Speen Helping Hospices

Wine Tasting with Lloyds Wines. Fancy a night out tasting wine, eating artisan cheeses and cold meats among friends while you get to taste 9 extraordinary wines and have a relaxed explanation of the wines as you sip, munch and chat? If so, then get booked in for this tasty treat, we will greet you with a glass of fizz. Simon will bring a great cross section of affordable wines to suit all palates, penchants and purses! Once you have paid your entry fee, he will take you all over the wine globe and back. Explore countries like Moravia, Morocco and Lebanon, as well as the more traditional styles. Friday 9th September. Full booking details at the Speen Helping Hospices website http:// www.shh-shop.org/

Your support really matters. The hospices are primarily supported by charitable

donations, so the success of every event that we run is dependent on your generosity. These are financially challenging times, and we know there are many calls on your generosity but please continue to support Speen Helping Hospices. With your support we can help to improve the nature and quality of care provided at end of life, not only for the individuals approaching end of life but the needs of their families also. Your contributions enable families to spend their last days together with care, compassion and dignity.

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 Speen Helping Hospices as you run/ cycle/swim? Would you be prepared to organise a golf challenge?

We, at Speen Helping Hospices 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 <u>http://www.shhshop.org/</u> <u>FundraisingChallenges.htm</u> for information.

Bridge Challenge and Afternoon Tea 19th October in North Dean Village Hall. A call to bridge players in Lacey Green and Loosley Row, please make up a table and come and join us on the 19th October. For further information call Grainne Suter on 07778803260.

Rotary Club of Princes Risborough

The 1st of July saw the start of a new Rotary Club year, and with it came some new initiatives. Near the end of June we were asked to support "Lighthouse", an event free for local children. It is a fun packed holiday club in a safe and secure environment for 2-4 year-olds, and primary and secondary school children, held during the week 25th to the 29th of July. To help ensure success the Club donated £1,000 towards the cost of running the week.

July also sees the end of term for senior secondary school students and, consequently, a new group of Interact members stepping up for the new academic year. Interact is a junior form of Rotary with the same ethos of helping those in need locally, nationally and internationally. Members of our club act as mentors to, and provide support for, the Interactors in High Wycombe and Princes Risborough.

We have been busily raising money to support the increasing needs of the Ukrainian refugees being hosted locally. Our club has formed a partnership with a group, based in Lacey Green/ Loosely Row, that has formed the charity "Ukraine2Chilterns" which is supporting over 100 households who are hosting Ukrainian families. There are still a further 100+ Ukrainians holding in various European countries waiting for visas to come to the area. For more details see their website at ukraine2chilterns.com.

The majority of the refugees arrive with only the clothes they stand-up in. Consequently, the charity has established a "New2You" shop, providing a range of clothing, shoes, underwear and school uniforms. They would be very grateful for any donations of second-hand items and/or financial support to enable them to purchase underwear and shoes. To do so please contact the following:

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We are always looking for new Rotary members. To learn more, you can contact us at: <u>rcpr.org.uk</u>