

13th Nailsea & Backwell Beer & Cider Festival

15th 16th & 17th July 2016

£78,000 raised for charities in the past 12 years as well as helping the Rugby Club.

20% of the 2016 festival profits will go to Children's Hospice SOUTH WEST, the balance to support the continued development of the Rugby Club and its activities.

Our Charity for 2016



children's hospice SOUTH WEST

Children's Hospice South West's aim is to provide a home from home with a relaxed and informal atmosphere where sick children and their families can go for a much needed break from the ongoing strains they face at home. We care for children with a wide range of disorders, too numerous to list individually, all the children have serious illnesses many not being expected to survive into adulthood.

"MOST PEOPLE THINK OF A CHILDRENS HOSPICE AS A VERY SAD PLACE BUT IT'S NOTHING LIKE THAT.. IT IS AN AMAZING PLACE , THE CHILDREN WERE ALL HAPPY".

"YOU WOULDN'T HAVE REALISED THAT IT IS A HOSPICE, MORE LIKE A MIX BETWEEN A HOTEL, A VERY SPECIAL HOTEL, AND A FAMILY HOME".

At Children's Hospice South West we are absolutely committed to making the most of short and precious lives. The care offered at our hospices is not simply about medical and nursing care but about enriching the lives of sick children and their families.

Nailsea & Backwell Rugby Football Club

With 3 Senior Teams, 2 Ladies Teams, 13 Junior Teams, 300 youngsters from 6 to 18 years old in training and Touch Rugby the club is of the few in Somerset Accredited to the RFU for Senior & Junior Rugby. The Club also plays host to the Nailsea Running Club, Nailsea Ladies Hockey, MG Owners Club, Backwell Boxing Club, Skittles Teams & many community events as well as being available to hire for meetings, functions and conferences.

The Beer & Cider Festival

The Beer & Cider Festival is held in a 200ft Marquee with probably the largest selection of Beers and Ciders you'll find at an independent festival a 180 different brews, hopefully every barrel having been sponsored. There is a Stage with Comedy Friday night, live music all day Saturday and Sunday, a Children's Village with Slides, Bouncy Castles & Side Shows. We also have a Pig Roast, Barbecue, Veggie Stall, Tea Stall, Pizza Stall, Crepe Stall & Pimm's & Wine Tent. A Family Weekend with an ever increasing attendance, expected to top 6,000 this year due to the Festivals ever growing popularity.



Getting Ready

We owe an enormous debt and thanks to all those in the Rugby Club who give up their free time and share their expertise, to those supplying the entertainment for free and to our generous, supportive sponsors.

Barrels lined up ready to go



Watching the Bands



We need your help : Sponsors Required : You can assist ?