

We need your help to raise funds so
we can continue to...

**Fund medical equipment and provide training
that is saving children's lives**



**Make time in hospital easier for sick children
and reduce anxiety for families**



**Be there for bereaved parents
in their time of need**



**Respite
Retreat**



**Candlelit
Remembrance Walk**



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TeamEvie

Always moving forwards
www.teamevie.org

Helping sick children and their families

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Registered charity number: 1164489

**THE
great north
CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL**

**Bereavement
Support Service**

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NORTH EAST CHILDREN'S
TRANSPORT AND RETRIEVAL**

**North Cumbria
University Hospitals
NHS
NHS Trust**

Evie's Story

Team Evie was set up in memory of Evie Johnston, a remarkable baby who has inspired so many people.

Evie suffered from multiple cardiac, respiratory and digestion problems, but despite all the odds we had 6 precious months together. Evie was a happy, loving and determined baby. She spent the majority of her short life in hospital and was adored by all the medical staff who cared for her, due to her charming personality and gorgeous smile.

Evie was, and still is, a true inspiration...

To read Evie's story visit: www.teamevie.org/evies-story

Team Evie works in the following 3 areas:

1. In Hospital...

We provide parents with a bag containing the essential for their first few days in hospital...

Portable libraries, TVs, iPads, CD players and more to make a child's stay in hospital more bearable...

Sensory and physiotherapy equipment to help babies cognitive and physical development...

Christmas and Easter hampers...
And much, much more!



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I was absolutely blown away with the Christmas presents that my son woke up to... It's absolutely amazing what you do to help others!

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Thanks to Team Evie, the girls are able to enjoy an environment with other babies with medical needs.

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We are so grateful to you for making what was the worst time of our lives bearable. Your work for us parents is amazing!

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Whilst our experience had been awful, the little glimmers of normality and comfort were provided by Team Evie and they helped hold us together as a family.

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Being a parent of a disabled child is very lonely and isolating so it's fantastic to have somewhere to meet and talk to parents in a similar situation.

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The newly renovated parent's room is just wonderful. I had a few moments where hospital life got a bit too much and by going and sitting in there I was able to have 10 minutes to clear my head and get my emotions together.

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The lovely musical and sensory lights are very soothing for him getting to sleep and during seizures.

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I was given a Team Evie bag containing all the things I was going to need to feel human again.

Feedback from families we have helped...

“ All three of our daughters have chronic lung disease, as you can imagine without your monitor we would not be able to have our daughters at home. I was genuinely touched by all the good work you do and I thought you might like to know about the positive impact it is having on families.

” It would have been much longer days without the support of Team Evie.

“ We have been to many memorial type events in the last 5 years...Team Evie's was by far the most beautiful and memorable. It was such a moving and heartfelt evening.

” I was overwhelmed by your courageous work through the charity. There were times I felt so scared and alone but knowing what you had been through helped me through - the packs that you provide are so lovely.

“ My grandson has just spent a week on ward 12 PICU and I sat and read him books from this lovely library and I must say these books provide an escape from the treatments that are ongoing and are definitely a massive help for the children and their families while spending time on PICU.

“ What you have done and given our ward is truly incredible and we are so thankful for the amazing work you do!

” The impact of the parent bag we got was huge, knowing that someone was thinking of you when you couldn't think clearly yourself.

“ You have made our worst times so much easier to deal with.

2. In the Community...

We provide vital medical equipment to assist parents to safely look after their poorly children at home...



...and all the equipment for special baby groups run in the community.

3. Bereavement Support...



We provide a cottage retreat for families in the time following the death of their child to help relieve them from the strains of every day life....

We hold an annual remembrance walk for families to remember their baby, with an uplifting and memorable candlelit trail through the forest...



...and support parents on their journey with grief.

On the last Saturday
in March we hold our...

Candlelit Remembrance Walk

This enchanting evening in
Whinlatter forest is an
opportunity to reflect and
remember all the little ones
gone too soon in a peaceful
and beautiful setting...

Whinlatter



Schools' Reading Challenge



The Team Evie Reading Challenge is a sponsored event which takes place in schools to raise money to buy mobile libraries for children in hospital. It is a great way to raise money and make a difference, as well as raising the profile of reading in your school!

Sign up your school on our website!



EVENING FOR

EVIE

Biennial VARIETY SHOW FEATURING
Music, Dance, comedy, magic and more...
Carnegie Theatre Workington | Springtime

Could your business support Team Evie?

We have lots of opportunities for
sponsorships and corporate involvement...
or you could make us your charity of the year!

Get in touch to find out more...

Thank you to all the wonderful businesses
who have supported us so far!



Christmas Book Appeal

While doing your Christmas shopping, why not buy a book for a poorly child in hospital?

Every year we give you the chance to sponsor one of the books on the mobile library we donate to a children's ward in our region...



Every child gets a Santa hat and a medal!

Fun run & toddle

Family Games



Christmas crafts

Meet Santa

SANTA DASH

And Festive Family Fun Day!
In December at Workington Cricket Club



DERWENTWATER | CRUMMOCK | BUTTERMERE



**CHALLENGE YOURSELF TO
WALK 22 MILES
IN ONE DAY**

**LATE MAY BANK
HOLIDAY SUNDAY**



- Choose a date in July
- Walk/Run/Swim/Cycle a mile
- Donate £5 to Team Evie
- Upload your picture using #eviemileforjuly
 - Nominate a friend!

THE **great north**
CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Thanks to the staff on Ward 2a at the Great North Children's Hospital for their support with this event.

JOIN US FOR OUR...

FAMILY RAMBLE

A fantastic adventure around the shoreline of beautiful Buttermere in the Lake District, a chance to have an adventure as a family...activities include:

POOH STICKS

SKIMMING
STONES

WILD ART

ROCK
SCRAMBLING

BALANCE
LOGS

DEN BUILDING



FIRST SUNDAY OF THE
SUMMER HOLIDAYS!

challenge yourself with the...

LAKE DISTRICT 3 PEAKS

SCAFELL PIKE | HELVELLYN | SKIDDAW

CLIMB 2859m in one day!



AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY SUNDAY

Run for Team Evie in the

great north run

Applications for our charity
places open in January

OUR PATRON JAMES GRAHAM

APPEARING AT ANNUAL EVENTS
INCLUDING KID'S COACHING AND
A SPORTSMAN'S DINNER



NOVEMBER | DECEMBER

