Welcome to the Spring Edition of SPP News!



Welcome to our latest edition of SPP News! Wishing everyone a warm welcome back to our most recent update of events and activities, plus a taster of what's coming up at SPP in the next few months of 2024!

It's been a busy time as always for our staff and volunteers, delivering much needed services across our community. From family support to our N-Gage youth clubs and bowling trip, restarting our family allotment experiences, to English & Maths courses and our ever-popular Family Easter Trail during the Easter holiday, all aimed at supporting and giving quality time opportunities to our valued service users. We've had a busy time and hope families engaging with services have benefitted. Watch this space for upcoming events and activities in this edition!

Team SinglePoint

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SinglePoint Eggcellent Easter Event Highlights!





We were thrilled to see the sun shining for our families after so much rain at our annual Easter event at Langley Primary!

Families joined us to spend time together creating a range of colourful Easter crafts, delicious refreshments, and our popular Easter trail in the forest area at Langley. Hidden clues led to some huge smiles and competitive children & parents! All attending went home with a tasty chocolate easter egg to enjoy. A great value family activity to support the cost of living across the school closure period.

A huge thank you to Sainsburys for their generous donation of Easter Eggs to support this event, our families for attending, and our staff team for organising such a wonderful event!

Details coming soon of our next SPP family experience – Summer trip time!!! More details coming soon :)



Rewire Tenpin Bowling Easter Trip 🞳



Our trip to Tenpin Dudley was a massive success and all children very much enjoyed this experience! 😚

Youth Club is now back to our normal schedule but with an exciting change to Thursday's session which will now be taking place at Langley Primary School, Titford Road, Oldbury B69 4QB - 5:30pm - 7:00pm.

Places must be booked in advance going forward on the link below

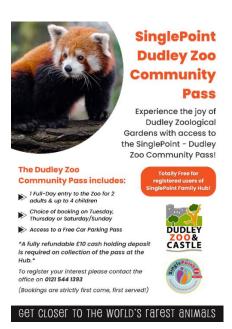


https://www.dorothyparkes.org/Event/rewire-youth-club-booking-april-2024

Re-launch of Dudley Zoo Community Pass! 🦓



Back by popular demand, the SinglePoint Dudley Zoo Community Pass has relaunched for all registered parents! Already attracting over 30 families, the Dudley Zoo Community Pass is on track to becoming one of our most popular family day-out experiences.



Dudley Zoo Pass availability:

- Weekdays (Tues or Thurs) starting from the 30th April 2024
- Final Weekend slot Sat 31st August or Sun 1st September 2024

(Peak season April – September – 1 pass use per family)

Registered families are welcome to book a date for the Dudley Zoo Community Pass, by calling 0121 544 1393 to book over the phone.

Please note that all bookings are offered on a first come, first served basis!

SPDC Coffee Morning – 28th Feb 2024



It was great to welcome colleagues from SPDC to provide information and a chance to share experiences with other families at our SPDC coffee morning.

We hope that attendees found the coffee morning helpful. Please follow our socials for details of further events.

If there are other organisations you would like to see at the hub, please email Sonya at communityinfo@singlepointplus.org

Suited for Success Bus (Oldbury) - 11th April 2024



Following previous partnership working with the fabulous 'Suited for Success' to offering makeover and employability sessions for Mum's, it was great to reconnect with the team during their mobile bus visit to Oldbury.

Thanks to local organisations donating workwear and footwear to SinglePoint, we were delighted to donate some of these items to help people on their journey to finding employment.



If you are interested in upskilling, following the recent donation of Chromebooks to SinglePoint as part of the West Midlands Combined Authority Digital Services Programme, keep an eye out for our upcoming skill based online workshops coming soon.

Please contact Sonya at -

communityinfo@singlepointplus.org for more details.

Upcoming Community Resilience Champion Events

CRC Coffee Drop In -

St David's Court, Oldbury – Monday 29th April 2024



We are delighted to be partnering up for a monthly Coffee Drop-in at St David's Court, Oldbury for St David's residents to attend on the last Monday of each month. This is specifically for residents only and our team have had a really positive start to working in partnership with residents at St David's Court.

Community Resilience Champions



SPP's Community Resilience Champions are our team of trained volunteers – parents, local people just like you! CRC's offer emotional support to others through community mentoring, and this is a totally free service for anyone! If you or someone you know would benefit from a listening ear and some support, get in touch with crc@singlepointplus.org or call the office in confidence on 0121 544 1393.

Volunteering with CRC - We need you!



Get involved by emailing - crc@singlepointplus.org

Rewire Youth Club

Youth Club Thursday sessions are now scheduled to take place at Langley Primary School - 5:30pm - 7pm. Tuesday sessions remain unchanged and will continue to take place at Dorothy Parkes Centre - 5pm-6:30pm.

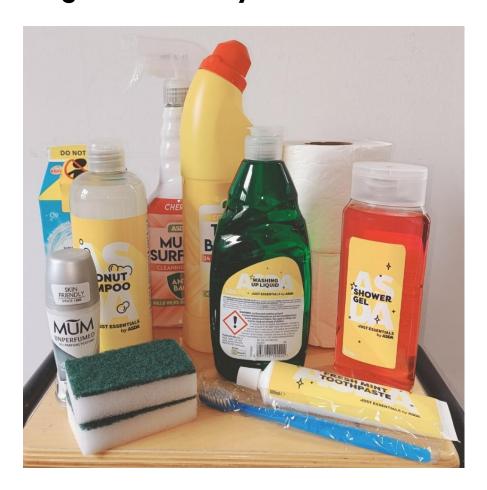


Rewire Youth club is a free service for primary aged children in the community led by our experienced staff team.

Places must be booked in advance going forward on the link below https://www.dorothyparkes.org/Event/rewire-youth-club-booking-april-2024

(All registrations must be completed via the Dorothy Parkes website)

SinglePoint Family Essentials Store



We are excited to announce that the SinglePoint 'Family Essentials' Store is fully stocked and ready to accept orders once again!

Supporting local families in the community of Oldbury and Sandwell areas through the cost-of-living crisis, the 'Family Essentials' Store is a FREE service designed to provide toiletries, cleaning items and essentials supplies to those in need of support.

Each order selected from the store includes a selection of 10 household essentials, all of which are available totally free of charge!

Place your first order now, by clicking the link below 4

https://bit.ly/Family_Essentials

Contact Us

Please follow us on <u>Facebook</u> for news on upcoming dates or if you would like to find out more about events or services on offer at SinglePoint, please call us on 0121 544 1393 or email:

<u>communityinfo@singlepointplus.org</u> or <u>admin@singlepointplus.org</u>