

WINTER 2023 NEWSLETTER



Children
In Hospital
Ireland (CIH)

CIH UPDATES

VOLUNTEER IRELAND AWARDS

Our child & family support volunteer team in Temple Street was shortlisted at this year's Volunteer Ireland Awards. Funded by Community Foundation Ireland, the child & family support volunteer role was established earlier this year to provide tailored play support to children when their family members cannot be there or need a break. We are delighted to see this project and our fantastic volunteers being recognised in their first year!



Our Volunteer Manager, Elizabeth Morrin took home the award of Volunteer Manager of the year!

OFFICE CLOSED

Please note our office is closed from Thursday 21st of December to the 3rd of January 2024.



SHOUT OUT!

We'd like to thank all of those who supported us recently through fundraisers, raffles and toy drives! With your help, we can continue to provide play items for children in hospital throughout Spring 2024!

GALWAY FAIR

Galway Local Enterprise Office hosted a fundraiser in aid of CIH at their annual food and gifts fair! A special thanks to our Galway volunteers for coming along and helping out over the weekend!



SSA RECRUITMENT STATIONARY CYCLE

SSA Recruitment took on a stationary Cycle totalling 518KM in aid of Children in Hospital Ireland! €3,412 was raised!



CHRISTMAS TOY DONATIONS!

The donations of toys we have received this Christmas have been incredible! Over €1,500 worth of play items were donated this month.

A special thanks to:

- EVO Pay
- Salesforce
- AeroCapital Solutions
- Asana



ATU, GALWAY CHRISTMAS JUMPER FUNDRAISER

Medical Sciences students at ATU, Galway recently held a Christmas Jumper Fundraiser in aid of CIH! €636 was raised by the students!



LADIES LUNCH

A huge thank you to one of our volunteers involved in organising a ladies lunch in aid of CIH and Parentline. A whopping €11,350 was raised for children in hospital!

SUPPORT US

Volunteer Recruitment

In Spring 2024, we'll be recruiting volunteers for the following vacancies:

- JustAsk Volunteers in Crumlin
- Child & Family Support Volunteers in Crumlin and Temple St.
- Play Volunteers in Our Lady of Lourdes, Drogheda
- Play Volunteers in Mayo University Hospital
- Play Volunteers in Sligo University Hospital
- Play Volunteers in Limerick University Hospital
- Play Volunteers in Cork University Hospital

Please help spread the word and if you know someone interested please direct them to our website to register!

Dublin Marathon 2024



Are you or someone you know thinking of taking part in the Dublin Marathon next year?

We have entries available if you'd like to take part while raising vital funds for CIH.

To join #TeamCIH or for more information, please contact niamh@childreninhospital.ie