

Here are some ideas of activities you can take part in throughout the month of December.

How many do you think you could juggle??

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Bah Humbug!!

Hate all things Christmas? Take a stand and fine your colleagues, classmates, family or friends every time they mention the word Christmas before a certain date.

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Christmas Slim

Traditionally a time full of sweets, treats and temptations, why not get sponsored to cut it all out until Christmas Day.

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Elf Auction

Elves are traditionally known as Santa's Helpers and are born carers. Ask for some willing volunteers and auction of their brew making or cleaning skills.

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Jingle Juggle Wishes

Instead of sending cards why not download our Jingle Juggle Wishes poster and ask for people to write a festive greeting whilst donating the money they save on cards and postage.

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Festive Jumper Day

Get everyone in the festive mood and don your most flamboyant Christmas jumper while donating to Trafford Carers Centre.

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Create & Craft

Organise a Christmas market and ask people to sell their own handmade goodies. You could even try and get some local businesses involved and ask them to donate a percentage to Trafford Carers Centre.

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Carols Karaoke

Hold your own X Factor Final Party and invite your friends. Get them to donate for every song they sing or if people are too shy why not make a donation to get them to sing.

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Secret Santa

When taking part in Secret Santa this year why not each donate a £1 from your shopping budget.

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Speed Decorate

Have some fun in your office, classroom or home by having a speed decorating competition. All donate to take part and nominate a judge to pick the best decorated area.

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Festive Photobomb

Download our photobomb challenge and get into teams to hit the streets of Manchester. Seek out the locations to take your picture. Charge an entry per person and split the funds.

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Christmas Quiz

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Christmas Bake Off

Nominate your own Paul & Mary and hold a bake off challenge in your office, school or among friends. Sell the goodies once the judging is over.

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Nosy Rudolph

A fun activity for the classroom or office. Charge £1 to blindfold your colleagues or friends and ask them to pin the nose on Rudolph.

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Elf-scapade

Don your elf costumes and organise a short fun run in your local park. Charge an entry fee and donate the proceeds to Trafford Carers Centre.

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Wrap Up

Offer to wrap your family, friends or colleagues Christmas gifts for a fee.

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Christmas Raffle

Ask local businesses to donate some prizes and hold a raffle in your office or school.

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Cheese & Crackers

Host a cheese & crackers lunch (maybe some mulled wine or non-alcoholic fruit punch!) Invite your friends & colleagues and ask for a donation.

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Festive Tucker

Everyone loves a Christmas treat so why not open a charity tuck shop. Ask your friends & colleagues to donate the goodies.

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Bag Pack

Come and volunteer at one of our bag packs on 6th, 19th, 20th or 22nd December. Or if you can't spare a couple of hours drop in to say hello and make a donation!

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Jingling Presents

Lighten your pockets, wallets or purses by making a present shaped money box and fill with all your loose change leading up to Christmas.

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Jingle Juggle Party

Get in the Christmas party mood and organise your own Jingle Juggle Party. Why not put a donation box next to the DJ and ask for donations for each request.

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Man vs Sprouts

Organise a sprout eating competition and charge people to watch. Maybe even throw in a prize for the champion sprout eater!!

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Gift Amnesty

Before you get the influx of new gifts why not have a rummage for those gifts you have hid at the back of the cupboard and hold a sale.

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Christmas Bonus

Maybe not your whole Christmas bonus but maybe your last hours pay?? Just £10.62 will help to fund an hour of emotional support for a young carer.