

Double O

Double O charity was started by The Who in 1976 and has now evolved into a private dispersal charity focused more than ever on 'survival' of drug and alcohol damage, domestic violence, sexual abuse, music education, emergency relief for International disasters, and young people's prison reform. It has dispersed about £4,000,000 since inception, and been indirectly responsible for the dispersal of another similar amount through Double O Promotions, which channels a lot of Townshend- and Who-related activity. Since 2002, all of the Who tours have been recorded, and live CDs of every show have been sold as part of the Encore series. All the proceeds, after profit, have gone to Double O - totaling about £1,000.000 so far.

http://www.thewho.com/index.php?module=charity&charity_item=charity_double_0

Teenage Cancer Trust

Six teenagers will find out they have cancer today, six tomorrow and six the day after. More often than not, these young people get a raw deal, receiving hospital treatment in inappropriate facilities alongside young children or older people. Teenage Cancer Trust fights for the rights of teenagers and young adults with cancer. The charity helps make life better for these young people by building specialist units which are boosting survival rates.

<https://www.teenagecancertrust.org/>

VH1 Save The Music Foundation

Since 1997, the VH1 Save The Music Foundation has provided more than \$40 million worth of new musical instruments to over 1,500 schools in 100 communities, affecting the lives of more than 1 million public school children. Now in its tenth year, the Emmy and Peabody Award-winning VH1 Save The Music Foundation is a nonprofit organization dedicated to improving the quality of education in America's public schools by restoring music education programs in cities across the U.S. and raising awareness of the importance of music participation for our nation's youth. VH1 Save The Music's many honors include the Governors' Award (a special Emmy Award), the George Foster Peabody Award for broadcast and cable excellence, and many Beacon Awards.

http://www.vh1.com/partners/save_the_music/

VH1 Classic Rock Autism

VH1 Classic's Rock Autism campaign is designed to help educate parents and build awareness about autism, a complex neurobiological developmental disorder that lasts throughout a person's lifetime, and to raise funds for a variety of autism research, advocacy, and support organizations. Autism affects one in every 150 children, with a child diagnosed every 21 minutes. Today, there is no known cause. VH1 Classic aims to galvanize a community of artists and fans in support of autism awareness.

http://www.vh1.com/partners/vh1classic_rock_autism/

Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation for Autism

The Foundation's mission is to aid financially disadvantaged families who need assistance in caring for their children with autism; to fund education and research into the causes and consequences of childhood autism; and to serve as a clearinghouse and communications center for new programs and services developed for individuals with autism.

<http://www.dougflutiejrfoundation.org/>

Autism Society of America

ASA, the nation's leading grassroots autism organization, exists to improve the lives of all affected by autism. We do this by increasing public awareness about the day-to-day issues faced by people on the spectrum, advocating for appropriate services for individuals across the lifespan, and providing the latest information regarding treatment, education, research and advocacy.

<http://www.autism-society.org/site/PageServer>

Autism Speaks

Autism Speaks is dedicated to increasing awareness of autism spectrum disorders, to funding research into the causes, prevention and treatments for autism, and to advocating for the needs of individuals with autism and their families. It was founded in February 2005 by Suzanne and Bob Wright, the grandparents of a child with autism. Bob Wright is Senior Advisor at Lee Equity Partners and served as vice chairman, General Electric, and chief executive officer of NBC for more than twenty years.

<http://www.autismspeaks.org/>

ACT Today!

Stands for Autism Care & Treatment Today! Our mission is to increase immediate access to effective autism treatments thought grants to families with lack of access and/or limited financial means. ACT Today! Is the brainchild of several parents with autistic children and professionals in the field who have seen progress through certain types of medical and therapeutic treatment, particularly Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA). Together with Dr. Doreen Granpeesheh, the pre-eminent authority on ABA and the world's leading provider of services, the group formed ACT Today to do just as the name implies: take immediate action to treat autism.

<http://www.act-today.org/>

Malibu Special Education Foundation

The Malibu Special Education Foundation services children with disabilities, their families as well as the teachers, administrators and staff. The Malibu Special Education Foundation goes where the district funding stops and brings necessary services to the special education family (students, parents, teachers, administrators and staff) with afterschool programs, teacher conferences and seminars across US and California, parent support groups, speaker programs and funding state-of-the-art classroom equipment to meet the constantly changing technological advances for all levels of students with disabilities.

<http://www.malibuspecialeducationfoundation.org/>