



# Fundraising Calendar 2024



## Welcome to Team Blesma!

Join Team Blesma and support our injured and limbless veterans.

With help from you, our wonderful supporters, we can make a real difference to the lives of our injured veterans and their families.

Join us by taking part in one of the fantastic fundraising activities we have this year, some of which are listed in this calendar. Visit our website [blesma.org/events](http://blesma.org/events) for a full list of activities. We will support you every step of the way to achieve your fundraising goals. We can also send you fundraising materials, and offer guidance and advice.



## Garry and Andy's Soul night for Blesma

“Along with my running partner Andy McAvoy, we put on a Soul Night to raise our sponsorship for the London Marathon. It felt good running on the day knowing we had already raised so much. When I was struggling during the race, I thought about my brother Tony and Uncle Bill who are no longer with us, as well as those who fell on the D-Day Beaches and all the limbless veterans who need Blesma's help today. This made me dig deeper and carry on to the finish line, plus I got a real boost from the Blesma cheer point at mile 17.

Although running the London Marathon was one of the hardest things I've done, raising money for Blesma felt incredible. I have many happy memories of this amazing journey, which I often think about as I continue running today.”

- Garry Moore

**Total Raised    £7,200**

# January - March 2024

## Game On for Blesma

During March join our eSports team for some gaming fun or host your own board game evening.



## Sit up for Blesma

Watch out for our Facebook challenges through the year! Take on a month-long challenge for Blesma.

## Bake For Blesma

Host a street party, having a cuppa and slice of cake with friends and family.



## Volunteer your time

Join us at bucket collections, regional events or join our Cheer squad at major events!



# April - June 2024

## London landmarks Half Marathon, Sunday 2 April

Join us and experience the cultural landmarks. Runners get to explore the capital on a route like no other!



## London Marathon, Sunday 23 April

Apply for a Blesma place or use your own place to join #TeamBlesma

## Blesma Golf Day, Thursday 20 June

Join us at Studley Wood Golf Club which is set in 177 acres of tranquil Oxfordshire countryside for the Blesma annual golf day.



## Maldon Mud Race

Get muddy on Sunday 2 June at this world-famous mud run.

# July-September 2024



## Great North Run, Sunday 8 September

Join us for the biggest and best half marathon in the world.

## Berlin Marathon Sunday 29 September

Join us to take part in the 50th anniversary of this historic race.



## Kilt Walk

Take on Scotland's favourite mass participation walking event, with a variety of dates and locations. This is an event not to be missed!

## Skydive

For adrenaline junkies, choose your date and an airfield around the UK

# October - December 2024

## Cardiff Half Marathon - NEW for 2024

Join us on Sunday 6 October  
for one of the most exciting  
road races in the UK



## Fundraise to Remember

Run, walk or cycle in  
November.

## Blesma Carol Service - Thursday 12th December

Join us at Chelmsford  
Cathedral for our festive  
celebration.



## The Frontline Walk: Normandy beaches- Wednesday 2nd - Sunday 6th October

Blesma is teaming up with the  
Army Benevolent Fund on this  
amazing walk through history.  
A 3 day trek to mark the 80th  
anniversary of D-Day.





For more details on any of these activities and how to get involved please visit our website:

[blesma.org](https://blesma.org)

You can also call the Fundraising Team on:

020 8548 7087 or email [fundraising@blesma.org](mailto:fundraising@blesma.org)

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THE LIMBLESS VETERANS

We hope you will join Team Blesma for an amazing year of fundraising.