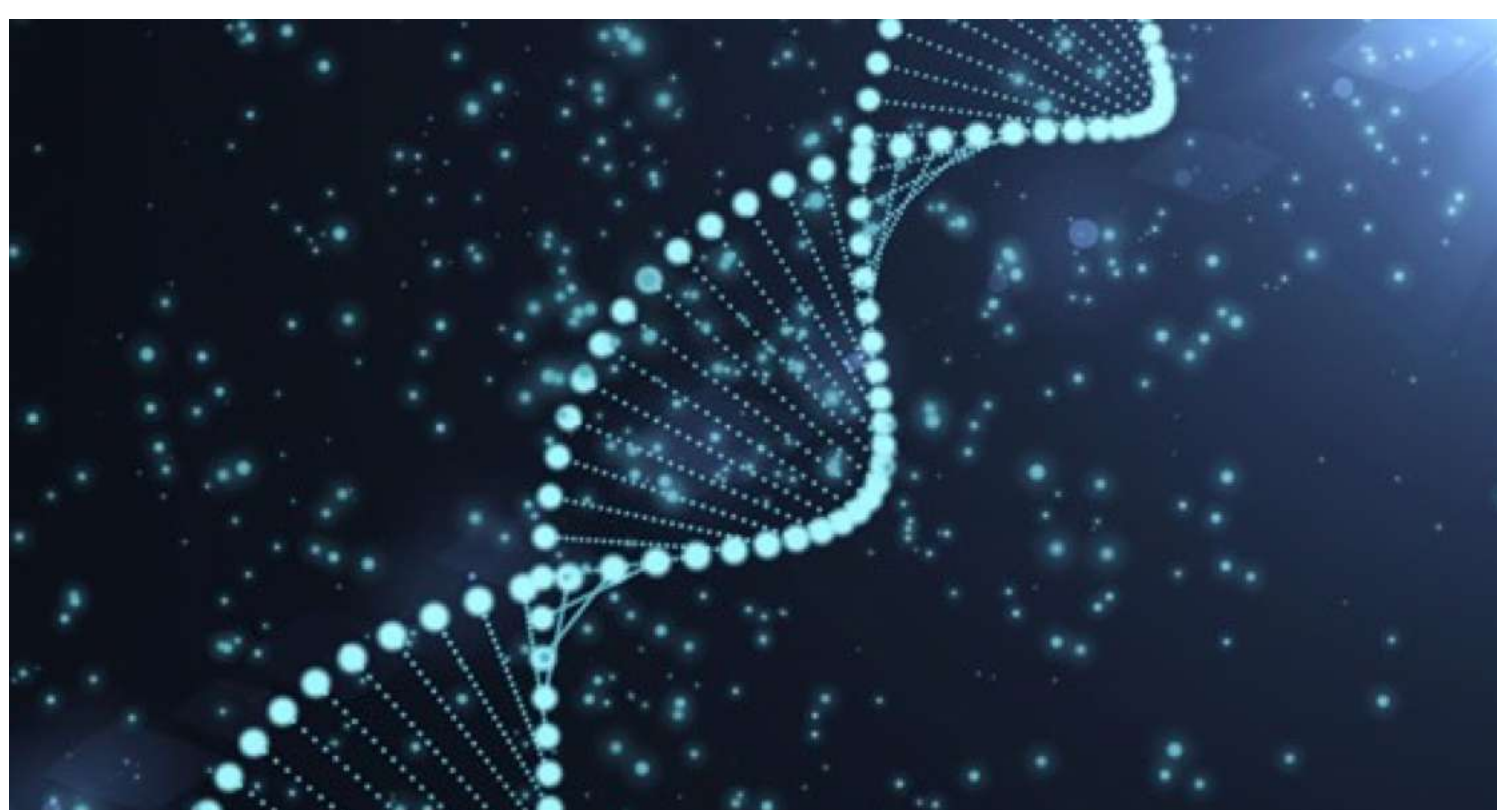


February news

Dear CGD Society member,

Welcome to our February edition and greetings to our members who have recently joined.

Latest news



The NHS in England has introduced a routine DNA test for babies and children which scans for thousands of rare diseases.

