

# Blessing in Disguise



"Creating positive changes to improve life's misfortunes, everyone deserves a blessing in disguise"

### **April 2014**



#### What we do...

- Provide much needed support for children, their families and carers
- Holidays / Respite
- Equipment
- Events / Fundraising
- Fun activities
- Community Involvement
- Treasured memories

"Go Blue" For some one you love.

We are now working in partnership with local authorities and with Embrace Charity (charity no. 1082663)

"It's up to all of us to change people's Perceptions"

Blessing in Disguise The Funding Office 4 Springfield Road Hindley, Wigan. WN2 3DD

Thank you to all our loyal supporters and donors for their kind generosity throughout 2013 and 2014
Enquiries are welcomed from any individual who feels that a child may benefit from our services.

Member of Institute of Fundraising (M.I.O.F. 102100) Member of SFEDI & IOEE Fellow Member of S.S.E. B.I.D. Company No. 8790053





# Welcome to Blessing in Disguise's Aprils issue





## A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR SUPPORTERS...

Blessings in Disguise has helped a range of families in need of a helping hand. A 20 month old child with 'Global Development Delay' who was struggling to chew food and resulting in him being the size of a 6 month old baby was one of most recent families to benefit from our help and support and to receive much needed equipment to encourage him to eat normally.

A single dad of 2 teenagers who gave up work due to a knee injury has been struggling to live from day to day and living in very poor conditions for a very long time with unsafe household equipment resulting in basic cleaning and maintenance not being carried out. We were able to replace worn out equipment and now the family are living in a much improved environment.

Thanks to your kind donations, they now have a better quality of life.

Blessing in Disguise is a UK based not-for-profit organisation created to enrich the lives of disadvantaged children and their carers.

Blessing in Disguise creates a positive focus on enabling freedom to enjoy treasured memories to share with family and loved ones and providing a range of life enhancing experiences with a significant impact in improving the quality of life for the families and carers of disabled, disadvantaged and terminally ill children and young people between the ages of 0-19 years.

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.

B.I.D. in association with Silcock's Fair one of the largest Fairground & showmen group in the UK, are to provide 2 hrs of supervised fairground rides for all disabled and disadvantaged children on 17th May 2014 at Stadium Way, Wigan.

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Saturday 3rd May 2014 - From 7pm to Midnight
25.00 per guest under 12's Free - Entry to Ticket holders only