

# Berkshire Events 2012

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## All year

Throwing a party? Planning a social event or celebration? Ever considered using your event to have fun AND make a difference to the lives of people affected by cancer. Why not ask for donations instead of presents or add a fun fundraising activity to your event.

## Sunday 29 April

### California Dreaming Walk – near Wokingham

Commencing from the cafe in California Country Park, this guided 5.5 mile walk will meanders around the water meadows of the Blackwater river. Visit [Macmillanberkshire@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:Macmillanberkshire@yahoo.co.uk)

## Sunday 6 May 2012

### Walk Watership Down – Kingsclere, North Hampshire

This walk is back by popular demand; Join us for a 7.5 mile or a 12.5 mile sponsored walk up and across Watership Down on the Hampshire, Berkshire border. This delightful walk passes through some of the most beautiful countryside taking in the down made famous by Richard Adams' book. Visit [www.macmillan.org.uk/Walking](http://www.macmillan.org.uk/Walking)

## April to October 2012

### Wayfarers way walk

Come along and walk all or part of the historical route when it suits you, do a short section or challenge yourself to the whole 70 miles. To find out more information go to: [www.wayfarerswalk.org.uk](http://www.wayfarerswalk.org.uk)

## Tuesday 29 May

### Cake Decorating Demonstrations and Pampering - Woodley

Enjoy a glass of wine and nibbles as Need a cake's ace icers showcase their skills! Alternative therapist will also be smoothing away those worries! For more information and to book ring 01189 690221

## Friday 15 June

### Hog Roast and Live Music - Aldermaston

Whether rock'n'roll's your thing or you prefer something more modern, you'll find it here at The Old Mill in Aldermaston. Let your hair down and feast at Steph and Jim's annual summer knees up! Details from [jim.frewin@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jim.frewin@hotmail.co.uk)

## June 2012

### The Longest Day Golf Challenge

Why not take part in this endurance event for golf fans and raise funds for Macmillan. Visit [www.macmillan.org.uk/golf](http://www.macmillan.org.uk/golf) for further information. If this is too much but you love golf, why not take part in our Silverspoons challenge; see our website for details, rules and registration.

## Saturday 9 June

### Gala Charity Concert - Reading

Reading Male Voice Choir and Woodley Concert Band are joining forces to present this thrilling concert at Reading University in aid of 5 charities including Macmillan. Call Allan Crisp on 01183 264608 for tickets and mention Macmillan

## Saturday 30 June

### Try your hand at Indoor Bowling in Newbury!

Newbury Indoor Bowls Club is the venue for this convivial evening which includes supper. Details Mrs Vivien Ward 01189712581 or E mail [Vivien.Ward@talktalk.net](mailto:Vivien.Ward@talktalk.net)

## Sunday 8 July 2012.

### PPP Triathlon Winchester

Pedal, Paddle, Pace (PPP) is a unique event, and an event that the whole family can enjoy. Participant's cycle, run, and kayak through the course. Go to [www.winchesterppp.co.uk](http://www.winchesterppp.co.uk) for further details and to register.

### Trails of the Riverbank Walk – Reading

This flat circular walk starts in Kings Meadow and follows the Rivers Thames and Kennet. Details to follow

## Saturday 21 July

### Love Can Music Festival - Reading

Come and see Britain's Got Talent winners Diversity perform at the University's own music festival featuring lots of local talent and the University Gospel choir. Tickets from 07988 846557

## June or July 2012.

### SouthSEA Open Swim

Join us for this 1km swim in the sea from Eastney to South Parade Pier and help raise money for people affected by cancer. It will be a fun, safe event for able swimmers. For further information email [fundraising@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:fundraising@macmillan.org.uk)

## Saturday 14 September 2012

### Black Tie Dinner Dance- Basingstoke

Come along for a stunning evening at Audleys Wood Hotel and enjoy a Champagne reception, live music and disco. Nicholas Parsons will be auctioning amazing 'lots!' For information and tickets email Ann Fryer [annfryer@sky.com](mailto:annfryer@sky.com)



## Wednesday 19 September.

### Bridge at Englefield House

All you Bridge Players - A chance to play bridge and have a delightful tea at The Long Gallery, Englefield House. There will also be the opportunity to stroll around the gardens. Enquiries Patricia Barclay 01189712551 Email [Pjabarclay@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:Pjabarclay@hotmail.co.uk)

## Friday 28 September 2012

### The Worlds Biggest Coffee Morning

Be a part of our flagship event. Join in as every cup counts! Host an event or attend an event in your local community. Go to [www.macmillan.org.uk/coffee](http://www.macmillan.org.uk/coffee) for more details and see how much fun was had last year. Remember if you can't do it on this date, do it when you like!

## Sunday 7 October 2012

### Windsor Half Marathon

Why not get in training and run for Macmillan. Details on [www.runwindsor.com](http://www.runwindsor.com) Once you have signed up for the event, register to run under the Macmillan banner by emailing [running@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:running@macmillan.org.uk)

### Basingstoke Half Marathon

On the same day so you've got to make a choice! Test yourself with this challenging yet picturesque route in only its second year of running. Sign up at [www.basingstokehalfmarathon.co.uk](http://www.basingstokehalfmarathon.co.uk) and then pledge to Macmillan by emailing [running@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:running@macmillan.org.uk)

## Saturday 27 October 2012

### Great South Run 1.5km and 2.5km children's run or 5km run

Join us for this amazing event, sign up on the great run website and register to join team Macmillan. Children can take part in a 1.5km or 2.5km run. Visit [www.greatrun.org.uk](http://www.greatrun.org.uk) and then join team Macmillan and help raise money for people affected by cancer by emailing [greatsouthrun@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:greatsouthrun@macmillan.org.uk)

## Sunday 28 October 2012

### Great South Run 10 mile run

Sign up on the website and put your trainers on for Macmillan. Join over 600 people running for Macmillan at this popular 10 mile event and new 5km run. For more information: [www.greatrun.org.uk](http://www.greatrun.org.uk) Once you have signed up for the event, register for team Macmillan email: [greatsouthrun@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:greatsouthrun@macmillan.org.uk)

## December 2012

### Christmas events

Get into the Christmas spirit with donations in lieu of Christmas cards and other seasonal events. Please look at our local pages on the website for up to date information.

## All Year

### Volunteers

We need people in the local community willing to collect donations, volunteer at events, support collecting in supermarkets and much more. If you are interested please get in touch.



### Fundraising contact details:

Email: [fundraising@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:fundraising@macmillan.org.uk)

Fundraising number: 0300 1000 200

Web: [www.macmillan.org.uk/Inyourarea](http://www.macmillan.org.uk/Inyourarea) (click on the relevant county)

Macmillan Cancer Support, Supporter Donations, Freepost LON15851, 89 Albert Embankment, London, SE1 7UQ.

Call the Macmillan team free on 0808 808 0000 (Monday to Friday, 9am-8pm) visit [www.macmillan.org.uk](http://www.macmillan.org.uk)

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