

Midlands Group - Skydive 23rd August

In what's sure to be a hair raising experience, 30 brave souls take to the skies this summer to raise much needed funds for Acquired Brain Injury Ireland.

The **Midlands Community Rehabilitation Team** are organising a group skydive in Clonbollogue Co. Offaly on **Sunday August 23rd**, to raise funds for Acquired Brain Injury Services in the Midlands.

Geraldine Kiveney, Rehabilitation Assistant, has been putting in Trojan work gathering people together and convincing them to take part in the skydive.

The majority of skydivers are groups that are involved in some way with clients of ABI Ireland, eg. staff at gym, staff in nursing homes, and are raising their funds by organising fancy dress parties, barbeques etc.

Six member of Portumna Retirement Village are participating in the skydive. As part of the fundraising effort the Portumna participants will be holding a barbeque in Ronnie Curleys Pub on Sunday 12th July. Colin Fahy has kindly agreed to play for free and it promises to be a great day out. Proceeds will go towards the skydive fund.

Be on the lookout for various fundraising activities which will be taking place throughout the Midlands in the run up to the big day, and please give as generously as you can.

Further details can be obtained by calling Geraldine Kiveney on 087 328 3865

If you are interested in getting a group together to skydive for Acquired Brain Injury Ireland

Make contact with Skydive-4-Charity directly (link below),

<http://www.skydive4charity.ie/acquired-brain-injury-ireland.html>

or the fundraising team in the National Office, ABI Ireland, 01 280 4164, info@abiireland.ie

