

What difference will my legacy make to carers?

In 2019 Carers Link received its first ever legacies which we used to fund summer activities and residential trips for our young carers and to continue our popular Carers Choir.

Hello, I don't know how to start this but thank you.

The money that's been donated has really made a difference! I think it's really selfless to donate money and to directly donate it to our young carers. Thank you.

This trip has been amazing, I have exams and tests coming up, so it's been great to get away from home & the stress of school. The money donated has given the gift of laughter, smiles & security, we've all been able to de-stress and get away from the responsibilities of caring.

I want to say thank you & if I were able to I would love to say thank you to your loved one as well.

I couldn't be more grateful for the opportunity to go on the trip. Once again I would like to say thank you.

Contact us

For more information or if you plan to leave a gift to Carers Link, please contact us:

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Nearly all of our trustees, staff and volunteers bring personal caring experience to the organisation, so there is real understanding and passion to our support. At Carers Link we guarantee that your legacy will mean that our services reach carers, and will make a genuine difference to their lives.

Carers Link is a registered Scottish charity number SC034447 and is registered in Scotland as a company limited by guarantee number 270702

Leave a gift that keeps on giving



Making a difference for years to come



Carers Link



Carers Link supports unpaid carers of all ages who live with or care for someone living in East Dunbartonshire.

Carers may simply be looking for some information, or they might go on to access advocacy, one-to-one support or our sessions and groups for carers. However large or small the query, we're here to help.

Carers may suddenly find themselves in the role, or the care they give could gradually increase over the years. Caring can be a

short term role or it can be a long term journey. Carers Link is there no matter who they are, who they care for or how long they need our support.



We are the only organisation in East Dunbartonshire dedicated to carers

"The service is amazing, and I highly recommend it to anyone needing a little nudge in the right direction."



Leaving a legacy

A legacy is a specific gift acknowledged in a will. Leaving a legacy to Carers Link in your will *will* make a real difference to carers in East Dunbartonshire who need help.

Whether large or small, your gift will help us provide support for carers, who often feel isolated and struggle alone with little or no help. The gift could be a sum of money, an item or it could be a share of the value of an estate. After providing for loved ones, many consider leaving a share of what is left to a charity close to their heart.

Did you know?

Leaving a legacy to charity has the added bonus of being exempt from tax, so it may reduce the amount of inheritance tax that is due from an estate.

If you already have a will and would like to include a legacy, speak to your solicitor about making a simple amendment called a codicil.

If you are making a will for the first time inform your solicitor of your legacy intention.

