



## Wollaton Park Fun Run, Nottingham

**Business Unit:**  
Education

**Date:**  
16 June 2012

**Location:**  
Bluecoat Academy,  
Nottingham

**In Partnership with:**  
Bluecoat Academy

**Key Contact:**  
Peter Rhodes

**Outcome Area(s):**  
CO2 saving on  
transport (chemical  
toilets)

**Business Benefits:**  
Stronger liaison with  
the school.

Good marketing for  
future school  
enquiries.

**Community Benefits:**  
Ensuring local  
residential roads are  
kept free of traffic,  
which is perceived as  
a high risk for the  
contract build.

The Nottingham Wollaton Park 10k Fun Run takes place in Wollaton Park on land immediately adjacent to the Bluecoat Academy site, where Carillion started redevelopment of the existing facilities at Easter.

Carillion was approached for assistance in managing the traffic and parking logistics prior to and for the duration of the Fun Run itself. Of particular concern to the event organisers was limited vehicular and pedestrian access to the event areas as well as potential congestion on neighbouring residential roads as a result of the activity.

In order to support the event, the Carillion site compound entrance was opened up and the main building site itself segregated, so that runners and supporters could access the fields and also use the on-site parking facilities as well as the site changing and toilet areas.

In order to further demonstrate Carillion's support for the event, the scheme Quantity Surveyor, John Fawcett (below) also entered the run fresh off his success from the London Marathon!

Carillion's provision of the site car park and pedestrian access through the site prevented the local streets from being used as unofficial parking zones. The additional availability of site welfare facilities (toilets and changing rooms) for over the 500 runners and just as many onlookers, further ensured that the event organisers did not have to hire/transport and manage chemical toilet blocks specifically for this one off annual event.

Carillion supply chain company Speedy also kindly loaned some generators for the organisers use.

