



## Gripple's Chosen Charities of the Year Total Amount Raised £14,200



### Bereavement Suite, Jessop Wing

Money raised will go towards a new bereavement suite where families can be together in a comfortable and calming space after losing a child. This new facility will provide a sanctuary for bereaved families, caring for them in their hours of need.



### Whirlow Hall Farm Trust

Money raised will help go towards a purpose built education block to provide even better facilities to support all the children who visit, including those with special needs.

## Summary of fundraising events - here's how we did it!



### Sweet Treats

An amazing amount of money has been raised through sweets and bake sales, including Valentine Day Bake Sale, Cake and Savoury Bake Sale, Sweet Pots, Scone Day, Trick or Treat Sweets, Bonfire Bake Sale...to name just a few.

### Quiz's/raffles

We've had plenty of time to test our brain power with numerous quiz's, the most amusing has to be Karla's Face Change and Guess the Granny.

We also held many raffles throughout the year with some very interesting prizes up for grabs, including the chance to have lunch with Michael Palin!



### Come Dine with GLIDE

The Riverside GLIDE Reps challenged teams from various departments within Riverside to an eating challenge.

Many turned out to watch the suffering of their fellow colleagues as they tried to eat their way through the endless mountains of food!



### Other fundraising events included -

- Converting scrap to cash
- GLIDE Trips and Car Parking
- Whirlow Cookery Book
- Potted plants and Seed Sale
- Gatsby Gala (1/3rd donated to chosen charities)
- Xmas Jumper Day and Reindeer Food Sale



### 3 Peaks Challenge

On a very wet, July morning a team of 14 took on the Yorkshire 3 Peaks Challenge,

The challenge consisted of hiking 24 miles / 38.6 km including 5200 ft of ascent in the rain in under 12 hours!

Half of the money raised from this event went to Brain Tumour Research Charity.



## Activities and people projects that took place last year



### GLIDE Charity Bike Ride from Sheffield to Skegness

Donations went to Orchid, which is a male cancer charity that help to save men's lives from testicular, prostate and penile cancers through a range of support services, pioneering research and promoting awareness.



### SRSB Afternoon Tea at GLIDE House



### Royal British Legion Cheque Handover



### Night Strider 2019

Gripple was once again proud sponsors of this annual night walk that takes place in Sheffield. A group of volunteers from Gripple took part along with the 1000+ people to raise money for St Luke's Hospice.



### Renovation of community room at the Almshouses

A group of volunteers helped renovate a large communal space at the George Woofindin Almshouses in Sheffield. The Almshouse provide accommodation and housing to the elderly in Sheffield on low income.

### CPR Kits & Training

We now have a CPR kit from the British Heart Foundation, more training sessions will be available this year



## Charity of the Period

Every period we highlight a charity to receive a £500 donation.

Charities chosen this year:

- Theo's Burns Unit
- Age UK Barnsley
- Yorkshire Air Ambulance
- Orchid Cancer Research
- Alzheimer's Research UK
- Little Princess Trust
- SRSB
- The Sepsis Trust

Please let us know if there's a charity you would like to nominate in 2020

## Listed below are all the charities Gripple has helped support in 2019

St Luke's	Amys House	Ethel Trust Community Barge	Fable
Cavandish Care	Douglas Bader Foundation	Steps Residential Care Home	Sheffield Childrens Hospital
Bluebell Wood Hospice	Edale Mountain Rescue	Guide Dogs for the Blind	Brain Tumour Research
Issabelle's Appeal	Safe at Last	Woolley Wood School	Autism Plus/Park House Barns Project
Circus Starr	Steelers Wheelchair Basketball Team	Northumbria Blood Bikes	Just Like Us
PACES	Support Dogs	Friends of the Children's Hospital	Weston Park Hospital
British Heart Foundation	SRSB	Frame Football	George Woofindin Almshouses
Raleigh International Expedition	4 Louis	Ashgate Hospice	Thorncliffe FC under 7's
Sheffield Parent Carer Forum	Aching Arms	Better Together Project	Prostate Cancer Research
SHINE	Meadowhead School	Parish Church, Owlerton	Bradway Primary School
Unity Gym Project	Little Princess Trust	St Wilfrid's Centre	Ellis CE Primary School
Maples Cancer Care, Rotherham	Normandy Veterans in Sheffield	Dragonfly Cancer Trust	Toilet Twinning
Bereavement Suite, Jessops	Cancer Research UK	National Citizen Service-Homeless	Sheffield Mencap and Gateway
St John's Ambulance	NSPCC	Heeley City Farm	City of Refuge Church
Sunday Centre	Second Chance Headway	Interchange Sheffield CIC	Todwick and Kiverton Ponies Rescue and Rehoming Centre
Jessops Wing	Whirlow Hall Farm Trust	Croft House Centre	Sheffield Futures
Work Ltd - Hidden Gem Cafe	SEND Support Group	Friends of Ferals	Sheffield Aspergers Parent Action Group
LimBo Foundation	Neurocare	Stocksbridge Community Care Group	
West Rd Primary, Doncaster	Gilbert Court Social Club	Tia Rescue	

Many thanks for your continued support and we look forward to an exciting 2020

The Gripple Charities & Community Team

