

Supporting Special Children and their Relatives and Friends

OCTOBER HALF TERM PROGRAMME 2017



**BOOKING FORMS TO BE RETURNED TO LUCINDA DOWSON
BY FRIDAY 20th OCTOBER**

A parent/carer must accompany their child/ren to all our holiday events, stay with them and be responsible for them at all times.

Monday 23rd October, 6-7pm

Activate Indoor Trampoline Park, 67-71 Haviland Road, Ferndown Industrial Estate, Wimborne, BH21 7PY

Come along for an evening of bouncing at the trampoline park in Ferndown. There is a free jump area of interconnected trampolines, the tumble track for uninterrupted tumbling, as well as the dodge ball area, giant air bag and walk the wall. Have a look at their website for more details: <http://activatetrampolinepark.co.uk/activities/trampolines>. *We have chosen this time as it's a Gentle Jump session, which is where the trampoline park is dedicated to anyone with a disability or special needs, as well as their siblings/families/carers. This will be a much quieter session than any other time during the week. Apologies if is a little late for some families.* One parent/carer can jump for free per special needs child. All those on the trampolines need to wear special trampoline socks, which can be purchased from the centre for £2 per pair (or if you already have trampolining socks you can bring them). There is a café overlooking the trampoline area, which will be open. Plenty of parking available!

£5 per child (1 parent/carer free, extra adult £5).

Booking Essential

Please bring along £2 for trampolining socks, which you get to keep!

Tuesday 24th October, 7-9pm

Scarf 2 Skittles Night, The Walkford, 16 Walkford Road, Walkford, Christchurch, BH23 5QF

Newcomers to Scarf 2 are very welcome! Our Scarf 2 group is for young people with special needs aged 15+ or year 11 upwards. Information about our Skittles Night has been emailed to Scarf 2 families separately, but just to remind young people, we'll be having an evening of fun playing skittles, with a basket meal thrown in. Parents/carers do not need to stay as young people will be supported by Scarf support workers/volunteers.

£6 per young person

Booking Essential by Mon 16th Oct

Wed 25th Oct, 9.30am to 12.30pm
OR Thurs 26th Oct, 9.30am to 12.30pm

Fortune Centre of Riding Therapy, Avon Tyrrell (between Bransgore and Burley), BH23 8EE

These two sessions will provide an opportunity to take part in some basic vaulting (rhythm work and mounted exercises) with the horses, involving moving with and sitting on a horse. For the vaulting, all the children would need to wear **trainers or plimsolls**. For the mounted work, they will each need to wear a riding hat and stout, **outdoor footwear with a heel** (preferably a jodhpur boot – a heel is needed to avoid the foot passing through the stirrup). If you have your own hats and boots, do please bring them along. If you don't have a hat or suitable boots, then we can arrange for you to borrow them from FCRT on the day. Long trousers should also be worn. Tea/coffee/soft drinks will be provided during a break in the middle of the session. Suitable for both novice and experienced riders. Numbers are limited to 8 children/young people (including siblings) for the session, and children must be at least 5 years old. A medical/consent form for FCRT will need to be completed in advance of the session for each child taking part. We are happy for you to repeat this activity if you have already done it with Scarf, however we will give priority to families that have not tried this activity before.

Cost £7 per child/young person

Booking Essential

Saturday 28th October, 5.15-6.15pm

Romsey Rapids: Southampton Road, Romsey, Hants SO51 8AF

Scarf have the pool and rapids all to ourselves for this private session. There will be floats and rings available, as well as the chance to ride the flume, dodge the tipping bucket and swim against the rapids. Please arrive between **5 and 5.15pm** to register with the Scarf Meet and Greet. Families are allowed into the changing rooms just before 5.15pm, so be prepared for a quick change to make the most of your hour in the pool. Swimmers over 8 years old do not need to be accompanied by an adult swimming with them, under 8's need an accompanying adult in the pool (adults can look after 2 children under 8, but if the child is under 4 they need one adult per child). If you need support in meeting these ratios, please get in touch with Scarf and we will try to help.

Cost £3 per swimmer (adult or child) – members and friends welcome

Booking Essential

Please phone the Scarf mobile on 07874 221249 if you have booked an activity and find that you cannot make it on the day or you are running late, as we often have children on a waiting list.

**For further information contact Lucinda Dowson on 07874 221249
or email admin@scarfnewforest.org**

Scarf Booking Form

Please Return by Friday 20th October

It is essential for our planning to take bookings in advance. For some of the activities, we may be able to take last minute bookings nearer the time – we will keep members informed via email if there are late spaces available.

We remain committed to ensuring that Scarf is accessible to all, and have a hardship fund available to those experiencing financial hardship - do please apply (in confidence, to admin@scarfnewforest.org or tel: 07874 221249, or approach one of our Committee Members) if you have genuine difficulty with accessing Scarf activities due to the cost and would like to access our hardship fund.

Name.....Tel.....Email.....

Please mark the events you wish to attend and give the numbers coming. Thank you.

EVENT	DATE	Names of Children	No. of Adults (if applicable)	COST	TOTAL
ACTIVATE TRAMPOLING	Mon 23 rd Oct 6-7pm			£5 per child (1 carer per SN child free, extra adult £5)	
SCARF 2 SKITTLES	Tues 24 th Oct (book with Lucinda by Mon 16 th Oct)			£6 per young person	
FORTUNE CENTRE A	Wed 25 th Oct 9.30am-12.30pm			£7 per child	
FORTUNE CENTRE B	Thurs 26 th Oct 9.30am-12.30pm			£7 per child	
ROMSEY RAPIDS	Sat 28 th Oct 5-6.15pm			£3 per swimmer	
TOTAL					

I enclose a cheque for £..... made payable to Scarf.

Please return the form to:

Lucinda Dowson
Scarf, PO Box 436, Lymington, SO41 1EN
Email: admin@scarfnewforest.org

Tel: 07874 221249

You will receive an email or telephone call either confirming your places or advising of a waiting list.

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Website: www.scarfnewforest.org