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Background:

Located in Wilton on the outskirts of Cork City, Brú Columbanus provides home from home accommodation for families of patients in Cork hospitals. Our charity is more than just a house or a facility – it has been a home to over 10,000 families that have stayed here since its conception in 2005.

We offer families the gift of time. Enabling them to be close and spend time with their relatives. We prioritise families with children or babies staying overnight in hospital, but families of all seriously ill patients are eligible assuming they live more than 30 miles away from Cork City.

Brú Columbanus operates with a small cohesive staff and a fantastic team of over 40 volunteers.

About Us:

Our facility is comprised of 26 en-suite family rooms with a supporting kitchen and lounge. We also provide a selection of modern meeting rooms which benefit from natural daylight and can accommodate a wide range of events from yoga classes to conferences.

We are currently in the process of purchasing a B&B close to CUH which will allow us to expand with an extra 5 bedrooms and living area.

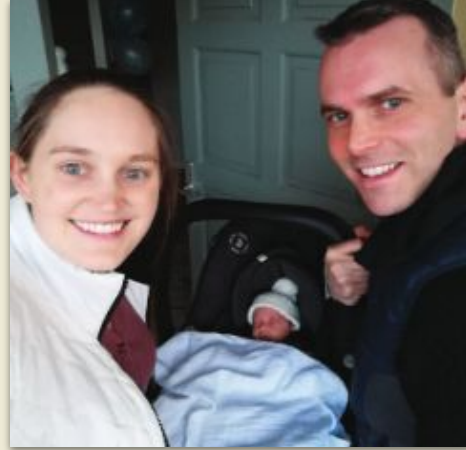
Your consideration of our Corporate Packages means a lot to us. As a non-profit organization, we depend on donations and fundraising to sustain our operations. Your potential collaboration is deeply appreciated, and we eagerly anticipate the opportunity to work together in the future.

Our Stories...

My husband and I stayed at Brú Colombanus for 6 weeks while our baby boy was in the Neonatal Unit at CUMH. Robbie was born at 30 weeks gestation, weighing just 2lb 8oz.

I had heard about Brú but you never think you will be the one in need of the service. Brú was much more than just accommodation for us during this hard time. The facilities were immaculate, cosy and comfortable but being in a place surrounded by people in similar situations that knew what we were going through was invaluable. Elimination of a long daily drive to and from Clonakilty when overtired also kept us safe and strong for Robbie.

We are forever grateful.



On the 15th of May 2018 Niall was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia at 16 years of age. We were informed that Niall would need to spend the next several months in CUH.

The stress of travelling from Kerry everyday was alleviated, thus allowing us to spend as much time as possible with Niall. We are so appreciative of this invaluable facility and to all those who volunteer.

Brú Columbanus gave us the precious gift of time spent with Niall for which, we will be forever grateful.



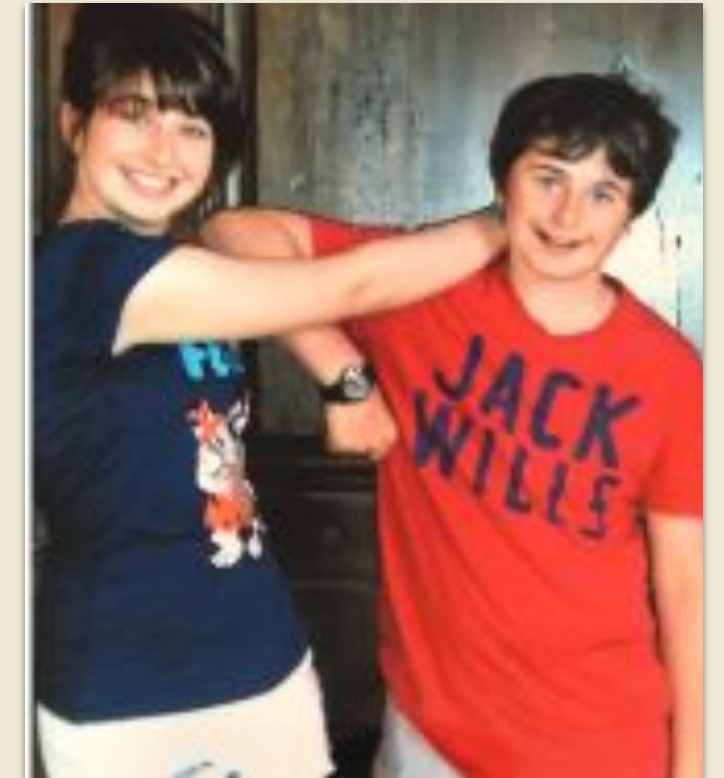
We were first introduced to Brú Columbanus by the nurses in the children's ward in CUH in 2009 when our son, Con was diagnosed with a brain tumour.

We were beside ourselves with worry and being from County Kerry we didn't have the option of going home to our own bed at night. Brú Columbanus became our home from home on that day, situated directly across from the hospital it gave us more comfort than any hotel could ever offer.

As Con was only 10 at the time my husband Neil and I took turns staying with him at night and when it was my turn to stay in Brú, Neil knew I was in a safe and secure place. After the busy hospital the calmness and quietness of Brú was so welcoming giving me the opportunity to rest and shower and recharge my batteries.

We have continued to use the services of Brú for 12 years now and we will be forever grateful for this amazing and special place, it has made our journey with Con and his illness so much easier.

Con with his best friend and sister, Polly.





