



Clare's Wish

Foundation CHY 21072

We Bring Your Wish To Life



Who we are...

Clare's Wish Foundation is a Registered Charity founded in 2013, in memory of the founder's sister Clare Clancy. Clare, was born with Spina Bifida, was very close to her brother Kevin, he was her constant companion throughout their childhood years.



When their family moved from Worksop, England to Doon, Co. Limerick in 1975, Clare became a fan of the entertainer, Red Hurley. She collected all his records and decorated her bedroom with his posters; her one wish was to someday meet him in person.

Clare's wish came true at a concert in Dundrum, Co. Tipperary in September 1978. Sadly, on January 27, 1985, Clare passed away, aged just 24 year's old. In June 2011, the Founder's father passed away after five month's of a courageous battle with pancreatitis.

This changed the founder's outlook on life, after he spent more than twenty years in the retail trade; he felt a deep desire to help others and decided to do everything in his power to grant the wish of Adults with a terminal illness.

Currently, Clare's Wish Foundation is the only Irish charity granting wishes to adults with a terminal medical illness. The Charity does not receive any funding from the Irish Government and is entirely supported by its own fundraising events, the generosity of community groups and individuals, as well as small and large enterprises.



Kevin Clancy, Clare's Wish Foundation's Founder.

Clare's Wish is the **only Irish Charity** granting wishes to adults living with terminal illnesses.

Since 2013, we have granted:



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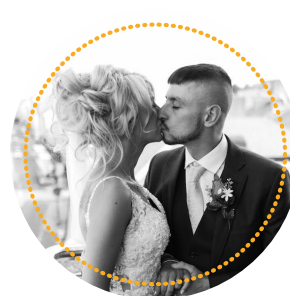
Helicopter flights



Breaks to Tayto Park and Disney Paris



Special events



Meet and Greet with Celebrities, Musicians and Sporting heroes

A wish granted can provide respite from the normal routines of hospitals, doctors and treatments. We believe it has great impact on the whole family, creating heartfelt memories that last a lifetime.

Testimonials



To get away was great. We had been cocooning for most of the pandemic as Jason is very high risk and it was great to feel some bit of normality again. It was also our daughter's first night away from home, it was great for her to experience something new. It was great to spend time as a family. Everything felt so relaxed and worry free. All the staff in the hotel were great and very friendly. The accessibility for wheelchairs was also great, we couldn't fault it. Thanks again for everything. Rachel.

Just wanted to send you a huge thank you for making my wish come true. I am so happy and delighted with my amazing treatment room log cabin. I absolutely love it and am still very emotional when I use it daily ... so much love and care and effort put in for me. Thank you so so much for your kindness.



Testimonials



Hi Clare's Wish, Shay and I had an amazing couple of days at the Schooner Lighthouse Donegal. We certainly made special memories and spent some quality time together. The lighthouse was exactly what we had expected and more. Thank you for everything.

We had a most amazing time for Trevor every step of the way. Our wish to spend some time away as a family at Dublin zoo and the Hotel was wow. Our wish created a Lifetime of memories that we will never forget. Big thank you to all .



How you can help...

We grant **wishes** to adults with **terminal illnesses** and due to this, we are very often in a **race against time** to make these wishes come true. This is where you can **help us make this happen**. We rely greatly on **donations** and **fundraising** to enable us to grant as many wishes as possible.

Whether you are a **Business**, a **group** or an **individual**, there are many ways you can help us. From **fundraising for us**, helping with **making wishes come true**, making a **cash donation**, every little helps.

Please see the next sections for more detailed information on what you can do to help.

Make regular or once-off donations

If you would like to make a once off donation or become a regular donor, you can do so by scanning the QR code below or visiting our website:

www.clareswishfoundation.com



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Become a Business Supporter

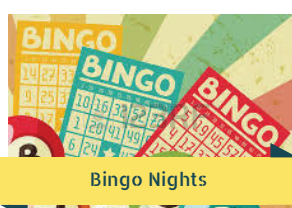
If you wish to become a Business Supporter and help us continue to grant wishes all around Ireland, you can do so by:

Sponsoring and/or participating in our events or even hosting an event of your own in aid of CWF

When it comes to events, **the more, the merrier!** Fundraising activities are a great way to **engage with your local community**, build **brand awareness**, **increase staff morale** and it's also a great way to **build team relationships**. As a company, you can all **feel proud** that you are helping to **put a smile on the face of a person suffering from a terminal illness**.

We can work closely with you to help come up with ideas and support you throughout the event. If required we can also provide additional volunteers to help you host the event.

See below for some ideas:



Bingo Nights



Danceathons



Denim Day



Charity Auctions



Pub Quizzes



Gala Dinners



Runs and Walks



Treasure Hunts



Karaoke Nights



Bake Sales



Circuit Challenges



Sponsored Breakfasts

Nominating Clare's Wish Foundation as your Charity of the Year

By nominating Clare's Wish Foundation as your chosen Charity of the Year, your business will become an important part of our continued success and this will help us ensure that we can grant as many wish requests as possible, even if it's only for a day, that will be cherished forever more.

