



More about the causes that the Britannia Ball supports

The main fund-raising aim of the Britannia Ball is to raise funds to support the Anglican Church in Romania. This year, in line with the Church's charitable objectives, we will also donate part of the profits we make from ticket sales to Casa Ioana - a Romanian charity that supports homeless families in Bucharest.

The Anglican Church in Bucharest, or the Church of the Resurrection, is in great need of financial support to safeguard its future. The building, which was originally part-financed by Queen Mary of Romania (the granddaughter of Queen Victoria), is in need of repair. The church welcomes people from different cultures and religions and has a very diverse congregation. As can be expected, the congregation ebbs and flows, largely dependant on socio-economic factors. Coupled with the poverty that exists in Bucharest, this means that the Church's long term needs cannot be met by the congregation. Hence we need to raise additional funds through donations and events like the Britannia Ball.

Casa Ioana (www.casaioana.org) is a Romanian charity founded by Ian Tilling MBE. The charity offers homeless families temporary shelter and professional support to get back to work and into affordable accommodation. We are delighted this year to be supporting Ian's hard and much needed work.

How you can help:

- Have fun and raise money at the same time - buy tickets for the Britannia Ball. Email: britanniaball@churchoftheresurrection.eu
- Donate an auction or tombola prize (a tombola is like a lottery where you buy a ticket which may win a prize). Email britanniaball@churchoftheresurrection.eu or call Lillah Houghton +40 (0)723 737006 if you can help in this way.
- Make a donation http://www.churchoftheresurrection.eu/support_us.htm