Corporate Packages



Packages

Platinum	Gold	Silver
Price per Annum	Price per Annum	Price per Annum
<p>Large meeting room (up to 120 people) named and decorated with your company branding.</p> <p>Acknowledgement in our monthly newsletter and annual report.</p> <p>Social Media piece featuring your company</p> <p>You will receive feedback quarterly demonstrating the impact that your donation made, sharing success stories from clients who used your room.</p>	<p>Standard size meeting room (up to 30 people) named and decorated with your company branding</p> <p>Acknowledgement in our monthly newsletter and annual report.</p> <p>Social Media piece featuring your company</p> <p>You will receive feedback quarterly demonstrating the impact that your donation made, sharing success stories from clients who used in your room.</p>	<p>One guest room will be named with your company brand and logo</p> <p>Acknowledgement in our monthly newsletter and annual report.</p> <p>Social Media piece featuring your company</p> <p>You will receive feedback quarterly demonstrating the impact that your donation made, sharing success stories from guests who stayed in your room.</p>
<p>Room Usage: Up to 3000 per year</p> <p>Seen By: Up to 4000 per year</p> <p>Social Media: Up to 8000 unique views</p> <p>Newsletter Recipients: 2000 unique views per year.</p> <p>Total Reach: 17,000</p>	<p>Room Usage: Up to 1000 per year</p> <p>Seen By: Up to 2000 per year</p> <p>Social Media: Up to 8000 unique views</p> <p>Newsletter Recipients: 2000 unique views per year.</p> <p>Total Reach: 13,000</p>	<p>Room Usage: Up to 100 occupants per year</p> <p>Seen By: Up to 500 per year</p> <p>Social Media: Up to 8000 unique views</p> <p>Newsletter Recipients: 2000 unique views per year.</p> <p>Total Reach: 10,600</p>
<p>PRICE €5,000</p>	<p>PRICE: €3,500</p>	<p>PRICE: €2,000</p>



Fundraising Events 2024

Taking part, or even just helping to promote our events means so much to us



Events

Kenmare 10k Walk	Ring of Kerry Charity Cycle
Saturday, June 8th 2024	Saturday, July 6th 2024
<p>Our longest running fundraising event is now open for registration.</p> <p>Led by the Kenmare Walking Club, walkers will meet at 10am at the Kenmare Bay Hotel. A bus will transport walkers to the starting point at at the Derrycunihy Church, Galways Bridge.</p> <p>The walk will then go along the old butter Road back into Kenmare.</p> <p>https://www.brucolumbanus.com/product/kenmare-10k-trek-2024-registration/</p>	<p>We are looking for participants to cycle the 170km loop in Kerry in the name of Brú Columbanus this June.</p> <p>For more information, check out our page on the ROK Charity Cycle site:</p> <p>https://www.ringofkerrycycle.ie/our-charities/bru-columbanus/</p> <p>Donations can also be made to our i-Donate page here:</p> <p>https://www.idonate.ie/event/rokcc2024-bc</p>
<p>Registration Fee: €30.00 per person</p>	<p>Registration Fee: €100.00 per person</p>

Event Recognition

Benefits:

- Multiple social media pieces featuring your company logo, brand and backstory.
- Piece in our newsletter.
- Attention from local media outlets, enhancing visibility and recognition.
- Employee Engagement: Involving employees in charitable activities fosters a sense of purpose and engagement, improving morale and overall job satisfaction. It can also help attract more employees for your business, and is a great team building exercise.
- Financial Support for Brú Columbanus: Your contribution is vital to our mission and impact





Transformational Opportunities

Empower, Engage and Excel



Curraheen House

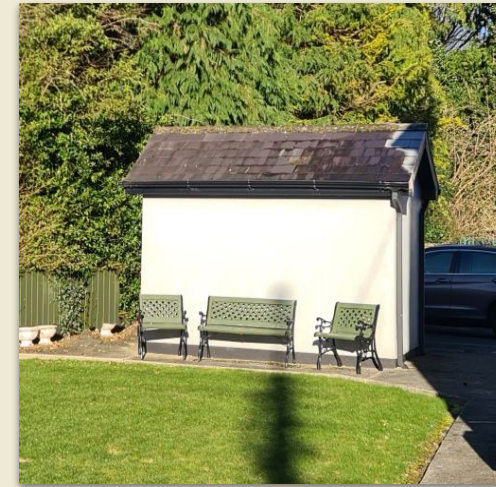


Brú Columbanus has recently acquired a Bed and Breakfast in close proximity to Cork University Hospital. This extension will encompass five rooms with ensuite facilities, a dining room, kitchen, living room, and utility room. We aim to modernise the building, including interior and exterior painting, floors, blinds, USB sockets, new mattresses, kitchen expansion and new furniture.

Your contribution can be personalized based on your preferences. Here are specific areas that require attention and enhancement.

Projects	Estimated Cost	Volunteers/Time
Exterior Painting & Equipment	€500 approx	4 Volunteers = 1 Day
Blinds (7 to 10)	€2000 - €3,000 approx	2 Volunteers = 1 Day
Wallpaper removal/Internal Painting	€100 per room	8 Volunteers per room = 1 or 2 Days
Garden Work & Equipment	€1500	2 Volunteer = 1 Day
7 Mattresses	€2500	2 Volunteers = ½ Day
Kitchen Modernisation/Extension	€10,000	Private Contractors = 2 Weeks

Curraheen House



Benefits:

- Multiple social media pieces featuring your company logo, brand and backstory.
- Piece in our newsletter.
- You will receive feedback demonstrating the impact that your donation and volunteering effort made
- Opting to sponsor the upcoming bedroom conversion will result in the room being named after your company. We will feature success stories from guests who stayed in your designated room, providing valuable content for your employee engagement initiatives and boosting your public relations efforts.
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Thank You!

With your support, we look forward to a brighter future at Brú Columbanus.

If any of the showcased packages have captured your interest, we welcome you to reach out using the contact details provided below.

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