

Run 40 in February



Thank you for registering to Run 40 in February for Pancreatic Cancer UK

We're facing a pancreatic cancer emergency. It's unacceptable that more than half of people diagnosed with pancreatic cancer die within 3 months. Survival rates have improved enormously for most cancers. Sadly, for pancreatic cancer, this is not the case. But there is hope. By taking on this challenge you are enabling us to:



Fund vital world-leading research to find that breakthrough in new treatments and further improve the speed of diagnosis.



Support people with pancreatic cancer now; our friendly specialist nurses are only a call or email away. They are specialists in pancreatic cancer and can talk for as long as is needed.



Raise critical awareness of this long-neglected cancer, and its symptoms, which are often vague and not recognised, so people can get the help they need sooner.

Your challenge



Run 40 miles this February



Track your progress on Strava and by using the tracker sheet included in this pack



Share your progress in our Strava Club: https://www.strava.com/clubs/pancreaticcancerukrunners



Raise vital funds for Pancreatic Cancer UK – your minimum fundraising target is £250!

How your money helps

£8.23

could pay for one Newly Diagnosed

Pack, which provides key information to people who have recently been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer

£29

could help fund the research breakthroughs people with pancreatic cancer so desperately need

£185.60

could fund a nurse for a day on our Support Line

£367.62

could fund three days of training for a PhD student on our Future Leaders Academy

Why Lynda took part

"I was supposed to be taking part in a half marathon in memory of my dad but after it was cancelled I started looking for a new challenge. I decided to take on a challenge last February to raise funds and awareness for this horrific cancer. I hope that through my fundraising I'm helping to create a future where no-one else has to feel the heartache I felt losing my dad. Pancreatic Cancer UK were an incredible support"

- Lynda

Fundraising top tips



Your fundraising page

- ✓ Set up your <u>JustGiving</u> fundraising page.
- ✓ Make it personal add a photo of yourself in your PCUK top and write a few words about why you are taking on this challenge.
- ✓ Set a fundraising target we suggest £250.
- ✓ Kickstart your fundraising by being the first person to donate!

Promote and say thanks

- ✓ Ask friends, family and colleagues to donate.
- ✓ Share your page and keep updating it.
- ✓ Thank everyone who donates to your page.

If you are collecting any funds offline download our sponsorship form at **pancreaticcancer.org.uk/sponsorshipform**

Questions?

Contact us on **020 3535 7090**, post in the **Strava Running Club** or email **fundraise@pancreaticcancer.org.uk**

By working together, our actions today can transform the future for people affected by pancreatic cancer.

You've got this - good luck!

