

Press Release

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Coffee morning enjoyed by all

Heacham resident Yvonne Gillett organised a Coffee Morning at St. Mary's Church Hall in July to raise vital funds for The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House.

Yvonne, a part time Deputy Manager and volunteer at the Hospice shop in Snettisham said "This is the first coffee morning I have organised and I would like to thank everyone of their help especially the volunteer helpers, cake makers, the craft stall owners for their support and Wallis's for coming to the rescue with the loan of a microwave when the one in the Hall decided not to work!"

The tombola and bric-a brac stalls were popular and were complemented by craft stands selling jewellery, bags, scarves, jams and greetings cards.

Yvonne said, "I enjoyed organising the event and have learnt a lot. It was a very hot day and therefore the High Street was a little quieter than anticipated however we raised £155 for The Norfolk Hospice which I know will be very gratefully received."

Anyone who would like to organise a fundraising event in aid of The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House should contact Zena Penty on 01485 542891.

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Notes to editors:

Since 1984, The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House, has been providing palliative care to people with cancer, neurological and other life-limiting conditions, to enable them to live life to the full for whatever time is left.

Our services include: holistic day care, home hospice support, bereavement support for families, regular carer support groups, transport, equipment loan and an information service.

The area we serve is large and covers West and North Norfolk, neighbouring parts of the Fens in North East Cambridgeshire and the borders of South Lincolnshire.



We care for over 200 people a month at the hospice and at home. Our care is provided without charge, and it costs £1 million a year to run our Hospice. We depend on the generosity of the community to survive: 85% our costs are paid for by the individuals, organisations and groups who give generously to support our vital care. We are a Registered Charity, with reg. no. 1062800.

In life nothing is certain but, with your help, we can ensure that we continue to provide the finest hospice care possible, now and in the future.

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