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November Newsletter

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SarcoidosisUK Executive Chairperson Peter Tichbon recently hosted a video in which he outlined the charity's plans to convert from its current structure as an Unincorporated Charity to a Limited Liability Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO). If you didn't get the chance to watch it, you can access the full recording by clicking the button below.

Peter will also be hosting another live Q&A session to answer any remaining questions about the transition to a CIO this Wednesday, 1st December from 6pm on our Facebook page. If you have any more questions that you would like answered, be sure to tune in on the day!

[Watch the Recording](#)



New JCVI Vaccine Advice

The JCVI has issued new advice on the UK vaccine response to the Omicron variant. New advice states that:

- Severely immunosuppressed individuals who have completed their primary course (3 doses) should be offered a booster dose with a minimum of 3 months between the third primary and booster dose. Those who have not yet received their third dose may be given the third dose now to avoid further delay. A further booster dose can be given in 3 months, in line with the clinical advice on optimal timing.
- Both the Moderna (50 microgram) and Pfizer-BioNTech (30 microgram) vaccines should be used with equal preference in the COVID-19 booster programme. Both vaccines have been shown to substantially increase antibody levels when offered as a booster dose.

[Read the Full Update Here](#)



SarcoidosisUK Christmas Cards Now Available!

Special thanks to Anna Wydro for her design which has been made into a bespoke Christmas Card! These are a fantastic way to spread Christmas cheer and sarcoidosis awareness among those closest to you while also supporting the charity. Buy a pack of 12 large, quality cards for £4.99, plus free postage when you buy 3 packs or more!

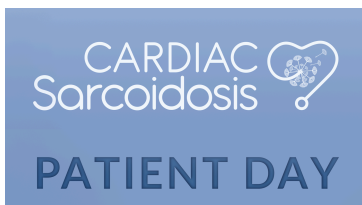
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SarcoidosisUK Patient Days Hub

One of the main goals of SarcoidosisUK is to provide high-quality information to sarcoidosis patients – a key way that we achieve this is through our Patient Days. Our new Patient Days Hub webpage contains links to all of our previous Patient Events, which you can watch back at any time.

[Visit the Patient Days Hub](#)



Cardiac Sarcoidosis Patient Day

Thank you so much to everyone who attended our Cardiac Sarcoidosis Patient Day earlier this month. We hope that you found the talks informative and helpful. For those who missed it, or if you want to watch certain talks again, all sessions from the day will soon be available to watch back on the SarcoidosisUK Patient Days Hub.

If you did attend the webinar on the day, we'd be extremely grateful for your feedback to make sure our

future Patient Days are as effective as possible. Please spare a few minutes to complete our survey.

[Complete the Survey](#)



Sign up for RideLondon 2022!

Taking place on Sunday 29th May 2022, this is the London Marathon of cycling events and one not to be missed! The RideLondon-Essex 100 is a unique opportunity to ride 100 miles on traffic-free roads through the heart of London and neighbouring Essex. It will start and finish in the centre of the capital, with 60 miles of rolling roads through some of Essex's most beautiful countryside and villages in between. SarcoidosisUK only have a limited number of spots available, so if you would like to take part and raise funds for our vital cause then be sure to get in touch by emailing charlene@sarcoidosisuk.org to find out more and secure your spot!

New Lancashire SarcoidosisUK Support Group Coming Soon!



New SarcoidosisUK Lancashire Support Group

We are pleased to announce that we are setting up a SarcoidosisUK Support Group in Lancashire. The aim of this group is to provide a place for those affected by Sarcoidosis to meet others, to share their experiences, to be a friendly face, and to learn from each other.

If you would like to be added to the mailing list for the Lancashire Support Group and be informed when the first meeting will take place, please send an email to info@sarcoidosisuk.org



Vote for us to receive a £1,000 grant!

Ecclesiastical Insurance are donating £1,000 to 10 charities each weekday from 6 – 21 December. That's £120,000 to 120 charities over 12 days! Anyone can nominate a charity to win one of the £1,000 awards. And it's quick and easy to do. The more nominations a charity receives the greater their chance of winning. We would really appreciate it if you could submit a nomination for our charity and ask your family and friends to do the same. £1,000 could make a real difference to the work we do and your nomination could be the one that helps us win! Vote for us by clicking the button below!

[Vote for SarcoidosisUK](#)

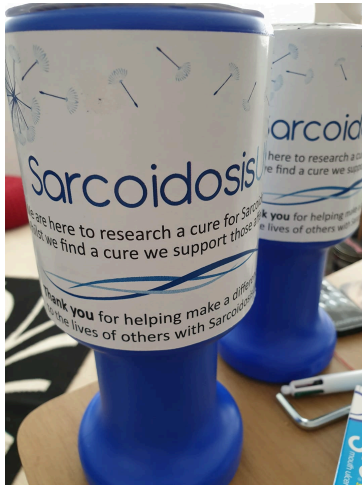
Support SarcoidosisUK this Christmas

One of the easiest ways you can support SarcoidosisUK over the festive period is by setting up a Facebook Fundraiser. Whether you ask for donations in lieu of gifts this year, or simply want to ask family and friends to help support the charity, every pound raised will help us to make a difference. Click the button below to create your Facebook Fundraiser today.



Be sure to also keep an eye on our social media this December, as we'll be showing loads more ways you can get involved with SarcoidosisUK this Christmas and next year!

[Set up a Facebook Fundraiser](#)



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Please consider [donating](#) or [becoming a member](#) to support our work funding research into a cure and providing services to sarcoidosis patients. We need your support to continue the work we do.

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