

Our volunteer events calendar 2025

Saying yes starts
with knowing when!

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CANCER SUPPORT



Brighton Half Marathon 2025

Fundraising season in full swing

We've had a great start to the year so far! From sunny marathons on the Brighton seafront to collections at comedy gigs, our opportunities have been varied and successful all around. Not to fret, there are plenty more opportunities on the calendar, with more being added each month. Perhaps you'd like to get out in the Scottish sunshine and cheer on our runners at the Edinburgh Marathon? Or don your glad rags for York Race Day and sell raffle tickets to racegoers? Take a look and see what catches your interest.

As usual, if there aren't any scheduled events near you right now, don't forget about our microvolunteering tasks. These one-off opportunities are a fantastic chance to get involved wherever you're based. Sign a petition, share a campaign, deliver some leaflets or thank a fundraiser and help make a difference from the comfort of your own home.

Visit <https://www.macmillan.org.uk/volunteering/microvolunteering> to see how you can make a difference by giving as little as 5 minutes.

This calendar is updated regularly, so please keep checking back. To apply for any of the opportunities listed, simply click on the link or email teammacvols@macmillan.org.uk.

Thank you so much for giving your time to support people living with cancer. We couldn't do it without you.



York Race Day 2023



Costa Coffee Collection 2022

Join the Action Team for the cause that counts

The Action Team is a community of volunteers who take part in many of our fundraising events throughout the year. You can of course sign up to most of the events without being part of the Action Team, but here's why you may like to join in:

- Monthly email alerts. You'll be invited to events in your area
- A simplified sign-up process. It's even easier for you to volunteer
- A dedicated Facebook group. You can easily connect with other team members
- Exclusive events. Some opportunities only available to Action Team members

By signing up to the Action Team, you're agreeing to hear about upcoming fundraising events in your area. You can then easily sign up to the event(s) which you'd like to come along to.

Don't miss out!

To join the Action Team or to find out more:

Send us an email at teammacvols@macmillan.org.uk

Sign up online <https://volunteering.macmillan.org.uk/opportunities/135-action-team-member-2022-08-02>

There's something for everyone

There are a range of events and types of roles available. Here's what these roles entail to help you choose a role that suits you. Click on the individual events in the calendar for more information.

1 Event support

- Marshal a walk, run, cycle or swim
- Give out medals and refreshments
- Raise awareness at events and signpost to Macmillan services
- Meet new people and be part of a friendly team

2 Cheerpoints

- Help set up the cheerpoint with Macmillan branded decorations
- Make lots of noise to cheer on our Macmillan participants
- Be the friendly face of Macmillan and possibly signpost to our services
- Having fun is guaranteed! (Singing and dancing optional)



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3 Mighty Hikes:

- Support one of Macmillan's 15 flagship Mighty Hikes
- Welcome hikers to the start village with a smile before they set off
- Support at our finish village, celebrating our hikers' amazing achievement
- Enjoy some of the most scenic locations across the UK

4 Collections:

- Join one of our many collections across the country
- Volunteer with one of our corporate partners
- Encourage the public to donate by being friendly and engaging
- Gain access to exclusive ticketed events

5 Microvolunteering:

- Get involved in a way that suits you
- Turn small actions into big impacts
- Volunteer wherever you are based and however much time you can give
- Volunteer from home or locally
- Check **here** for current opportunities



