

**Welcome to the October edition of the Jessie May newsletter!**

**It's been a packed and inspiring month and we're excited to share the latest updates with you.**

**Thank you for your continued support in helping us make a difference for the families we care for.**

**Enjoy reading!**

#### **AMBASSADORS' WEEK**

From 29 September to 6 October, we proudly celebrated our very first Ambassadors' Week! Our hope is to make this a national event – just like Trustees and Volunteers Weeks, we believe our ambassadors deserve their own special recognition.

The week gave us the perfect opportunity to highlight the amazing individuals who give so much of their time, energy, and passion to support Jessie May. Throughout the week, we shared their inspiring stories across our social media channels, shining a light on how much they contribute to the families we care for.

To all our ambassadors, thank you – we couldn't do it without you!

[Jessie May Launches Ambassadors' Week - Jessie May](#)

#### **PALLIATIVE CARE FILM**

**A new short film, *Childhood Needs Magic*, aims to change how people view children's palliative care. Narrated by Dr. Ranj Singh, the film highlights the vital support provided to children with life-limiting conditions.**

**It features Jessie May nurse Gemma and the twin boys she cares for, Albie and Louis, showing how palliative care helps children experience joy and "magic" moments, no matter how short their lives may be.**

**Watch the film here: [Childhood Needs Magic](#).**

## **SMALL TOWN, BIG MUSIC.**

From 6 - 8 September, we had a fantastic time at the Small Town Big Music festival in Almondsbury.

We met many lovely people at our stand, and a huge thanks to our trustee, Tiggy, for her support throughout the weekend.

A special thank you goes to Garth Jackson, the father of one of our children, Noah. Garth was instrumental in organising the festival, and we are incredibly grateful that he chose to support Jessie May through this event.

Thank you to everyone who stopped by, donated, or simply showed their support.

### **Sodbury Slog 2024**

On 10 November (Remembrance Day), the Sodbury Slog will be taking place. Find out more and how to sign up here - [SODBURY SLOG 2024 - Jessie May](#)

### **Schools pack**

We created this pack as we'd love for children to understand a little more about how life is for families with children with a life-limiting condition.

See our schools pack here -

[Resources - Jessie May](#)

### **Calling all artists!**

We are inviting artists of all ages to submit their artwork for a chance to have it featured in our new line of merchandise.

See more details here and how to submit - [Calling all artists! - Jessie May](#)

### **Outstanding in Caring**

We're currently celebrating our most recent CQC report. In our assessment, we retained an overall score of Good. Most gratifyingly we were scored Outstanding in the area of 'Caring'.

Take a look here -

[CQC Rated Good and Outstanding in Care - Jessie May](#)