

Community News and Notices

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please find below the community clubs, events and courses, that are running locally. These generally go in in date order, so please look further down for new events added, some courses and clubs may get booked up well before they run.

If you would like a Club or local Children/Family event to be added to the Newsletter, just e-mail the school office at office@brookprimary.co.uk and we will add in for you!

Please Note: This is just an information bulletin. We do not endorse the information contained.



HI Friends of Histon & Immingham Community
Registered Charity 1188178
Bringing people together to improve wellbeing

Neurodivergent-Friendly
Games Night

Quiet night out

- A welcoming neurodivergent-friendly space for everyone to relax and play
- Meet new people or play quietly with your family & friends.
- Bring your own game or choose from our selection of card games, board games and more!

Histon Methodist Church Hall, 6pm-7:30pm

2026 dates:
8th May, 12th June, 10th July,
11th September, 9th October,
13th November, 11th December

For more info, please contact:
liz@hifriends.org.uk

£2



Histon Green Cake Stall



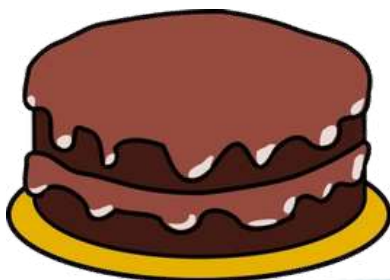
Opportunity Playgroup is holding a cake stall on Histon Green on

Saturday 9th May
8.30am-12noon

Please come and support us.

There will be lots of delicious homemade treats such as biscuits, big cakes, cupcakes, scones and more...

We will also have some crafts and books for sale. Cash only.



🍰🍪🍰 Save The Date.... Opportunity Playgroup is holding a fundraising Cake Stall on Histon Green on Saturday 9th May from 8.30am-12noon. 🍰🍪🍰

Please come and support us. There will be lots of delicious homemade treats such as biscuits, big cakes, cupcakes, scones and more... We will also have some crafts and books for sale. Cash only.

Opportunity Playgroup provides play for pre-school children with additional needs and disabilities and their siblings. It also provides a chance for parents and carers to meet and chat in a comfortable and supportive environment. The playgroup meets on Monday afternoons during school term time, between 1-3pm.



The Outdoors Project
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THE OUTDOORS PROJECT

MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY CLUBS

MILTON COUNTRY PARK WILD PLACE

TUESDAY 26 MAY
NATURE NINJAS: PROTECTORS OF THE PLANET
Join us as we learn how to take care of our planet through a day of hands-on nature fun! We'll try eco guerrilla gardening, head out on a bug hunt to explore tiny habitats & make plant print art inspired by the patterns in nature. A day about noticing the wonders in nature & learning simple ways to help our planet thrive!

WEDNESDAY 27 MAY
BUSHCRAFT VS MINECRAFT
Minecraft comes to life outdoors! Team up to build your village using real bushcraft skills, earn reward pixels for completing survival challenges, & search for hidden resources to craft your tools. Take on Creeper & Lava Chicken games, protect your base, & experience Minecraft like never before! (knowledge of Minecraft is not required!)

THURSDAY 28 MAY
NERF: RISE OF THE MACHINES
NEW for 2026! We'll team up to engineer giant robots, design our own mini clay machines & bring them to life before stepping into our high energy Nerf missions. From robot invasion & rescue, to alien attack games, it's a sci-fi day packed with teamwork, creativity & action!
(Ages 6+ recommended)

FRIDAY 29 MAY
CAMPING HACKS: ULTIMATE OUTDOOR SKILLS
A hands-on day of real camping skills & outdoor fun! Kids will learn how to pitch a tent, carve creations from soap, toast popcorn over the campfire & play different team games. It's a confidence-building day to learn new skills, work together & enjoy the simple joy of being outdoors!

