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HEADWAY HEROES 2017

ABIG THANK
YOU TO ALL
OUR
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HEROES

It's impossible to name every individual on here but all of them have played an important role in keeping our services going and we would like to express our sincere gratitude. Finally, to our anonymous donor who presented us with £20,000

Thank you.



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This past year Headway has enjoyed the help and support of some real fundraising heroes, without whom we would have struggled to provide the support and services which are currently on offer. It is unlikely they are aware of the huge difference they make and they often have many different reasons for wanting to support us. This is our thank you to them.



Westleigh Construction raised £21,515 by completing a London to Paris cycle ride. The team spent months in training and raised money on our behalf in thanks for supporting one of their colleagues. What an amazing total! Our thanks also go to all those who sponsored them.



KH Hair completed a sponsored walk up Kinder

in Derbyshire which has an elevation of 636 metres. They raised an impressive £2,196 in memory of Steve, one of the stylists' husbands who died suddenly of a brain haemorrhage in 2016.

Samworth Brothers are another company who fund raised for us. We supported one of their team following brain injury and they held several events to reach their total of £6,000.

Nikki Parmar faced the threat of Yaks and avalanches to complete her challenge of walking up Kilimanjaro and raising an amazing £1,002.

The Chantry Choir sang their way to £640. One of the choir, June, is a long standing volunteer at Headway and her daughter accessed our services several years ago.

Syston Ladies Bowls club handed us a cheque for £500 which they had raised throughout the year. I was delighted to receive the cheque from someone we had previously supported. His Grandma is a member of the bowls club.

In October, 3 intrepid runners took on the **Beacon Hill Bunny Run**. John Mcfadyen, Stewart and Arleen Healey raised



a total of £726 between them.

The Captain and Lady Captain (Ian and Suzanne) at **Willesley Golf Club** in Ashby had a very busy time organising events throughout the year and invited us to an evening of mulled wine, mince pies and a brass band. During the evening they presented us a cheque for an unbelievable £6,075. This was only half of the total raised as Headway UK received a cheque for £6,075 too!



Asda Oadby raised £200 through their green token scheme where shoppers choose a charity to support and a curry night at **Bangla Spice** in Cosby organised by Martin Goulty gave us another £850.

Thank you to all.



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We are currently seeking volunteers to join our Trustee Board. Trustees set the direction of the charity, take strategic management decisions and ensure that public and voluntary funds are used properly. We are looking for representatives from all walks of life.

Trustees can bring a range of experiences to the

board including management, finance, marketing, human resources, IT, or simply the knowledge and expertise from living with brain injury. Your views, ideas and experiences can help shape the future of our services.

Trustees are expected to make a level of commitment involving preparing for, and attending between 4 and 8



meetings per year with some occasional social engagements. If you would like further information please contact Mary Goulty on 0116 2739763 or email her mary.goulty@headwayleicester.org.uk



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