

Run Leader Profile

Name: Joanne Hutcheon

Nickname: none (that I know of...!) 🙄

Hometown: I was born in The Bahamas, have lived in Essex, Southport, South Wales and Australia but have now actually spent the majority of my life here in Chester

Professions: Trained as a psychiatric nurse (many moons ago!) then retrained in Early Years Education and set up Sandy Bears Day Nursery in Tattenhall which I sold 5 years ago, since then I can be found helping people to earn money online..

CRR Role: Vice President of CRR & run leader

Started running: restarted running in 2012/2013 when CRR was set up following a period of ill health

First Running Event: Manchester 10k 2013

Favourite Event and why: I LOVE Chester Half - it just puts me on a real high (well not in 2017 that was a disaster! 🙄 but in true CRR style Kim saved me that day!) 😊

Favourite running moment: Too many to mention! But I love seeing members improve and progress...

Our first couch to 5k was really emotional and we still have members dotted in various groups across CRR from that first cohort...

Favourite CRR moment: so many - but more recently going down to London to support our CRR's doing the Marathon this year... 📺 emosh...!

Why do you run?: I ask myself that every time!! 🙄

2018 Goals: After that disastrous Chester half in 2017 (due to lack of training 🙄) I set myself a challenge of completing the Tour of Merseyside - 6 consecutive races totalling 52 miles kicking off with Southport Half ... (definitely can't wing that!) 😊

Favourite Food: got to be Malted Milk Biscuits it's my pre-running food!

Favourite Place: Eeek.... hard one that... I love Anglesey and try to escape there when I can...

Or further afield I love the opulence & over the top luxury of Dubai! (Bit different from my hideaway in Anglesey!!)

First thing you would buy with Lottery winnings:
A bigger safe to put it all in!

Three interesting facts:

1. I was once in a very well known Sunday newspaper with the headline 'crossing the great divide' - (how times have changed) it was an article about how I, as a non catholic (and a vicars daughter to boot!) attended a catholic school..... woopie woo! 🙌 you'd be hard pressed to not find non catholics in catholic schools now!

Looks like I started something!! 😄 just shows how the world is (thankfully!) changing...

2. I usually take a nap every day 😴

3. I have a very famous cousin (well my dads cousin..) think GREASE.... 🎤🕺