

LONDON MARATHON HERO LIZ WINTON



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Save the Rhino's 2017 London Marathon team was an impressive crash of 54, with 15 particularly brave or foolhardy rhino runners taking on the challenge in our iconic costumes: the stars of the show, as always.

Rosie Cammack
Michael Hearn Intern 2016-17

Every year Team Rhino raises an incredible amount of money for Save the Rhino's annual fund, and we also receive valuable unrestricted donations from individuals like Christopher and James Sims, and companies like Microgaming and horni underwear.

and she signed up to the costume challenge. After months of training in a weighted backpack and a rhino onesie (to prepare for the weight and heat of our rhino costumes), the big day finally came and Liz finished in an impressive rhino time of 05:31:05!

But it was fundraising where Liz really shone, raising an incredible £5,364. Rain or shine. Liz was an unstoppable force. Not even a freezing January day would stop Liz getting out to sell rhino treats to hungry passers-by. Liz is the magic combination of creative, resourceful and dedicated. It is a pleasure to have her in the rhino family.



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'Wearing the iconic Rhino costume in the 2017 London Marathon was one of the proudest moments of my life. The Save the Rhino team, the crowds and friends and family made me feel like a superstar! As long as I can, I will run for the rhinos!'

Liz Winton

This underpins all of our work, from the day-to-day operations of the charity, to helping us invest in growth areas and providing us with much-needed flexible funding to use for emergency grants, or to help piece together matching funds for large proposals. The 2017 London Marathon team total currently stands at a fantastic £117,000, a demonstration of the team's hard work and devotion.

What do Thierry Henri, Olly Murs and Ben Shephard have in common? We don't know either, but Liz Winton does! Our standout rhino hero of 2017, Liz blew us away with her plethora of fundraising ideas, not least the hordes of celebrities she convinced to support our campaign through personalised video messages.

Liz had run the London Marathon for Save the Rhino twice before, and following a speedy performance in 2016 gained a good-for-age place in 2017. For her third rhino marathon, Liz decided to take it up a notch

Across her three rhino marathons, Liz has raised almost £10,000 for Save the Rhino International. We can't thank you enough Liz!

As if videos of Frank Lampard and Kirsty Gallagher giving Save the Rhino a personal shout out on Twitter wasn't enough, Liz is planning something big for the rhinos in 2019 - watch this space!

Could you be our next rhino hero?
(Costume not obligatory)

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