

A year in the life

of the Surrey Care Trust

January 2010

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Events 2010

Call us on 01483 412751 for more information. We will be updating this programme regularly throughout the year.

January 25th - February 7th 2010: Wear Something Wacky Week

NOW EXTENDED TO FEBRUARY 7th! Just a little touch of wackiness – an outrageous tie, colourful shoes, some silly earrings – is all it takes to join in this fashion week with a difference! Wearing jeans instead of a suit may be wacky enough for you, or roll out the fancy dress and make a real wacky fashion parade of it! Choose one day in WEAR SOMETHING WACKY WEEK and round up your work colleagues or even have a Wacky Wear party at home! Everyone makes a donation to take part.

Tuesday February 9th: Open Day

Open Day at our Staines Learning Centre, Wyatt Road, Staines, TW18 2AY, 11a.m. to 2 p.m. Our STEPS programmes give a second chance and a positive experience of education to young people who have struggled to thrive in mainstream school. Come and find out more about STEPS and the other work of the Surrey Care Trust: our Swingbridge Community Boats, our FACE adult learning programme, the Stanwell Children's Centre and Crisis Grants.

Friday March 12th: Lunch with the High Sheriff Lady Toulson and Anne Milton MP

The High Sheriff of Surrey Lady Elizabeth Toulson is hosting a lunch in aid of the Surrey Care Trust at her home near Guildford. Anne Milton, MP for Guildford, will be the speaker. A delicious buffet lunch will be served in Lady Toulson's cosy 17th century converted oak-framed barn.

March 30th: Sponsored Firewalk 2010

Woking Football Club is the venue again this year as we welcome back this popular event. It's the shortest sponsored walk ever but after you have walked across those hot coals barefoot, it will be an achievement to be proud of for the rest of your life. Take up this challenge and help to raise funds for our work, including our STEPS Learning Centres at Redhill, Staines and Woking. The education programmes at our centres are providing a second chance of achievement and a positive start to life for young people who have been struggling in mainstream school.

Friday April 23rd: A Great British Lunch at the Clink for St George's Day



Following our popular Christmas lunch at The Clink restaurant at Her Majesty's Prison, High Down at Sutton, we are returning for a St George's Day lunch with a Great British menu. The Clink is a project inspired by Chef Alberto Crisci to give prisoners the opportunity to build new lives through gaining catering qualifications, while working in a fully operational and commercial restaurant environment inside a prison. Tickets for this event are £40

Thursday June 24th: The Surrey Care Duck Race 2010

Our regular sporting fixture on the River Wey in the centre of Guildford. We invite local companies to make a generous donation to sponsor our 2ft high yellow plastic ducks.

September 25th : STEPS Across Surrey 2010

Another challenging sponsored walk through the glorious Surrey countryside, raising money for our life-changing work with young people, including our STEPS Learning Centres at Redhill, Staines and Woking. STEPS Across Surrey is now in its 7th year. Details of the route for 2010 will be announced soon.

October: Golf Day 2010 at Hindhead Golf Club (date to be finalised)

Another competitive morning out on one of Surrey's finest courses followed by lunch.

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10 ways to make a difference by supporting the Surrey Care Trust

1 Let us organise an event, large or small, in your house or in your garden,. We recently held an extremely successful cookery demonstration and lunch in a supporter's kitchen.

2 Organise your own fundraising event such as a lunch for friends or a coffee morning on our behalf.

3 Place an order for Phoenix Cards or sell them to friends to help us raise funds.



4 Recommend the Surrey Care Trust as a speaker at groups such as WI, Rotary, Round Table, Soroptomists and Probus.

5 Suggest the Surrey Care Trust as a charity of the year at clubs where you are a member or the schools your children attend. We can visit to explain what we do.

6 Collect old stamps or mobile phones for recycling.

7 Donate unwanted auction items for us to sell on www.buyoncegivetwice.co.uk.

8 Become a Friend of the Surrey Care Trust by making a regular monthly or annual donation of any amount.

9 Call our events and fundraising team **TODAY** on 01483 412751 or 412762 if you can help with any of the above or if you want to suggest idea number **10**.

"I will make a difference..."

Remembering the Surrey Care Trust in your will ensures that your generosity lives on for future generations