# SAFE NIGHTS CHRISTMAS APPEAL



## **ONATE YOUR...**

Last hour of pay in 2017, cost of a Secret Santa, or your first drink at the office party. Whatever your motivation, give the gift of a Safe Night this Christmas.

#### **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Already organised the office party? Ask for a voluntary donation to attend or fundraise on the night! Play some classic party games and ask for a buy-in fee.

#### CHRISTMAS MOVIE MARATHON

Hold a Christmas movie screening and provide festive drinks, cushions, blankets and of course, popcorn! Ask your movie goers to donate the price of a cinema ticket.

#### SANTA'S SWEEPSTAKE

Fill a jar with festive treats and get people to guess how much is in there. The closest guess can take the hoard home with them for Christmas!

## **EFESTIVE BAKE SALE**

A fundraising staple with a Christmas twist. Time to find out who truly does make the best minced pies.

#### **CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY**

Have a Christmas Dress Down Day in the office. Why stop at just Christmas Jumpers? Have prizes for the best festive fancy dress.

#### CHRISTMAS ELF SERVICE

Run a luxury stress-free gift wrapping and errand running service for your colleagues. Ask for a donation for every favour.

## **BRING & BUY SALE**

Make some room for all your new gifts and pick up some cheap stocking fillers at the same time. Get people to bring in old clothes and unused presents and turn a meeting room into a Christmas market.

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#### **WHY WE NEED YOUR HELP:**

At least 83,000 young people in the UK experience homelessness each year. 25,000 of which become homeless over Christmas.

Neglected, abused and abandoned; homeless young people are amongst the most vulnerable in our society. Would you take a beating for a bed? Steal a pint of milk to get a warm cell for the night? Or hurt yourself to get a bed in A&E? Homeless young people are forced to make desperate decisions just to find somewhere to sleep. With your help, they won't have to.

#### WHAT JUST £25 CAN ACHIEVE:

To end youth homelessness in the long term, we need to provide young people with a safe place to call home. From this secure base, we can begin supporting them to overcome the enormous barriers they face.

£25 could provide a young person with one night of safe, warm and secure accommodation in our supported services; the first step on their journey to escaping homelessness for good.

#### **HOW TO GET INVOLVED:**

Create your Just Giving Fundraising Page and give the gift of a Safe Night this Christmas:

www.justgiving.com/campaigns/charity/eyh/safenights



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