

# Activity Calendar



Somerset  
Council

Community Inclusion  
and Activity Team

May Holidays  
Tues 26 - Fri 29 May



For ALL children and young people in Somerset with a disability or additional needs  
\*You DO NOT have to be referred to any service to access these activities, unless otherwise stated.

TUESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> MAY

**Community Inclusion Activity Day**  
ARK, Egwood, Merriott, Somerset,  
TA16 5QN.

A relaxed, fun day of spending time with animals, outdoor games, BBQ lunch, campfire, bushcraft skills and toasting marshmallows. Young people new to our service will need to attend with a parent/carer or if 1-1 support is required. 10am-2pm. For ages 8-18th birthday. £10 per person. Carers go free.

**To book, call 07977 412199 from 10am on 5 May.**

**From 6 May onwards, bookings can be made via email only: [CIATeam@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:CIATeam@somerset.gov.uk)**



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**Nova Sports**

Harry's Hydro, Critchell School, Frome, BA11 4LB.

Hydrotherapy - Family swim sessions in warm water for neurodivergent young people and those with physical disabilities. 10am-12pm For all ages. £5 per person.

**To book, please email at [bookings@novasports.org.uk](mailto:bookings@novasports.org.uk) or call 07880 743453**



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**Neroche Woodlanders**

Young Wood, Staple Fitzpaine TA3 5AZ.

Sessions begin with a fire-circle gathering, then time for families to explore and play within our flat woodland area. Activities follow seasonal themes such as identifying trees, buds, leaves, and animal tracks. We return for snack/lunch, enjoy child-led play and seasonal crafts, and take part in a small campfire cooking activity. Hot drinks are available for parents/carers, with cold drinks for children. Families bring their own food. We finish with a final circle to reflect on highlights and learning. 11am-2pm. For 2-18th birthday. £10 per family.

**To book, please email [sarah@nerochewoodlanders.org](mailto:sarah@nerochewoodlanders.org) or go to [www.nerochewoodlanders.org](http://www.nerochewoodlanders.org)**



WEDNESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> MAY

**Shared Earth**

Vallis Veg, BA11 3JQ.  
Nature based activities and play incorporating nature-studies, crafts, gardening, games, shelter-building and simple campfire cooking. Child led games and activities to enhance environmental awareness and appreciation of the outdoors. 10am-2:30pm. For ages 8-18yrs. £15 per person.

**To book, please email [sharedearthbookings@gmail.com](mailto:sharedearthbookings@gmail.com)**



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**Rainbow Roots**

Dove Barn, Manor Farm, Silver Street, Barton St David, TA11 6DB.

Spring into Creativity! Enjoy indoor and outdoor activities, including games, mixed media arts and crafts, sensory play, nature based activities and mindful moments. Activities are themed around spring, with a focus on creativity, wellbeing and fun in a calm, supportive environment. 10:30am-12:30pm. For ages 5-12yrs. £9.50 per person

**To book, please email [hello@rainbowroots.uk](mailto:hello@rainbowroots.uk)**



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**Purple Elephant**

Key Centre, Feltham Lane, Frome, BA11 5AJ.

Family Holiday Fun! Enjoy Fimo modelling: Come and explore the world of Fimo! Healthy hot meal available for everyone. 10am-1pm. For ages 0-13yrs. £3 suggested donation.

**To book, please email [rebeccaharrison@purpleelephant.org.uk](mailto:rebeccaharrison@purpleelephant.org.uk)**



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**Wilderwoods**

Wilderwoods, East Street, Drayton, Langport, TA10 0JZ.

Family Play Day. Exploration, build a den, campfire, toast marshmallows, woodland crafts, stories & songs. 2-5pm. For ages 3-10yrs. £10 per child/adult. £15 per family (1 adult & 2 children).

**To book, please email [hannah@wilderwoods.org](mailto:hannah@wilderwoods.org) or call 07970 883264/07552230302**



THURSDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> MAY

**Community Inclusion Activity Day**

Wildwood Devon, Escot Park, Ottery St Mary, Devon, EX11 1LU.  
Enjoy a family day out at Wildwood, home to brown bears, wolves, arctic foxes, red squirrels and more! Indoor and outdoor play areas, hedge maze and Saxon village where children can enjoy endless fun. Staff on site throughout the day for support. 10am-3pm. For all ages. £5 per person.

