

SEND Family Voice

A monthly newsletter filled with news, information and events for all things SEND in the Redcar & Cleveland area.

Support over the holidays

With the upcoming 6 weeks holidays we wanted to remind parents and carers that here at SEND Family Voice we will still be around to offer support. The Facebook page and group will be updated daily with events happening in the area together with information posts.

We will also be offering a virtual coffee drop in so please feel free to join us online with a cuppa for a chat and a catch up. We know how lonely being a parent carer can be and the 6 weeks holidays can also mean more isolation for parents due to our children's needs.

We want to say we are always here! So please reach out to us via the Facebook page or our website if you need some support or just want to chat to someone who understands. There are also plenty of support groups out there to help including Contact, Carers Together, Mind plus many many more.

You Said, We did!

We know that a lot of parents struggle to attend our base in Grangetown due to its location, with this is mind the forum have decided to move to a more central location. We are moving into the Civic Centre in Redcar. This will provide a more central base for parents and carers and will allow us to host a weekly drop in for parents to come to our office with any issues they have or to pop in for a cuppa.

We will announce our moving in date soon and will of course have an official opening day!

Your Voice

We are keen to hear your views and opinions about the SEND services in Redcar and Cleveland. Please take a moment to complete this on the "Your Voice" section of the website. Good, bad or indifferent we want to hear from you!

News & Information

PINS Update

The PINS project is progressing nicely. Emma and Clare are meeting with the schools involved to discuss the project further and how they can support schools and families. We are now hosting parent and carer coffee mornings to provide more information about the project and the forum. We have detailed below when we are visiting schools and times. We look forward to meeting parents and carers of children with a diagnosed SEND, those on the pathway for assessment or if you have a concern about your child and their development.

8th July - Nunthorpe Primary School at 9am

10th July - Errington Primary School at 9am

10th July - Handale Primary School at 9am

10th July - Skelton Primary School at 1.30pm

11th July - Ormesby Primary School at 9am

11th July - St Gabriel's Primary School at 11.30am

11th July - Teesville Primary School at 9am

12th July - Galley Hill Primary School at 8.45am

12th July - Chaloner Prinary School at 1pm

15th July - Normanby Primary School at 9am

16th July - St Joseph's Primary School at 8.45am

17th July - St Paulinus Primary School at 8.45am

If your child attends any of the schools listed above, please feel free to come along to the coffee morning for a cuppa and chat. Please also feel free to bring along other parents and carers from the school. Free refreshments available at all events. There will also be information to take away about SEND Family Voice.

News & Information cont

HAF Summer Provider

We are delighted to be joining HAF Bring It On to provide some SEND friendly sessions for our families over the 6 weeks holidays. We are offering 3 sessions in total, 2 at our base in Grangetown and 1 at Senses Wellbeing CIC at Skelton. We have provided more details below. if you have any questions about the provision please contact us. If you would like to attend but transport is an issue please also drop us a message.





HAF Criteria

- Child / young person must live in Redcar and Cleveland
- Child / young person must have a diagnosis of SEND or be on the pathway for assessment

Parents are to remain with their child for the duration of the session.

We can allow 1 sibling to attend a session however they must be within the specified age for that session.

If you have any questions regarding the sessions or a sibling attending please contact us. We do not want to stop anyone from participating in these events or the venue itself to be an issue.

> Thank you **SEND Family Voice**



We are delighted to be working with HAF to bring exclusive SEND friendly sessions for our families this six week holidays!

Each session has space for 20 children and includes drinks and a lunch. Parents must remain with children at all times We ask families to be mindful and not book on all 3 events to ensure as many families as possible can access one.

