

CHARITY CHALLENGE EVENTS - TERMS AND CONDITIONS

By participating in a charity fundraising event organised by *brainstrust*, or where *brainstrust* is providing you access to an event organised by a third party you agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. Event Eligibility

- You must be at least 18 years old to participate unless otherwise stated.
- If you are under 18, you must have written consent from a parent or legal guardian.
- You are responsible for adhering to *brainstrust* or third party event organiser's eligibility requirements as stated for each event.

2. Event Participation

- You are responsible for ensuring that you are physically fit and prepared for the event.
- Participation in the event is at your own risk. *brainstrust* will not be held liable for any injuries or accidents except where negligence on the part of *brainstrust* is proven.
- *brainstrust* will not be held liable for any health issues that may occur during the event.

3. Fundraising Commitment

- You agree to raise the minimum fundraising amount as specified by *brainstrust* for the event. This amount must be reached by the fundraising deadline, which is typically 1 month after the event date(s).
- All funds raised must be given directly to *brainstrust* to support their charitable activities.
- If the minimum fundraising target is not met, *brainstrust* reserves the right to charge the cost of your event place to you, and also a fee for any reasonable administrative costs incurred.

4. Donations

- All donations collected are non-refundable and will be used to support *brainstrust*'s mission.
- In undertaking fundraising you recognise that a separate contractual relationship exists between your sponsors and donors and *brainstrust*
- You are responsible for making sure that all donations are collected accurately and submitted to *brainstrust* in a timely manner.

5. Event Cancellation or Changes

- *brainstrust* reserves the right to cancel, postpone, or make changes to the event for any reason, including safety concerns or unforeseen circumstances.
- If the event is cancelled, postponed, or changed so that you can no longer participate, *brainstrust* will inform you as soon as possible and discuss options, including moving your fundraising efforts to another event.

6. Refund of entry

- There are no refunds for participants entering *brainstrust* events where *brainstrust* is the organiser.
- Entrants may transfer their entry to another participant up to 4 weeks prior to the event date. This is subject to a £5 admin fee. If you are unable to participate after this time, you will not be able to transfer your place and it will be offered to someone on the reserve list who will have to pay the standard entry fee.
- In exceptional circumstances, we may consider a refund on a case-by-case basis.
- For third party events, where the event is organised by an entity different to *brainstrust* and where *brainstrust* is providing you access to a place or places, the organisers refund policy will apply. *brainstrust* will support you reasonably in securing your refund where possible.

7. Safety and Compliance

- You must follow all event rules and safety instructions provided by event organizers and *brainstrust*.
- You agree to comply with all local laws and regulations during the event.

8. Use of Image

- By participating, you consent to *brainstrust* using photos, videos, and other media from the event that may include you for promotional purposes.
- You can withdraw your consent for *brainstrust* to use photos, videos, and other media at any time by emailing fundraising@brainstrust.org.uk

9. Personal Data

- *brainstrust* will collect and use your personal data in line with its privacy policy, which ensures that your data is protected and used responsibly. You can read the privacy policy here: <https://brainstrust.org.uk/privacy/>
- You can change your contact preferences at any time at <https://brainstrust.org.uk/about-brainstrust/contact-us/>

10. Liability

- *brainstrust* is not liable for any personal injury, loss, or damage to personal property that may occur during the event, except where negligence on the part of *brainstrust* is proven.

11. Acknowledgment

- By participating in the event, you acknowledge that you have read, understood, and agreed to these terms and conditions.

Contact *brainstrust*

If you have any questions or require more information, please contact *brainstrust* by email at fundraising@brainstrust.org.uk, call 01983 292405 or write to us at *brainstrust*, 4 Yvery Court, Castle Road, Cowes PO317QG

Thank you for your support.