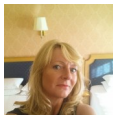


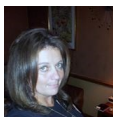
**We need your support to help us to provide the much needed specialist activities and equipment for the children and young people with disabilities or life limiting illnesses.**

Thank you for your kind generosity  
Enquiries are always welcome from any organisation or individual who feels that their child may benefit from our services.

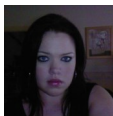
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“Creating positive changes to improve life’s misfortunes, everyone deserves a blessing in disguise”

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## Everyone deserves a blessing in disguise....

Blessing in Disguise is a not-for-profit organisation that enriches the lives of disadvantaged children and young people throughout the UK.

Blessing in Disguise creates a positive focus on enabling freedom to enjoy treasured memories to share with family and loved ones and provides a range of life enhancing experiences helping to improve the quality of life for children and young people with disabilities or life limiting illnesses.



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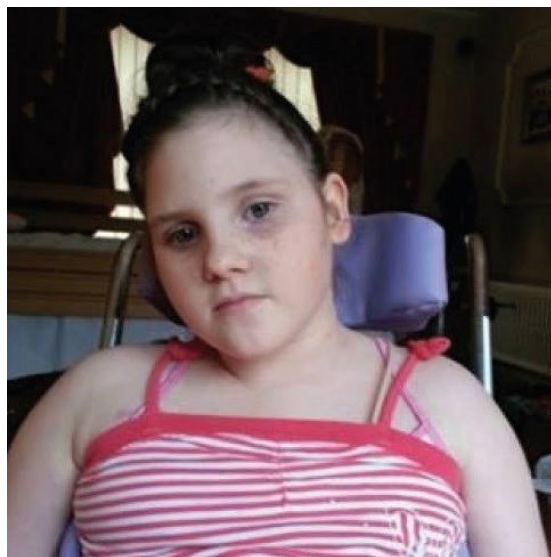
We are a socially responsible organisation helping and supporting lots of children and families by promoting and providing free equipment, activities and themed breaks and social and recreational opportunities for the whole family. Through personal experience, we know that it can often be difficult on other family members, who perhaps unfortunately miss out, but we will endeavour to encourage them to achieve positive changes. With the right funding we have the potential to help many more children, their families/carers, providing much needed equipment to more families across the UK and make a significant difference.

## What we do...

- Provide much needed support for children and young people, their families/carers
- Provide Free Specialist Equipment
- Exclusive & Inclusive organized Events
- Fundraising
- Fun activities
- Community Involvement & Partnership working with other community groups
- Treasured memories
- Networking Coffee mornings



## R.I.P. Rachel Aldred xx



Sad news to learn that one of the children that we have supported, Rachel Aldred, sadly passed away suddenly on Monday 4th May 2015. Our thoughts and condolences go out to the family and friends of Rachel at this difficult time.

Blessing in Disguise supported Rachel by providing much needed communication equipment, with your kind donations, we can continue to support children and young people who have life limiting illnesses and disabilities to help to improve their quality of life.



With your kind support Blessing in Disguise have provided the following equipment:

Various equipment for the home; children's clothing; various bedroom furniture; beds & bedding; various safety equipment; special needs buggies & accessories & high chairs; Easter eggs & toys; dark dens & sensory equipment; communication aids; wheelchair covers & foot muffs; ICE badges, lanyard and wristbands; safety aids & monitoring equipment for autistic children with epilepsy; family respite breaks, assisted transport, family days out, cinema & tourist attractions, specially adapted fun fair and exclusive access for disabled children.. plus much, much more...



***Everyone deserves a blessing in disguise.... Just some of the ones who got a special visit***



**Pictured above: Blessing in Disguise trustees with the staff nurses at Wigan Royal Albert Edward Infirmary Rainbow Children's Ward**



**Pictured below: Blessing in Disguise trustees with the staff nurses at Royal Bolton Hospital Children's Ward**



Blessing in Disguise Easter Egg & Toy Run to children's wards at two hospitals & to St Ann's Hospice



Easter Egg Run

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Wigan & Bolton Hospital Children's Ward  
& St Ann's Hospice 31st March 2015



**Pictured right: Blessing in Disguise trustees with Jayne Bessant, CEO at St. Ann's Hospice, Manchester.**





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Blessing in Disguise would like to say a special thanks to ACE Mini Coaches for providing transport



<http://www.ace-mini-coaches.co.uk>



Blessing in Disguise provided transport for Layton for a family break away at the Haven site Marton Mere, Blackpool.



Pictures above: 8yr old Layton who has a life limiting condition. Precious moments for Layton and his family.



Just want to say thank you

17 March 2015 at 10:49

To: "blessingsindisguisecharity@gmail.com"

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Hi my name is Stacey Burtonwood and you recently sorted transport to haven Martin mere Blackpool for me and my family because my little boy has a life limiting condition I just want to take this opportunity to say thank you from the bottom of our hearts we wouldn't of been able to get there and back without your help and ace mini coaches were lovely and what a nice man we all had a great time thank you again xx

Sent from my iPhone