

NEWSLETTER



Spring 2025

We hope this newsletter finds you well! Thank you for your continued dedication and support, your impact is truly inspiring. In this edition we are excited to share with you some upcoming opportunities and events along with details about your VIEW and how you can get involved.

Lights, Camera, Action

We're creating a special video to show the incredible impact of you, our volunteers and we'd love you to be part of it. This is your chance to inspire others and help to spread the word about volunteering. No experience needed, just your enthusiasm and a smile!

If you would be interested in taking part in one of our short videos please get in touch by emailing:

peopleteam@northdevonhospice.org.uk



Hospice Tours

Whether you are a seasoned volunteer or have joined us recently, we invite you to join us for a virtual tour of the Bedded Unit, a look around Deer Park and to learn about the services we offer.

Our next Tour is Tuesday 22nd July 2025 at 10.30am

To reserve a spot please visit: <https://North-Devon-Hospice-Tour.eventbrite.co.uk>

Save the Date

Volunteer vision sessions will be held at Deer Park and The Long House followed by a Cream Tea, to say thank you, to you, our incredible volunteers. Invites will be sent out to reserve a space on the following dates:

Wednesday 18th June, 2pm - 4pm- The Long House, Holsworthy, followed by a Cream Tea

Wednesday 2nd July, 2pm - 4pm - Magnolia Room, Deer Park followed by a Cream Tea

Tuesday 8th July, 10am - 12pm - Magnolia Room, Deer Park (vision session only)





Upcoming Fundraising Events

We are searching for awesome heroes to support the following events:

- Seahorses Bingo Night, 10th May, 7pm-10pm, St Peter's Hall, Fremington
- Lions Party in the Park 25th May
- Nightwalk, 17th May, Bideford to Barnstaple
- Lyn Valley Classic Cars, 8th June, 10am – 5pm
- Lynmouth Riverside Cream Tea, 27th June
- Rose's Coffee Morning 27th June, 10am -12pm, Smart Swim South Molton
- North Devon Marathon, 29th June, Barnstaple
- Soapbox Derby, 6th July, Bideford
- Mission Unbreakable, 5th October, North Molton

If you would like to support any of the events please contact the Fundraising Team on 01271 347232

X marks the spot!

Gardening volunteer Sean is organising a Treasure Hunt around Barnstaple. The date is to be confirmed upon confirmation of numbers but will be during the summer. If you would be interested in joining this volunteer social event, please let us know by emailing us or calling 01271 347238 by the end of June.



WANTED! Volunteer Representatives!

VIEW is our Volunteer Involvement and Engagement Working-Group and we are looking for a representative from the following areas:

Catering
Shops
Complementary Therapy
Counselling

The aim of the meeting is to enhance communication and collaboration between the hospice and volunteers, so we can update teams on news, changes and projects and give volunteers the opportunity to give us feedback, so we can continuously improve our volunteer experience. Through the meeting we also have a specific focus on fundraising and recruitment. The group meets quarterly for roughly an hour and half.

If you are interested in joining the group please contact Cate Oliver, Director of People and Organisational Development on 01271 347220 or email cateoliver@northdevonhospice.org.uk



We hope you have enjoyed these updates. If you have anything you would like included in the next newsletter please get in touch. Let's keep making a difference together.