



West Bromwich Holiday Activities

Welcome

Welcome to the West Bromwich edition of the Holiday Activities Newsletter, it's a place for you to find lots of useful information for fun activities to keep your children happy and active over the school holidays.

A Summer of fun

Firstly, let us tell you about what we got up to this summer, there has been so much to do and so much fun has been had across the town over the holidays. Sixteen different organisations provided activities right across the area, activities included lifeguard training, bushcraft at Sandwell Valley, multi sports, holiday camps and lots more!

Winter Activities

Winter Wonderland For ages 6-12 years (up to 16 with SEND).

Crafts, inflatable Target Zone, Family Games Zone, Confectionary, Performers- Face painting and Magicians

Sports Plus Great Barr For ages 5-12 years.

Santa Dodgeball Multi Sports Christmas Decorations Christmas Activities Fun Fun Fun!

Actifit education For ages 5-12 years. Fun activities including music making, team quizzes, different sports.

Pilot Holiday Camp For ages 6-16 years

Pilot provides activities, craft and problem-solving tasks that challenge young people.

Central Library Christmas Craft Workshops For ages 7+ years

Join us for a Christmassy themed craft party! Make amazing presents, playing party games, arts, and crafts.

KIDS Winter Family Activities for children with SEND needs, breakfast with Santa & Christmas movie SEND

Children Breakfast with Santa and private screening of Christmas Movie

STRIKE9T CIC WINTER HAF MULTISPORT CAMPS For ages 5-14 years.

Sessions run with Football at the core, but also offers multisport archery, laser tag, dance, arts and crafts

The Albion Foundation For ages 8-14 years. Multi Sports Camp and WBA Match Day Package

4 Community Trust CIC For ages 4-12 years or ages 5-16 Years SEND.

A variety of activities including dance, arts and crafts, cooking, sports and more!

Centre Spot CIC For ages 6-12 years. Activities such as Football, Multisport, Arts and Craft

Visit the website to find more activities right across the borough

<https://holidayactivities.sandwell.gov.uk/>

WOWs!

Some summer 'wow' moments in West Bromwich include...

West Ham United coach Paul Nevin coming to inspire your children.

Young people mentoring other young people

Diverse communities coming together!





KIDS

KIDS is a national charity and supports almost 15,000 disabled children, young people, and their families

Working with HAF, we have been able to provide several play sessions for disabled children, their siblings, and families. This has included sensory play sessions, music, hydro pool, animal experiences and multi sports activities.

KIDS have skilled, compassionate staff and they are always on hand to support families' attendance and access to sessions.

One mum of four, two of whom have SEND needs told us how she values being able to access our HAF activities as a whole family. They find it impossible to be able to take the family out together due to cost and also to somewhere where the activity is suitable and stimulating for all of her children's needs and interests.

Our HAF programme has given our families the reassurance of being able to access supported services in the community as a family unit. We personalise our approach to families to give them the support they need. Our planning always takes into account the individual needs of the children and young people attending. This includes awareness of individuals' sensory needs, how we can adapt the physical environment to be welcoming and accessible, individual's likes; dislikes; triggers; communication preferences and personal care needs.

Each session has included a meal and this provision is set to become even more crucial this Winter as families face the strain of increasing food prices. Being part of the HAF programme has given us the opportunity to offer family centred activities, in local communities, in meaningful ways

This winter KIDS are offering breakfast with Santa, Cinema showing of a Muppets Christmas Carol and a family panto.

'Tis the season to have fun!

Our pick and mix menu means we have lots of activities to suit everyone including:

- Live festive panto
- Winter Wonderlands
- Holiday Clubs
- Multi Sports, football, dodgeball and more
- Winter arts, crafts and decoration making
- Learn an instrument, perform in a band
- And much, much more...

FEEL THE MAGIC THIS WINTER
AND GET BOOKING!

Simply complete the short, simple form to register.

FILL IN THE FORM HERE
[https://app.upshot.org.uk/
signup/62b2ae22/](https://app.upshot.org.uk/signup/62b2ae22/)



Already registered? Brilliant! You won't need to do this again. Simply wait for your email to say bookings are open.

Follow us on:  GoPlaySandwell to keep up to date with all the latest Holiday Activity News or visit www.holidayactivities.sandwell.gov.uk to book activities

