

JULIA'S HOUSE – THE DORSET & WILTSHIRE CHILDREN'S HOSPICES

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION IN EVENTS

By taking part in the Julia's House Summer Shorties Children's Story Competition, each participant agrees to these Terms and Conditions.

1 GENERAL

- 1.1 These Terms and Conditions (**Terms**) apply to events organised for the benefit of Julia's House – The Dorset & Wiltshire Children's Hospice and by registering for an Event, you agree to comply with them.
- 1.2 Julia's House Limited is a registered charity with its registered office address at Barclays House, 1 Wimborne Road, Poole, BH15 2BB (**Julia's House**). Registered Charity No. 1067125.
- 1.3 If you have any questions please contact the manager of the event on 01202 644220 or email info@juliashouse.org and a member of the team will be happy to help you.
- 1.4 For the purposes of these Terms, references to the "Event" refer to the Julia's House Summer Shorties Children's Story Competition, references to the "Charity" refer to Julia's House, and references to "you" mean the individual registering for the Event and "your" shall be construed accordingly.

2 PARTICIPANT ENTRY

- 2.1 In order to participate in this Event, participants must submit an original story of their own creation, accompanied by an entry form, to events@juliashouse.org or send by post to Julia's House Summer Shorties Competition, Julia's House, Barclays House, 1 Wimborne Road, Poole, Dorset BH15 2BB by the competition deadline.
- 2.2 The entry form is available from juliashouse.org/summershorties or can be requested by email from events@juliashouse.org or by post from the address above.
- 2.3 The Event runs from 9.00am on Monday 22nd June 2020 to 5.00pm on Friday 31st July 2020. Entries received after the deadline will not be entered into the competition. Judging will take place during week commencing Monday 3rd August 2020.
- 2.4 You must get permission to take part in the Event from your parent, guardian or teacher, who will then be responsible for submitting your entry; this adult must have parental permission. This adult may be asked, with parental permission, to provide proof of age, identity and eligibility.
- 2.5 Entry to the competition is free but by making a donation in return for taking part in the competition, your support will be helping Julia's House to continue to be there for the children and families during the coronavirus crisis and beyond. You can donate at juliashouse.org/summershortiesdonation or include your donation with your entry (please do not send cash).
- 2.6 The Charity reserves the right at any time (whether before or after you have registered for an Event), without liability, to refuse participation to you or any other participant without providing a reason.

2.7 The Charity is not responsible for the type or content of the story that participants choose to produce as part of the Julia's House Summer Shorties Competition. Responsibility sits with the participant and/or participant's parent or guardian.

2.8 For full details, please refer to the competition Rules for this event, which can be found at juliashouse.org/summershorties.

3 CHANGES, CANCELLATIONS AND LAST MINUTE ARRANGEMENTS

3.1 The Charity reserves the right to cancel or postpone the Event at any time for any reason without prior notice. Where and if possible, we will endeavour to re-arrange the Event for a new date.

4 CONDUCT

4.1 You are fully responsible for your actions whilst taking part in the Event. The Charity does not accept responsibility for your actions, nor the consequences of such actions.

4.2 You shall abide by the rules and any rules, instructions or regulations displayed or given in relation to the Event.

4.3 The Charity respectfully asks that you do not use aggressive or abusive language whilst taking part in the Event. Any aggressive, abusive or inappropriate language used in your story will result in your entry being excluded from the competition. You should also avoid behaving in a way which may cause injury or harm to yourself or other participants, or which may cause offence or damage the reputation of the Charity.

5 HEALTH AND SAFETY AND MEDICAL

5.1 You must be confident that you are physically and mentally capable of participating in the Event. If you are at all unsure about this, you should seek medical advice from your GP before the Event.

5.2 The Charity may also ask you to withdraw during an Event if it has concerns about your ability to complete it due to fitness, injury or otherwise. If you choose to continue, you do so with the understanding that you absolve the Charity of all and any responsibility, and progress entirely at your own risk.

