

Press Release

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“Swimalong” with St Peter & St James!

Time to get your goggles and towels at the ready! St Peter & St James invite you to help us raise funds by taking part in their first ever SWIMALONG at The Triangle Leisure Centre in Burgess Hill on Saturday 8th October 2011 and need individuals and teams of up to six swimmers to take part.

Participants are asked to raise sponsorship for the number of lengths completed in a 50 minute session; there is no minimum sponsorship, but there will be a small prize for the individual and team who raise the most! Entry is £10 per adult and £5 for children aged 8-11. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Everyone who takes part will receive a goody bag and medal. Terms and conditions apply.

So why not come and join us? Get fit, have fun and raise much needed funds. We only have 220 places available so don't delay – get swimming today!

Please contact 01444 471598 and ask for Pauline in Fundraising.

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For further information: Gill Cronin on 01444 471598

Notes to Editors: About St Peter & St James Hospice & Continuing Care Centre

Our mission as a registered charity is to provide specialist care, love and support for those living with progressive, life limiting illnesses from East and West Sussex. We will endeavour to meet the needs of each patient, their family and friends. We aim to encourage and enable all patients to live their lives to their full potential despite their illnesses.

We care for patients from Burgess Hill, Haywards Heath, Lewes, Uckfield and the surrounding villages. Last year we provided care for more than 400 patients and their families. All of our Hospice services are free of charge and we receive less than 17% of our funding from the Government. This means we have to raise more than £1.8 million every year through fundraising. That's £5,000 every single day.

If you are interested in working or volunteering at St Peter & St James please contact Human Resources on 01444 471598 or visit www.stpeter-stjames.org.uk.

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