

Runners don red lippy to kiss goodbye to MS

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Amanda Grobbelaar leads the runners in red as they set off on the Valentine's Day sunset fundraiser.

Peter Holt

RUNNING tights, joggers and red lipstick.

It's an odd combination, but this was the fashion choice among participants in Friday night's Kiss Goodbye to MS 5km sunset Valentine's Day run.

The run was spearheaded by Mackay mother Amanda Grobbelaar, who has been diagnosed with the disease.

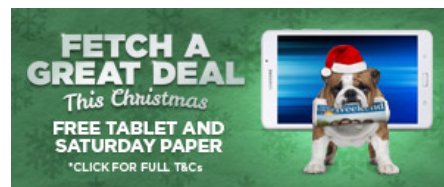
She is determined to support MS research and raise awareness of the incurable neurological condition.

Everyone from work colleagues to friends of her children and even her pharmacist has given Mrs Grobbelaar overwhelming support.

"Long story short, the people of Mackay are just wonderful," she said.

LayZee Runners' Dawn Mansfield wasn't surprised to see runners show up with painted red faces for the 5km run.

"Oh look, these runners are a crazy lot, they just love to dress up," Ms Mansfield said. "Dressing up and running seems to marry so well together."



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