ROAM
THE OUTDOORS PROJECT

"NO SCREENS, JUST GOOD FUN OUTSIDE"
★★★★★

OUTDOOR AMBASSADOR
THE OUTDOORS PROJECT

NERF SHARP SHOOTER
THE OUTDOORS PROJECT

"THE KIND OF DAY EVERY CHILD SHOULD HAVE"
★★★★★

For more info on dates, locations, how the clubs run & to book: www.theoutdoorsproject.co.uk

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PARENT CONNECT:

INFO AND SUPPORT FOR PARENTS AND CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS


CAMBRIDGE NATWEST-PETTY CURY

WED- 22ND APRIL, 20TH MAY

24TH JUNE, 15 JULY

10AM-12PM

**Please note: Parent Connect sessions are a space to pause and find out helpful ways to support your family. Kindly no children.*

   @PinpointCambs
www.pinpoint-cambs.org.uk

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PARENT CONNECT: COTTENHAM

INFO AND SUPPORT FOR PARENTS AND CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS




COTTENHAM VILLAGE HALL PAVILION

MON 27TH APRIL, MON 8TH JUNE,

MON 6TH JULY

10AM-12PM

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PARENT CONNECT: CAMBRIDGE

INFO AND SUPPORT FOR PARENTS AND CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS

CLEDARA ABBEY STADIUM-DIRECTORS LOUNGE

WEDNESDAY 6TH MAY, 10TH JUNE, 8TH JULY

10.30AM-12.30PM

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EPIPHANY THEATRE PRESENTS

Disney



HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL JR.

SUMMER PRODUCTION:

**Monday 17th Aug - Saturday 22nd Aug
(+ Sunday 5th & Sunday 12th July)**

AUDITIONS:

Wednesday 13th May. 5-7pm

Ages 8 - 18. Northstowe Secondary College

**More information and
sign up via QR Code**





MAY HALF TERM KIDS WORKSHOPS

Printmaking and mark-making for children aged 5+
26–31 May 2026 · Sol Creative Foundry, Cambridge

STYROFOAM PRINTING

with Su Morris

Tue 26 May · 10:30 - 11:30am

Wed 27 May · 1:30 - 2:30pm

£12 per child

LINO PRINTING - FAMILY SESSION

with Su Morris

Tue 26 May · 1:30pm - 4:30pm

Wed 27 May · 9:30am - 2:30pm

£39 per family

CYANOTYPE PRINTING

with Su Morris

Sat 30 May · 10:30am - 12:00pm

Sat 30 May · 2:00pm - 3:30pm

£12 per child

WILD LINES: INKS & PASTELS

with Christine Haseldine

Sun 31 May · 10:30am - 12:00pm

Sun 31 May · 2:00pm - 3:30pm

£11 per child

CAFÉ POP-UPS

Tue 26 & Wed 27 May - Amor Coffee Company

Sat 30 & Sun 31 May - Turtle Dove Cambridge

All materials included · No experience needed · Spaces are limited, advance booking required



To book your spot or find out more:

solcreativefoundry.com/halfterm

sneh@solcreativefoundry.com

[@solcreativefoundry](https://www.instagram.com/solcreativefoundry)

Sol Creative Foundry

Unit 5, Irwin Centre,

Dry Drayton, CB23 8AR



Free Webinars for Parents & Carers



Parents & Carers Cyber Choices and Online Safety Events

Please note there are two parts to the parent events, and you will need to register for each independently. This session is suitable for parents/carers of children in Year 5 (age 9) and above. This is an opportunity to learn and ask questions regarding your child's online world.

If you think these events may be of interest to others, please forward this information on to them. For any questions, please email us at cyberprotectersou@beds.police.uk.

Parents Event - Pt1 - Introduction to Cyber Choices and Online Risks

This session will introduce you to the [Cyber Choices programme](#) and will provide:

- An overview to parents and carers on what cybercrime is.
- What the risks to young people are.
- How the Cyber Choices programme supports at-risk individuals.
- How you can refer a young person into Cyber Choices.

You will also receive an overview of:

- Some of the potential risks that children and young people may experience online.
- Advice to support parents to make informed decisions and keep their children safer online.

