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Rabbi runs in the marathon

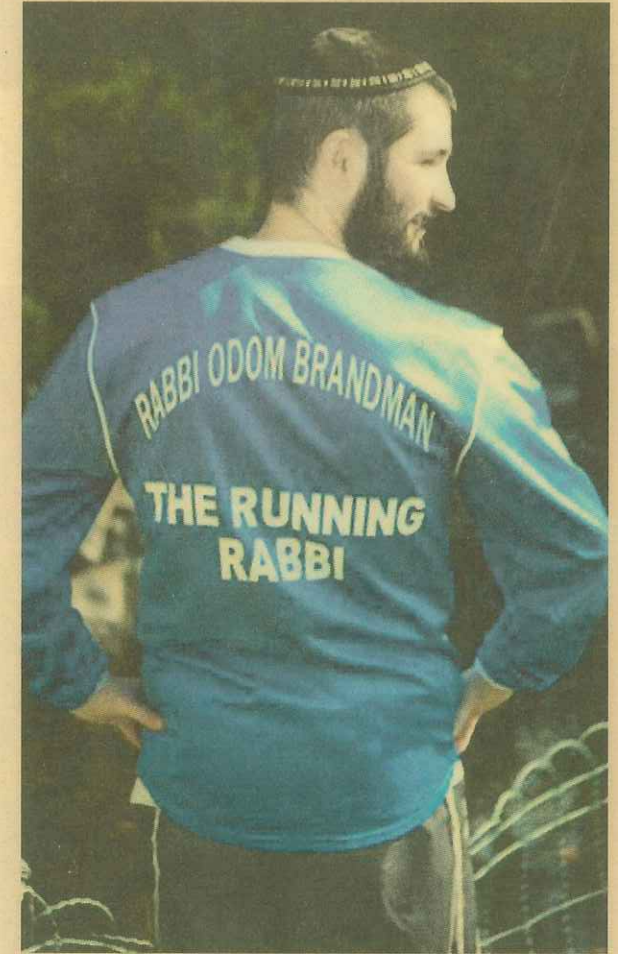
RABBI Odom Brandman, founder and director of Chabad Lubavitch in Buckhurst Hill, is running the 26-mile London marathon to raise funds and awareness of his organisation.

A promotional video has already received over 3,000 hits on YouTube and can be seen by searching "Go Rabbi Go" on YouTube or through the link on the Chabad website: www.chabadonthehill.co.uk – from this video a link can also be followed to the rabbi's sponsorship page at www.virgin-moneygiving.com/odombrandman

So why the marathon? Rabbi Brandman said: "Running the marathon is a massive challenge and life is about confronting challenges and overcoming them! I want to show, first, that rabbis are real people, that we are approachable, down to earth, with the times and ready to take on challenges like everybody else. Also, our Centre is in desperate need of funds and by me going out of my comfort zone to train and run in the marathon, I'm asking people to do that little bit more too and dig deep to support our cause."

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The running rabbi



Rabbi Odom Brandman, running for Chabad in the marathon. See story on page 10

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