

CROWBOROUGH COMMUNITY FIRST RESPONDERS



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CROWBOROUGH BEACON GOLF CLUB RAISES £8,528 FOR

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(CROWBOROUGH)

Alma Turner, the Lady Captain at Crowborough Beacon Golf Club during 2019, nominated Crowborough Community First Responders as her charity.



(L-R): Leigh Westwood (SCFRTL), Alma Turner & Nicki Pointer (Team Leader)

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The amount raised by the members during the year was over £17,000. This was split equally between the Crowborough Community First Responders, and Macmillan Cancer Support which was the nominated charity of the Men's Captain.

Crowborough Community First Responders received a cheque for £8,528 which has been confirmed as the largest single one-off donation in the charity's history.

The money was raised through a number of events held in the year.

Speaking on receipt of the cheque, Nicki Pointer (Team Leader - Crowborough CFR) said:

"We are thrilled to have received this amazing amount of money through donations at Crowborough Beacon Golf Club, after being the nominated chosen charity by Alma, the Lady Captain. This money will go towards placing more Public Access Defibrillators in our community, which potential will save more lives."

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Crowborough Community First Responders

Crowborough Community First Responders was formed in 2010, became a registered charity in 2014 and was awarded the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service in 2019, the highest award a volunteer group can receive in the UK.

The charity provides specially trained volunteers who work alongside and to respond as directed by South East Coast Ambulance NHS Foundation Trust, to emergency 999 calls in Crowborough and surrounding parishes. The charity is run entirely by its volunteers, 13 in total (8 frontline CFRs and 5 Fundraisers). The Charity's Patron is Mrs Jennifer Tate.

Awards

- 2014 Rotary Club Citizens Award
- 2015 Heart of the Community
- 2019 Queen's Award for Voluntary Service
- 2019 UK Heartsafe
- 2019 Best of Sussex 999 Award

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Friends of Crowborough Community First Responders

The Friends of Crowborough Community First Responders was setup in 2019 to co-ordinate and assist the frontline CFR team with fundraising activities. The team is formed at present by 5 people, with their own Chair, Secretary and Treasurer, operating as a sub-committee of the main charity.

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