



Gift Aid

Hope Cove Life Boat covers all of Bigbury Bay and is sustained only by its supporters. Your donations and activities provide equipment, training and support that enable us to save lives while minimizing the inherent risks that our crew faces in putting to sea to help and to save others.

Gift Aid - make your donation worth even more and even cost you less.

- **If you are a UK basic rate taxpayer** then for every pound you give to us we can claim back 25p from HMRC. For all Gift Aid donations made from 15th January 2011 until 5 April 2014, we can also receive an extra 3.2p in Transitional Relief.
- **If you pay tax at the higher rate** then you can reclaim this higher rate tax through your tax return. For every £10.00 you give us – as well as the £2.50 we get back from the government above - you too can claim back £2.50. So a £10.00 donation ultimately gives us £12.50 but effectively costs you just £7.50
- **If you pay tax at the additional rate** of 50p in the pound a £100.00 donation will get us £125.00 but effectively cost you just £62.50!

We do not want to know what rate of tax you pay (it doesn't matter to us) but you must pay an amount of UK income tax and/or capital gains tax equal to the tax we reclaim on your donations (currently 25p for every £1 you give). If you do not pay tax at the basic rate please do not complete this form because you may otherwise have to fund the tax reclaim yourself. Please tick all that apply:

- I am a UK taxpayer and would like Hope Cove Life Boat to reclaim tax on the above donation and on all future donations until further notice*.
- I would like to Gift Aid all previous donations for Hope Cove Life Boat current financial period and the previous six financial years.

Full name			
Address			
Postcode			
E mail address			
Signature		Date	

- Please notify Hope Cove Life Boat if you change your name or address
- Tax cannot be reclaimed on donations made by CAF vouchers or Charity Cards
- If your circumstances change & you no longer pay enough income / capital gains tax to cover the amount claimed by Hope Cove Life Boat, you can cancel your declaration by notifying us

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