



Support and friendship
for families

Home-Start Spelthorne

Fundraising Pack



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About us

Home-Start Spelthorne was launched in 1996 and over the past 21 years has received over 1800 referrals for families living in the Borough of Spelthorne.

Home-Start Spelthorne believes that children need a happy and secure childhood and that parents play the key role in giving their children a good start in life and helping them achieve their full potential.

Home-Start Spelthorne offers support, friendship and practical help to parents with young children.

Home-Start Spelthorne offers a unique service, recruiting and training volunteers - who are usually parents themselves - to visit families at home who have at least one child under 5 to offer informal, friendly and confidential support.

To help give children the best possible start in life, Home-Start Spelthorne supports parents as they grow in confidence, strengthen their relationships with their children and widen their links with the local community.

Our Team

Home-Start Spelthorne is an independent charity with trustees being responsible for directing the management and administration of the charity.

The Chairperson is Beth Scott and she is supported by the trustees, Jenny Sice, Anne Damerell, Vivian Williams, Sue Price, Joan Ponton, Pat Dowthwaite, Carol Folly, Kevin Bulfin and Jean Rogers.

The staffing team consists of:-

Amanda Salmon – Family Support Manager

Nicky Webster – Family Support Co-ordinator

Tori Biutanaseva – Family Support Co-ordinator

Hazel Want – Administrator

Mandy Groves – Strategic & Development Manager

Funding

Home-Start Spelthorne currently receives core funding from Surrey County Council, Spelthorne Borough Council and Children In Need. However, each year there is a shortfall of almost £30000 which needs to be covered through fundraising activities.



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- Make a donation – see our BT MyDonate page on <https://mydonate.bt.com/charities/home-startspelthorne>
- Sponsored runs/walks/skydiving – set up your own fundraising page on BT MyDonate or JustGiving
- Join the Gold Club (£10 per month membership with monthly prize of £50)
- Join the 100 Club (£20 per year membership with 3 draws a year of prizes £20, £15 and £10)
- Donate your loose change
- Have a car boot sale to raise funds
- Have a coffee morning/garden party/ bring and buy sale to raise funds
- Donate items for raffle prizes
- Donate unwanted gifts which can be sold
- Ask your employer to match fund an event
- Encourage your business/company/school to nominate Home-Start Spelthorne for their Charity of the Year
- Like our Facebook page and share with friends www.facebook.com/homestartspelthorne
- Follow us on Twitter www.twitter.com/@HomestartSpel

CONTACT THE HOME-START OFFICE NOW TO GET INVOLVE

How your donations will help



We warmly welcome all offers of support, large or small. As you'll see from the examples below, even the smallest amount can help us to enrich the life of a disadvantage family by helping us to meet day-to-day costs:

- £10 covers a volunteer's expenses for a month
- £30 provides support for a family for a week
- £400 provides annual safeguarding training for our volunteers
- £1,250 supports a family with a home-visiting volunteer for one year
- £2,500 funds one local training course to prepare 10-12 volunteers to support families that need our help

Our volunteer has been our rock, our best friend. She has helped every step of the way when I was expecting my 4th child

Having Home-Start has helped make my life so much easier and has taken away so many pressures. I can't fault the support I have received.

THANK YOU

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