These events are **free**, and you can book your tickets directly via:

Wednesday 11 th March	14:00 – 15:00 - Link
Thursday 7 th May	13:00 – 14:00 - Link
Monday 6 th July	10:00 – 11:00 - Link
Wednesday 23 rd September	16:00 – 17:00 - Link
Tuesday 10 th November	11:00 – 12:00 - Link

Parents Event - Pt2 - Tools and techniques to improve the cyber security of your family

This session will:

- Provide advice on how to improve your personal cyber security.
- Help you to identify and protect your (and your children's) key accounts.
- Identify threats and techniques that cyber criminals may use to target you / your family.
- Highlight the benefits of family accounts.
- Identify parental controls on your router.
- Signposting to useful resources.

Advice and guidance from the session will be in line with the Government's [Stop! Think Fraud](#) and the National Cyber Security Centres [CyberAware](#) campaign.

These events are **free**, and you can book your tickets directly via:

Wednesday 18 th March	10:00 – 11:00 - Link
Thursday 14 th May	13:00 – 14:00 - Link
Monday 13 th July	10:00 – 11:00 - Link
Wednesday 30 th September	16:00 – 17:00 - Link
Tuesday 17 th November	16:00 – 17:00 - Link

MathsFit



HOLIDAY CLUB

Histon Brook Primary School

SCHOOLS OUT SO COME AND JOIN THE FUN AT MATHSFIT!

- Boost maths confidence
- Burn energy
- Make friends
- Have FUN!

Wednesday 27th May

9am - 3.30pm

Open to years 1-5

£35 per child

Please use discount code **sibling10%** if booking siblings

SIGN UP YOUR CHILD TO THE AWARD WINNING CLUB



Welcoming Wednesdays:

Wellbeing and Education Support

A friendly, safe, and confidential space where our team of professionals and volunteers can support your family's wellbeing and education.

10 am – 1 pm
Every Wednesday
(term time only)

Cambridge Acorn Project
Cambridgeshire Music,
New School Road,
Histon, Cambridge
CB24 9LL

We're here for you
and your family,
please reach out.



We can help with:



Education, tips and strategies to support your child at home.



Form-filling, practical admin support, & signposting to services.



Therapeutic support.

Scan for more info: →



**Cambridge
Acorn Project**

www.cambridgeacornproject.org.uk

AGE 16-24?

CARE FOR
SOMEONE AT
HOME?

Free monthly creative
workshop in Cambridge

Calm space* Artist-led
Food provided* Friends welcome

Book: learning@kettlesyard.cam.ac.uk





South
Cambridgeshire
District Council

May half-term

Netball camps

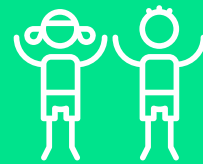
Fun and fitness for children
during the school holidays



Wednesday
27 May 2026
10am to 3.30pm



Impington Village
College Sports
Centre, CB24 9LX



For children in
Year 3 to Year 9
of all abilities



£25 per child per day
£23 per child per day
for siblings

- ✓ All coaches are suitably checked and qualified.
- ✓ Appropriate footwear and clothing for outdoors is essential.
- ✓ Snacks and lunch and plenty to drink should be brought.



In a safe setting,
children can develop
skills and put them
into practice

Book now for a place on our May half-term netball camps!

For more information:

✉ holiday.camps@scambs.gov.uk

To book:

➡ www.scambs.gov.uk/sportscamps



Dear Parents and Carers,

We're pleased to share information about our open trials for next season's Development Centres, which will be taking place over the coming months.

Trials will be held across Cambridgeshire, Peterborough, Suffolk, Hertfordshire, and Bedfordshire, offering pupils (girls and boys) the opportunity to access additional high-quality football coaching alongside their school football.

Full trial details and registration information can be found here!

<https://www.abler.io/shop/ncfcfd/trials>

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you require any further information.

Kind regards, James Atherton
Business and operations assistant
Norwich City Football Development

james.atherton@canaries.co.uk
[Norwich City - A Home for Everyone](#)



FOOTBALL
DEVELOPMENT

OPEN TRIALS

TRIALS IN:

PETERBOROUGH

CAMBRIDGESHIRE

HERTFORDSHIRE

SUFFOLK

SURREY



SCAN
HERE
TO
BOOK



Farmers Fayres Market



HISTON

Methodist Church
22 High St, CB24 9JD

**3rd Saturday every month
from 9.30 to 12.30**

2026

17th January
21st February
21st March
18th April
16th May
20th June

18th July
No market in August
19th September
17th October
21st November
19th December

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EPIPHANY THEATRE PRESENTS



ROALD DAHL'S
Matilda
THE MUSICAL
JR.

