

Leeds Buddhist Centre
Needs 108 SUPERfriends!
to secure its future

It's great having our own Centre - but we shouldn't take it for granted

Last year running the Centre cost £43,669

Income was £35,082

That's a loss of £8,587

Whilst we aren't in danger of closing our doors in the immediate future, we obviously can't go on like this for too long. We can't reduce our costs - they are already cut to the bone. And income from courses is unlikely to increase much in the present economic climate.

However there is a way to close the gap

Just as the mala has 108 beads, the Buddhist Centre needs 108 SUPERfriends to take out a monthly standing order of £5 (or more)

THAT will raise a total of £6480 (+ Gift Aid of 28% for those who pay tax)

...More than enough to secure our future!

£5 per month could mean a few less Starbucks coffees, a slightly cheaper lunch or dinner once a week, one less car or bus journey or perhaps one less little luxury.

£5 per month on top of your usual dana payment is true generosity and an excellent way to practice

£5 per month by standing order will mean that you still have a Buddhist Centre here in years to come

Please complete the standing order below and help to make sure that YOUR Buddhist Centre continues into the future. (If you can afford it, please give more than £5)

Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS (and return to the Centre)

Standing Order Manda te

To the Manager.....Bank PLC

Address of bank.....Postcode

Name of Account.....

Sort code Account No.

Your Full Name.....

Address.....

..... Postcode

email address.....

Please pay £5 £10 £15 £25 £40 Other £ (Please give as much as you can)

starting on (insert date): / / then every month until further notice

**to: Friends of the Western Buddhist Order (Leeds) Account No 00019085, Sort Code 40-52-40
CAF Bank Ltd, 25 Kings Hill Avenue, Kings Hill, West Malling, ME19 4JQ**

Reference: (your initials and surname).....
(N.B. You can cancel this Standing Order at any time by contacting your bank)

Signed.....Date.....

GIFT AID DECLARATION FORM

Friends of the Western Buddhist Order (Leeds) Charity Registration No. 1132691

If you are a UK taxpayer you can use Gift Aid to to add an extra 28p for each pound given at no cost to you.

Please treat this and all future donations as Gift Aid donations (please tick)

N.B. You must pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for each tax year (6th April one year to 5th April the next) that is at least equal to the amount of tax that we will reclaim for that tax year. Please notify us if you wish to cancel this declaration, change your address or if you no longer pay sufficient tax.

Signed.....**Date**.....

Please return this form to: Triratna Buddhist Community (FWBO Leeds), Fourth Floor, Leeds Bridge House, Leeds LS10 1JN

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