



2019 Calendar

Feel-good fundraising at your fingertips



**Glasgow
Children's
Hospital
Charity**

2019 Calendar

On behalf of our young patients and their families, we would like to say a massive thank you for showing your support in 2019. We hope that our fundraising calendar offers a little inspiration to get you started!

With your support, we can ensure that children like Christopher receive care and treatment that is second-to-none.



January 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|----------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| | | 1 New Year, New You – Plan Your 2019 Fitness Challenge! | 2 | 3 | 4 World Trivia Day | 5 |
| 6 | 7 Start of Healthy Eating Week | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 13 End of Healthy Eating Week | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Burns Night Opposite Day | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 National Story Telling Week at the Children's Hospital | 31 | | |
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New Year Fundraising

Encourage your staff to take on a week of healthy eating and encourage them to choose a fitness challenge to support our patients this year before the bake sales kick in...



February 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 | 11 Make a Friend Day | 12 | 13 | 14 Valentine's Day – plan a Valentine's fundraiser | 15 | 16 GCHC Sky Dive |
| 17 GCHC Sky Dive Random Act of Kindness Day | 18 Student Volunteering Week | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24 The Oscars 2019 Awards Ceremony | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | | |
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Sky Dives with Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity

Get a bucket list item ticked off the list nice and early in 2019 and take the dive! Dates also available in March, June and September.



NEXT MONTH...

World Kidney Day 2019

Support children across Scotland living with kidney failure through our Renal Appeal, in partnership with Kidney Kids Scotland.

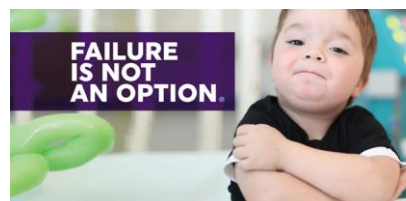
March 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 Start of Veggie Month World Compliment Day | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 Pancake Day | 6 | 7 World Book Day at the Children's Hospital | 8 International Women's Day | 9 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 World Kidney Day – Support our Renal Appeal | 15 | 16 |
| 17 St. Patrick's Day | 18 | 19 Let's Laugh Day | 20 International Day of Happiness | 21 | 22 National Skipping Day – Hold your own Skipathon | 23 GCHC Sky Dive |
| 24 GCHC Sky Dive | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 31 Mother's Day End of Veggie Month | | | | | | |

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World Kidney Day 14th March 2019

We're calling on our corporate supporters to get behind World Kidney Day to support our brave renal patients. #FailureIsNotAnOption



NEXT MONTH:

Now is the time to get yourselves signed up to take part in the **Glasgow Kiltwalk**... not one to miss out on!

April 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|--|-------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| | 1 April Fool's Day Fun at Work Day | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 Walk to Work Day | 6 |
| 7 World Health Day | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Record Store Day |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 Wear PJs to Work Day | 18 | 19 Good Friday | 20 |
| 21 40 th Anniversary Easter Egg Run | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 Kiltwalk Glasgow Stirling Marathon | 29 International Dance Day - Workplace Strictly Special | 30 World Honesty Day | | | | |
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EVENTS

Kiltwalk Glasgow - 28th April 2019

The Glasgow Kiltwalk is back and we need you and your colleagues to dust off your boots and start walking! We can offer **50% off codes**, get in touch for more info!



Easter Fundraising Ideas

- Easter Bake Sale
- Easter Egg Hunt
- Spring Clean Bring & Buy Sale
- Easter Egg Design Competition

May 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | 1 National Walking Month – take on a challenge | 2 | 3 International Midwives Day at the Children's Hospital | 4 Star Wars Day |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 International Nurses Day | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 Pizza Party Day Cycle to Work Day | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Scavenger Hunt Day | 25 Edinburgh Marathon Festival |
| 26 Edinburgh Marathon Festival | 27 National BBQ Week | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | |
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EVENTS

NEXT MONTH:

Contact us now for volunteering opportunities next month to celebrate **National Volunteer Week**. We have a variety of opportunities available.



NEXT MONTH:

Tough Mudder Scotland offers the perfect opportunity to put your colleagues to the test. Book your place with them directly and choose to fundraise for GCHC!

June 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | | 1 Start of Volunteer Week |
| 2 Kiltwalk Aberdeen | 3 Leave the Office Early Day | 4 | 5 | 6 What Matters To You Day at the Children's Hospital | 7 End of Volunteer Week Doughnut Day | 8 |
| 9 Let's Lunch – 5 th Anniversary of our Ladies Lunch | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 Tough Mudder |
| 16 Father's Day Tough Mudder Men's 10k Glasgow | 17 Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail Launches! | 18 International Picnic Day | 19 | 20 | 21 Summer Solstice Bring Your Dog to Work Day | 22 GCHC Sky Dive |
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| 30 | | | | | | |

EVENTS

Men's 10k Glasgow 16th June 2019

A great entry level running event in the heart of Glasgow. Perfect for beginner runners and experienced runners going for a PB.



Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail Summer 2019

The world's first ever national trail takes place in Summer 2019. Oor Wullie will take to the streets of Aberdeen, Inverness, Dundee, Edinburgh and Glasgow

July 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | 1 Start of Wimbledon International Joke Day | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 Workaholics Day | 6 Start of the Tour de France |
| 7 | 8 Video Games Day | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 End of Wimbledon | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 End of the Tour de France | 29 | 30 Cheese Cake Day | 31 Harry Potter Day at the Children's Hospital | | | |
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Summer Fundraising Ideas

Summer Fete
Summer Shorts/Dress Down Day
Pop Up Summer Shop
Sports Day



Summer Sweepstakes

We've popped in the dates for the Tour de France and Wimbledon so you can get some sweepstakes action happening in the workplace!

August 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | 1 | 2 International Beer Day | 3 |
| 4 | 5 | 6 Sports Day at the Children's Hospital | 7 | 8 | 9 Book Lover's Day | 10 Oor Wullie's Sponsored Walk (TBC) |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 Tell a Joke Day | 17 |
| 18 Kiltwalk Dundee | 19 World Photography Day | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 | 26 National Dog Day | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail comes to an end | 31 |
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Oor Wullie's Sponsored Walk 10th August 2019 (TBC)

Join us for our **Sponsored Walk and Fun Day**. A great opportunity to get all staff involved in a great event, and your friends and family!



NEXT MONTH...

National Fitness Day offers a great opportunity to raise funds for GCHC with some sporty activities. Also, join us for the Oor Wullie BIG Bucket Trail Farewell Weekend.

September 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 International Day of the Charity | 6 Inca Trek Start | 7 |
| 8 Pedal for Scotland | 9 Teddy Bear Day Childhood Cancer Awareness Month | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Positive Thinking Day | 14 Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail Farewell Weekend |
| 15 Kiltwalk Edinburgh Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail Farewell | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 International Talk Like a Pirate Day | 20 Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail Glasgow Auction | 21 |
| 22 | 23 International Week of Happiness at Work | 24 | 25 | 26 National Fitness Day | 27 FIFA 2020 Release Date | 28 Great Scottish Run GCHC Sky Dive |
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Next Month....Big Charity Quiz of the Year

4th October 2019 (TBC)

Our annual corporate quiz is the perfect opportunity to support our young patients and have a memorable day out!



Oor Wullie's BIG Bucket Trail Auction

This Summer the nation's favourite son was transformed as hundreds of unique life-sized sculptures took to the streets of Scotland.

Now it's your chance to bid on a unique sculpture from the trail, all to raise money for children's hospital charities across Scotland.

October 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | 1 Start of Plaster it Purple Month | 2 Plaster it Purple Bake Sale | 3 Croatia Mountain Trek Start | 4 World Smile Day | 5 |
| 6 | 7 Start of National Cake Week | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 Plaster it Purple Dress Down Day | 12 |
| 13 End of National Cake Week | 14 Play in Hospital Week (TBC) | 15 | 16 Plaster it Purple Dairy Milk Tuck Shop | 17 | 18 Purple GCHC Wristband Stall for PIP | 19 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 Plaster it Purple Themed Quiz | 23 | 24 | 25 Halloween Decorating Day at the hospital | 26 |
| 27 | 28 Plaster it Purple Face Painting | 29 | 30 Plaster it Purple Bake Sale | 31 Halloween! | | |

EVENTS

Plaster it Purple 2019

Get involved by holding a purple-themed office fundraiser and we'll provide all the purple gear you need! We've even popped in some ideas to get you started!



Next month...Our 13th Annual Ball

Don't miss out on our black-tie fundraising ball next month. Book your tickets today to enjoy a truly spectacular evening while raising money to support our inspirational young patients.



November 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 World Vegan Day Northern Lights Trek | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 Bonfire Night | 6 | 7 | 8 13 th Annual GCHC Ball | 9 |
| 10 | 11 Book a GCHC Christmas Pop Up Shop | 12 | 13 World Kindness Day | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 Universal Children's Day at the hospital | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24 Celebrate Your Unique Talent Day | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 Christmas Decorating Day at the hospital | 30 St. Andrew's Day |
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Christmas Pop Up Shops

The pre-Christmas pay day is the best time to be booking in a slot for a GCHC Pop Up Shop. Sell our Christmas Cards and stocking fillers to raise funds!



GCHC Annual Ball Friday 8th November 2019

Join us for an unforgettable night including a champagne reception, a sumptuous 4 course meal with wine and a star auction before dancing the night away!

December 2019

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|---|----------------------|----------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 Volunteer with GCHC this Christmas or start a Facebook Fundraiser | 2 Hospital Christmas Activities Begin! | 3 Make a Gift Day | 4 | 5 International Volunteers Day | 6 Christmas Party to Support GCHC | 7 |
| 8 | 9 Christmas Card Day | 10 | 11 | 12 Swap Secret Santa for a Facebook Fundraiser | 13 Christmas Jumper Day for GCHC | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 Mince Pie Bake Sale for GCHC | 24 | 25 Christmas Day! | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 Hogmanay | | | | |

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Christmas Fundraising Ideas

Christmas Party / Raffle
Send GCHC Christmas Cards
[Give a gift that matters – set up a Facebook Fundraiser instead of Secret Santa](#)



Christmas Present Donations

We appreciate our supporters wanting to donate presents, but please consider supporting our Christmas activities in the hospital by hosting a Christmas fundraiser instead. Your fundraising helps bring the magic of Christmas to the hospital