BOOK
DENNIS KELLY

DIRECTOR
SAM SKINNER

MUSIC & LYRICS
TIM MINCHIN

Northstowe
Secondary
College

Friday 26th June
Saturday 27th June
6:30pm

Concessions - £8
Adults - £10
via Ticketsource

Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical JR. is presented through special arrangement with
and all authorized materials are supplied by
Music Theatre International, New York, NY
(212) 541-4684 mtishows.com

Coffee & Connect



2nd Monday Monthly | 10-11:30am

SEND Support Group

for local parents & carers of children & young people with additional needs

A monthly support group offering an informal and welcoming space to meet, chat & make connections with other parents & carers of children with SEND.

Whether your child attends a mainstream or special school, is not currently at school, is diagnosed or undiagnosed, we would love to see you - everyone is welcome. Come along to meet other parents & make new friends, or just drop in for a quick coffee.

It's free - just bring yourself!

Kay Hitch Way Community Centre
Histon, CB24 9YR

Contact: Liz@hifriends.org.uk

2026 dates:

January 12th

February 9th

March 9th

April (TBC)

May 18th

June 8th

July 13th



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**Bringing people
together to
improve wellbeing**



26 - 29 MAY

- 9:00 - 15:30
- £30+VAT per day
- **Please Bring:**
Lunch / Snacks / Drink

**COME
& EXPLORE
ENDLESS
FUN**

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HIGHFIELDS RD, HIGHFIELDS CALDECOTE,
CAMBRIDGE CB23 7NX**



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Together Everyone Achieves More

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Creative arts & crafts
Prizes, medals & trophies
Safe, fun & active environment



**SIBLING
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& BLOCK
BOOKING
AVAILABLE**

ACTIVITIES

- ARTS & CRAFTS
- MINI FOOTBALL
- ATHLETICS
- DODGEBALL
- FOOTBALL
- CRICKET
- HOCKEY
- TENNIS
- TABLE FOOTBALL
- AIR HOCKEY
- CAPTURE THE FLAG
- EXTREME HIDE & SEEK
- BASKETBALL
- TRI-GOLF
- BADMINTON
- AND MORE...

**FOR ALL BOOKINGS, PLEASE VISIT
[JSSSPORTS-EDUCATION.MAGICBOOKING.CO.UK](https://www.magicbooking.co.uk)**

**FOR ANY QUESTIONS CONTACT:
CAMPS@JSSSPORTS-EDUCATION.CO.UK**



JS Sports & Education
Supporting Education through Sport

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EA/mlc

Apr2026

Dear Parent/Carer

May Half Term Music Workshop

Summary of Actions

Deadline

May Half Term Music Workshop: 10am to 4pm,

Tuesday 26 and Wednesday 27 May



Online sign-up and further information
<https://forms.office.com/e/gpyZ4SkzV0>

Closing dates for applications:
Wednesday 20 May 2026

In September 2024 we launched the brand new Bottisham Music Centre (BMC) based at Bottisham Village College. BMC is open to all budding musicians currently in school years 3-7. Our holiday workshops cater for all abilities, from complete beginners to experienced musicians, and we are pleased to announce that booking is now available for our May half-term course (Tuesday 26 and Wednesday 27 February).

This is a 2-day course in which students will take part in workshop sessions that will develop a wide range of music making skills and provide opportunities to learn and perform with other young musicians. Many of our groups cater for complete beginners, whilst others require some experience. Our balanced programme ensures that we are able to cater for everyone. The workshop will culminate in a performance to family and friends to showcase our work at the end of the second day.

Music sessions will be led by the Bottisham Music Centre team who are all experienced musicians and educators. The following sessions are available at our February workshop. Choose **one** activity from each group.

