



# Newsletter

## July 2020

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### From the Deputy Chair of Trustees



Wow! what a period we have been and continue to go through as a nation. As the lockdown starts to lift and the country gets back to normal, we are hoping that some of our planned events can start to be rescheduled. During the lock down period, apart from some

innovative ideas like virtual marathon running or some football cards that some of our supporters have ran, our donations have come to almost a standstill. You can read more about our rescheduled 3-peaks event later in this newsletter.

What does make me so proud, being part of the Amelia-Mae foundation is that we are not struggling as much as some other charities out there who have large overheads, we pride ourselves on being run mainly through a volunteer network and have very minimal overheads. This has meant we have been able to continue the support needed by our families even with a low fundraising level. On the note of volunteers, we are always looking for new innovative people to join our fundraising team, if you think you could spare some time and would like to feel the huge sense of achievement that being part of a charity gives you, please feel free to reach out to me on the e-mail address below for a further chat.

Although times have been reasonably quiet we have managed to launch our new website, I feel strongly in keeping our supporters updated with where their donations go and how the money is spent. This

newsletter was introduced in April to help with that exposure, but the website will give us a true digital platform to be able to communicate and share our stories with you. The website currently gives some information about the purpose of the foundation and what Neuroblastoma is, give it a visit and have a look round here <https://www.ameliamaefoundation.co.uk>. As we move forward the site will be developed and expanded to share stories on the children we support and keep you updated with the charity's goals. Also, if you like reading this newsletter, head to the news area of the website where you can subscribe to our newsletters and make sure you receive it in your inbox every month.

Lastly, I wanted to give a big thank you to Shore Villa Under 11's football team; not only have charities been affected by the Covid situation but our local football teams have struggled to gain sponsorship for their football shirts. Shore Villa have undertaken some great fundraising events to purchase their own shirts for the year and will be displaying our charity logo instead of any company for the upcoming season. This not only raises great awareness for the foundation, but they have also agreed to donate a percentage of their fundraising events throughout the year. Watch out for an upcoming news article and photos on the website once the team receive their kits and get back to training.

Thank you from all our team for your continued support of the foundation, without you we would not survive, and please continue to look after yourself and your families during these difficult times.

**Andy Bowie**  
Deputy Chair of Trustees



## Ollie Sweeney



3 Year old Ollie has been part of the Amelia-Mae family for over a year, so we are delighted to announce that Ollie is now NED (no evidence of disease).

Amazing news for Ollie and his family.

## Jasmine Mace Brown



Jasmine was referred to the Amelia-Mae Foundation in 2019. Jasmine, who is 13, has also been declared NED.

We love this kind of news at our foundation. We are absolutely delighted for you Jasmine.

## Charlotte-Rose Sublet

We are pleased to hear that Charlotte-Rose is doing well and we wish her good luck for her quarter scans.

## Fundraising News



Sailors, Airmen & Civilians from the Australia, Canada and United Kingdom Reprogramming Laboratory (ACURL) based in Florida raised £200 for our foundation, through a non-uniform day and a BBQ.

## Upcoming Fundraising Events

In August, five of our team will be completing a 2 peaks warm up in preparation for the 3 Peaks in 24 hours challenge in September. So far, they have raised £1,900 of their £4,000 target. Earlier this month, it was agreed with the team that they would donate £1,450 of this to pay for one of our angels, Caitlin Robinson's headstone.

To show your support visit:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/amf3peaks20>



## Our Supporters

During this month, 2 businesses have come on board as supporters of the Amelia-Mae Foundation. A big shout out goes to:

- Fairway Drives & Design Ltd
- iPrep meals

We look forward to working alongside you to raise awareness.

## How to get in touch

If you would like any more information or to get involved with the Amelia-Mae Foundation, please contact us via:



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