



## Important Information for Residents

The popular Quintiles Bracknell Half Marathon will take place on Sunday 27 April 2008, starting and finishing in the grounds of South Hill Park Arts Centre.

Although the race is run almost entirely on footpaths and cycleways, there are short stretches run on the public highway, and there are places where the runners have to cross side roads. To ensure the safety of the runners there will be three road closures in place for parts of the race, which starts at 9.00 a.m.

- Ringmead from Finmere to the bus link near Evedon and South Hill Road from the same bus link to the Sports Centre will be closed to allow the race to start
- Western Road between Easthampstead Road and Downmill Road will be closed from approx 9.15 a.m. until the last runner passes through at approx 10.15 a.m.
- Binfield Road from Jocks Lane to the Harvest Ride Roundabout will be closed from approx 9.15 a.m. until the last runner passes through at approx 10.30 a.m.

The road closures will be signposted and stewarded. Alternative routes will be marked and signed.

Despite the use of footpaths and cycleways the runners will still have to cross side streets and other roads. Signs warning drivers will be posted just prior to the race, particularly in residential areas.

The organisers would respectfully request that **ALL DRIVERS TAKE EXTRA CARE WHILST DRIVING IN THE VICINITY OF THE RACE, AND ALLOW AN EXTRA FEW MINUTES FOR ANY JOURNEYS PLANNED FOR THAT SUNDAY MORNING.**

The Bracknell Half Marathon is a firmly established event in the local sporting calendar and has an excellent safety record.

## Please Drive Carefully

For further information on the Quintiles Bracknell Half Marathon please call Customer Services on 01344 352000 or the Half marathon line on 01344 354111