



# balloons

Bereavement And Loss LOoking ONwards

## FUNDRAISING AGREEMENT

Thank you for deciding to raise money for Balloons. We are absolutely delighted that you want to support our charity and want you to know that is only through the generosity of supporters such as yourselves that we are able to provide a service to grieving children and young people.

Hopefully the following information will help to clarify any questions that you have:

- ✓ Please let us know if you require anything from us for your fundraiser – we can sometimes provide leaflets and further information that might be helpful to you. We can also help you to promote your event using social media etc.
- ✓ Let us know if you will be approaching businesses for raffle donations – we can provide you with a letter of authority to show to them so that they know your request is legitimate
- ✓ Please make sure that you are carefully following the law when it comes to charitable fundraising. If there is anything that you are uncertain about – just ask
- ✓ Please note that whilst almost all different types of fundraisers are appropriate to raise funds for Balloons, it's always worth letting us know exactly what you are planning to do so that we can be certain together that your plans are fine. For example, we cannot accept funds raised through balloon releases – this is because balloon releases are known to be an environmental hazard plus create litter in the countryside, resulting in negative publicity for you and for us!
- ✓ We are a very small charity, and as such we can't always attend every single fundraiser that is being organised on our behalf. Please know that this isn't because we don't want to; it's because we must focus our resources on our direct work with grieving children and young people. If you do want to discuss the possibility of us attending your event, please approach us at the earliest possible opportunity – sometimes with enough notice we can accommodate your request
- ✓ After your event, we would love to hear from you to know how things went. You might want to do a cheque presentation, you might have photos of the event to share with us – we always love to see them and share them on social media as appropriate to say THANK YOU!

*Anything else – please just ask.*

*We thank you for your fundraising efforts from the bottom of our hearts!*

*Your funding will ensure that grieving children and young people are not alone.*

### Supporting bereaved children in Exeter, Mid & East Devon

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