



**BOSP (BRIGHTER OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPECIAL PEOPLE) IS AN INDEPENDENT CHARITY (NO. 1107392) THAT HAS BEEN SUPPORTING FAMILIES FOR OVER 30 YEARS.**

BOSP's vision is for children and young adults with complex disabilities or life-limiting conditions, and their families to live the best life possible.

BOSP improves the lives of children and young adults with complex disabilities or life-limiting conditions, and their families, by providing high-quality, fun, educational activities, support and respite care.

**If you would like to support a small charity with a record of high quality provision, positive outcomes and longevity of service, BOSP would love to hear from you!**

**Why not visit us and see directly how your money will be spent? Please contact us at The BOSP Office.**

#### **BOSP's IMPACT LAST YEAR**

**34,994**  
respite  
hours

**14,445**  
direct  
support  
hours

**423**  
individuals  
regularly  
supported

**136**  
families  
regularly  
supported

## **CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS**



### **WHY IS BOSP NEEDED?**

**No one thinks they'll need to use an organisation like BOSP.** Parents don't expect to have a child with an additional need, a life-limiting illness or that their child will acquire a disability. It's a parent's worst nightmare and the resulting demand on families, along with the chronic lack of support in society if a child has complex physical, learning or health needs, often results in social exclusion, stress and family breakdown.

### **WHY BOSP IS DIFFERENT**

There is a lack of high level (1:1 & 2:1) support in the community. Our social clubs away from the home with full care deliver results. For some children BOSP is the only social activity club they can attend and the only respite some families receive.

"We would have to riot if there was no BOSP, as I don't know how we would cope. We have two disabled children and seeing BOSP's Star on the weekly planner helps us get through another week."



# WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH BOSP



As a small independent charity, BOSP relies on the support of businesses in the community to help keep us running, so any support from local organisations is always welcome. As well as making a difference to the lives of children and young adults with complex disabilities or life-limiting conditions, working with BOSP could benefit your company too!

## WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH BOSP CAN HELP YOUR BUSINESS TO:

- ★ Gain positive PR through becoming a community supporter and reinforce yourself as a caring supporter
- ★ Benefit your business through fulfilling its CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility)/ESG (Environmental Social & Governance)
- ★ Organise exciting fundraising events, boost your employees team spirit, morale and retention
- ★ Market your company to a new audience in an innovative way
- ★ Partnering with BOSP can be a tax efficient form of giving

## THERE ARE LOTS OF WAYS THAT YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE:

- ★ **CHARITY OF THE YEAR** - Choose BOSP as your Charity of the Year and receive support and advice on how we can collaborate
- ★ **EVENTS & CHALLENGES** - Inspire your employees with our A to Z of Fundraising Ideas for BOSP. We find Social Committees really find this useful! You can help out or take part at any of our events or even organise your own
- ★ **PAYROLL GIVING** - This scheme allows your employees who are UK tax payers to regularly donate tax free to BOSP
- ★ **RAFFLE PRIZES** - Does your business provide goods or services that could be donated for one of our events?
- ★ **SPONSORSHIP** - You could sponsor or match fund one of our events and be featured in our marketing on social media and in print
- ★ **GIFTS IN KIND** - Could your business services/products be of direct benefit to BOSP?
- ★ **MATCH FUNDING** - Boost employee engagement, charity giving and receive tax benefits in return!



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# WHY CHOOSE TO SUPPORT BOSP?



In 2022, BOSP were awarded the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service (an equivalent of an MBE and the highest recognition a voluntary group can receive) and recognised in the national SEND (Special Educational Needs & Disabilities) magazine as an example of best practice.

**Almost 90% of all income is spent on direct service delivery.**

**£50**

will pay for an activity at a holiday club session

**£200**

will pay for Chill Zone activities in the community for 6 young people (our Out & About 18+ club)

**£500**

will pay for group music therapy sessions for 90 children/young people

**£1000**

will pay for 6 hydrotherapy sessions supporting 48 children/young people

**£2600**

will pay for a specialist medication Support Worker at our Saturday Club for a year, enabling children on life maintaining medication to attend

**£3000**

will support up to 272 people at BOSP TOTs (inclusive parent and toddler group) over 17 sessions

**BOSP has proudly worked with:**



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# YOUR SUPPORT WILL MAKE A DIFFERENCE



This is the only charity locally that can give my daughter with complex medical and learning difficulties a fun packed and safe place to play at weekends and school holidays - BOSP are the best



BOSP allows me to work or have a short break when my daughter attends sessions



An amazing service that's given us our first stress free summer this year!



BOSP offers a valuable, trustworthy, safe and well managed time for the attending loved ones

BOSP allows other siblings a chance to have some down time and focus on them for a few hours, respite for the whole family



BOSP is our only respite, so it helps us have time with our daughter, knowing that our son is safe, looked after and having fun

My child's communication has improved as a result of attending BOSP



We do not know where we would be without BOSP, they really are an extension to our family

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