travel vaccinations needed for Sierra Leone- Yellow fever is essential!	Fundraising support and guidance.
☐ Send us your flight details.	Fundraising support and guidance given when booking your flights.
☐ Apply for your visa.	Send you details of how to apply for your visa and a letter of invitation.
☐ Send us your Emergency Contact Details, Visa and insurance policy details. ☐ Make sure you have your vaccine passport printed out and registered your travel on the Sierra Leone Government portal.	Send you your pre-departure pack with all the information on what you need to have to fly to Sierra Leone. Organise pre-departure safeguarding training for all participants.
☐ Share your upcoming challenge with your friends and family on Social Media.	Send you social media tips and hashtags.



WE ARE HERE TO HELP

We will be with you throughout your Sierra Leone Marathon & Cycle Challenge journey, supporting you at every step. For the coming months towards race week you will:

- Have regular support from your Sierra Leone Marathon Team. The Street Child team will be your first point of contact for any questions you may have.
- Have access to fundraising materials such as collection buckets, posters, social media images and Sierra Leone Marathon supporter branding.
- Have access to our Fundraising Page, which has lots of helpful tips and ideas for your fundraising.

We have a dedicated team at Street Child to help guide your journey. Together we can ensure children are safe, in school and learning.

Please get in touch if you have any questions at slmarathon@street-child.org or 020 7614 7696.

You have signed up for one of the most epic adventures you will ever undertake, which will have a massive impact on the lives of so many children that Street Child support - so if you need any support, please do get in touch and I look forward to seeing you in Makeni for the Sierra Leone Marathon & Cycle Challenge 2027.

Mark Maughan
Global Challenges Manager
mark.maughan@street-child.org



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SAFEGUARDING LETTER

Dear Participants,

We are delighted that you will be joining us on the **Run for a Better World** trip! As part of our commitment to ensuring a safe, enjoyable, and enriching experience for all participants, we ask that the following safeguarding requirements be completed prior to further involvement with the trip. As you know, this trip welcomes 16–21-year-olds to our wonderful Sierra Leone. **These measures are designed to give you confidence that our team is fully committed to ensuring a safe, memorable, and meaningful experience for everyone.**

- **Parental Consent:** A signed parental consent form is mandatory for all participants under 18, whether the accompanying adult is a parent or another responsible adult. Parents/Guardians are also asked to disclose any physical or mental health challenges, serious allergies, or other medical information that our team should be aware of. As part of our safety measures, a UK medical team (GEM) will be with us throughout the trip, and having this information allows us to ensure the best care for all participants.

- **School Recommendation Letter**: For younger participants, we require a letter of recommendation from their school. This letter should confirm that the school is aware of the trip and that the experience will contribute positively to the participant's learning, personal development, and studies. This helps us ensure the trip is educationally enriching. *(The young participant may write to their school and obtain the signature themselves.)*

- **Screening Checks for Accompanying Adults:** If the responsible adult accompanying a young participant is not the parent or legal guardian, a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check (or equivalent) is required. This is to safeguard the well-being of all participants throughout the trip.

- **Street Child Safeguarding Policy:** All participants and accompanying adults are required to sign a copy of the Street Child Safeguarding Policy prior to departure. This policy outlines our commitment to child protection, safety, and responsible conduct during the trip.

The **Run for a Better World trip** is also designed as a **leadership and personal development opportunity**, offering older participants a meaningful and purposeful experience, alongside sharing an unforgettable adventure with younger teammates. For younger participants, it provides a chance to develop global citizenship skills and gain experiences that can be included in their leadership portfolios.
Thank you for completing these requirements. We look forward to welcoming you on this exciting journey!

Warm regards,

Mark Maughan, Ximena Wilson and the Street Child Team
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