

We need your support to help us to provide the much needed specialist equipment and activities for the children and young people with disabilities or life limiting illnesses.

Thank you to all our donors for your kind generosity. Enquiries are always welcome from any organisation or individual who would like to support our charity or anyone who feels that their child may benefit from our services.

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Blessings in Disguise and A L Silcock Fun Fairs are proud to announce we will be hosting our VIP Fun Fair for children with life limiting illnesses and disabilities . Wristbands are now available to order!! Sunday 12th 2024 11am to 1pm – DW Stadium, Wigan, WN5 0UN This is a ticket only event for families who are registered with Blessing in Disguise. Tickets are for immediate family only and cost £2 per wristband (this is to cover the ride operator costs only). Contact Blessing in Disguise for details.

Applications open all year round for disability equipment or to register.

See our website for information. www.blessingsindisguise.co.uk

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"Creating positive changes to improve life's misfortunes, everyone deserves a Blessing in Disguise"









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Everyone deserves a Blessing in Disguise....

Blessing in Disguise Children's Charity is a notfor-profit organisation that enriches the lives of disadvantaged children and young people throughout the UK.

Blessing in Disguise creates a positive focus on enabling freedom to enjoy treasured memories to share with family and loved ones and provides a range of life enhancing experiences helping to improve the quality of life for children and young people with disabilities or life limiting illnesses.

We are a socially responsible organisation, providing much needed support to many children, young adults & their families / carers by providing, free of charge, a range of life enhancing equipment, activities and social/recreational opportunities for the whole family. Through personal experience, we know that it can often be difficult on other family members, who perhaps unfortunately miss out, but we will endeavour to encourage them to achieve positive changes. With the right funding we have the potential to increase the number of vulnerable people that we support each year, providing much needed equipment to more families across the UK and making a significant difference.

We would like to say a big thank you to The Rotary Club of Westhoughton for the kind donation which will help us to continue our vital work in the local community.



Thanks to Carole for donating her Wigan Worriers disability seats, Lindsey and Joseph had a great time watching the game against the Sheffield eagles.



## What we do...

We fundraise all year round to provide much needed support to children & young people, their families/carers by:

- Providing FREE specialist equipment
- Organising VIP Exclusive & Inclusive events & fun activities
- Working in partnership with other community groups & charities
- Creating treasured memories
- Promote social inclusion by hosting networking coffee mornings

With your kind support, Blessing in Disguise has provided the following equipment/services:

Mobility and walking aids, special needs wheelchairs, buggies & accessories; high chairs, low chairs, posture seating; communication aids and adaptations, monitoring equipment; specialist beds & bedding; safety equipment; Lockdown activity and support packs; social links & networking during lock-down; various home equipment, furniture: Christmas grotto, Easter eggs & toys; dark dens & sensory equipment; communication ICE badges, lanyard and wristbands; disabled swim therapy sessions; family respite breaks & family days out; specially adapted fun fair and exclusive access for disabled children. plus much, much more...

Good luck Danni! Most people run a marathon because they love the feeling of accomplishment and self-belief that comes with achieving a goal. Others run because they want to make a difference in the world. Six years ago, SJ ran the family mile for Blessing in Disguise. Now, six years later, mum Danni is running the Manchester marathon on the 14th April . Wish her luck!





We'd like to extend our sincerest thanks to Galliford Try,

Agrail Fresh-Wigan and all

those who contributed eggs to this year's Easter egg run. The Blessing in Disguise Easter bunnies took eggs to the children's ward at Bolton hospital and the St Anns Hospice.

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