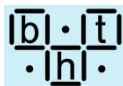


The 5th Brighton Legal sponsored walk

In aid of



MACS
Money Advice and
Community Support



Tuesday June 21st 2011

Started at 5.30 p.m. at Brighton Magistrates Court

Led by

Lord Clarke of Stone-cum-Ebony

Sponsored by

1 Crown Office Row Chambers



Teams that walked in the 2011 Brighton walk

1 Crown Office Row	Brighton & Hove Citizens Advice Bureau
Brighton & Hove Council Legal Department	Brighton Housing Trust DMH Stallard
Family Law Partners	Federation of Disabled People Gray's Inn
Griffith Smith Farrington Webb	Hearty Harte Hikers Mayo Wynne Baxter
Money Advice and Community Support	Sussex Courts Sussex Junior Lawyers
Sussex University Law School	Troy Childrens Law Westgate Chambers

THANK YOU 1 CROWN OFFICE ROW FOR THE FOOD AND DRINK

This event is supported by



Well done everyone



Here you all are

Even with a few last minute drop- outs 100 people walked in Brighton last night to raise funds for the legal advice services in the area.

On the very day that the Government published its Bill to remove debt, benefits, non asylum immigration and a raft of other elements of legal aid, lawyers and their colleagues in Brighton showed their commitment to helping those in need.

We estimate that when offline funds are sent in to add to the funds already raised online you will have raised over £5,000 for the advice agencies.



Paul and I were very grateful for the help that we received from Felicity Thomas from Westgate Chambers who is a mean balloon blower-upper and a very chatty booker-inner!

Obviously we are grateful to Lord Clarke and it was great that designated Civil Judge Simpkins was there to fill the gap when Lord Clarke was held up.



Judge Simpkins with District Judges Nightingale and Merrick

You can still raise funds

The web pages will stay open for months and offline funds can still be raised .

If you tell sponsors that the alleged 10km walk turned out to be 8 miles long they may be more generous!



Sending in funds

Please send offline sponsorship to :-

**London Legal Support Trust
40 Alexandra Road
Epsom
Surrey KT17 4BT**

Don't forget to send in the gift aid forms with the funds

REMEMBER: The forms are real money. We receive £25.00 for every £100 on them through Gift Aid but only if they are completed correctly. Please emphasise to your walkers that they must get the sponsor's full name and HOME address on the form for us to claim gift aid

WE NEVER use those addresses for marketing. They are between us and the Inland Revenue!!

The charities

The funds will be distributed to :

Brighton & Hove C.A.B.
Brighton Housing Trust
Brighton Money Advice and Community Support
The Disability Advice centre

Between them these organisations provide advice to the most vulnerable people in the area. The advice they provide in areas such as debt, benefits, housing, community care, employment etc. can literally change lives.

Funding for this help from all sources has reduced during the recession and partial or complete removal of legal aid in all of those areas is now threatened as well.

So just at the time when the need for help is at its highest in decades, the funding is reducing. We can't close that gap through fundraising but we can ensure that many people in high need will receive help who would otherwise be denied.

Every penny makes a difference. Please raise as much as you can

Next legal walks on the SE Coast

Eastbourne July 11th
Hastings September 5th



Thank you everyone
And
Very well done



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