



Les Bourgs Hospice What's on Newsletter Spring 2016

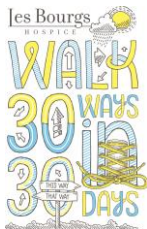
We are always looking for ways to spread the word on what is happening here at the Hospice, so I am going to try to do a brief Newsletter each quarter to let you know.

Upcoming Events:



Make it in March – this is an event for those who are artistic, crafty or photographically minded!

- Sunday 20th March – **Crafty Sunday workshops** of Wet felting, sewing and knitting, crochet and Tunisian crochet at Sula Gallery. £15 each workshop including all materials.
- Sunday 20th March – **Great Hospice Bake Off** drop your entries off between 11am and 12 noon at Sula Gallery and judging will take place between 12 and 1pm. Cakes will be sold from 1pm until 4pm. Best Cupcake, Best tray bake, Best Loaf Cake, Best Cookie or Biscuit, Best Scones and Best Sausage rolls.
- **Art competition** all month long – submit framed works of Art to Sula Gallery between 31st March and 14th April. £2.00 to enter, any materials can be used but work must be framed. All work entered will be sold by silent auction in April. £2 entry fee
- **Photography competition** all month long – Take photographs of Local Life and to enter post your photographs in 8 x 10cm size to Sarah Jayne Laine, Sunnyside Villa, Les Salines Road, St Sampsons, GY2 4FH along with a £2 entry fee. The twelve best photos will be used in a Calendar for 2017 to raise money for Les Bourgs Hospice.
- **Crafty Nights in** all month long, invite your friends and family round to have a craft night in, ask them to donate towards refreshments and donate this money to Les Bourgs Hospice.
- **Come Dine with Me Hospice Style** all month long – invite your friends and family round for dinner and ask them to donate towards the food for Les Bourgs Hospice – no crafting necessary!
- **Just make an item to sell** during March, if you do want to support us but the above events are not for you, then just craft at home in the peace and quiet and make an item for us to sell for the Hospice.



Walk 30 ways in 30 day – Walk each day for 30 minutes (or every other day for 1hr, or 15 hours as you choose over the month) between 1st and 30th April, get sponsored to enjoy the spring, walk off the winter blues and enjoy the lighter evenings by signing up for this event. £10 for Adults and £5 for children with T-shirts available for £5 and a BBQ at Hotel Jerbourg on the last day kindly sponsored by Situations Recruitment. Register online or call and I will post you a form.

Open Garden – Le Vallon St Martins - on 24th April we are delighted to have been offered access to visit a beautiful garden hidden in St Martins, this is a unique opportunity. Open from 2pm until 5pm, Tea and cakes available at the event.



Ian Browns 3030 Cycle Challenge – this is one of our great fundraisers organised by the team at Ian Browns Cycle shop, please contact them on 721581 for more information on this challenge. Runs from 30th April until 29th May.



Annual Rock to Rocque Cycle Ride – this is on Sunday 29th May this year, starting points at the Top of the Val Des Terres, Rocquaine and Grande Rocques and finishing at North Beach, this is not a race, but a great family event suitable for all ages. We recommend the use of a Cycle Helmet and registration is £10 for adults, £5 for children over 5 and families for £25. Medals and certificated will be available at the end of the event for everyone who takes part.



Lotty's War - Les Bourgs 25th Anniversary Special – Tuesday 31st May
Downton Abbey's Victoria Emslie and Coronation Street's Ian Reddington come to Guernsey in the passionate wartime thriller, Lotty's War. As part of Les Bourgs 25th Anniversary celebrations, the show will be raising money for the charity and has an exclusive opening night offer to members. On at the Princess Royal Centre, tickets are £18 which includes a glass of wine and a meet & greet with the cast.

A mesmerising story of passion, courage and sacrifice, Lotty's War is a thriller set in WWII enemy occupied Guernsey. Based on a true story, this critically acclaimed play is 'a must see show!' With the last boat to England gone, Lotty is housed in close quarters with the enemy. As loyalties waver amidst the temptations of forbidden love & the politics of war, does Lotty dare to tread a passionate & dangerous path to save a friend?

Don't miss out! For tickets and more info click on the link: <https://www.guernseytickets.gg/show.asp>

Limited availability. Book before Monday 21st March for the offer.

Open afternoons at Les Bourgs Hospice – 2016 is Les Bourgs Hospice 25th Birthday and to celebrate we are offering four open afternoons for the public to see the Hospice. These will be on Sunday 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th June from 2pm until 5pm. Parking will be at the Hospice Shop, Les Huriaux Farm Complex, St Martins and buses will be provided to transport people to the Hospice. Please note the visits will be timed and due to numbers available booking is essential.



30 Bays in 30 days – This hugely popular event is once again happening in July where we ask people to swim in a different bay in Guernsey and Herm each day during July. Starting on the 1st July until 30th July. You can, as with all our events, swim more than once in a day to have ‘time off’ or people have even done all 30 swims in one day! If you cannot get to all the beaches that is fine too, it is just a great way to enjoy the amazing beaches we have locally. Registration is £10 for adults and £5 for children.

Open Garden Haye du Puis – we are delighted to have been offered Haye Du Puis as an Open Garden this year on 24th July from 2pm until 5pm. The gardens, by Saumarez Park, are extensive and beautiful and well worth a visit. Refreshments will be available.



30 Runs in 30 days - The final 3030 event for 2016 will be the ever popular runs which will be held from 1st October until 30th October and, as with the other events, you will plan to run 15 hours in 30 days, either 30 minutes a day or as best suits you. Registration is £10 for adults and £5 for children and this is not a race, just a way to make the most of the evenings before winter sets in!

World Hospice Dinner – This is on Saturday 8th October at St Pierre Park and we are celebrating our 25th Birthday with a Great Gatsby party, a night of entertainment and glamour! Tickets are £40 each and include a three course meal and entertainment. Contact lizhodder@yahoo.com for tickets, which are selling out fast!

Light up a Life – Our annual Carol service will be held on Sunday 11th December this year from 1700hrs – more details will follow in a later newsletter.

All our events are available for registration via our website: www.lesbourgshospice.org.gg or information is available by contacting Trish De Carteret, Fundraising Administrator by: Email: trish@lesbourgs.com or by phone: 210329.

Les Bourgs Hospice Charity Shop:

The new shop is going really well and we are really pleased with how it is working, there is more parking, better access and more space to find a bargain. There is an extensive amount of jewellery, household items, children's items and much more, in addition to clothes and shoes, bags and a designer area. If you have not popped in yet it is well worth a visit.

Opening times:

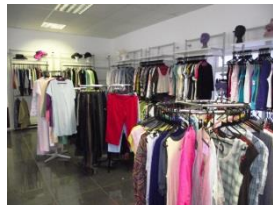
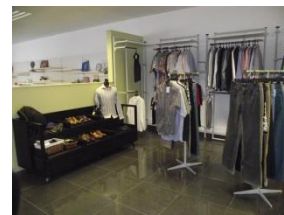
Sunday and Monday: Closed

Tuesday to Saturday: 0900 – 1630hrs.

Tel: Children's Shop: 234363

Main Shop: 230085

Email: Lesbourgsshop@gmail.com



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