

# BLITZ WEEKEND!

by The Staffordshire Regiment Museum



From time to time, everyone needs a little help. Recently, our colleague's 26 year old daughter was diagnosed with triple negative, grade 3, breast cancer.

After undergoing chemotherapy and a double mastectomy, she is now in recovery and continues to make good progress. It was at this time the family became aware of the importance of the charity, 'Make 2nds Count,'

'Make 2nds Count,' is a small, nationwide charity, giving hope to men and women affected by secondary breast cancer. The charity helps patients, and their families, by informing, sharing and offering practical support. Now we would like you to consider helping us to raise money for this worthwhile charity, so that many more people can be guided through their cancer treatment.

We are the Friends of the Staffordshire Regiment Museum and as volunteers, we organise educational visits to the museum, host museum tours, offer military research facilities and generally support the museum.

On Saturday, June 25th and Sunday, 26th 2022 from 10am until 4.30pm, the Friends are holding a charity event to support 'Make 2nds Count.'

Titled 'A Blitz Weekend,' the public will be invited to take a step into the early 1940s – a public air raid shelter, Women's Voluntary Service canteen, UXB site, Anderson shelters, Home Guard pill box, military vehicles, period re-enactors and much, much more, will enable our visitors to experience the sights and sounds of the Home Front and the Front Line during World War 2. As a rare treat the RAF Battle of Britain memorial flight will be undertaking a fly past at

the event on both days. A Lancaster will be visiting on the one day and a Spitfire on the other, subject to weather and aircraft serviceability.

On the Saturday evening 25th, we will be holding a 1940's concert on the site, including a number of local acts and performers. This event will be free to the public and will run from 6.30 until 9.30pm. Visitors are encouraged to dress the part and we will be taking donations for "Make 2nds count".

We would love as many people as possible to join in the fun, but if you can't attend, please visit: [www.make2ndscount.co.uk](http://www.make2ndscount.co.uk) to make a donation.

The event is kindly being supported by Alpha Graphics and financial services company Pool House. For more information visit our website at: [www.staffordshireregimentmuseum.com](http://www.staffordshireregimentmuseum.com)

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At the Staffordshire Regiment Museum,  
DMS Whittington, WS14 9PY

**25th and 26th June 2022**

**Immerse yourself in that  
1940s Blitz Spirit with the  
Friends of the  
Staffordshire Regiment Museum**

**Donations in aid of cancer support charity**  
Hosted by the Friends of the Staffordshire Regiment Museum.