Langar C of E Primary School

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Dear Parents,

We are putting together a bid for Lottery funding for playground equipment. In order to secure a successful bid, it is imperative that the equipment benefits the community as well as the pupils and adults in school.

I have considered the best place for any equipment to be and it seems that the field, which obviously can be accessed by the public outside of school hours, is the most suitable. My first idea was a shelter. The plus sides of which being that it would encourage use of the field and outdoor space in all weathers, it would be a good meeting place for any groups and could be utilised during school time for outdoor teaching. The downside is that it could have the potential to attract large unwanted groups and ant-social behaviour. I thought the community wouldn't want this.

My second idea was to install a multi-purpose track. This would be an all-weather 'running' track that would have clear signs to tell users how many laps they would need to do in order to complete a mile walk/run. The mile-a-day initiative has been widely publicised and we have had many parents asking about our willingness to take part in it before. The difficulty has always been where and when to do it. The track would offer an easy solution to this as families could complete the mile before or after school and even at the weekend alongside other members of the community as well as using at breaks, lunchtimes and during PE.

I am seeking your views on this and would be grateful if you would pass this questionnaire on to any friends, family or neighbours to widen our opinion seeking. Please return these by Monday 21st January so that we can get on with the bidding process.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Brown

Daily Mile Track Questionnaire

Please circle your answer in the multiple choice box and then provide as much detail as possible for the free flow answers.

Rate the outdoor facilities in Langar	Poor		Average		Good		Very Good	
Give details about the facilities you use								
How often do you exercise in Langar and the surrounding area?	Rarely		Monthly		Weekly		Daily	
What are the barriers to taking part in outdoor activity?								
How likely are you to use an all-weather track situated on the field?	Rarely		Monthly		Weekly		Daily	
How and when might you use a running track/improved community field?								
Would you take part in any new activities if they were provided?	Buggy Fit	Family Run Club	Daily Mile Challenge	Circuit Training	Park Run	Over 60s Walking Club	Couch to 5km	Other:
Would you be interested in getting involved in running these?	Yes			No				

Please add any additional comments below about the positive impact that this track could have.								
Please add any additional comments about any negative thoughts about this proposal.								
Please add any additional comments about any negative thoughts about this proposal.								

^{*}Return completed questionnaires to the school office by Monday 21st January *