

Would you sponsor me? March for the Environment

Dear Neighbor, Hi. I live in Kings Grant and I'm in 5th grade. I'm part of a small group of kids called Young Friends. We meet and decide how we can help the world. I had the idea to get sponsors and walk to Richmond to raise money for our environment. I wanted to meet with the Governor there to ask what he was doing about protecting Virginia, but then COVID-19 happened. So now I am doing a local walk, walking miles around Kings Grant to raise money.

Money per mile

It's 102 miles to Richmond. I don't know if I'll walk that many, but my goal is to raise awareness and to raise money for two organizations: Environment Virginia and Lynnhaven River Now. I will be walking my miles throughout the month of May.

Who gets the money

Every dollar will go directly to Environment Virginia and Lynnhaven River Now. Environment Virginia works in Richmond on environmental campaigns. Right now they're campaigning to save the bees. Lynnhaven River Now works in Virginia Beach to protect our rivers, bay and ocean.

Who am I

My name is Liam Bronaugh. I am an 11 year old who is currently in 5th grade at Old Donation School. I like to climb trees and explore the marsh in my backyard. I play a lot of nerf at the park with groups of Kings Grant kids. I play the piano (reluctantly), but I love to play lacrosse. Most of all, I like being outside. One warm summer night when I was very high in the magnolia tree in my yard, I was watching the sunset and I realized the earth was important, that it was something bigger, and I was a small piece in the world. I hope to help the earth.

Why should you care?

Because it's where you and all other living beings have to live - forever. Earth is our home.



**Thank you for contributing,
and making our Earth a better place for all of us,**

Liam