- Created a deeper relationship between the company and Clare's Wish through a partnership
- Benefits your company through public awareness of events through media publicity
- Benefits Clare's Wish as the partnership introduces the charity to a larger market that may be unaware of the work that is being done

Getting involved with Cause-Related Marketing

Different from sponsorships, cause-related Marketing allows for a **deeper relationship** between the Company and the Charity. This can be achieved by a partnership for a promotional campaign with a share of the **profits** being directed to the **Charity**.

This relationship directly benefits the Company with **increase sales and public awareness of their events or products** due to **good media publicity** from being associated with a respected non-profit cause.

In addition to that, **Clare's Wish Foundation** also benefits from the partnership as it introduces us to a **larger market** who may previously have been unaware of the great work we do.

Our Hall of Fame

Our supporters are one of the main reasons why we are still able to make wishes come true. With valuable support from them we have been able to fund our events, grant wishes and provide for the Charity.



Our Patron



On April 2014, after raising over €10,000 for Clare's Wish Foundation, **Red Hurley** announced he would be **Clare's Wish Foundation's First Patron**. We are honored to have him on board of the Charity not only for the great artist that he is, but also due to what he meant to the Founder's sister, Clare. She was a huge fan of Red Hurley and when she passed away the Founder of Clare's Wish Foundation continued to follow Red through his career.

Our Ambassadors

We are very proud to have current Ambassadors with CWF. Munster Rugby Player Ben Healy, Marketing Executive & lifestyle blogger Michelle McNulty, Irish Cyclist Imogen Cotter, Limerick TV Chef Eoin Sheehan, Limerick Model Shauna Lynsey.

Our Volunteers

Without the help of our volunteers none of the work we do would have been possible. From assisting in our events or working at our store, their help is what makes us able to keep bringing happiness to people suffering from a terminal medical illness.

In memory of those we have lost

Wish Granted for **Bernard O Donovan Cork**
Helicopter Flight over his home area 2015

A WISH COME TRUE

Clare's light star bright
Your star I see tonight
I Wish I may, I Wish I Might
Have the wish. I wish tonight

Up above the world so high
Today I am an eagle in the sky
I am happy with my feelings

I am feeling weightless
I feel new
I feel alive
I feel free
I feel whole
I feel invincible and strong
I feel humble and inspired
I feel grateful
I Feel I matter
I feel amazing
I feel so happy
I feel deep, deep joy.

Rotary blades of whirling possibilities
Lie endless before me.
I feel transformed
You ask me why?
You gave me wings. I touched the sky.
Clare's light, star bright
Your star, oh what a sight
A Wish I made. A wish of flight
And got that wish I Made that night.

With deepest Gratitude **Bernard O Donovan.**
(RIP 2020)



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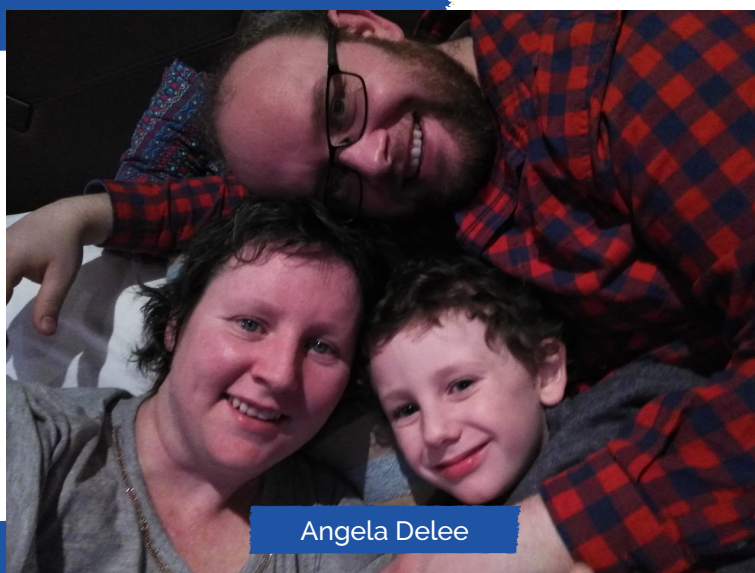
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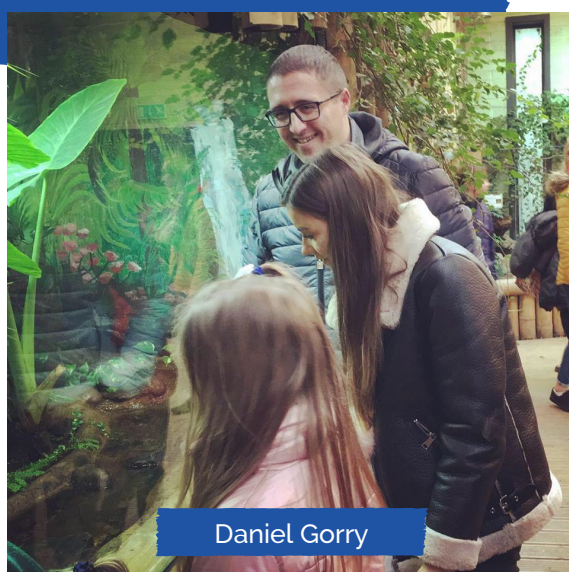
Carmel Cunningham



Angela Delee



Eileen Percy



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