

Spreading Joy at Compton

For the second year running, we want to say a huge thank you to the team from Dunelm Wolverhampton who delivered joy to Compton Care, and we wanted to shout out to everyone involved in making this initiative such a fabulous success! Customers who chose a gift tag from their in-store Christmas tree purchased gifts for our patients at Compton and Dunelm generously delivered the gifts to our door.

Angie, a Sister Team Leader on our IPU said "patients who stayed on our Inpatient Unit over Christmas enjoyed a gift, such as fluffy robes, soft cushions, and fleecy blankets. Your support has made a big difference and we are super grateful!"



Anne Mills pictured left centre with a Dunelm colleague delivering joy to our nurses on IPU.



Deputy CEO James Elliot and Councillor Bhupinder Gakhal supporting the event.



Tree-mendous!

Our treecycling campaign in January was amazing and would like to say a BIG THANK YOU to everyone who supported us this year! Including; City of Wolverhampton Council, Just Helping, C&W Commercials Ltd, Wolverhampton Tree Service Ltd, Abi Tree Services, AHL Tree Services, Tree Patrol, ARB Tree Services, Kier Construction Group and Biffa Waste Management, we really could not have completed Treecycling without you!

Everyone worked extremely hard to collect and recycle an incredible 1,200 trees, raising an amazing £22,00 which will contribute to the specialist care we provide to local people living with life limiting conditions and support for their families.

New Bereavement Information Points Up and Running

We have launched pop-up Bereavement Information Points. They aim to help people find out more about services offered locally in relation to grief and wellbeing. In the coming weeks, the team will be in Bilston, Codsall, Perton and Wolverhampton city centre. There is no need for people to book an appointment in advance - anyone wanting a chat can just drop in and speak to the team. These events are open to everyone, not just those who have lost a loved one at Compton. For more information including the dates and locations, please click [here](#).



Our Golf Day needs you!

We are actively seeking local organisations to sponsor and/or take part in our upcoming Golf Day on the 15th May. This event offers a fantastic opportunity to support Compton Care while enjoying a day of networking and friendly competition. Sponsorship benefits include excellent brand exposure, engagement with our supporters and the chance to contribute to the vital care we provide for patients and families.

For more information click [here](#) or contact Rachel Hailey to discuss sponsorship RachelHailey@comptoncare.org.uk

Compton Care
specialist palliative and bereavement support

Charity Golf Day

Thursday 15th May 2025
Shotgun start: 12pm

A round of golf, daytime refreshments and summer terrace BBQ, followed by an awards presentation

The Astbury Golf & Lodge Resort
Chelmarsh,
Bridgnorth
WV16 6AU

To book please contact
rachelhailey@comptoncare.org.uk

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Teams starting from
£450

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≡ Welcome ≡

to our NEW Business Club members



We are thrilled to welcome Handelsbanken Wolverhampton and Dear Emily Designs as our newest Bronze Business Club members.

Handelsbanken



As a member of Compton's Business Club your annual membership* will not only play an important part in providing care for people living with life limiting conditions, but offer you the opportunity to network with other businesses locally, take advantage of advertising opportunities for your business, use of our logo and attend club events. Choose from the Platinum, Gold, Silver or Bronze membership* to unlock benefits.

*Memberships start from as little as: £1.40 per day (Bronze), £3.29 per day (Silver), £8.22 per day (Gold) and £13.70 per day to be a Platinum member. We are now taking monthly Direct Debit payments.

Upcoming Business Club Dates:

Tuesday 11th February - Speed Networking

Wednesday 12th March - Porsche Centre Wolverhampton, International Women's Day Event

For future dates click [here](#)



Corporate Spotlight

In this edition, we wanted to share a spotlight on Brightside Psychology who are new Business Club Members. To find out more about joining us at Business club click [here](#).

Brightside Psychology, based in Codsall, offers evidence-based therapies to individuals, couples and groups. They also offer bespoke mental health training to businesses. Dr Sophie Gwinnett, Clinical Psychologist and Director of Brightside Psychology, signed up for the Compton Care Business Club in November 2024.

Sophie and her team have been offering support to people with life limiting conditions, and their families, for many years in Wolverhampton. This has often meant working alongside Compton Care and seeing the important and valuable work that they do. Outside of work, Sophie and her family have supported Compton Care for many years through fundraising activities and she is now delighted to be able to extend this support via Brightside Psychology's business club membership.



Corporate Volunteering

If your organisation supports corporate volunteering opportunities, why not consider joining us. Our diary is already filling up both in our retail stores and beautiful gardens, there are also opportunities at events.

