

WE CAN DO IT! T-SHIRT WINNERS



SCUBA diving in the freezing waters off Portland or getting up at 4am just to swim around a wreck in the Solent isn't everyone's idea of fun. But the Triton Scuba Club in Highland Road Southsea love it. Its 200 members have a

but spend almost as much time fund-raising for vital local charities. For the past three years the club has worked tirelessly for The Rowans hospice in Purbrook and the Rainbow Centre for children with cerebral palsy

In Fareham. Founders, father and son Bill and David Jones, set up the club in 2000 determined to have as much fun as possible. But they never forgot there are those far less able than themselves. Each year they organise

underwater marathons at Victoria Swimming Pool, along with dinner and dances. Bill, 74, who works in Triton Scuba in Highland Road, said: 'They are just great charities and we always have a brilliant time fund-raising for them. We split everything

equally and so far we have managed to raise £8,000 for them. This Christmas we hope to give them a cheque for £800 each.' This year Triton will be paying for the Christmas party at The Rainbow Centre,

providing presents, food and even Santa Claus. Julie Woodward, from the Rainbow Centre said: 'Bill and his team have been fantastic to us over the years. They really deserve a We Can Do It T-shirt for all their hard work.'

Triton Scuba members, Tony Medley, Oldershaw, and Smith, have the fund-ra

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