

Young Fundraisers' News

Autumn 2020

Supporting St Mary's Hospice

About St Mary's Hospice

St Mary's vision is that everyone affected by advancing illness and death will be cared for with kindness and have the support and expert care they choose.

It costs £3.5 million each year to provide our services free of charge across South Cumbria. With just 17% of our funding coming from the NHS we rely on the support of our wonderful community so that we can keep making a difference when it matters most.

www.stmaryshospice.org.uk
Registered Charity no 517738



Your local hospice needs YOU!

We would love you to include fundraising for St Mary's hospice in your plans for the coming year - a chance to unite your school community and support a local charity with the community at its heart.

Why not dedicate a non-uniform day to rainbows, sunflowers or pyjamas?

Or challenge your children to follow in the footsteps of Captain Tom with a physical challenge?

Or get festive and sign up for our Santa Dash?

However you choose to help you will find resources to make life easier on on the Schools section of our website as well as the support of our dedicated area fundraisers Becky and Clare - get in touch!

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What have our young fundraisers been up to over the Summer?

Lovely 8 yr old Holly (top left) baked some fairy cakes and sold them to raise £37 for St Mary's Hospice because we cared for her grandmother Brenda Clarke when she was poorly.



Because Low Furness School couldn't complete their usual sports day they did a virtual coast to coast challenge. All members of the school added up their mileage on individual walks or runs and traveled from St Bees to Robin Hoods Bay and back again, raising an amazing £1,475.00!

Super fit 6yr old Jude (bottom left) cycled an amazing 100 miles on his bike during lockdown and raised £2,200 – what a star!

Members of the Walney Wind Cheatah's Cubs took part in the 2.6 Challenge, completing a virtual relay marathon and raising a staggering £3566.00!