Group A

- **Rock School** (Keyboard, Guitar/Ukulele, Bass, Drums): Work on playing a popular song to perform alongside Rock choir
- **Rock Choir**: Sing as a group with our Rock School band

Total cost for 2-day workshop: £60 per child, Sibling discount: £100 for 2 children from the same family

Online Payment:

Account Name: Anglian learning t/a Bottisham village college

Account Number: 43596184

Sort Code: 201768

Reference: BVCMS, followed by Child's First Initial & Child's Surname

For further information or questions, please contact Mrs Emma Andrews BMC@bottishamvc.org

Yours sincerely,

Mrs E Andrews Centre Manager Bottisham Music Centre

Junior netball at SVC!

Develop your skills and build confidence on our 5-week netball course.

Free taster day on Thursday 4 June!

Thursdays* at Swavesey Village College

4.15: School years 4, 5 & 6

5.15: School years 7, 8 & 9

4 June: Free taster

11 June to 9 July:



For more info and to book:
gkfit.co.uk/netball



Antarctic Adventure: Tales from a polar scientist

Histon Library, 26th May, 10am start

Suitable for ages 7-14 with accompanying adult.

**Tickets £2 per family from the library or contact
BarHill.Library@cambridgeshire.gov.uk**

Calling all budding polar explorers! Join us as we set sail south to the bottom of the world, to a place where solid sea ice covers the ocean, penguins hitch rides on drifting icebergs, and giant rivers of ice flow from the land into the sea.

After 6 weeks in the Southern Ocean on board the Royal Research Ship *Sir David Attenborough*, Roseanne Smith (PhD researcher at the British Antarctic Survey) has returned to the UK and will share her story of the amazing sights, sounds and science of Antarctica.

This story-based session will include some interactive activities and even some real Antarctic ice all the way from the frozen continent.



Cambridgeshire
Libraries



Spydus Library App



National
Year of
Reading
2026



Cambridgeshire
Libraries



@cambslib



Cambridgeshire
County Council

www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/library

KEEPING UP WITH THEM CHILDREN **MATHS**

This is an adult only informal course which will help you to support your primary aged child's learning at home. We'll show you some of the teaching methods your child's school uses and explore games and everyday activities to make learning at home fun!

You can also gain skills for volunteering or working with children.

Venue: Cambourne Library

Day: Wednesday

Start Date: 3/6/26

End Date: 8/7/26

Time: 1pm - 2.30pm

To book a space please contact Cambourne Child and Family Centre
01954 284 672

ChildAndFamilyCentre.South@cambridgeshire.gov.uk



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CENTENARY FESTIVAL

Celebrating
Histon & Impington
Recreation Ground

1926-2026

**Weds
24th June
6.30pm**

Festival
Marquee

Histon & Impington
Recreation Ground

Tickets available from:
Neil 07502 372852 or
info@hifriends.org.uk or
www.hifriends.org.uk

Tickets:

£60 per person or
£55 per person
for table of 8 or 10

Dress: Smart casual

Signed autobiographies
and boxing gloves as
raffle prizes!

HI Friends presents CENTENARY SPORTING DINNER

**WITH SPECIAL GUEST:
Barry McGuigan**

**Former world championship boxer and
national celebrity**

3-course meal and licensed bar



**A fundraising event for
www.hifriends.org.uk**



THE PERSE
SCHOOL
CAMBRIDGE

SUMMER SCHOOL 2026

6 - 31 JULY

Ages 7-14

Activities on offer include sports, drama, art, science, baking, outdoor pursuits and engineering. For a full list of activities available, visit perse Summerschool.co.uk

PUPILS FROM ALL SCHOOLS WELCOME

PerseSummerSchool.co.uk



Performing Arts Summer School

AGES
4-16
YEARS

Histon and Impington
Brook Primary School

Monday 28th July - Friday 31st July
10am - 4pm

EARLY BIRD
DISCOUNT
UNTIL 1ST
MARCH!

To book your space email
info@onstagepa.co.uk

FAMILY CEILIDH



All ages welcome. No booking required.

Come and join the fun!

2nd Saturday of the
month (excl. Apr, Aug)

2:30 – 4:00pm

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£8 per family group



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**For ages
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14/04/26 for summer camps

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