

Newsletter

South East Summer 2011



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KIDS, the disabled children and young people's charity, works with children to realise their aspirations and their right to an inclusive community which supports them and their families.

KIDS South East supports over 1,000 families. We are a unique organisation as we work with all disabled children and young people up to the age of 25, irrespective of medical condition or impairment. Our services include creches and nurseries, after-school, youth and fun clubs, playschemes and activity days, short breaks and overnight breaks at KIDS House, provide training, support and information to parents, carers and siblings of disabled children.

Email addresses!

To help us reduce costs, we would like to send our newsletter by email. If you have a new email account, keep us updated by emailing kitty.mcmonagle@kids.org.uk

Recent News

KIDS is 40!

Despite the difficult financial times, KIDS has much to celebrate. This year marks our 40th birthday and in the South East we celebrate our 21st birthday. From humble beginnings at Halsar Hospital, we now have a centre dedicated to providing life-changing services to disabled children, young people and their families. We also provide support to some 70 young carers living in Fareham and Gosport. We look forward to meeting you soon at one of our future events.

Legacies

Once you have remembered family and friends in your will, you may like to consider leaving a gift to KIDS. If you have left a gift to KIDS in your will, please do let us know as we would like to thank you. For a confidential chat about legacies, contact Matt on 01329 312 312 or email: matthew.wilkinson@kids.org.uk

Just Text Giving

This is a new way to support KIDS by donating via your mobile phone! Donate by texting 70070 with the message KDSE02 followed by the amount you wish to give from £1 - £10 (ie KDSE02 £5). Help spread the word about Just Text Giving by adding a footer to your emails!

Would you like to organise an event for KIDS?

If you would like to organise a fundraising event for KIDS, the fundraising team is here to support you. Anything from a coffee morning to a sponsored dance-athon! Call Kitty, Sarah or Matt on 01329 312 312

Well done, KIDS nursery

The Me Time group consists of parents, volunteers and staff from KIDS' Fareham nursery. They recently organised a ladies' pamper evening and raised a staggering £800. A brilliant effort for their first fundraising event! The funds will be used to purchase new books and toys for the children. The group is also looking for new and nearly-new quality ladies' clothing, shoes, bags and jewellery. If you would like to donate, please call Laura Huckins on 01329 312 312

Ladies' Pamper Evening!

Date: 5th August 2011
Time: 7pm
Venue: Langstone Hotel, Hayling Island
Cost: £1

Come along and enjoy an Indian head massage, hand massages and mini makeovers and hints and tips from the experts! Grab a bargain at the Good as New fashion stall.



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Collection

Date: 6th August 2011
Time: From 10am to 4pm
Venue: Winchester Street Collection
Cost: Just your time!

We urgently need volunteers to help us with our collection. If you can spare a few hours then get in touch today!

Contact:
The fundraising team on 01329 312 312

Come Dine With KIDS!

Date: 19th August 2011
Venue: Alverbank County Hotel, Gosport
Cost: £19 per head

Come along and enjoy a three-course meal cooked by young people from KIDS youth groups. This is a great night out and a chance to meet all the team! There will also be some great entertainment.

To reserve your places, call Kitty on 01329 312 312



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Skydiving!

Date: 18th September 2011
Venue: Salisbury Plain, Wiltshire
Cost: Registration fee is £75 plus minimum sponsorship of £345

Dare you skydive? Imagine the thrill as you jump from a plane at 10,000 feet! This is the ultimate challenge! If you would like to join us, call Kitty on 01329 312 312



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Golf Day

Date: 29th September 2011
Venue: Meon Valley Golf Club, Hampshire
Cost: £60 for an individual player or £200 per team (of 4)

The 6,520-yard course meanders through an ancient oak forest making it a truly testing round of golf! Bacon butties on arrival, an 18-hole round of golf and a three-course dinner.

KIDS Cup Five-a-Side Football Tournament

Date: 8th October 2011

Venue: Eastleigh Football Club

Cost: The entry fee for teams with a maximum of seven players is £100. This includes a buffet, use of the facilities at Eastleigh FC and entry to the post-event race night.

Join us for a family fun day out and a chance to win the KIDS Cup!

To register simply call David on 0800 002 5491 or email: sales@aaavents.com

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Fire Walking Challenge and Halloween Party

Date: 31st October 2011

Time: 7.30pm

Venue: Alverbank Hotel, Gosport

Cost: £20 registration fee plus minimum sponsorship of £100

Imagine walking over red hot wood embers measuring 800 degrees centigrade! It sounds impossible but after training you will have the confidence to do anything. After the fire walk celebrate at the Halloween Party.

Contact:

kitty.mcmonagle@kids.org.uk or
01329 312 312

Pig Race

Date: 14th October 2011

Venue: Queens Head, Titchfield

Cost: Tickets are £10 and include supper

This is always a popular night so book early to avoid disappointment!

Contact:

Bob or Marilyn on 01329 842 154

Young Carers' Family Disco

Date: 14th October 2011

Time: 7.30pm to midnight

Venue: Rifle Club, Gosport

Cost: £5 adults, £3 children

A night out for all the family! From 7.30pm to midnight. Disco, buffet and raffle. No admission on the night, so be sure to get your name on the guest list by calling Cheryl on 01329 242 966

Great South Run

Date: 30th October 2011

Venue: Portsmouth

Cost: £30 registration fee plus minimum sponsorship of £150

Join 18,500 other runners on this almost flat course around historic Portsmouth and Southsea.

Contact: Kitty on 01329 312 312



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Sweethearts Dinner

Date: 14th February 2012

Venue: Alverbank Hotel, Gosport

A three-course dinner in a romantic setting. Spoil your Valentine and help raise funds for KIDS! Entertainment provided by the fabulous Marlene Hill.

Contact:

The fundraising team on 01329 312 312

Brighton Marathon

Date: 15th April 2012

Venue: Brighton

Cost: £50 registration fee plus minimum sponsorship of £150

Be part of Team KIDS!

Contact:

Kitty on 01329 312 312

Virgin London Marathon

Date: 22nd April 2012

Venue: London

Cost: Registration fee is £150 plus minimum sponsorship of £1500

The world's most famous marathon, which is rumoured to finish at the Olympic stadium! The South East region has four golden bonds, which will be snapped up quickly, so contact us today to guarantee your place!

Thank you all!

Our pioneering work would not be possible without the support of so many businesses, individuals, volunteers and staff. Thank you for your continued support; it really is making a difference.

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