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**Nova Sports**

Key Centre, Frome, BA11 5AJ.  
Sensory play sport activities run by specialist Nova coaches. Go on sensory journey through the smells, sounds, feels and actions of playing. Enquire if you're not sure whether this activity is suitable for your child. 10am-11:30am. For ages 4-12yrs. £10 per person.

**To book, please email at [bookings@novasports.org.uk](mailto:bookings@novasports.org.uk) or call 07880 743453**



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**Nova Sports**

Frome Boulder Rooms, BA11 3EN.  
Try out the climbing walls at Frome Boulder Rooms. Supported by instructors and Nova staff. 1:30-2:30pm. For 8-18 years. £10 per person.

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FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY

**Nova Sports**

Frome Youth Centre, BA11 3EF.  
Free play sensory gymnastics activities facilitated by a specialist gymnastics teacher alongside Nova coaches. Enquire if you're not sure whether this activity is suitable for your child. 12:30-1:15pm & 13:15-2pm For ages 4-12yrs. £10 per person.

**To book, please email at [bookings@novasports.org.uk](mailto:bookings@novasports.org.uk) or call 07880 743453**



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**Green Goblins Games Club**

Riverside Church, The Exchange, Hamilton Rd, Taunton, TA1 2EQ.  
Tabletop games including Pokemon Trading Card Game, Board Games and D&D Roleplay Games. 6-10.30pm. For age 10+ (under 10s may attend when accompanied by a parent carer). £4 entry. First time free. Parent carers free.

**To book, please contact Michael Ford on 07733066157 or email [email@greengoblinsgamesclub.co.uk](mailto:email@greengoblinsgamesclub.co.uk)**



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**Minehead Eye**

Minehead Eye Centre, 1A Mart Road, Minehead, TA24 5BJ.

This session offers exclusive access to the whole Minehead Eye centre including skatepark, cafe, climbing cave and music rooms. There will be a sensory themed area along with an arts and crafts area. The Skatepark will be open with scooters, skateboards, roller skates and all equipment included. The cafe will be open throughout the session for families. This is an accessible and relaxed session with a reduced-stimulus environment, including quieter breakout spaces, calm zones with good sound insulation, and flexible lighting to support individual needs. 2:30-4:30pm. For ages 3+ £2 per child.

**To book, please email [www.mineheadeye.co.uk](http://www.mineheadeye.co.uk)**



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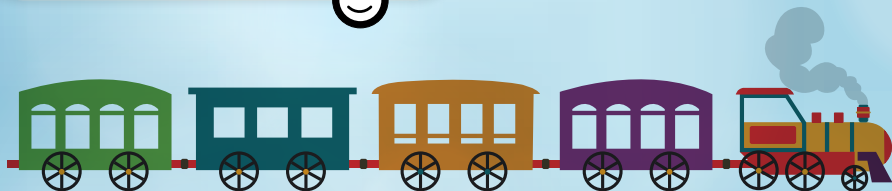


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**In the Mix**

The Hub Centre, Hartswell, South Street, Wiveliscombe, TA4 2NE. All Steam Ahead! Travel along West Somerset Railway, take part in themed games and activities, and have an ice cream by the sea. 10am-1pm. For ages 11-18yrs. £5 per person.

To book, please email [Emma.Carberry@inthemixproject.org.uk](mailto:Emma.Carberry@inthemixproject.org.uk) or call 01984 629510



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**Children's World**

Glastonbury Town Hall, Magdalene Street, Glastonbury, BA6 9EL. Tor Theatre Presents inclusive interactive storytelling and limericks with the Mad Professor followed by Tor Theatre's brand new show 'The Rum Tour of the Moon Fleet Diamond'. 1:30-3:30pm. For all ages. £5 per child. Parent carer free.

To book, please email [info@childrensworldcharity.org](mailto:info@childrensworldcharity.org) or call 01458 883693.



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**The Balsam Centre**

The Balsam Centre, Balsam Park, Wincanton BA9 9HB. Parking postcode - BA9 9PA. Fun outdoor and craft activities. Something to make using natural materials. Campfire cooking. (if raining will be held indoors. craft and fun games). 10am-1pm. For all ages. £5 per family.

