



children's hospice  
SOUTH WEST



## Take to the skies to raise smiles!

Thank you for signing up for a Skydive. Together, we will raise awareness and vital funds for babies, children and young people living with life-limiting conditions, and their families, across the South West.

This pack has information and materials to help with your fundraising including top tips, a fundraising event poster and sponsor form. Don't forget to join our Be Incredible Facebook group to share your fundraising and photos.

£450...

could help pay for 3 days of Music Therapy to help express thoughts and feelings.

£900...

could fund a children's nurse to provide care for babies, children and young people for 1 week.

£1,500...

could fund 24 hours of round the clock care for a baby, child or young person nearing the end of life.



## 😊 How much sponsorship do I need to raise?

You will have already paid a £50 non-refundable deposit paid to Skydive South West when booking, then our charity-funded place skydive participants are asked to raise a minimum sponsorship of **£400** before your skydive date to confirm your jump. This is broken down as:

- 😊 £200 balance of the cost of your skydive. If this is raised via your sponsor form, you will need to pay Skydive South West direct before your skydive. If this is raised through your online fundraising page, it can be arranged for Skydive South West to invoice CHSW for this amount
- 😊 £200 plus any additional fundraising before or after your skydive will go to Children's Hospice South West to care for babies, children and young people living with life-limiting conditions and their families.

Please note there is also a £22.50 insurance premium which all participants will need to pay.

As your sponsorship is paying towards the charity-funded skydive, you will need to be transparent with your donors. We are unable to claim Gift Aid on the first £400 raised towards your skydive. Therefore, to make things simple we advise the following:

- 😊 When setting up your online fundraising page please do not allow Gift Aid to be claimed
- 😊 Do not allow donors on your sponsorship form to tick the Gift Aid box
- 😊 Add this clear statement to your online giving page and sponsorship form:  
£200 of the sponsorship raised will be funding the Skydive and the remaining sponsorship will support care at Children's Hospice South West.

## 😊 Collecting your fundraising

**Fundraise online.** Simple to set up and means you have no money to collect! Set up an online fundraising page on Facebook, or at [justgiving.com](http://justgiving.com)

**Contactless donations.** CharityGo mobile app turns your smart phone into a card reader to take safe and secure donations from credit and debit cards as well as digital wallets, such as Apple Pay, Google Pay and Samsung Pay. Gift Aid can be added too! Visit [chsw.org.uk/charitygo](http://chsw.org.uk/charitygo) to get started.

**Cash donations.** Use the sponsor form included, collect cash and pay in donations online or by sending a cheque in the post.



## 😊 How your fundraising helps

By taking on the challenge of a Skydive, you will be helping Children's Hospice South West make the most of the lives of babies, children and young people with life-limiting conditions and their families. The funds you raise will help to support local families now and in the future.

Each hospice is a loving and caring place, where every member of every family who stays can forget their worries for a while, be a family again and receive expert help and support with facing an uncertain future.

## 😊 Fundraising ideas and tips

- 😊 Ask family and friends to sponsor you via your online fundraising page
- 😊 Spread the word and ask for sponsorship on social media by sharing your online fundraising page
- 😊 Invite friends and family to sign up for skydive and fundraise together
- 😊 Hold an in-person or virtual quiz or bingo and ask for donations to take part
- 😊 Get baking and have a cookie and cake sale
- 😊 Organise a raffle or tombola
- 😊 Hold a dress down day at your workplace in return for a donation
- 😊 Always have your sponsor form ready so you don't miss any donations
- 😊 Advertise your fundraising events using the enclosed poster template
- 😊 Join our Facebook group to join other fundraisers  
[facebook.com/groups/beincredible](https://facebook.com/groups/beincredible)

## 😊 Here to support you

Our Fundraising Teams are on hand to support you, simply call your local CHSW children's hospice or email [events@chsw.org.uk](mailto:events@chsw.org.uk)

### Little Bridge House

Redlands Road, Fremington, Barnstaple, Devon EX31 2PZ ☎ 01271 325 270

### Charlton Farm

Charlton Drive, Wraxall, North Somerset BS48 1PE ☎ 01275 866 600

### Little Harbour

Porthpean Road, Porthpean, St Austell, Cornwall PL26 6AZ ☎ 01726 871 800



Making the most of short and precious lives across the South West  
[www.chsw.org.uk](http://www.chsw.org.uk)

Registered Charity No. 1003314



# Please sponsor me

Title:	Full first name:
Surname:	
Home address:	
Postcode:	Tel no:
Email:	
Team name:	
<input type="checkbox"/> My employer offers a matched giving scheme to match the amount I raise	
Your employer's name:	



**SKYDIVE**  
Dunkeswell Airfield

Jump date:

I pledge to raise  
£ .....  
to help short and precious  
lives across the South West

We take your privacy seriously. For full details about how we store, protect, share and use your personal data, please see our Privacy Policy [www.chsw.org.uk/privacy](http://www.chsw.org.uk/privacy)

Thank you for your sponsorship, if you would prefer not to receive an acknowledgement, please tick here



## Full name + home address + postcode + ✓ = Gift Aid

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If I have ticked the box headed 'Gift Aid'  I confirm that I am a UK Income or Capital Gains taxpayer. I have read this statement and want Children's Hospice South West to reclaim tax on the donations detailed below, given on the date shown. I understand that if I pay less Income Tax/or Capital Gains tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all of my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference. I understand that the charity will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that I have given.

We are unable to claim Gift Aid if a sponsor is connected to the participant, their donations only qualify for Gift Aid if the participant pays the full cost of the event so that all the sponsorship money raised goes to the charity. A 'connected person' is:

- A wife, husband or civil partner
- A brother, sister, parent or grandchild
- The wife, husband or civil partner of a relative
- A company under the control of the donor, or under control of connected persons

Do not tick the Gift Aid box if the above applies.

Full Name (First name and surname)	Home Address Not your work address (this is essential for Gift Aid)	Postcode	£s Pledged	£s Received	Date Given	Gift Aid
Mr John Smith	37 Lavender Close, Brighton, East Sussex	BNI 3SR	£20	£20	14/01/2026	✓







[chsw.org.uk/skydive](http://chsw.org.uk/skydive)

Event



Where



When



Contact

