



#WEARE30

Press Release

For and on behalf of Wendy Goddard,
Stonham Barns Park and St Elizabeth Hospice

#weare30 fund raising event for St Elizabeth Hospice on 21st March 2020 at Stonham Barns Park – COVID-19 ANNOUNCEMENT

It is with great sorrow that we announce the postponement of the Charity Gala. We are taking the responsible action of protecting our community and visitors seriously.

The charity gala was being organised by Wendy Goddard with support of Stonham Barns Park to help her mark the end of fundraising for Zoe in her 30th birthday year. Wendy had pledged to raise £30,000 for St Elizabeth Hospice. A monumental £22,000 has been raised to date which is incredible, helped by Alan Forward's generous £5,000 donation.

As you know, the 21st March would have been Zoe's 30th Birthday. A facebook page **#weare30** has been set up, to share '30 something' photos, showing support for the cause and we'd love very much for this to continue. Every single submission will be printed and on display at the **Charity Gala's newly proposed date**.

Wendy has opted to rearrange the **St Elizabeth Hospice Charity Gala** for Saturday, 12th September 2020 **(TO BE CONFIRMED)** which would be the date that Zoe passed away, exactly 5 years ago. A fitting day to celebrate her life.

Anyone who has already bought a ticket will automatically be allocated one for the new date.

You can still donate to our **JustGiving** page for St Elizabeth Hospice. As our local charity they are dependent on donations to continue their work providing care and support to those with life limiting and terminal illness, and every single pound really does make a difference. They were absolutely integral to Zoe and her mum, Wendy, being able to enjoy what precious little time they had left together.

We at **Stonham Barns Park** would like to thank you for your patience and understanding during this period and would like to extend our thoughts to you all during this time.

We will keep everybody regularly updated with news at **Stonham Barns Park** online and on our social media platforms.

At this moment, **Stonham Barns Park** is operating a 'business as usual' approach whilst constantly monitoring the advice and instructions provided by the government. We are currently following the recommended hygiene protocols required to minimise risk to our customers and staff.

Alan Forward
Stonham Barns Park

Celia Joseph
St Elizabeth Hospice

Wendy Goddard
Fundraiser, Mother to Zoe Goddard

Monday, 16th March 2020



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