

Welcome to the fourth **HAO UK** newsletter

A big **thank you** to all those who have helped raise **£8,000** for the work of HAOUK
Pictures from fundraising in 2013



Where has the money gone?

Since 2011 you have raised £8,000 for HAOUK. You've done it by pub crawling, organising raffles, swimming across Lake Windermere and walking in the pouring rain on our annual Derbyshire Dales walk. You've had fun haven't you?

We think it's really important that you know where your money has gone.

Your £8,000 has changed the lives of 7 young adults who without this money would still be living in institutional care. Your money has allowed us to rescue these 7 young adults from a life without purpose, choice or hope. Last year these young people moved from the institutions they were living in into supported housing and a new life of independence friendship and achievement. Here they will develop and grow, living a life of choice and control.

Your £8,000 has paid the food bill for a year for these 7 people – their most basic need. It has provided support from 2 part time support workers and allowed them to have medical treatment.

We could not have moved them without your help. There was also a small amount of money left over to pay for some social activities which has helped them develop the personal skills they have not been able to learn in their former lives in the institutions. **Thank you.** We could not have done it without you.

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Our ACCOUNTS have kindly been prepared by CE Accounting, free of charge. A big thank-you to you Lorraine !

A date for your diary? 25 miles charity walk along Hadrian's wall (September 5th – 7th)

Coming Up in 2014

1st March – Pub Treasure Hunt – Sheffield

April – Pub Treasure Hunt – Leamington Spa

10th May – Derbyshire Walk

13th – 15th June – Great North Swim

7th – 5th Sept – Hadrian's wall walk



Next Event - Sheffield Pub Treasure Hunt

Saturday 1st March 2014

STARTING PUB: The Forum

127-129 Devonshire Street, Sheffield, S3 7SB (0114) 2720569

TIME: 8:00PM

(I can recommend the food in the Forum if you decide to arrive early and have dinner)



Price This is a charity event and a minimum donation of **£5** would be gratefully received.

Can you organise a fundraiser?

If yes, please get in touch.

Best wishes Christine

Please distribute this newsletter to your family and friends – the more people that know about us, the more we can raise.

Thanks again for your generosity so far.