



Always wanted to skydive?

Whirlow Hall Farm Trust are organising an event you do not want to miss!

You'll be exiting a perfectly good aircraft and enjoying the highest skydive in the UK

whilst also raising valuable funds for some of the most vulnerable and disadvantaged young people in our region.

Who your sponsorship will help – a little about our charity

Whirlow Hall Farm works with children across South Yorkshire; whether it's helping to get their lives back on track, developing a healthy relationship with food or seeing an animal for the first time.

We particularly encourage schools and groups that experience financial and other disadvantages, that have special needs or who struggle in mainstream education. We believe every child, whatever their circumstances, deserves the opportunity to learn and develop to their full potential.

Together, we help thousands of local children and young people to raise their aspirations and improve their life chances.

It is only with support such as yours that we can continue to raise the funds needed continue working with some of the most disadvantaged and vulnerable children in our region. On behalf of them all, thank you!

What kind of skydive will I be doing?

A Tandem skydive allows you to enjoy one minute of adrenaline-fuelled freefall harnessed to the front of a BPA-qualified instructor and you simply need a short 20-minute briefing beforehand as it is the instructor who opens and lands the parachute. **It will be the most exhilarating experience of your life!**

How much do I have to fundraise?

In order to take part Whirlow Hall Farm asks you to raise a minimum amount of £400 in sponsorship money. This amount covers the cost of the Tandem jump at Skydive Hibaldstow who offer a discounted price and a minimum donation that will come to the charity. Every extra penny that you raise over the minimum comes straight to us, so please try to raise as much as you possibly can!

When Can I jump?

You can skydive on any date that the skydiving centre is open subject to availability, but why not take part in one of our organised events – 7th July 2018

How to take part

- 1) Complete the '[Skydiving Registration form](#)' and email it to events@whirlowhallfarm.org

Reserve a place on your chosen date by paying a deposit £50 pp to Sort code: 40-41-07 Account no: 21132903 Ref: SKYDIVE2018 or call 0114 2352678 to pay over the phone.

This deposit will be returned after the jump should you request.

Start fundraising! You will be provided with official sponsorship forms to collect donations from friends and family and you can also register to fundraise online via <https://www.justgiving.com/whft>

2) On the day of your skydive you will need to

- Arrive at the airfield at **7.45am** and register in the reception.
- **You will also need to hand in a cheque payable to Whirlow Hall Farm Trust for the minimum amount of £400 or more, unless you have already raised this amount via Justgiving – in which case the amount will go straight to Whirlow Hall Farm Trust.**
Card payments cannot be accepted at the airfield for payment of the sponsorship money. If you have fundraised online then please contact us in advance.
- Complete 20 minutes of training with your instructor

Enjoy your Tandem Skydive from 15,000ft!

Who can take part in a Tandem Skydive?

AGE RESTRICTIONS - Tandem Skydiving

- Overall age range: 16 years and older. There is no upper age limit for tandem skydiving.
- Age 16-17: Parental consent in the form of parental/legal guardian signature is required on the Skydive

WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS - Tandem Skydiving

- Maximum weight: 16 stones (100kg) for both males and females

Although it is less important to be physically fit for a tandem skydive, students must be aware that some weather conditions are less suitable for students who are less physically fit, less agile, in particular those with a high Body Mass Index of 27.5 or over and/or are close to the weight limit or for those with physical disabilities.

These students may have to wait for more favorable weather in order to complete their skydive, particularly if winds are light and this could result in the skydive being postponed to an alternative date.

BPA FITNESS FORM 115a/115b

Only the official BPA forms should be used – letters or notes from doctors or medicals for any other activity will not be accepted.

- Fitness form 115a is for those who can self-declare, meaning you can agree to the terms in the form.
- Fitness form 115b is for those with medical conditions, recent or recurring injuries or who are unable to declare themselves fit to jump for any reason. *All forms should be brought along on the day – we do not require them in advance.*

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AND NOTES – Please Read Carefully

Certain medical conditions (for example, epilepsy, some cardiovascular and neurological conditions and some forms of diabetes) or recurring injuries (for example, recurring dislocations) may preclude you from participating in a skydiving course. **If you are in any doubt, please contact the parachute centre or consult the notes on the BPA form for more detailed information.**

We reserve the right to refuse training or to postpone a jump if weather conditions or other factors are deemed not suitable for an individual student at the Centre Chief Instructor's discretion.

What about insurance?

The only type of insurance included is the mandatory membership to the British Parachute Association. There is no medical or personal accident insurance included. However, if you would like to take out a one-off tandem jump policy then this is your choice. We cannot provide or recommend insurance however there are several companies that offer this including Sky Cover www.sky-cover.co.uk or call 0844 892 1515 for a quote.

Charity contact details

If you need any information about the skydive itself or the age, weight and medical restrictions then please contact Skydive Hibaldstow directly on 0113 250 5600 or email info@skydiving.co.uk as they are in the best position to answer any questions.

Your support means a great deal to us. Good luck with raising your sponsorship and we look forward to hearing from you soon.

CHARITY SKYDIVING TERMS - By taking part in a skydive for charity you are bound by the following terms and agree:

1. That if you intend to cover the cost of the skydive with sponsorship money you will aim to meet the minimum fundraising target set by the charity, otherwise you will cover the remaining amount yourself and/or pull out of the event and refund all monies to the sponsors.
2. To make every effort to exceed the minimum target
3. To send on any additional funds raised directly to the charity within the timeframe agreed. Failure to do so is considered theft.
4. To make clear to sponsors if you are not paying for the skydive yourself and that the cost will be covered with their sponsorship money
5. That your contact details will be shared between the charity and the skydiving centre. This is so that they may support you with your fundraising efforts and arrange to collect any additional sponsorship after the jump and contact you regarding any queries about the details you have given. Your details will not be passed on by us to any other third party for any reason.
6. Skydiving is an adventure sport and participation involves a risk of injury or death and you voluntarily accept all the risks inherent
7. That the charity will not accept any liability or responsibility for you taking part in a skydive.