Oswestry business owner shaving head for cancer charity

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Sarah Lewis *(Image: Invest in Oswestry)*

A business owner is shaving her head for charity in a show of support for cancer patients and their families.

Sarah Lewis, 58, from Oswestry, will lose her locks this Halloween in a fundraising head shave for the Lingen Davies Cancer Support fund, which supports patients across Shropshire and Mid Wales.

A freelance fitness instructor who also runs a domestic cleaning business, Ms Lewis said the challenge is a small gesture compared to the strength shown by those facing cancer.

Ms Lewis said: "I'm not brave having my hair shaved, the brave ones are the people battling this cruel disease or those who are in remission.

"Let's raise funds to help them fight."

The head shave will take place at Heatwave Hair & Beauty in Oswestry on Saturday, October 31.

The salon opens at 9am, with Ms Lewis arriving from 10.30am and the shave scheduled between 1.30pm and 2pm.

All are welcome to attend and show their support, with drinks and cakes available on the day.

As Ms Lewis is coeliac, she will be baking a selection of gluten-free treats for visitors to enjoy.

Ms Lewis said she chose to support Lingen Davies after seeing the charity's impact on people she knows.

Lingen Davies Cancer Support, based in Shrewsbury, relies on community donations to fund its services, including care facilities and support for cancer patients and their families.

Anyone unable to attend can donate via Ms Lewis' JustGiving page at www.justgiving.com/page/sarah-jane-lewis58.

Supporters are encouraged to come along on October 31 to cheer Ms Lewis on and help raise funds for the cause.

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