

BHP Vorkshire Three Peaks Challenge

# CSR Review 2022/23



#### Review of the year

At BHP, we're dedicated to giving something back to the communities we work in and to supporting the charities that our staff care passionately about.

We're proud to provide our people with lots of fundraising and volunteering opportunities to enhance their experience at work and, in 2022/23, we're pleased to share that our team had a record fundraising year!

We're delighted to have raised more than £37,000

for worth causes across the UK!



### Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge

By far the largest fundraising effort of the year was the BHP Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge in May 2022.

Fifty five members of the BHP team climbed the three peaks of Whernside (736m or 2,415ft), Ingleborough (723m or 2,372ft) and Pen-y-ghent (694m or 2,277ft), raising a magnificent, combined total of  $\pounds 20,381$  for their chosen charities.

### Four walkers raised more than £1,000 each individually:

Joy Clegg For Leeds Hospital Charity Jade Boam For PSP Association

Stan Wood For CJD Support Network Keri Long For Parkinsons UK



Pen-y-ghent 694m 2,277ft



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#### Firmwide fundraising activities

In June, at BHP's summer staff party, party games organised by the CSR team succeeded in generating almost:



for Cavendish Cancer Care and Martin House Children's Hospice in Leeds.





We supported Macmillan Cancer Support's World Biggest Coffee Morning and held Bake Off competitions across the firm,

raising a total of

£746

A total of:

## £1,300

was raised by the BHP Business Fives Charity Football Team for the Daniel Wilkinson Foundation.

The BHP management team provided fruit bowls in each office. Every time we take a piece of fruit, we can make an optional charitable donation. Over the course of the year, this initiative has raised over

£250

Other fundraisers took place for Save the Children (Christmas Jumper Day), the Trussell Trust and Red Nose Day.

## Individual success stories

BHP and Translink Corporate Finance Partner **Don Gray** raised £2,640 for **PAPYRUS Prevention of Young Suicide** by cycling 170 miles across the country from West to East (Morecambe to Bridlington) in one day.

### **= 76 170 miles**





BHP Financial Planning's Phil McMahon raised

£1,312

for **Yorkshire Cancer Research** by completing an Iron Man challenge in Italy

## £1,907

was raised for **MNDA** by **Tom Bell**, who completed the London marathon, while **Will Sykes** raised

## £1,400

for Children with Cancer UK by achieving the same feat.

**Tim Clasper** climbed Mount Kilimanjaro, the tallest mountain in Africa, standing at 5,895m, and raised

£1,000

Finally, Jamie Williams and Chris Neale raised

£1,714

for Action for Children by sleeping out in Leeds city centre.

## Giving back to the community

In August, BHP sponsored the York 10K for the third consecutive year. We entered a team of 26 runners in the BHP York 10K Corporate Challenge and Team BHP won the challenge in a time of 43:29.

This year, we've also made several donations to foodbanks and hospitals across Yorkshire and North Derbyshire, as well as sending a truck full of much-needed supplies to Ukraine.



#### Volunteering

At BHP, everyone has the opportunity to take a paid day to carry out voluntary work for charitable organisations.

In 2022, one group took part in a 'Wild Work Day' at Rothwell Country Park in Leeds, where our volunteers spent the afternoon removing Himalayan Balsam from the woods.

Our second volunteering day involved a group clearing rubbish from Scarborough beach, sea front and cliff top. Their hard work paid off as they filled 20 bags (115kg) of litter!





## Charities supported in the year

- Alzheimer's Society
- Amnesty International
- Beat
- Burngreave Foodbank
- Bradford's BIG Neonatal Appeal
- British Menopause Society
- Cavendish Cancer Care
- Chesterfield FC Community Trust
- Chesterfield Foodbank
- CJD Support Network
- Cleckheaton Foodbank
- Comic Relief
- Daniel Wilkinson Foundation
- Dementia Support
- Diabetes UK

- Fund for Global Human Rights
- Green Jumper
- Hope and Aid UK
- Kidney Research UK
- Kirkwood Hospice
- Leeds Children's Charity at Lineham
- Lymphoma Action
- Macmillan Cancer Support
- Martin House Children's Hospice
- Mind
- Motor Neurone Disease Association
- Movember
- Narcolepsy UK
- Overgate Hospice
- Papyrus (Prevention of Young Suicide)









#### **D**ABETES UK

- Prostate Cancer UK
- PSP Association
- Rainbow Child Development Services
- SANDS
- Save the Children
- Sheffield Children's Hospital
- Sheffield Hospitals Charity
- Simon on the Streets
- Sport in Mind
- St Luke's Hospice
- Stroke Association
- Syeda
- Teenage Cancer Trust
- Tingley Athletic FC
- The Trussell Trust
- Unicef

- Weston Park Cancer Charity
- Yorkshire Cancer Research
- Yorkshire Dales National Park
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