

BUSINESS NEWS



Spring 2010

Local (and some not so local) businesses play their part in supporting the Hospice in so many different ways. In this special publication we explain how we work with the business sector so that the Hospice and the company both get the maximum benefit from the partnership. We are also taking the opportunity of saying thank you to those who have helped us during 2009 and hope this will inspire you to support us during our **30th Anniversary Year.**



Staff from Thomson Snell and Passmore present a cheque; they walked from their offices in Tunbridge Wells to Sevenoaks

Why Sponsor?

Sponsorship is a high profile way of contributing, importantly allowing all proceeds from events or projects to go directly into patient care and also giving some good publicity to the donor. Recent sponsors include:

Fender Musical Instruments and **AXA PPP Healthcare** for the Christmas CD

Brolley UK and **Alno...the world of kitchens** for the Hospice Golf Day

Fidelity International for the Moonlight Walk

Savills, LA Fitness and **AXA PPP** for the Tunbridge Wells 10K



Geoff Newman from Acorn Recruitment; they organised a triathlon which raised thousands

Why adopt us as Charity of the Year?

Because Hospice in the Weald is a local charity affecting lives in the whole community, staff, clients and customers identify readily with its needs. We have a committed fundraising team and your own dedicated corporate fundraiser will be on hand to give any help you need and make sure you get the most out of the association. These companies chose the Hospice as their chosen Charity for last year – or this.

Thomson Snell and Passmore
Sainsburys in Tonbridge
Best Western Donnington Manor
Acorn Recruitment
Metcalf Stanley Hicks
The Chapel, Tunbridge Wells
Principal Investment
Towergate Partnership
Brookes MacDonald
Fox Printers
Brolley UK
Buss Murton, Tunbridge Wells
Clydesdale Bank
Hilden Health Club
Assembly Halls, Tunbridge Wells

Why become involved?

Corporate Social Responsibility, or Responsible Business Practice is operating your business in such a way that you give something back to the community in which you operate. We can help with your teambuilding exercises:

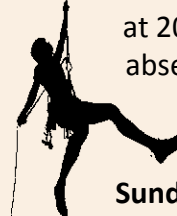
AXA PPP, GlaxoSmithKline and **Clydesdale Bank** have helped around the garden.

Alno...the world of kitchens gave the garden furniture a new coat of varnish.

Over the Edge

Are you brave enough?

Step off a ledge at 200 ft and freefall abseil to the ground



Sunday 22nd August at Bewl Water

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Does your company have a charitable trust?

If so, please contact Camilla Slattery on 01892 820528 or email camilla.slattery@hitw.org.uk

Has your business got the edge? Do you have nerves of steel?

For the ultimate team building opportunity, sign up today to take the challenge of a lifetime by going **Over the Edge** and freefall abseil 200ft to the ground.

Contact Philippa James on 01892 820527 or email philippa.james@hitw.org.uk for further details

What companies did in 2009

Karen Vidler of AV Trinity Limited organised a Late Summer Ball

Allington Marina Ltd held a Hog Roast with Barbeque and a Dave Jeffery Band evening.

The Find and CC both held fashion shows

Clydesdale Bank organised a Golf Day

The Listening Company held a "Tour de Listening"

The Ove Arup Partnership held a "Fat Dads Disco"

Gaza Timber held their annual musical festival, **Gazastock**

Total Control Services Ltd donated in lieu of sending Christmas cards

Cellular Solutions sent in sponsorship for a charity cycle ride

Johnson & Johnson and **First Rate Exchange** donated In Memory gifts

Clydesdale Bank organised golf tournaments during the summer



A team from Clydesdale Bank putting new edging to the Hospice garden

Some Hospice events you can get involved in during the year

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| March | | |
| 24 | Ladies Night Out | Hospice in the Weald |
| April | | |
| 23 | The Glitter & Glam Ball | Salomons |
| May | | |
| 11 | Golf Day | Chart Hills Golf Club |
| June | | |
| 13 | Classic Car Rally | |
| 18 and 19 | Moonlight Walk | From the Hospice |
| July | | |
| 4 | Sky Dive | Headcorn Airfield |
| August | | |
| 22 | Over the Edge | Bowl Water |
| September | | |
| 12 | Cyclo Sportive | From Sevenoaks |
| 19 | Tunbridge Wells 10K | Tunbridge Wells |



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Coming soon... the launch of our new business group providing new and creative ideas for fundraising.

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Deborah Terry receiving a cheque from Johnson and Johnson, donated in memory of her husband John.