



Fundraising FAQs

1. What happens if I don't raise the £350 minimum fundraising amount?

As for any charity, organising events costs money. The registration fee of £25 does not cover all the costs of putting on a fully-supported hiking event of this scale so we have to set a minimum fundraising amount. This ensures that Macmillan's costs are covered whilst ensuring the majority of fundraised money is spent on supporting people affected by cancer. This is, of course, the main aim of our Mountain Hikes.

We ask that the £350 is with Macmillan one month after the event. If you have not reached £350 by this time you will receive emails from us reminding you of this requirement. We will work with you to ensure that the money is raised eventually and if you really can't fundraise anymore we can arrange for you to set up a standing order to make a manageable monthly donation. It's really important that everyone raises the full £350.

However, please don't be daunted, you really will be able to raise the full £350. Last year our fantastic Moonlight Challengers raised an average of £700 each so you may surprise yourself with what you're able to achieve.

2. Does Macmillan help me fundraise?

About 2 weeks after you sign up you will receive a Fundraising Pack in the post. This includes a comprehensive [Fundraising Guide](#) with advice and ideas on how to go about fundraising, together with a [sponsor form](#) and other tools to help boost your total. We'll be in touch every couple of months with helpful newsletters and are on the end of the phone on 020 7840 7887 if you need assistance. We will also set up a Facebook Event where you can get support from your fellow fundraisers.

3. How do I set up a JustGiving page?

JustGiving is the quickest and easiest way to start your fundraising. Simply [follow this link](#) to set up your page.

4. I'm doing the event with my friends or family. Can we have the same JustGiving page?

Of course! But we do ask that you let us know if you are fundraising jointly with other people so we can update our records. Once you've set your JustGiving page up, [drop us an email](#) and let us know the link to your page and the names of all the people fundraising on it. You will still all need to raise the equivalent of £350 each.

5. How can I get another sponsor form?

Download a [sponsor form here](#) or if you don't have a printer, request a hard copy [by email](#).

6. How do I get hold of Macmillan banners & balloons for my fundraising event?
Just [email us](#) and we'll send you a Fundraising Materials pack containing Macmillan bunting, banners, balloons, posters, leaflets and a pyramid coin box.
7. How do I get hold of a collection tin or bucket?
Download and complete this [request form](#) and send it back to us. Don't forget it takes 2 weeks for your tin or bucket to arrive so send in your order in plenty of time.
8. My company is going to match my fundraising? What do I need to do?
Once you know your matched-funding application has been approved, please [contact us](#). We'll need to know how your company will be sending the funds to us, on what date and how much.
9. How do I pay my sponsorship in?
By Post - send a cheque made payable and addressed to Macmillan Cancer Support, 89 Albert Embankment, London, SE1 7UQ
At a NatWest or RBS branch - [email us](#) for a bank giro credit slip to use at your local branch
By Phone - call us on 020 7840 7887 to pay by credit or debit card
By Bank Transfer - [email us](#) for your unique reference and our bank details