Session 1

Tuesday 25th July 10.30am - 1.30pm

The Play Village at **Grangetown United Hub**

A 2 hour play session for children aged up to 6 years

Tuesday 6th August 10.30am - 1.30pm

Session 2

Arts and Craft Session at Grangetown United Hub

A 2 hour art and craft session for children aged 6 - 14 years

Session 3

Wednesday 21st August

Drumming therapy, Glow and **Dance and Sensory Play at** Senses Centre, Skelton

3 x 30 minute sessions of each for children aged 4-19 years





Join 'My Las Iguanas' via the App & Niños eat free with every adult main Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

SAINSBURYS CAFES Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm THE REAL GREEK Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink

every £10 spent by an adult TGI FRIDAYS Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase an adult's main meal (App needed)

Children under the age of 10 get free pizza at Purezza with every adult meal purchased TRAVELODGE & PREMIER INN Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up

to two kids eat breakfast for free Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal. **BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE** Two children under 16 can get a free

breakfast every day with one paying adult! Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day

with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

Spend £4.49 and get one free kids meal all day, every day.

1 Free Kids meal with every 60p Spend. Available from July 1st Scotland and NI - from July 22nd **England & Wales**

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants

From Monday 1st July - Friday 30th August 2024, kids eat free all day Mondays to Fridays at YO! Sushi (min adult spend £10).

WHITBREAD INNS Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs

COCONUT TREE

YO! SUSHI

BELLA ITALIA

One child (aged 10 and under) eats free per paying adult. Valid Daily, 12pm - 6pm from Monday 22nd July to Friday 6th Sept 2024.

DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES

At Dobbies, for every adult breakfast or lunch purchase, kids eat for FREE. Every Day!

TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

FUTURE INNS

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal. Copyright of MONEY SAVING CENTRAL

Important Contact Numbers

Sen Services - 01642 204503

Camhs - 0300 013 2000

Shortbreaks Self referral - 01642 771247

Daisy Chain Family Support - 01642 531248 (Option 1)

Carers Together - 01642 488977

Events



SEND Family Drop In

A great opportunity to meet professionals and service providers to see what is available for families in Redcar and Cleveland over the summer holidays and beyond.

Please feel free to drop by and say hello

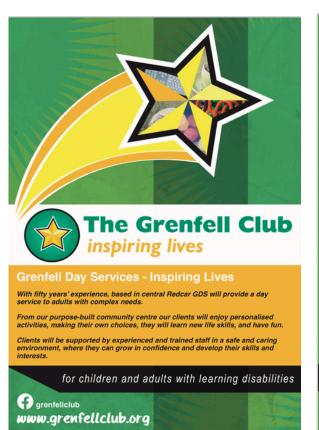
Upcoming SEND Family Voice Events

We have some exciting upcoming events planned from September onwards. All details will be posted on our Facebook Page and Group over the next few weeks.

We have detailed below some of the upcoming events

- SENDIASS Information Event
- Understanding Sensory Differences hosted by Contact
 - IPSEA Introduction to SEND Law
- Understanding Autistic Overload, Burnout and Meltdown hosted by Contact
 - SensoryWorx Information Session
 - Makaton Classes
 - Social Prescribing Service
 - Oral Healthcare Event

Events cont

















Saturday 20th July 2024 10am - 4pm

Join us to celebrate and fundraise for your local RNLI lifeboat station. Events on Redcar High Street and along the Esplanade outside Redcar RNLI.

- LIFEBOAT RESCUE DISPLAY 3PM
- EMERGENCY SERVICE INTERACTIVE DISPLAYS
- RNLI MEMORABILIA STALL
- MEET YOUR LOCAL VOLUNTEER CREW
- DONATE TO REDCAR STATION PRIZE DRAW





SEN Sessions

In and around the Redcar and Cleveland area.





Sunday SEN Session

Session specifically for SEN -Children with Special Education Need

No general public admittance.







Family Hub





In addition we also have some availability on our fully funded 10 week SEND Forest School

Thanks to funding from Woodsmith Foundation we are able to offer fully funded small group Forest and Beach School to children and young people. To qualify the child/YP must: Be aged 5-18 years, live in Redcar and Cleveland, and have an additional need or disability

This is for a block of 10 sessions and we have a couple of remaining spaces for our Thursday 4pm sessions beginning in April, so you must be able to come along to Saltburn on this day and time to qualify. To express your interest in your child/young person been involved in this project please contact us: woodswaves2022@gmail.com / 07533366410