6 USE OF FILM AND PHOTOS AT/ AFTER EVENTS

6.1 By participating in the Event, you are agreeing that the Charity may publish the entrant's story on the Julia's House website and may edit, adapt, abridge or translate the entry for publicity purposes (including use in print and social media). This includes permission for the entry to be reproduced in the local press.

6.2 The Charity may use photography or filming that you share on your social media channels where you tag the Charity. Photos and film may be used in our publications, promotion, advertising and social media channels. By tagging the Charity via social media channels you are consenting to your photography and film being used by the Charity.

6.3 If you share your photos and/or film with the Charity by tagging on social media, we will assume that parent or guardian permission has been given.

7 **SPONSORSHIP MONEY AND DONATIONS**

- 7.1 There is no charge, entry fee or sponsorship requirement to participate in this event. However, by making a donation in return for taking part in the competition, the entrant will be supporting the Charity in helping to care for children and their families during the coronavirus crisis and beyond.

8 **USE OF PERSONAL DATA**

- 8.1 By providing personal data when you register for the Event, you confirm that you consent to such data being used by the Charity for the purposes of organising, staging and administering the Event. If you provide personal data on behalf of additional entrants, you also confirm that you have obtained their consent for such data to be used for the same purposes.
- 8.2 Your personal information may also be used for the purposes of sending communications to you where you have confirmed that you would like to receive further information about the Charity's work when registering for the Event.
- 8.3 All personal data held by the Charity will be handled in accordance with the terms of the Data Protection Act 1998 and in accordance with the Charity's privacy statement which can be found at www.juliashouse.org/privacy.

9 **PRIZES**

- 9.1 There will be a top prize of £100 available for the winning story in each age category in Wiltshire and Dorset; plus a runner up prize of £25 in each age group in each county.
- 9.2 The winners will be contacted via email or phone based on the contact details provided when the participant signed up for the Event. We will also announce the winners on our website and social media channels (first name only of the winners will be used) and the winning stories may be published in the local media in each county.
- 9.3 For full details regarding prizes, please refer to the competition Rules for this event, which can be found at www.juliashouse.org/summershorties.
- 9.4 The Charity will aim to dispatch the prizes, by post, to the winning participants within 28 days of the competition deadline on Friday 31st July 2020. Due to the current circumstances with COVID-19, the prize distribution may be delayed due to circumstances beyond our control. The Charity accepts no responsibility for the prize being lost, damaged or delayed in the post.
- 9.5 The prize is non-exchangeable and non-transferable.
- 9.6 The Charity reserves the right to replace the prize with an alternative prize of equal value if circumstances beyond the Charity's control make it necessary to do so.
- 9.7 The prizes have been donated to the Charity by Addo Food Group.
- 9.8 Participants are deemed to have accepted and agree to be bound by these Terms upon entry. The Charity reserves the right to refuse to award the prize to anyone in breach of these Terms.
- 9.9 The Charity reserves the right to hold void, cancel, suspend or amend the Event or these Terms where it becomes necessary to do so.
- 9.10 Personal data supplied during the course of this Event will be used for the purpose of sending out the winning prizes to the winning participants. Personal data may be passed on

to a third party supplier only insofar as required for fulfilment/delivery/arrangement of the prizes. Read our full Privacy Policy, www.juliashouse.org/privacy

- 9.11 The Event, these Terms, and any dispute or claim between the parties arising out of or in connection with it or its subject matter or formation (including non-contractual disputes or claims) shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales. Each party irrevocably agrees that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute or claim (including non-contractual disputes or claims) arising out of or in connection with the Event and / or these Terms, or their subject matter or formation.

10 **LIABILITY**

- 10.1 Use of the Charity's website is subject to the Charity's website terms and conditions.
- 10.2 You enter and participate in the Event entirely at your own risk. The Charity shall not be liable for any injury, damage or loss to you or your property that might occur as a result of your participation in the Event, other than in respect of any injury or loss arising as a result of their negligence. For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in this paragraph shall exclude or limit liability for any liability that cannot be excluded or limited by law.