[Find out more.](#)

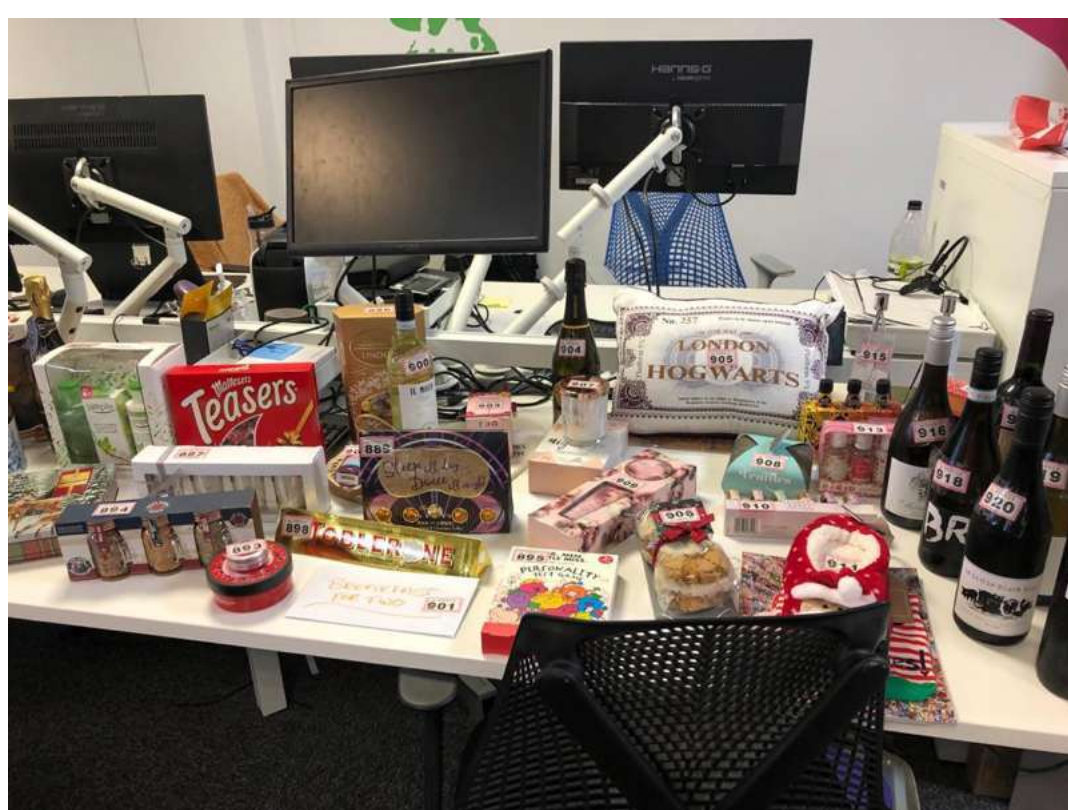
Your fundraising

Our trustees volunteer their time and expertise to make the CGD Society the well-respected and valued charity that it is today. They also play an active part in fundraising. Here we say thank you to two of our trustees: Jackie Irvin and Davina Gray.



Jackie Irvin and her family company, Bryant Ltd, have donated £5,000 to our Hardship Fund. This kind gift will enable us to help families in need owing to long hospital stays and other financial difficulties faced when living with CGD. Bryant Ltd want to make this donation annually and we are hugely grateful.

Pictured l-r: Jackie's dad, Terry Bryant; Jackie's son, Tom, who received a BMT for CGD in 2011, and Jackie.



Davina Gray and her colleagues at Gamma, Port Solent, held a raffle in December to raise money for the CGD Society. They also organised a cake sale and a quiz, raising an impressive total of £251.51.

Thank you so much, Jackie, Davina and your supporters. Your generosity will help us to continue offering our email and telephone helpline to the CGD community.

Get involved



New year, new year's resolutions? If you are determined to get fit or take on a new challenge in 2020, then why not sign up to this year's Prudential RideLondon and raise much-needed funds for us? We have limited spaces in this year's event.

[Click here for more information or to sign up.](#)

I hope you enjoyed reading this edition. If you would like to feature in future news updates, then please contact me at hello@cgdsociety.org

Best wishes,

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