



Heart Screening Event – April 2026

The **Cardiac Risk in the Young** screening team returned again on 8th & 9th April 2026 to screen the hearts of more local young people in memory of Jamie.

This screening event saw a lower than usual turnout with almost *35 cancellations or no-shows* over the two days. However the team still managed to screen **165 young people** with the CRY Cardiologist in attendance reviewing every ECG tracing and speaking with each person to discuss their results. Jamie's legacy has now screened an amazing **3,219** young people since the first event back in 2016.

Around **6** young people who attended were referred for a follow up with their GP or further tests with regards to age or symptoms/family history. There was one case of quite serious concern and the CRY team discussed their options for referral with them. We wish them well going forward.



The April 'team photo' showing the full CRY team with the Loncaster family.

Our next screening event will once again be at South Hunsley School in **October 2026** and booking will be released during late August / early September 2026 at www.testmyheart.org.

Sadly, October 2026 will be our last scheduled screening after 10 years offering the events in memory of Jamie. As much as we'd like to continue they are emotionally draining and the memorial fund is fully spent, so perhaps now is the time to step back for a while.

National CRY statistics from over 20 years of screening show that 1:100 people screened will have an irregularity with their heart and 1:300 will have a potentially life-changing issue.