



Team Kennet take on the Birmingham Great Run for the British Lung Foundation

Seven colleagues from Coleshill-based finance company Kennet Equipment Leasing will be completing the Birmingham Great Run for the British Lung Foundation (BLF) charity.

“Team Kennet” are hoping to raise at least £1,000 for BLF by completing the 13.1 mile run on Sunday October 19th.

The British Lung Foundation was chosen for this years’ charity as Kennet’s Senior Sales Support Vicki Jaynes lost her mum earlier this year to Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis. Research into this disease by the British Lung Foundation will hopefully bring a cure closer.

Kennet’s runners range in age from late twenties to “it’s rude to ask a lady how old she is”. Whether it’s achieving a personal best - or running for the first time - their abilities vary from “Pavement Plodder” to “Hard Core Athlete”. They are all united in the goal of reaching not only the finish line, but their fundraising target for such a personal and worthy cause.

The runners are looking for support, however small, for their efforts. Donations can be made online via

<https://www.justgiving.com/Kennet-Equipment-Leasing/>

and also by texting KENN90 to 70070 and the amount (e.g. **KENN 90 £5**). Thank you.

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Attached: photo of the Team Kennet runners (from left to right) – Veronica Builth, Vicki Jaynes, Jackie Kain, Steve Brown, Laura Starkey, Jude Matthews and Cara Clarke.

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Kennet Equipment Leasing was founded in 1990 and brokers finance for all types of equipment. Based in Coleshill, Kennet currently employs 62 people and has written over £500M worth of leasing finance. More information can be found at www.kennet-leasing.co.uk

More information about **The British Lung Foundation** can be found at www.blf.org.uk