

Sponsorship Form

Standing Together Against Domestic Violence co-ordinates the ground breaking multi-agency response to the crime of domestic violence, and is based in the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham.

Domestic Violence affects the lives of 1 in 10 women in the UK and two women a week die from domestic violence in UK. Recent statistics reported that 1 in 4 pregnant women are experiencing domestic abuse. You can imagine how many lives have been blighted in this way.

Standing Together work with the police, social services, housing, health service, the courts and voluntary sector advocates to make sure that every call for help gets a first class response.

We are very successful. Over the last three years we have helped to reduce repeated incidents of domestic violence in Hammersmith and Fulham by 25% and to increase the conviction rate for their abusers every year. However we continually need to raise money in order to keep the charity going...and that is where any donation you are able to make can and will make a real difference.

The 112 charity bike ride on Saturday 9th May 2009 aims to cover 112 miles in one day, that is one mile for every woman who dies every year as a result of domestic violence. Please sponsor our participants and help us to raise as much money as possible.

- £12 allows us to coordinate one hearing at our specialist domestic violence court
- £100 would fund prompt cards for nurses at the Accident & Emergency Department.
- £500 would provide information to help victims coming to the Specialist Domestic Violence Court.
- £1,000 would train 60 police officers to make sure they give the initial response we need.
- £3,000 would cover our costs for a month.

Help us to take advantage of the government's Gift Aid scheme, which enables Standing Together to claim back 28p for every £1 that you donate - at no extra cost to you. If you are a UK tax payer and would like to help us this way, simply tick the Gift Aid box and provide us with your full name and address*.

*Remember: you should be paying income tax or capital gains tax equal to the amount Standing Together can reclaim on your donations on any particular year, currently 28p for every £1. If your tax circumstances change, please let us know so we can amend our records. www.standingtogether.org.uk

