

## KENSINGTON PALACE

From: Miss Katie Simon, Private Secretary's Office, The Office of T.R.H. The Prince and Princess of Wales

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14<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

Dear Mr. Stocks,

Thank you for your letter of 17<sup>th</sup> February to The Princess of Wales in connection with the upcoming 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Chase Walk.

Her Royal Highness would be really grateful to you for writing, especially in her capacity as Joint President of The Scout Association. It was brilliant to read about the 40-year history of the Chase Walk, and how it has grown as an event.

Thank you very much for drawing this to our attention, and on behalf of The Princess, please share our congratulations with all involved in the event on this significant milestone. Special good luck wishes to Colin, whose participation should be of inspiration to us all!

Though the 38-mile route sounds like a real challenge, we hope that all those participating really enjoy the event.

The Princess of Wales would have me send you her warmest thanks for writing and very best wishes.

Yours Sincerely,

Roger Stocks, Esq., Lead Volunteer/ Organiser, Chase Walk