



Press Release

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Taylor Walton solicitors raise £3,000 for local hospices

Partners and staff at Taylor Walton solicitors, which has offices in Luton, Harpenden and St Albans, have raised £3,000 for Keech Hospice Care in Luton and Grove House Hospice in St Albans.

Taylor Walton is a committed and long-term supporter of both Keech Hospice Care and Grove House Hospice. In the last 12 months Partners and staff have undertaken a number of events to support the two hospices and were able to hand over cheques to representatives of both charities at its recent Summer Drinks Reception held at The Sculpture Gallery, Woburn.

In the last 12 months Taylor Walton's Family Law team, based in Harpenden, has raised £1,500 for Grove House Hospice. The lawyers do not charge clients seeking a divorce for the first 30 minute consultation, but instead ask for a voluntary contribution to the charity. Other fund raising activities at the Luton office resulted in a similar amount being raised for Keech Hospice Care.

Managing Partner, Dermot Carey, commented:

The staff at Taylor Walton are truly fantastic. The Firm has been a supporter of both local hospices for many years but in the last 12 months we have become more organised in our fund-raising activities by establishing an internal group of Charity Champions to get everyone more involved. A recent sale of home made cakes by the staff at the Luton office, for instance, raised over £500 for Comic Relief. We also help sponsor more adventurous members of staff who have undertaken triathlons, parachute jumps and other challenging endeavours to raise money for their own favourite charities.

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Accompanying photo shows Taylor Walton's Managing Partner, Dermot Carey, with Paul Parrish, Fundraising Director of Grove House and Jacqui Shepherd, Fundraising Director of Keech Hospice.

About Taylor Walton

Taylor Walton is a 25 partner firm with three offices strategically located close to but not in London.

Taylor Walton is highly rated by leading independent legal directory The Legal 500 that ranks a number of its teams in the top division of South East firms, and quotes clients as describing the firm as "commercial, pragmatic and quick".

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