Let’s talk about the C word. Through the worldwide climbing community CAC is raising awareness and funds for more effective treatments for cancer patients. Together we can help to take the fight to cancer. After all, climbers don’t think about falling, they only care about reaching the summit.

100% of the funds raised through CAC goes directly to cancer research facilities around the world.

So…
Chalk up your hands.
Get involved.
Let’s climb against cancer.

Registered Charity Number: 1158181
On 27th December 2015, John Ellison, the founder of CAC, lost his climb against cancer at the age of 52. A climbing enthusiast, the driving force behind CAC and a truly inspirational man, John wrote the below story at 4am in the morning on the 28th October 2012 as he conceived the idea for CAC.

Twelve months ago I received the news most people fear when I was told: “Sorry to have to tell you this John but you have an advanced Cancer that is aggressive and to add to that you also have a secondary cancer.” In short I am terminally ill and my clock is ticking. This you may say is my ‘crux’ and I either fall or push on to the summit. For me there was only one option and since that day I have kept on climbing, taking in the beauty around me and enjoying every challenge that lies ahead.

Whilst sat amongst so many friends from around the globe at the recent World Climbing Championships in Paris it became clear to me just how unique climbing is as a sport and how special we are as climbers. No matter what nationality, creed or colour there is a natural desire to support each other and encourage one another to succeed. Very few sports display this togetherness and it was at this point I realised that we are in fact an ‘extended family’.

Whilst thinking about the possibilities of ‘Climbers Against Cancer’ as an idea I remembered the saying ‘strength in numbers’ and how the world of climbing as a family has so much power to deliver a message across the globe. If, as a group of friends, we come together and support ‘CAC’ it can help others in the future by raising awareness and funds to further research into finally finding a cure for cancer! Being open about my own predicament has helped others feel more comfortable in discussing this disease and whether talking to adults or children I have seen a huge change in attitude.

Top climbers from around the world have already offered their support to the campaign by wearing the Climbers Against Cancer clothing and by following their lead and purchasing a T-shirt from the website shop you will all be contributing to the fight against cancer. All proceeds from sales or donations will go towards International Cancer Research Charities from each of the five continents.

We hope to create a climbers’ ‘Family Album’ and once a T-shirt is bought we will be asking the recipients to add to the growing display by downloading their own photograph whilst wearing the garment. Blogs and links can also be added so as to create a portal that climbers will visit on a regular basis to keep up to date with each others achievements and exploits.

Similar to other climbing websites across the world we would also welcome sponsors and a number of companies have already shown a desire to support the initiative and our fight against cancer.
THANK YOU

Since 2013, CAC have been part of the fight against cancer, and now you are too. Many lives are ruined by cancer, and although modern research has come a long way, we still live in a world where it’s a terrifying reality for many.

We’re with you all the way. Now that you are part of the Climbers Against Cancer team, we’re here to support and guide you through every step of your challenge... Whether it’s climbing, running, swimming or even shaving your hair off! We’re behind you 100%.

Every penny counts, so no matter the size of your contribution, THANK YOU for joining the climb against cancer.
GETTING THE MONEY YOU’VE RAISED TO US

The sooner you get your money back to us the sooner we can put it into action saving lives.

The quickest and easiest way to collect sponsorship is online, using a fundraising page like JustGiving or Total Giving. Head to justgiving.com or totalgiving.co.uk, follow the on screen instructions to create a fundraising page, enter “Climbers Against Cancer” for the Charity Name.

These pages are safe and secure and they make asking for sponsorship so much easier. Just send the link to your page round to friends and family on email or via social media.

WAYS TO PAY

ONLINE
Head to climbersagainstcancer.org/donate/ to pay-in with a credit or debit card.

BANK TRANSFER
Climbers Against Cancer
Account number: 38140691
Sort-code: 01-05-24

BY CHEQUE
Post cheques along with the completed form on the next page & your donation sheets to:
Climbers Against Cancer, Tonrose House, Clayton Business Park, Clayton-le-Moors, Accrington, UK. BB5 5JB

DON’T FORGET TO SHARE YOUR’RE STORY WITH US

Wear your CAC gear with pride and share your challenge with us online using #CAC

@climbersagainst
/CACClimbersAgainstCancer
Once you’ve completed your fundraising event and collected all of your donations, you’ll need to return your money. Simply collect your donations and return this form along with your donation sheet(s) and a cheque made payable to Climbers Against Cancer (please do not send cash) to:

Climbers Against Cancer,
Tonrose House,
Clayton Business Park,
Clayton-le-Moors,
Accrington,
England, UK
BB5 5JB

If there’s anything you’re unsure about, feel free to call on +44 (0)1254 232613* or email hello@climbersagainstcancer.org and we’ll get back to you as soon as possible.

* Standard geographic charges will apply

Amount Raised: I raised money through: ____________________________________________________________________________

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Climbers Against Cancer may wish to send you information on our products, fundraising and activities. We will not share your details with any 3rd parties. If you no longer want to hear from us please e-mail hello@climbersagainstcancer.org

GET YOUR OFFICIAL CAC DONATION CERTIFICATE

Would you like a certificate: Yes please □ No thanks □

Name(s) on certificate: ________________________________________________________________

Title of event: ________________________________________________________________

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**DONATIONS**

- Please ensure you fill out each section in full.
- Please ensure the details of each donation are recorded accurately in your own handwriting – forms in the same handwriting or printed are not valid for Gift Aid purposes.
- Please ensure you tick the Gift Aid box next to your address below if eligible.
- In order for us to claim Gift Aid, we need your title, initial, surname, full home address, postcode, donation amount, Gift Aid declaration and date paid. (Please note, we cannot claim Gift Aid on business addresses or on multiple donors, e.g. Mr & Mrs Jones)

Climbers Against Cancer is not responsible for the organisation of this event or for the collection of the money but we are over the moon that such an effort is being made on our behalf.

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**GIFT AID – IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Climbers Against Cancer can claim an extra 25% back from the UK government on every donation, without costing you a penny extra. Please tick the box on the form below if you would like us to Gift Aid your donation. Please make sure we can read your full name, home address and postcode. This supports our tax claim and will not be used to contact you. Please be aware that you must have paid an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the amount of tax reclaimed by all charities and Community Amateur Sports Clubs on all your donations in the tax year. We can currently receive an extra 25p for every £1 you donate. Other taxes such as council tax and VAT do not qualify.

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WEAR YOUR CAC GEAR WITH PRIDE

T-Shirts:
- Mens & Womens
- Multiple colours
- £18.00

Beanie Hats:
- £20

T-Shirts:
- Mens & Womens multiple colours
- £18.00

Vests:
- Mens & Womens
- £15

Hoodies:
- Multiple Colours
- £35

Mens & Womens Boxers
- £20 (pack of 2)

Iron on Badges
- From £12

CAC Climbing Holds
- 12.95€

CAC Volume
- 120€

CAC Phantom Screwgate
- From £12

CAC Phantom Quickdraw
- From £15

Visit www.climbersagainstcancer.org
Alex Puccio supports climbers against cancer.

Purchase T-shirts online at "climbersonthecancer.org"
"The wide boys", Tom Randall & Pete Whittaker, support climbers against cancer.
Shauna Coxsey supports climbers against cancer.

Purchase T-shirts online at "climbersagainstcancer.org"
Andy Turner supports climbers against cancer.