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PRESS RELEASE

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A racing start for local fundraising

Local club organisers Nick Tedesco and Glyn Colis arranged a spectacular race night at Boringdon Park Golf Club in aid of St Luke's Hospice.

The fundraising event was held on 25th March and raised an astonishing £1155, with local community lending a helping hand.

The race was a huge success and included a raffle of prizes donated by local businesses, along with an auction of horses.

Commenting on the event, St Luke's corporate fundraiser Lorna Baker said "This has been a fantastic event in aid of the hospice and we are so grateful to Boringdon Park Golf Club for their support. As well as raising a huge amount of money, they have helped to raise awareness of the important work we do".

The Hospice must raise in excess of £4million each year to keep remain open, with less than 30% being government funded.

Encouraged by the success of this first event, there is now further talk of a second race night later this year.

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