

# Speen Helping Hospices

SHH was set up in Speen in 2002 to raise funds for and awareness of four local charities. Now, as 2023 draws to a close, we feel the fundraising group can do more for these charities if we extend an invitation to local villages to participate in the group.

All four of our charities need the support of local communities to help fund vital services for people across South Bucks, as they continue to deal with a very challenging financial climate.

We are proposing that the name of the group is changed to **Chiltern Villages Supporting Hospices (CVSH)** to reflect the wider involvement.

Please visit our website [www.shh-shop.org](http://www.shh-shop.org), this will give you our history and the range of initiatives we have been involved in over many years.

**Would you like to get involved?** please contact me.

## Luxury Perfume and Cosmetic Sale

SHH has been given exclusive access to a significant amount of high-end perfume by the **Brands Owners** to help raise money for the local hospices that we support. We have Estee Lauder cosmetics, Jo Malone and Tom Ford perfumes and many other products at vastly reduced prices. Go to our website and follow the link through to perfume sales. Christmas present shopping all sorted then!

Since the summer jazz event we have had a wine tasting evening and a charity bridge with afternoon tea and raised just short of £1,000.

**Fundraising Challenge** - Help raise money for SHH in 2024. We are looking for people to raise money for SHH by taking part in a local fun run/half marathon/cycle race or other event.

If you are planning or considering taking part in a sporting event, would you help others by fundraising for us as you run/cycle/swim?

We will support you on your fundraising journey, we would promote your participation locally and via social media and our website to attract sponsorship.

If you are up for this challenge, now is the time to plan it, visit our website at <http://www.shh-shop.org/FundraisingChallenges.htm> for information.

## FUTURE EVENTS IN 2023

**Christmas Market** - 18<sup>th</sup> November at the Chapel Hall in Speen. We have lots of new stallholders and a wide range of gifts for Christmas. Come and see us. We are open from 11.00 to 4.00pm.

For further information contact me [grainnesuter@googlemail.com](mailto:grainnesuter@googlemail.com) or 07778803260.

# Macmillan Coffee Morning

## THANK YOU THANK YOU

We had our Macmillan Coffee Morning on the 21st September and were pleased to raise £1,098 for this worthwhile cause.

We want to say a heartfelt thank you to everyone who delivered fliers, made cakes, manned stalls and the entrance, made endless

cups of coffee and tea and were there to support us.

Also thank you to all the husbands, partners and friends who dealt with all the tables and chairs including the members of Horti!

Special thanks also go to Stephanie at Buckmoorend Farm

Shop, the Horticultural Society and the W.I. for their very generous raffle prizes. We certainly could not have achieved such a grand total without all of you.

**Ann, Daphne and Sandra**