

## **Sabre Challenge Terms & Conditions:**

Participants must be 18 years or older.

This event is to create a fun and enjoyable experience for everyone taking part but may be physically and mentally challenging.

This event will take place in public areas and we therefore are not responsible for the actions of the general public in these areas. Rossendale Hospice does not take responsibility for any loss or damage whilst participating in this event. You must make a decision as a team prior to the event as to how you plan to take part – walk, jog or run.

Rossendale Hospice reserves the right to withdraw any team in the event of the team not covering a specific distance within a specific time. This is to ensure that all teams finish safely, within the allocated time and return to Rawtenstall Cricket Club to be counted.

If government guidelines are still in place by the time of the event, all Covid-19 rules must be followed. Rossendale Hospice will closely monitor all legislation in place prior to the event and make adjustments if required to do so by law.

Refunds will not be provided, unless in the event of a lockdown and the inability to postpone or reschedule this event. There will be no option to transfer tickets to another person.

Your safety:

1. Prior to the event, each participant will receive an individual participant wristband. All participants must be accounted for throughout the route. The wristband is unique to you and therefore must not be swapped with other participants.
2. For your safety and enjoyment of the event and also that of others, we ask that you follow and adhere to the instructions given by the event organisers and event marshals/volunteers.
3. If you are unable to complete the course in full, you must inform an event marshall that you are unable to continue. Assistance can be sought if required.
4. We request that no dogs, except assistance, PAT and authorised security dogs are brought along to the event. This is in the best interest of your family pet and all those participating.
5. The participants acknowledge that the Sabre Challenge may be physically and mentally demanding for some. Participants make the decision that they are physically capable of taking part. Neither Rossendale Hospice nor other event organisers are responsible for any injury or illness the participant may suffer or aggravation to existing illness or injury by taking part in this event.  
Participants are recommended to seek advice from their medical practitioner prior to taking part in this event, and make provisions to ensure their safe participation. First aid will be provided if required.
6. We strongly advise that all participants wear appropriate footwear to ensure their safe and enjoyable participation.
7. Participants are asked to come equipped with whatever necessary clothing and medication is required to enable enjoyable and safe participation in this activity.
8. We aim to ensure the commencement of the event, however should a last minute decision be necessary to postpone or cancel the event, participants are encouraged to look out for updates via Rossendale Hospice social media channels.

9. Should alterations to the planned activity be necessary to ensure safety of our participants, we will give prior notice either before the event or on arrival to the event of any alterations made. This may or may not be related to Covid 19.
10. Rossendale Hospice reserves the right to remove anyone who is under the influence of alcohol and not behaving appropriately, whether consumed prior to or during the event. This is done in order to prevent risk to the safety and enjoyment of yourself and others.
11. Rossendale Hospice have the right to remove a participant from the event for safety reasons or proper enjoyment of the event– their own and that of other participants. No refund of entry fee will be given.
12. By taking part, all participants confirm that they are happy for their names and any footage or photographs taken during the event to be used to promote the event and Rossendale Hospice events generally. Should special dispensation be required, it is the responsibility of the participants to inform Rossendale Hospice of such requirements before the event commences.
13. We appreciate that family and friends may wish to photograph the event, however if you are an unofficial professional or commercial photographer and plan on taking multiple photographs of participants who are not personally known to you, please contact us prior to the event to obtain permission. In order to ensure the safety and privacy of our participants, Rossendale Hospice reserves the right to ask any person taking photographs to refrain from doing so.
14. Rossendale Hospice reserves the right to update its terms and conditions in relation to the Sabre Challenge at any time prior to the event. Should any updates be made all participants will be notified.