



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.

SATURDAY 20TH DEC

Childrens World

The Pilton Stage, St Mary's Lane, Pilton, BA4 5HX. Children's World Xmas Family Rave and Interactive DJ Experience in partnership with Big Fam Disco. Fun for all ages and abilities. Experience and learn to DJ yourself with Bass and Rave classics and with a dedicated break out space so you can have some quiet time trying out DJ equipment and creating your own Graffiti Big Fam Logo. 2-4pm. For all ages. £5 per person.

To book, please contact Angela Bolton 01458 883693 or email info@childrensworldcharity.org





Purple Elephant

The Assembly Rooms, Christchurch, Street West, Frome, BA11 1EB. Family Holiday Fun! Christmas party! With festive crafts, Santa, and a hot meal, followed by a silent disco. 10am - 2pm. For all ages. £2 suggested donation. Free to those on free school meals.

To book, please email rebeccaharrison@ purpleelephant.org.uk





Wilderwoods

Wilderwoods Forest School, Drayton Woods, Langport TA10 0JZ.

Midwinter Candlelit Celebration. Decorations, candles and songs in the woods with refreshments around the campfire afterwards. 3-6pm. For all ages. £8 (1 child/1 adult). £15 per family (max 2 adult, 3 children). Additional children/adults £5 per person.

To book, please call Hannah Aitken on 07970 883264 hannah@wilderwoods.org



MONDAY 22ND DEC

Rainbow Roots

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

Mindful Christmas Crafts. Join us at Rainbow Roots for a magical mix of creativity and calm! Each morning, children will make festive crafts and learn simple mindfulness techniques to help them feel relaxed, focused, and joyful through the Christmas season. 10am-12:30pm. For 5-11 yrs. £7.50 per person.

To book, please email Lou Stockley on hello@rainbowroots.uk



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TUESDAY 23rd dec

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FRIDAY 2ND JAN

In the Mix

The Hub Centre, Hartswell, South Street, Wiveliscombe TA4 2NF.

Create and Bake! Join us to make your own chocolate bark. mug decorating and creating your own hot chocolate to take home. 10am-12:30pm. For 11-18yrs. £2 per person.

To book, please contact emma.carberry@ inthemixproject.org.uk 07494 839782.



Escape Support Group Icescape Clark's Village,

Street, BA16 0BB. Glide into the festive season at Clark's Village magical ice skating rink! Penguin and seal skating aids will be available for help with balance. 1-1:45pm. For all ages. Children 12 and under £5. Adult & children 12+ £6. Carer - Free Wheelchair user £5.

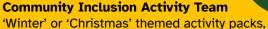
To book, fundraising@ escapesupportgrgoup.com **Bookings through the website** escapesupportgroup.com.



Step4ward-in2-growth

Christmas holiday activity packs tailored to young person's interests with a festive theme. Christmas Eve boxes also available, with small, individualised gifts to be opened the night before Christmas! Hand delivered if local to Shepton Mallet or sent by Royal Mail. For ages 3-18th birthday. £3 per pack/box.

To order, please contact Becky on 07737 331174, email Step4ward-in2growth@mail.com or facebook: step4ward-in2growth



containing arts & crafts, puzzles and more! £3 per pack, to be paid prior to delivery. Please ensure payment is made by 12 Dec.

To order, please email

ciateam@somerset.gov.uk by 8 Dec

with your child's name, age, nature of disability, address, phone number and where we can safely leave the pack if you're not in. Delivery w/c 15 Dec.



Community Inclusion Activity

Team Sanders Garden centre, Brent

Knoll, Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset, TA9 4HJ. Join us on a family day at the festive Big Top! Prepare to be mesmerised by twirling fairies, cheeky elf Nia, breathtaking aerialists and daring acrobats. Marvel at dazzling lasers, the heart stopping wheel of death and the adrenaline pumping motorbikes in the globe. Even Santa makes a magical appearance!

Venue has a limited number of ear defenders which can be borrowed for the duration of the show, so please bring your own if needed. Show includes flashing lights. Staff will be on site for support. 5-7pm. Please arrive by 4.30pm to allow time to be seated. For all ages. £5pp.

To book, call 07977 412199 from 10am on Tuesday 2nd December.



WEDNESDAY 31ST DEC

Mad Community CIC

The Mad Hub, Unit 14 Orchard Shopping Centre, TA1 3TP. New Year's Eve inclusive disco with lower-volume music to create a lively but sensoryfriendly environment. There will be gentle disco lighting & party decorations to build excitement in a welcoming, festive space. TV-projected countdown with fireworks will give children the full New Year's experience in a way that suits their needs. 12.45-1.45pm. For 4-11yrs. 2:30-3:30pm. For 11-16 yrs. £2.95 per person.

To book, please call Kelly Gaunlett on 07467235607 or email themadhub@outlook.com



Minehead Eye

Minehead Eye centre, 1A Mart road, Minehead, Somerset, TA24 5BJ.

Enjoy games, music, sensory room, arts and crafts, water and sand tray activity! Café style space available for parent carers. 2 youth workers on hand for support and advice. 2-4pm. For 0-10 yrs. £1 per person.

To book, please email reception@minehead-eye.co.uk









For more inclusive activities, groups and organisations in your area, please visit the Local Offer:- www.somerset.gov.uk/send-events

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

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 to find out more or visit **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** 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 and someone will be in touch to support you.