Sponsorship Form

About the Charities Supported

Name of Sponsor Address Postcode..... Category of sponsor (Please tick Box) **Personal Gift Aid Company Donation Caf Voucher Amount of Sponsorship Trinity Winchester** Night Shelter, **Winchester Churches Emmaus Hampshire** Stonham - Homegroup (Domestic Violence Refuge) Please make all sponsorship cheques payable to Your chosen charity(ies). Gift Aid it: In the case of personal donation under the Gift Aid Scheme: Please sign the following Declaration. "I am a UK taxpayer and agree that the basic rate tax paid on the above donation(s)

may be rendered under Gift Aid".

Date:	Signature:

Sponsorship Arrangements

SI Winchester & District is supporting all four organisations working with the homeless & vulnerably housed in Winchester.

Only one sponsorship form is required per sponsor and to the extent that different organisations are to benefit from your sponsorship pledge please indicate the respective amounts in the boxes on the form above and provide separate remittances for each of the organisations chosen.

You may Gift Aid your gift by ticking the relevant box for the appropriate category of sponsorship, completing the actual amount pledged for each charity in the relevant boxes and signing the Gift Aid declaration.

Please return the completed form to your "Sponsored Walker", alternatively to Mrs Gill Steel, Rose Cottage, Sparsholt SO21 2NS gil.steel@lawskills.co.uk

Winchester Women's Refuge and Outreach service www.homegroup.org.uk

The Refuge provides a safe haven to seven women and their children fleeing domestic abuse. The outreach service is offered to 36 men and women who are experiencing Domestic abuse within the Winchester area. Self-referral sometimes happens but mostly referrals are from other agencies such as social services, the police, housing or via the domestic violence helpline. The Refuge is run by Stonham which also run 41 refuges nationwide, under the umbrella of Home Group (Care & Support). SI Winchester & District have supported the Refuge since it first opened.

Trinity Centre Winchester www.trinitywinchester.org.uk

Is a Winchester based charity that provides practical and emotional support to people who are homeless or vulnerably housed, via a drop in day service at Durngate Place.

Winchester Churches Night Shelter www.wcns.org.uk

Offers hope and help to the homeless, relieving suffering caused by homelessness. Providing accommodation and food, safe and caring temporary home and specialist support to restore self-esteem develop skills and support people back into long term accommodation and independent living.

Emmaus Hampshire

www.emmaushampshire.org.uk

The Emmaus Hampshire Community provides formerly homeless people with a supportive environment in which to live, work and rebuild their lives. Companions, as residents are known, are given the support they need to enable them to regain control over their own lives and to help those less fortunate than themselves. Donations of good quality, second-hand furniture and household goods are resold in the Community shop. The income generated supports the Community.



Start date: Friday 8th March 2013

For one week travelling a total of over 82 miles

PATRONS:

Dame Mary Fagan Lord Lieutenant of Hampshire

Cllr Frank Pearson The Mayor of Winchester

George Hollingbery MP

Steve Brine MP

Sarah Llovd

Chair of Winchester Churches Night Shelter

Alison Thompson

Chair of Emmaus

David Walton

Chair of Trinity Centre

Carol Harrowell – Stonham-Home Group Head of Client Services for Hampshire

Women Walking Winchester



Women inspiring action, transforming lives

Please help Winchester & District Soroptimists celebrate International Women's Day by sponsoring our team to walk the boundary of Winchester District.

Setting out from its' western-most point at Sparsholt, the 82 mile route extends east to the Meon Valley, then to Fareham in the south before heading north-west and back to Sparsholt. Over the week, our team of sponsored walkers will follow as close to the boundary as they can.

From Friday 8th March - Friday March 15th 2013

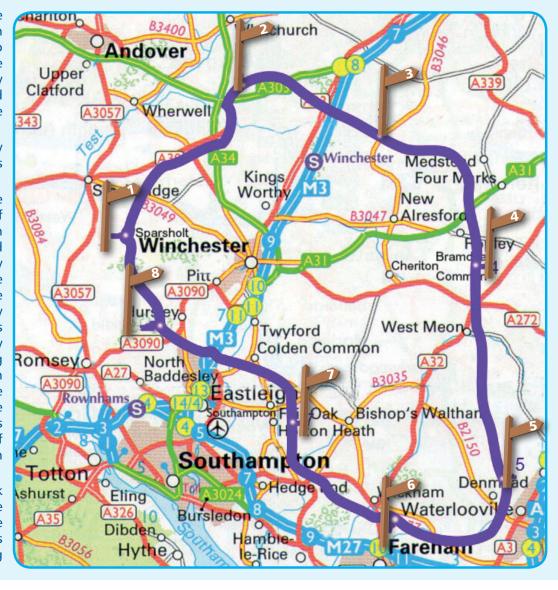
Origins and Modern extent of the Boundary of Winchester

The modern extent of the boundary is from Sutton Scotney in the north to Portsdown Hill in the south, and from Hursley in the west to Alresford in the east; 250 square miles in all.

The walk is inspired by the custom known as 'Beating the Bounds.'

Prior to the prominence of maps, knowledge of the limits of each parish needed to be handed down so that the liability of the upkeep of the Parish could not be disputed. The ceremony consisted of parishioners walking the boundary of the parish, taking with them their children as witnesses to ensure that the knowledge would survive as long as possible. The beating of the boundary stones with branches was usual.

This Soroptimists walk acknowledges the political significance of district boundaries for those facing homelessness.



In celebration and to mark International Women's Day on March 8th 2013, members of Soroptimist International Winchester will be joining together to start to walk the over 82 mile boundary to raise funds to support four organisations working in Winchester with the homeless and vulnerably housed.

- Friday 8th March
 Walk will be started by the Mayor Of Winchester
 Councillor Frank Pearson.
 Sparsholt to Norton Manor
- 2. Saturday 9th
 Norton Manor to Brown Candover
- 3. Sunday 10th
 Brown Candover to Bramdean Common
- 4. Monday 11th
 Bramdean Common to Denmead
 via the Bat and Ball at Hambledon
- 5. Tuesday 12th
 Denmead to Boarhunt
- 6. Wednesday 13th
 Boarhunt to Horton Heath/Durley
- 7. Thursday 14th
 Horton Heath/Durley to Ampfield
- 8. Friday 15th
 Ampfield, returning to Sparsholt

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