

## 'The Big Hike' Hadrian's Wall Walk Terms and Conditions

Thank you for your interest in joining #TeamStCuthberts.

As someone taking part in a fundraising activity in aid of St Cuthbert's Hospice, you agree to the following terms and conditions:

## Safety, fitness, and injury:

- Before registering for this event, please make sure you feel able to take part health-wise; we recommend checking in with a doctor if you are not certain. If you have any medical conditions that might affect your taking part, or if something crops up after you have signed up, let the event organisers know so they can find the best way to assist you.
- Your safety is of the utmost importance to us. Make sure you follow all safety instructions and any training procedures when taking part in events.
- All participants enter entirely at their own risk, St Cuthbert's Hospice will not be liable for any injury, damage or loss suffered by participants as a result of the participation other than in respect of death or personal injury arising as a result of St Cuthbert's Hospice's negligence.
- All participants may be asked to provide the name and number of a person to contact in case of an emergency when they sign up for an event. In the case of an emergency, St Cuthbert's Hospice or third-party event organisers (i.e. Challenge Northumberland) may use the emergency contact details provided.
- Please be sure to read any terms and conditions issued by the event organisers and make sure to abide by all the advice to ensure you enjoy a safe and fun event.

#### Age:

 You must be aged 10 or older to take part in The Big Hike – children aged between 10-17 must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

### Registration and funding:

- The registration fee of £30 paid to St Cuthbert's Hospice is non-refundable.
- I agree to raise a minimum of £150 in sponsorship for St Cuthbert's Hospice. I agree to have raised the minimum sponsorship by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026, to be able to take part in the challenge and will pay St Cuthbert's Hospice any additional monies raised no later than 6 weeks after the event date.
- As a St Cuthbert's Hospice supporter, you must ensure you are fundraising legally and safely. You can find guidance on this in our Fundraising Pack and on our website.
- I take full responsibility for any costs attributed to my participation in this event and will not deduct any expenditure from funds raised.

- Unfortunately, the amount raised through Gift Aid will not be count towards your
  minimum fundraising target. However, this money is still very important to the charity
  and the people we help, so we hope you will encourage your supporters to Gift Aid
  their donations where possible. Please get in touch if you would like more information
  about Gift Aid.
- If an event is cancelled or delayed, for reasons beyond our control, we will attempt to arrange the event to take place at a later date but cannot guarantee this will happen.
- Registration fees are not refundable under any circumstances. We cannot be held responsible for additional costs lost due to the event being cancelled (e.g., Travel, Accommodation.)
- You have signed up to a third-party event that is not organised by St Cuthbert's
  Hospice but by a third-party organisation, Challenge Northumberland, your details
  will be passed to the organisers for their records and you may need to confirm further
  terms and conditions from them / provide further information to be able to participate.

# Payments:

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- Sponsorship raised through an online JustGiving page will automatically be paid to St Cuthbert's Hospice.
- You can pay in your sponsorship by calling 0191 386 1170 or via the donate button
  on our website <a href="www.stcuthbertshospice.com/donate">www.stcuthbertshospice.com/donate</a>. Please make sure to state the
  reason for your donation (e.g. The Big Hike Sponsorship Money).
- Cash donations can be brought in person to St Cuthbert's Hospice between 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday.
- Cheques should be made payable to 'St Cuthbert's Hospice' and sent to Community
   & Events Team, St Cuthbert's Hospice, Park House Road, Durham, DH1 3QF.