Silver, Gold Platinum business club members are entitled to Free Corporate volunteering opportunities as part of their membership.

Please get in touch if you would like to get involved

louiseedwards@comptoncare.org.uk



WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

There are many ways that you can get involved to support the work of Compton Care to ensure we are able to continue to provide specialist, high quality, accessible care and support for the people in our communities living with life limiting conditions, these include:

Choose us as your Charity of the Year Partner, Donate a gift in kind, Give As You Earn, Corporate Volunteering, Make a one-off or regular donation, Take part in one of our events, Join Business Club.

Would you consider gifting us a camera to help us capture precious moments

At Compton Care, our mission is to provide compassionate care, comfort, and dignity to individuals and families facing some of life's most challenging moments. Alongside specialist medical and emotional support, we strive to capture and preserve memories, communicate effectively with our communities, and share the stories that inspire hope and kindness. To achieve this, we are seeking a donation of £1,000 to purchase essential video equipment including a camera, tripod, lighting and microphone.

This equipment will help us to: Document Life Stories, engage the community, support training and education, support our fundraising activities.



We are looking to secure £2,000 towards interpreter services.

During October 2024, we used the services of an interpreter 88 times to ensure patients and relatives are supported. This can be for clinical meetings to ensure symptoms and pain levels are understood and treated and patients are aware of what their future care plan will be. Interpreters can also be used during bereavement counselling sessions as one of our counsellors is trained in this skill. Last year we spent £4,000, on interpreter services to ensure people receive the very best in emotional and clinical care. We expect to spend at least the same amount again this year.

Supporting Compton Care: Corporate Tax Relief on Donations

Supporting Compton Care not only makes a meaningful impact on the lives of those we serve but can also benefit your business through corporate tax relief. Donations, whether monetary or gifts in kind, can be deducted from your company's taxable profits, reducing the Corporation Tax you owe. Even sponsorship opportunities can qualify, providing tax benefits while helping Compton Care deliver vital services. By donating £1,000, for example, a company paying Corporation Tax at 19% could save £190, making the real cost just £810. Your generosity goes a long way, and your contributions are fully eligible for tax relief. Thank you for helping us continue to care!

Wolves 10K Cheer Squads needed - Sunday 23rd March 2025

We need 2 cheer squads for this year's Wolves 10K. A cheer squad is a great way of showing your support to event participants and can be anything from 6 - 60 people who are happy to clap, make noise and cheer everyone on as they continue round the course. Depending on numbers, we can provide Compton branded T-shirts (or you may prefer to wear your organisations branded clothing), cheer sticks and banners. You will need to be in position no later than 9.00 am and remain at your location until the event has finished (approx. 11.30am). Please contact Rachel for further details or to express your interest at RachelHailey@comptoncare.org.uk

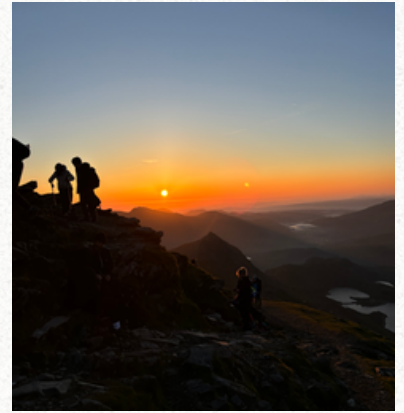


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Take on the three peaks challenge

The Wolves Foundation and Compton Care are again joining forces to bring supporters together, to take on a fantastic challenge whilst raising vital funds for people across Wolverhampton and the Black Country. So why not join us again in 2025 and take on The Yorkshire Three Peaks on **Saturday 14 June 2025?**

Fundraising for the event is a minimum of £250pp, you can fundraise individually or as a team if you wish. We will support you all the way with helpful hints and tips to maximise your fundraising.



As a valued supporter of Compton Care, we would love to offer you an exclusive discounted ticket of £35, giving you £10 off the standard ticket. This offer is valid until the end of February so don't delay.



The link to sign up to the event is <https://register.enthuse.com/ps/event/HikingHeroesYorkshireThreePeaks> please use discount code HH2025 when signing up to get £10 off.

THANK YOU



We had a fantastic time at our exclusive Business Club event at Compton Hall, where members came together to connect, share their reasons for supporting Compton, and discuss ways to make our networking events even better. The morning was filled with insightful conversations, fresh ideas, and a strong sense of community. A huge thank you to everyone who joined us—your enthusiasm and input are truly valued, and we can't wait to bring your ideas to life in future events!

For more information on any of the content in this newsletter please email: rachelhailey@comptoncare.org.uk

Thank you for being an important part of #TeamCompton.