Great North Run 2023

April

6 April

Southampton Marathon

Area: Southampton
Role: Cheerpoint

27 April

Adidas Manchester Marathon

Area: Manchester
Role: Cheerpoint



6 April

London Landmarks Half Marathon

Area: London
Role: Cheerpoint

26 April

Tesco Extra Collection - Leicester

Area: Leicester
Role: Collection

6 April

Brighton Marathon and 10K

Area: Brighton
Role: Cheerpoint & Water Station

27 April

London Marathon 2025

Area: London
Role: Cheerpoint

May

5 May

Great Birmingham Run and 10k

Area: Birmingham
Role: Cheerpoint

10 May

Norfolk Coast Mighty Hike - Full

Area: Holkham
Role: Event Support

11 May

Norfolk Coast Mighty Hike - Half

Area: Blakeney
Role: Event Support

11 May

Leeds Marathon & Half Marathon

Area: Leeds
Role: Cheerpoint

To find out more and sign up, simply click on the event

May	18 May Hackney Half Marathon Area: London Role: Cheerpoint	18 May Great Manchester Run Area: Manchester Role: Cheerpoint	23 May Haydock Park Race Day Area: Haydock Role: Collection	24 May Edinburgh Marathon Festival Area: Edinburgh Role: Cheerpoint	25 May Edinburgh Marathon Festival Area: Edinburgh Role: Cheerpoint
	7 June South Coast Mighty Hike – Full & Half Area: Eastbourne Role: Event Support	13 June York Race Day Area: York Role: Collection	14 June York Race Day Area: York Role: Collection	14 June Lake District Mighty Hike – Full Area: Penrith Role: Event Support	
	14 June Lake District Mighty Hike – Half Area: Glenridding Role: Event Support	21 June Giant's Causeway Mighty Hike – Full Area: Coleraine Role: Event Support	21 June Giant's Causeway Mighty Hike – Half Area: Bushmills Role: Event Support	28 June Yorkshire Dales Mighty Hike – Full Area: Malham Role: Event Support	
				28 June Yorkshire Dales Mighty Hike – Half Area: Hebden Role: Event Support	

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July

5 July

Jurassic Coast Mighty Hike – Full

Area: Wareham
Role: Event Support

5 July

Jurassic Coast Mighty Hike – Half

Area: Swanage
Role: Event Support

5 July

Gower Peninsula Mighty Hike – Full

Area: Reynoldston
Role: Event Support

5 July

Gower Peninsula Mighty Hike – Half

Area: Rhossili
Role: Event Support

12 July

Race to the Stones

Area: Avebury
(Wiltshire)
Role: Event Support

19 July

Peak District Mighty Hike – Full

Area: Bakewell
Role: Event Support

19 July

Peak District Mighty Hike – Half

Area: Flagg
Role: Event Support

19 July

Cotswolds Mighty Hike – Full & Half

Area: Woodstock
Role: Event Support

26 July

Thames Path Mighty Hike – Full

Area: Henley-on-Thames
Role: Event Support

26 July

Thames Path Mighty Hike – Half

Area: Cookham
Role: Event Support

August



30 August

Rob Roy Mighty Hike – Full

Area: Callander
Role: Event Support

30 August

Rob Roy Mighty Hike – Half

Area: Aberfoyle
Role: Event Support

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August

31 August

Brighton & Hove Triathlon

Area: Brighton
Role: Water Station

September

7 September

Great North Run

Area: Newcastle
Role: Cheerpoint

13 September

Northumberland Coast Mighty Hike – Full

Area: Bamburgh
Role: Event Support

14 September

Northumberland Coast Mighty Hike – Half

Area: Craster
Role: Event Support



28 September

Ealing Half Marathon

Area: London
Role: Cheerpoint

October

5 October

Great Scottish Run

Area: Glasgow
Role: Cheerpoint



5 October

Cardiff Half Marathon

Area: Cardiff
Role: Cheerpoint

12 October

Run Bournemouth

Area: Bournemouth
Role: Cheerpoint

12 October

Royal Parks Half

Area: London
Role: Cheerpoint

19 October

Great South Run

Area: Southampton
Role: Cheerpoint

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Macmillan Cancer Support has spent more than 100 years helping people living with cancer. We know that cancer can disrupt your whole life. And it can be made worse simply because of who you are and where you live. But we're here to change that.

The number of people diagnosed with cancer is growing, and every one of them needs the best support to meet their unique needs.

That's why we'll do whatever it takes to help everyone living with cancer across the UK get the support they need right now and transform cancer care for everyone who will be diagnosed in the future.

To donate, volunteer, raise money or campaign with us, call **0300 1000 200** or visit **macmillan.org.uk**

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