

## **EDI Update CUSG 01/09/25**

### **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August CUFC V Boreham Wood**

We started the season off with a visit from Andys Man club to promote men's mental health, the groups within Carlisle and to promote the new group which is opening up in Annan. AMC now has over 300 clubs running within the UK.

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> CUFC V Solihull Moors** was World Humanitarian Day, we celebrated this by donating kit from our BTEC students from CUFC sports college to club Chaplain David Allen, Dave Allen will be visiting Cambodia in late October 25 and Paraguay at the end of January 2026. Dave along with his wife Esther lived and worked as Elim missionaries in Cambodia for almost 9 years, one of the things that Dave did was work with underprivileged communities providing aid with food, medication and sport programs, the football programs continue today



run by Cambodian nationals who care for the children do much. The football kits that are being taken to the teams will bless them abundantly, they have never had their own kit, and it will be so amazing to see them wearing the Carlisle United tops and shorts it will mean everything to them.

### **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> August CUFC V Braintree Town**



EDI representatives promoted the Children's birthday party packages as well as the new stay and play kick about sessions in the Neil Centre. We also entertained the children's birthday party guest by providing football themed colouring activities as well as face painting.

### **EDI video showcase season 24/25**

We have produced a video to showcase the work we have carried out last season, this is just a snapshot of some of the activities/campaigns we have organised.

### **Upcoming events**

Baton Of Hope will be joining us on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> September to promote the upcoming Baton tour on the 7<sup>th</sup>. Information on poster below: EDI have tags for fans to write messages of Hope for the CUFC Hope Tree these will be available on match day and will be hung on the tree to display on Sunday.

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Foodbank Collection in the fan zone, I will be joined by 3 Foodbank volunteers



**BATON  
OF  
HOPE  
CUMBRIA**



**CARLISLE UNITED  
FOOTBALL CLUB**

## Join us at Carlisle United to support the Baton Of Hope tour

**Brunton Park, Warwick Road, Carlisle CA1 1LL**  
**Sunday 7 September 2025**  
**2:00pm - 4:30pm**

The Baton will arrive at Brunton Park from 3:45pm, Baton Bearers will be greeted by a CUFC player and take the Baton around the Brunton Park pitch alongside Olga.

The Baton will then depart at 4:10pm onto the next leg of the tour.



**Activities on the day:**  
Walking football in the Neil Sports Centre

**Support organisations on the day:**  
 Every Life Matters  
 Carlisle Eden Mind  
 The Well  
 Samaritans  
 Children's mini baton bearing craft session  
 Face Painting







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## National Foodbank Day

**Donations needed:**

-Tinned Meat	-Tinned Veg
-Soup	-Crisps & Snacks
-Tinned Tomatoes	-Instant Mash



**Collection @ CUFC**  
**6<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Upcoming EDI events**

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September CUFC V Aldershot-Alzheimer's Awareness

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September- CUFC V Rochdale-Play Safe Weekend

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October CUFC V Hartlepool -Silent Footprints Baby loss

### **Diverse CUMBRIA Awards**

We are delighted that Carlisle United FC and The Community Sports Trust have been shortlisted for the Diverse Cumbria Awards Business Champion, Teresa Mulholand also shortlisted for Positive Role Model. Tickets for the event available via:

[diversecumbriaawards.co.uk/tickets](https://diversecumbriaawards.co.uk/tickets).