



Jason

Cerebral Palsy hasn't stopped me living my life. White Lodge gave me my independence and happiness

My name is Jason and I have been coming to White Lodge since I was six months old and I'm now 50. I was born with Cerebral Palsy and straight away came to White Lodge, here my parents received vital support and guidance to help alleviate some of their worries and concerns about my future.

I went to the specialist nursery and benefited from vital therapies that helped enable my ability and become as independent as possible, despite being confined to a wheelchair and non-verbal!

White Lodge helped my parents get me into two schools and at 19 years of age I moved to London and lived independently. This was all thanks to White Lodge.

Without all of the early support from White Lodge I would not be the happy independent person I am today and without them people would not know how to communicate with me. No one will ever understand how much that means to me.

Now as an adult White Lodge gives me lots of opportunities and activities, they help us to think and talk, they teach us to cook, create, exercise and make us feel part of life.

There are not enough places like White Lodge that have the love and dedication to do what they do. I would be lost without them and so would my friends.

White Lodge gives me great purpose and keeps me going. I can't thank them enough.

This is why it's so important that you take the opportunity to double your donation during the Big Give Week of 1^{st} - 8^{th} December. Please help us reach our target of £28,000, it would mean so much to so many.

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