

DERMATOLOGY DAREDEVILS TO SKY DIVE FOR SKIN DISEASE RESEARCH

Rhian Wright and Stacey Alvis, admin assistants at St. Michael's Clinic in Shrewsbury, will shortly be taking part in a tandem sky dive together from an eye-watering 10,000ft. The sky dive will take place on the 30th July to raise money for skin disease research.

Rhian, 24, from Claverley and Stacey, 22, from Shrewsbury decided to raise money for the British Skin Foundation as they both work in a dermatology clinic.

"We come into contact every day with people who suffer from all kinds of skin conditions, so it's nice to be able to do something for the patients we see, outside of our working environment," explains Rhian.



Stacey also suffers from psoriasis herself, so the charity is close to her heart. Stacey says, *"The tandem skydive is completely out of my comfort zone and to be honest I'm very nervous!"*

The girls will also be holding a bake sale to help boost funds raised for the BSF.

Support Rhian & Stacey by donating to their charity fundraising pages here:
www.doitforcharity.com/Salvis and www.justgiving.com/Rhian-Wright2

Image: L-R Stacey & Rhian at work.

The **British Skin Foundation** is the only UK charity dedicated to raising funds for skin disease and skin cancer research. There are **eight million** people living with a skin disease in the UK, some are manageable and others are severe enough to kill. Skin disease doesn't just affect the skin. It can have a huge impact on a person's day-to-day life, crush self-confidence, restrict movement, lead to depression and put a huge strain on families as well as personal relationships.

Our unwavering commitment to funding quality research means we won't stop until we've found cures for common skin problems like eczema and acne through to potential killers like malignant melanoma. This year the British Skin Foundation turns 20 years old, giving out more than £10 million in grants to over 300 research projects since 1996.

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