



**MAKE  
CHRISTMAS  
YOUR  
BUSINESS**

Whether in the office or working  
from home, there are plenty of ways  
to support LOROS this Christmas!

**LOROS**

Hospice Care for Leicester, Leicestershire & Rutland

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Being there for *you*  
and *your family*

# Make Christmas Your Business

Make Christmas Your Business this year, and bring your colleagues together to enjoy some festive fun! Enjoy laughter-filled afternoons completing a whole host of LOROS challenges and activities.

## Working from home edition:

Alternatively, choose Christmas headwear, such as boppers or hats. Anyone caught taking them off on a zoom call must make a donation to LOROS!

## Jolly Jumper

Skip the suits for a day in favour of something festive! Get everyone to pay £2 to work in the comfort of a Christmas jumper, with a prize for the ugliest knit and fines for those that don't comply! Wearing the same jumper as someone else? That's a fine too!

## Spruce It Up!

Who has the best Christmas decorating skills? Get everyone to decorate their desks ready for Santa's arrival, charging £5 entry. Use half of the fees to donate to LOROS and half as a prize for the winner.

## Working from home edition:

Get your colleagues to send in pictures of their trees, asking everyone to vote for their favourite.

**Remote  
working addition:**

Become Santa's Little Helper and organise a delivery of cakes to your colleagues. Hold a virtual event and you can even enjoy the cakes together.

## Get your festive bake on!

Uncover the joy of festive baking and host a Coffee Morning, Afternoon Tea or Cake Sale to raise vital funds for LOROS this Christmas! In exchange for a donation, treat your colleagues to gingerbread, mince pies and maybe even some brandy butter if you're feeling fancy.

## Charitable Christmas Cards

Whether sent to colleagues you see every day or an uncle you haven't seen in years, Christmas cards are a wonderful way of reminding someone they're special. LOROS has some lovely designs available this year, so you can give whilst giving back!

**Click here to browse the full range and order your charity Christmas cards today.**







## Secret Santa

Secret Santa, but with a naughty little twist! Each person receiving a gift has one guess at who it was from. Get it right, and the Secret Santa has to donate £5 to the pot, get it wrong and you pay the donation instead! Any amount can be agreed from £1 upwards with all proceeds going to LOROS.

### Working from home edition:

Lacking gift inspiration? Why not become a not-so Secret Santa and donate to LOROS on someone's behalf?

£5 could pay for a patient's meals for a day

£5 could buy arts and crafts materials for creative therapy

£10 could pay for the collection of a patient from home for day therapy

## Take a Chance!

Fancy bagging yourself £10,000 this festive season?!

Enter our Winter Warmer Raffle for just £1, and Santa Claus could be jingling his way to you this Christmas with a load of cash. Why not nominate someone to be Santa's little helper and see how many raffle tickets you can sell throughout the office, or to friends and family? **The raffle closes on 11th December, so you better 'dasher' and buy your tickets today!**

## LOROS support and win scratch cards

are a fantastic way to help LOROS. Pop one in a greeting card, have them at your Christmas dinner table, buy as gifts for friends and family, or use them for your Secret Santa.

For just £1, a whopping £1,000 is up for grabs, plus many other cash prizes!

Buy online [loros.co.uk/scratchcards](https://loros.co.uk/scratchcards), call the Lottery office (0116) 231 8430, or pop into a LOROS Charity shop.

All players must be 18+ and resident of GB.

Begambleaware.org.

To view our T&Cs, responsible gambling and how to get in touch, visit [loros.co.uk/loros-lottery/gambling-and-you](https://loros.co.uk/loros-lottery/gambling-and-you)



# Local business owner Simon Spence, runs Jordan Motors and Practical Car & Van Rental, based on Narborough Road in Leicester. With his wife Julie, and his close team of colleagues, Simon raises funds for the hospice in memory of his mum, Margaret.

Margaret was cared for at LOROS for 15 weeks, and died shortly before Christmas in 2020. During this time, her family were incredibly moved by the kindness and compassion that was shown to her by the dedicated nursing team at the Hospice.

Simon said: "Mum spent many weeks at LOROS, the care provided by the nurses was phenomenal. Mum was comfortable, her pain was under control and she actually looked well, despite being so poorly. Mum knew what was happening and was able to enjoy herself, all thanks to the nurses - they were amazing, they showed such kindness.

"We wanted to thank all the doctors, nurses and other staff who cared for her, so the team at Jordan Motors started to fundraise for the Hospice. We received donations from customers and then also did a Santa Claus tour of Narborough too. All in all, we raised £500 for LOROS.

"We will continue to support the Hospice whenever we can, in mum's memory. It brings the team together and it's a way to show how grateful we all are for the support they gave us. We will never forget the care and kindness at LOROS."







LOROS Hospice is a local charity and every year **we care for over 2,500 people** from across Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland. We deliver free, high-quality, compassionate care and support to terminally ill patients, their family and carers. Our care is special and unique to each individual, and includes:

- Short-stay Inpatient Ward
- Outreach support in the patient's home
- Day therapy
- Complementary therapy
- Counselling
- Physiotherapy and occupational therapy
- Spiritual and cultural support
- Outpatients

**Each year, we need to raise more than £6 million to deliver our care.** With your help, we can continue to develop LOROS as a place of care and support.

**Engage your staff and be part of something amazing by raising those all-important funds and awareness for LOROS this Christmas.** Whether you're a small organisation or global enterprise, we have plenty of initiatives for you to get involved in – contact Georgina Sanders, Support Engagement Coordinator for more information, and **Make Christmas Your Business!**

The past few years have been very tough for LOROS. Whilst we continued to care for patients during the pandemic, it has left a long term impact, made worse by the effects of recent rises in the cost of living. Every bill you pay, from food to electricity, we cover too, and the increases are challenging.

**As a result we need your support more than ever.**

By Making Christmas your Business you enable us to be here, providing care for our patients and making a difference when it matters the most.

Keep us posted about your fundraising plans by contacting Georgina Sanders who will support you at **fundraising@loros.co.uk**

P.S. Don't forget to tag us in your social media posts!



**THANK  
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