



# Monmouth RFC

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## Monmouth RFC Fundraising Milestone Reached!



### Monmouth RFC Snowdog Challenge



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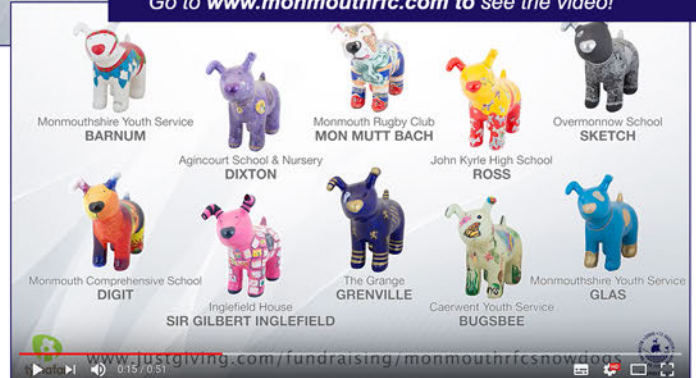
Monmouth RFC, in conjunction with our sponsors at Convey Law, have engaged with 11 schools and Youth Clubs in the locality to help raise over £25,000.00 for the Tŷ Hafan Children's Hospice.

Tŷ Hafan is one of the UK's leading paediatric palliative care charities and provides care for terminally ill children and their families. The nurses and therapists work around the clock with the children and provide emotional and practical support for family members, to ensure the time the families have together are as precious as possible. The hospice needs to raise over £3,000,000.00 a year from private funding to survive.

Tŷ Hafan aim do everything in their power to make sure that a short life is a full life, as well as caring for the families involved, they aim to create special memories that last a lifetime.

Ty Hafan launched the Snow Dog Tails in Wales initiative in Cardiff in November 2017. The aim was to engage members of the public, Ty Hafan friends and family and local businesses in a fun activity to get them out in the open air, exploring the city and making their own precious memories along the route.

For ten weeks between 16 September and 26 November 2017, the pack of Snowdogs were



unleashed in to the city's streets, iconic buildings, open spaces as part of this extraordinary public art trail.

Schools and educational groups decorated 100 fibreglass sculptures standing 1.5m tall, kindly donated by sponsors of the initiative to create an incredible art showcase. Monmouth RFC, in conjunction with sponsors Convey Law, sponsored 2 Snow Dogs and 11 puppy sculptures, which were decorated by schools and youth groups from the Monmouthshire Community.

So far Monmouth RFC, Convey Law and the schools and youth clubs have raised just under £25,000.00 for Ty Hafan Hospice - and they are not stopping there!! The Monmouth RFC Snow dogs and Puppy Pack will be proudly displayed in Monmouth Shire Hall from Monday the 29th of January 2018 for the Monmouthshire community to enjoy.



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**ROSS**



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**DIXTON**



Monmouthshire Youth Service  
**GLAS**



Monmouth Rugby Club  
**MON MUTT BACH**

Lloyd Davies, Chairman of Monmouth RFC and Corporate Ambassador for Ty Hafan commented:

“A massive thank you to Monmouth Rugby Club, Monmouth School Girls Prep School, John Kyle Comprehensive School, Monmouth Pre-Prep and Nursery School, Monmouth Comprehensive School, Overmonnow School, Monmouth Boy’s Prep School, Monmouth Youth Service, Caerwent Youth Club, Monmouth Youth Service, Monmouth Youth Service and Griffithstown Primary School for your wonderful designs and participating in this incredible project.”

“It is wonderful what can be achieved when a community comes together for such a fantastic cause.

“Please come along and visit the Pack at Monmouth Shire Hall, from Monday the 29th of January 2018 to enjoy these beautiful creations and raise funds for the TY Hafan Children’s Hospice.

“Thank you all for your wonderful support!”

Snowdogs: Tails in Wales campaign director Sara Webber commented:

“So many precious moments have been made, for not only the children and families of Tŷ Hafan, but in uniting friends, families and communities to get out in the fresh air, rediscover the region and celebrate our culture – all for a fantastic cause. Seeing the smiles on so many children’s faces has put a value on this project that cannot be measured.

“A huge thank you to Monmouth RFC, Convery Law and all the schools and youth clubs across the Monmouth region for their wonderful support.”

To make a donation and to view the promotional video please access [www.monmouthrfc.com](http://www.monmouthrfc.com).

Please post photos on social media tagging **@SnowdogsWales** and **#MRFCSnowdogs** to show off your wonderful photographs of your favourite dogs.

**Don’t forget to take plenty of doggy selfies!**

For further information please visit:  
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