



# What do these 4 have in common?



**W**ELL guys, this is it. The Stubbington 10k is a little more than a week away - Sunday, January 18th -, and I still can't believe it's going to happen, writes race director, Gary Littlecott.

With all the hard work now done, it's down to the goodwill and dedication of our members and friends, (known as you lot!). All the marshal briefings have been completed and hopefully everybody is clear on what they are doing!

If you have any doubts about your role on the day then please pick up a phone and call me or Paul Hammond.

If you find yourself in the position on race day that you cannot for some reason turn up, you must contact your sector marshal - the phone number is at the top of your risk sheet.

In the unlikely event that this should happen, then please try to find a replacement person for yourself.

The race mugs this year have been designed by Alan Ponsford, a nephew of Chris Hall. I must say they are quite an attractive addition to anyone's Stubbington 10k mug collection.

The characters adorning the mug are: Zippy Grice, Richard Thomas, Penny Forse (like you have never seen her before!) and Chris Hall. See if you can guess who is who.

This year's race will be started by the lady who lives in Titchfield Road at number 48, adjacent to the new start line.

I thought it was very fitting that she should come out and start the race as she and others who live there are prisoners in their own homes for an hour.

Speaking to her last Sunday during the helper's race, she said she is very excited about seeing the whole race spectacle happen right outside her home.

That just leaves me to say a big thank you, to all of you.

Let's go make the new Stubb 10 the best race on the south coast.