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'Most painful experience' raises at least £2,000 for charity

A team of ten runners from local firm The Hills Group raised at least £2,000 for Wooden Spoon children's charity following their participation in the Ridgeway Relay on Sunday 21 June. Competing for the first time and running under the team name of "Wasterspace" the team tackled the 86.5 miles of gruelling terrain managing to complete the course in just under 14 hours.

"That was quite possibly the most painful experience of my life! However I am glad that I did it, and might possibly do it again," commented Mike Hill, CEO of The Hills Group Limited, when he crossed the finish line in Marlborough.

The Relay is a team event run over ten legs, with the legs varying in length from 5.4 miles to 11 miles made up of teams of at least 8 males and 2 females or vice versa.

Wooden Spoon is the children's charity of the rugby world supporting mentally, physically and socially disadvantaged children to help them achieve their full potential in life.

Donations can still be made at www.justgiving.com/wasterspace



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