



*Providing Sporting Activities for
People with additional needs in West Lancashire*

Registered Charity No.1140207

www.sporting-challenge.org.uk

Sporting Challenge Activities.

Social Activities for People with Additional Needs. Activities April 2021.

Welcome to the latest flyer. The next flyer will be out by 20th April 2021.

In line with the Government's current advice to reduce the transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19), we are no longer accepting cash payment when attending Sporting Challenge activities. We will send out at the end of each month an invoice which will include details of the Sporting Challenge Bank Sort Code and Account Number that the payment is to be made to. If you need any assistance with this please do not hesitate to contact us for help. All invoices must be paid within 28 days.

When booking events please reply no later than the **29th March** any requests received after this date cannot be guaranteed to be accommodated due to staffing and route planning arrangements.

Best wishes, Edward McCarthy Sporting Challenge Activities Coordinator.

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

Funding News.

We have received two very kind donations from The Leathersellers' Company and from Tesco. Thank-you. Very much it makes a huge difference.

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.

Sporting Challenge takes safeguarding of our members very seriously and has updated the Safeguarding Policy with the assistance of a professional adviser. Within the last year.

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 anyway you speak to any staff member, Edward or your parents/carers.

Usual information.

- 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 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.



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Activities.

Recommencement of Activities

April 2021.

We are currently looking at recommencing some of our activities with outdoor events hoping to take advantage of the better weather / longer days. Our thoughts are to start with some outdoor walks involving smaller groups so to comply with the current government guidelines.

Can we ask you to let us know as soon as possible whether you are interested in joining us for a walk with a limited number of other members with each being picked up and returned by a PA on a one to one basis.

Sporting Challenge takes safeguarding of our members very seriously and has updated the Safeguarding Policy with the assistance of a professional adviser during the last year. We have also written a COVID-19 Policy and Risk Assessment which will be used before any activities are undertaken .

Activity Price £10.

With your own PA £7.

Cash Payments:

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Please choose one date:

- Monday 12th April.
- Wednesday 14th April.
- Monday 19th April.
- Wednesday 21st April.
- Monday 26th April.
- Wednesday 28th April.

Walks: In the afternoon. Pick up time around 1:30pm. Home around 4:30pm-5pm.

Please make sure you have been to the toilet before going out, please bring your own drink/snack if you want to have one.

Possible walk locations: Hesketh Park, Botanic Gardens, Mere Sands Wood , Southport Marine Lake, Sidings Lane Rainford, Ruff Wood Ormskirk , Rainford Linear Walk and Beacon Country Park.

The prices for attending with your own staff are only for people who have being attending activities since before 2016.



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Usual 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.

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.

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