To book, please email [info@balsamcentre.org.uk](mailto:info@balsamcentre.org.uk)



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**Emma Bettridge Projects**

Wiveliscombe Library, TA4 2JT. Stories in the Wilds - making up stories, on a walk, with author Emma & her dog Nell. 10:30am-12pm. For ages 5-15yrs. £3 per child, parent carer free.

To book, please call 07930846722 or email [elbettridge@outlook.com](mailto:elbettridge@outlook.com)



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**Emma Bettridge Projects**

Wiveliscombe Library, TA4 2JT. Story Club - book club for kids! Make up stories with us, talk about books we like (or don't!) & share our ideas. 2-3pm. For ages 5-15yrs. £3 per child, parent carer free.

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WHAT'S ON ACROSS THE WEEK?

Tuesday 26 - Friday 29 May

**Brookside Academy, Street, BA16 0PR**

A variety of indoor and outdoor activities, including arts & crafts, cooking, messy and sensory play, sports and more! There will be themed activities throughout the holiday. All our activities are fully inclusive, allowing us to meet all needs. We are a wheelchair accessible setting with changing facilities. For 4-13 yrs (must be school age), 9am-3pm, £27pp. For 14-18th birthday, 9am-3pm, £30pp. Wrap around care available from 3pm-4pm. Cost £4.50pp.

**For siblings:**

For 4-13 years (must be school age), 9am-3pm, £24pp. Wrap around care available 3-4pm. Cost £4.20pp.

To book, please email [extendedschools@brooksideacademy.co.uk](mailto:extendedschools@brooksideacademy.co.uk) or call Tom Ball on 01458 443340



ACTIVITY PACKS

**Step4ward-in2-growth**

For the May half term packs, I will be focussing on blossom crafts and nature spotter packs, along with the tailor-made element! Each pack is tailor made to keep each individual busy at home, with reading, puzzles, crafting, toys and games. All screen free activities and no special equipment needed. Hand delivered if local to Shepton Mallet or sent by Royal Mail. For ages 3-18th birthday. £3 per pack.

To order, please contact Becky on 07737 331174, email [Step4ward-in2growth@mail.com](mailto:Step4ward-in2growth@mail.com)



## Key for activities:



**Family Activity - for all members of the family to attend and enjoy**



**Child/Young person can attend on their own under group supervision or with parent/carer if additional 1:1 support is required - please call the organisation to have a chat**



**Child/young person must attend with a parent or carer**



**Staff provided by the organisation to support the child/young person 1:1 if required - please call the organisation to see what they can provide as this may not include personal care**



**Some parts of the activity are wheelchair accessible please call the organisation to find out more**



**Accessible changing facilities are available please call the venue to find out more**



**Activities aimed at young people/teenagers/young adults**

## Useful Information

**Who are the people offering the activities?** Organisations who have experience of working with children and young people with a disability or additional need and their families. Activities can be adapted to suit the children and young people who would like to attend. Please call them to chat about your child / young person's needs.

**Activities offered by the Community Inclusion and Activity Team -** Dependant on the child / young person needs, we can provide a day out without parent / carer as we offer group supervision. If it is the first time your child / young person has accessed a trip with our team, a parent/ carer will need to attend. We require payment a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the day. Please note, spaces for children and young people with a disability or additional need will be prioritised first, with spaces offered to siblings once bookings have closed if we have room.

**Online payment at [www.somerset.gov.uk/cwd](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/cwd)**

**Don't forget our Activity Day Passes -** Available to ALL families in Somerset with a child or young person with a disability or additional need - Puxton Park, Noah's Ark, The Bristol Zoo Project, Abbotsbury, Ferne Animal Sanctuary, Hestercombe gardens, Court farm. Email [ciateam@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:ciateam@somerset.gov.uk) to find out more or visit [www.somerset.gov.uk/activity-passes](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/activity-passes) to view the flyer.

**Max Card -** A FREE card for all children and young people with a disability or additional need in Somerset aged 0-25 years. This card can be used at many places all over the UK offering discounts and special rates when you show the card. Visit [www.somerset.gov.uk/max-card](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/max-card) for more information on how to access this card. **Cards can ONLY be issued by Somerset Council to people living in Somerset.**

**If you would like help with the calendar and how to access activities, please email [ciateam@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:ciateam@somerset.gov.uk) and someone will be in touch to support you.**

**If any family have questions about the days, ask the CIATeam and they can go directly to the provider.**