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Sporting Challenge Activities.


Welcome to the latest flyer.

All Sporting Challenge invoices must be paid within 28 days. I hope you all enjoy some of the new activities we are trying this month.

Some other news to share with you. Member of staff Claire has changed jobs and moved on, a big thank-you from everyone to Claire for all her hard work.

The next flyer will be out by 20th June 2019.

Best wishes,

Edward McCarthy Sporting Challenge Activities Coordinator.

For further information – please contact EdwardEMSS@gmail.com or Tel 07971 299606.

Funding News.

We have been awarded £735 from Cllr M Perks who is the LCC Champion for Youth. Also £350 from Cllr P Steen who is the Champion for the Disabled. A huge thank-you from Sporting Challenge.

Safeguarding.

All our staff have had training relating to Safeguarding. This means about keeping you safe. We are committed to safeguarding all of our members and promoting their welfare and expect all our staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

At our activities you should always feel safe and protected. If you don’t and you feel scared or threatened in any way, or if you see, hear or think that anyone is being bullied or hurt in any way you speak to any staff member, Edward or your parents/carers.

Information.

• If you are dropped off by a parent/volunteer you still pay full group price.
• We still need to know if you are coming even if with your own staff, you can’t just turn up, for a number of reasons.
• You can only come to one Bowling unless you come with your own support.
• If you prefer you can pay for all your activities monthly by cheque or online, please ask for details. If you pay by bank transfer put the month as your reference.
• If you would like a receipt for the payments or the activities this is available if you email Edward.
• If you have a blue badge please bring it.
• When staff/volunteer/parents drop people off please make sure it is outside the person’s house and make sure you see them go in.
## Activities

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<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
<th>Venue</th>
<th>Cost if with the group</th>
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<td>3rd June</td>
<td>Bowling in Southport</td>
<td>At Tenpin in Southport.</td>
<td>£11</td>
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<td>5th June</td>
<td>Boccia and New Age Kurling</td>
<td>The Arts Centre, Burscough Wharf.</td>
<td>£10</td>
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<td>10th June</td>
<td>Dance</td>
<td>Dance with McDonald Dance.</td>
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<td>12th June</td>
<td>Sailing at Southport Marine Lake</td>
<td>West Lancs Yacht Club, Marine Drive, Southport PR8 1SQ.</td>
<td>£10</td>
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<td>17th June</td>
<td>Bowling in Wigan.</td>
<td>At Hollywood Bowl in Wigan.</td>
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<td>19th June</td>
<td>Driving Range Golf</td>
<td>Clarkes Golf Centre, Rainford By Pass A570, Rainford.</td>
<td>£10</td>
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<td>7pm</td>
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<td>26th June</td>
<td>Nintendo Night and VR Night.</td>
<td>The Arts Centre, Burscough Wharf.</td>
<td>£10</td>
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<td>27th June</td>
<td>Aerobics</td>
<td>Aerobics with Amanda. At the Burscough Old People’s Club.</td>
<td>£7</td>
<td>£4</td>
<td>7:30-8:30pm</td>
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Information.

- Food or drink is NOT allowed in staff cars.
- If you have not had your pick up details before the morning of the activity please get in touch by phone/text message.
- The Sporting Challenge Complaints and Compliments Policy is available on request or on our website.

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Other Activities:

Discos.
The Big Night Out takes place between once a month on one Friday from 7:30pm-10:30pm at The Wardens, 244 Blaguegate Lane, Skelmersdale Lancs WN8 8TX. There is an entry cost.

The Maghull Disco is once a month on one Friday at 7:30pm, Maghull Town Hall, Hall Lane, Maghull, Liverpool Merseyside L31 7BB. There is an entry cost.

These are nothing to do with Sporting Challenge. The Wardens call 01695 722371, Maghull Town Hall 0151 526 3705. Please check which Friday they are on.

Sessions in Southport.
Splashworld have quieter sessions costing £6.50 with a free carer place. They are on Fridays details on page more details can be found using the following link — www.splashworldsouthport.com/inclusive-sessions Also why not try Southport Special Athletes www.southportspecialathletes.org.uk

Activity Cancellations
We understand that sometimes it is necessary to cancel activities that you have booked. We would appreciate it however, if you could give at least 2 days’ notice of cancellation so that we have time to offer your place to someone else. If you don’t give 2 days’ notice or do not inform us at all we may have to charge you the cost of the activity even if you are coming with your own support especially where we have had to pay in advance for places.

If you are genuinely unwell on the day of the Activity then you should still inform us and if you cancel in enough time you would not be charged.
Active Travel – Bikes.
Sporting Challenge are a member of Sefton’s Active Travel Scheme.
Why not join the Sporting Challenge Facebook Group?
https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/197216310299358/

The page is just for our group, please don’t add people on. Only for Sporting Challenge attendees, Sporting Challenge Staff and parents no one else.

E Bay.
Please donate to Timesavers when you use E Bay.

Activities information.

• Boccia and New Age Kurling. Burscough Wharf Arts Centre. Session run by Domino Partnerships.
• Our Dance session is run by McDonald Dance. At the Legion on Lord St Burscough.
• Bowling at Tenpin in Southport at Ocean Plaza or Hollywood Bowl. Please chose the bowling NEAREST your home.
• Aerobics with Amanda Baldwin at Burscough Old People’s Club. Please bring a drink with you.
• Nintendo Night is at Burscough Wharf.
• In between goes at Boccia/Kurling/Switch night please enjoy a go on our handheld consoles/games.
• Sailing. We will be trying a range of boats/sailing in Southport. Please bring a drink and wear suitable clothing. At West Lancs Yacht Club in Southport.
• Driving Range Golf in Rainford. Bring money for a drink.