



Surrey trio shave heads to raise funds for Starlight in Megan's memory

Three brave ladies from Surrey have decided to do a sponsored head shave on the 21st December to raise funds for Starlight Children's Foundation, which grants wishes for children with serious and terminal illnesses and provides entertainment in hospitals and hospices across the UK.

For many children undergoing chemotherapy treatment, losing their hair is one of the many unpleasant symptoms that have to be faced as they bravely battle their illness. Nicole Constable, aged 33 from Kenley, Sam Bristow, aged 32 from Caterham and Kelly Reene, aged 34 from Caterham, have been motivated to shave their heads in memory of Megan Radley, who was the daughter of David Radley, Nicole's partner. This was Kelly's idea but it didn't take long for Nicole and Sam to join her, because it is such an amazing charity.

Nicole, Sam and Kelly will have their heads shaved at Church Walk Shopping Centre in Caterham as part of a day of fundraising activities, which will include a raffle with some wonderful prizes, balloons, face painting, Meet a super hero and children will be invited to make a Christmas star and decorations for their tree at home. The event will also be attended by local carol singers.

Sam also is holding a coffee morning, selling cakes and reindeer food, all money raised will also go to starlight.

Nicole said, "The children who suffer from cancer and lose their hair as part of their treatment have no choice. However, we do and we are choosing to lose our hair in Megan's memory to raise awareness and funds for Starlight, which is an amazing charity that makes wishes come true for very poorly children. It will all be worth it if we can raise enough to make just one wish come true!"

You can sponsor Nicole, Sam and Kelly by visiting their online sponsorship page:

<http://www.justgiving.com/Samantha-Bristow4>

Information

For more information, please contact Henny Vere Nicoll on henny@starlight.org.uk / 020 7262 2881 # 231.

Starlight grants once-in-a-lifetime wishes for seriously and terminally ill children, restoring the magic and fun of childhood and giving the whole family happy memories to share, whatever the future holds.

Starlight also creates entertainment in every hospital and hospice throughout the UK. Sick children go to Starlight parties, laugh their way through pantomimes, go out on Starlight Escapes, play games and watch films on the Starlight Fun Centre, and enjoy the toys and puzzles of the Starlight Distraction Box. Happy children respond better to treatment and Starlight helps children to forget about their illness and simply have a bit of fun.