



LAWLEY COMMUNITY VIRTUAL NOTICEBOARD

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MONTH

FEB 2025

THIS MONTH FEATURES FAMILIES,
WELLBEING & THINGS TO DO

HERE FOR YOU!

RESIDENTS
COMMUNITY GROUPS
CHARITIES
ORGANISATIONS
LOCAL SERVICES
BUSINESSES

TELL US THE OPPORTUNITIES
AND SUPPORT THAT YOU
WOULD LIKE TO SEE IN LAWLEY

WANT YOUR EVENT, PROJECT OR GROUP FEATURED?

EMAIL: LIN POWELL FROM BVT
lindseypowell@bvt.org.uk

Many thanks for all your work in our community. Please get in touch if you want to know more.

Kind regards, Lin Powell LindseyPowell@bvt.org.uk

Community Development & Partnerships Officer, Bournville Village Trust

All information is correct at the time of publishing, please check with groups and event organisers for details. To unsubscribe please email us with your request. We welcome your feedback on our noticeboard to help us improve this community resource.

Recent Events

2024 Fantastic Fundraising!!!



In Lawley during 2024, BVT has been fundraising for PODs (Parents Opening Doors) charity, in partnership with Lawley and Overdale Parish Council, Lawley Running Club, Lawley Partnership Board and Lawley 5k Fun Run sponsors: Foden's, Telford Hall, Lawley Bank Court, Lawley Pharmacy and many others. Together we raised over £2000 for PODs and the families they support. Well done to everyone involved!

If you would like to help us fundraise in 2025 or volunteer at community events and activities, please get in touch via: getinvolved@communityvolunteers.uk or visit www.communityvolunteers.uk



Upcoming
Events

Coming In 2025



EASTER TRAIL
TUE 15TH APRIL



SUMMERFEST
SAT 5TH JULY

*Lawley 5k
Fun Run*

5K FUN RUN
SAT 6TH SEPT



LAWLEY
CHRISTMAS FAYRE
SAT 6TH DEC



**JOIN IN &
VOLUNTEER
WITH US!**



**ONGOING CHILDREN'S
HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES**



FOR MORE EVENTS:

**LAWLEY AND OVERDALE
PARISH COUNCIL**

www.lawleyoverdale-pc.gov.uk/events



www.bvtlawleyvillage.org.uk/events



For more details contact:
enquiries@lawleyoverdale.org.uk
lawleystewardship@bvt.org.uk

Upcoming
Events

“LAWLEY COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING”



Next Date:
**Thursday 13th
February 2025**
COFFEE AND CAKE

DROP IN TO TALK TO OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS

2025 Dates:

13th Feb

12th June

18th Sept

27th Nov

Thursdays 10.30am-12pm
at Lawley Community hub

Lawley Community Hub
Connect. Develop. Engage.



Come to Lawley Community Hub to meet new people,
speak to local organisations, view the Community Art
Gallery and use the Little Lending Library.



Contact Us

lawleystewardship@bvt.org.uk

Lawley Community Hub, Telford, TF3 5BZ

Parish News



PROM Pop-Up

Pre-loved Ball Gowns & Suits

Drop-in and choose your free Prom outfit

- 18 March 3:30-6:30pm ~ The Hub, Newport
- 31 March 3:30-7:30pm ~ The Wakes, Oakengates
- 3 April 3:30-8pm ~ Sambrook Centre, Stirchley
- 5 April 9am-12:30pm ~ Sambrook Centre, Stirchley
- 10 April 3:30-6:30pm ~ The Hub on the Hill, Sutton Hill
- 17 April 3:30-6:30pm ~ Lightmoor Community Centre
- 22 April 1-4pm ~ Lawley Community Centre
- 25 April 12-4pm ~ Arleston Community Centre
- 1 May 3:30-6:30pm ~ Ketley Community Centre
- 8 May 3:30-6:30pm ~ Brookside Central
- 12 May 4-6pm ~ Leegomery Community Centre
- 13 May 4-6pm ~ Hadley Community Centre
- 16 May 3:30-6:30pm ~ Turreff Hall, Donnington
- 23 May 3:30-6:30pm ~ St Georges Primary School
- 28 May 1-3pm ~ The Park Lane Centre, Woodside
- 30 May 1-4pm ~ Dawley Town Hall

We are also taking donations of ball gowns, suits, shoes & bags to support this event, please drop off at Jubilee House Madeley

PROM Pop-Up

We are now taking donations of pre-loved & new ballgowns, suits, shoes & bags for our Prom Pop-Up Events across Telford.

Prom pop-up gives young people the opportunity to choose a free outfit to wear to their Prom.

If you are able to donate please drop them off at Jubilee House Madeley.

Thank You

COME HAVE FUN AT OUR BREAKFAST AND BOARD GAMES SESSIONS!

Friday 21st February 9:30-11:30am @ The Lawley Community Centre Telford TF4 2PR

Ages: 10-16

FREE

Please email to book a place:
tonilouise.bambrough@barnardos.org.uk
kedemah.lubsey@barnardos.org.uk

LAWLEY AND OVERDALE PARISH COUNCIL
 Pride in Our Community
 Working in partnership with COOP and BARNARDOS

Stratford-Upon-Avon Coach Trip

Thursday 3rd April 2025

9:30am departure from outside Lawley Village Academy, TF4 2SG

SCAN ME

Only £5 per ticket!

LAWLEY AND OVERDALE PARISH COUNCIL
 Pride in Our Community

Older
Residents



**New Carers Peer Support Group Launch
Market Drayton
Wednesday 12 February 2025 2.00 – 3.30 pm**

Are you a carer for someone living with dementia?

We are setting up a monthly carer peer support group and are inviting you and the person you care for to come along to the launch which will be opened by Market Drayton Town Mayor Cllr Roy Aldcroft.

It will be a safe space for you to meet people who understand, both at this event and at the future monthly meetings.

This event will be a chance for you to tell us what you would like from the group. Some carers like to listen to speakers, others like activities, others just enjoy a cuppa and a chat and others like a mix!

**Come along and meet us at the
Ranger's Community Centre
Buntingsdale, Mortimer Road Market Drayton TF9 2EX**

Our Carer Support Practitioner will be there to support you and to chat with you generally about your caring role, alongside other professionals including the Admiral Nurse and Armed Forces Outreach Coordinator.

Alzheimer's Society Dementia Link Worker will be there to support and advise you.

**Meetings will then take place on the second Wednesday
of the month 2.00 pm - 3.30 pm
FREE to attend. Tea, coffee & light refreshments**



Our special thanks to the Rotary,
Market Drayton, Drayton Action for
Health & Morrisons for their support.



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Residents

Do you know where to go for adult social care services?

Find information, advice, services and more at:
www.telford.gov.uk/kwtg



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 THE
HUB
on the
HILL

Free blood pressure checks

at Hub on the Hill, Sutton Hill,
TF7 4HG

The last Tuesday of the Month
10am - 12noon
28th January, 25th February
25th March

free hot
drink

healthytelford.com/blood-pressure 

Community Opportunities



LAWLEY VILLAGE PRIMARY ACADEMY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS!

JOIN US FOR A HEDGEROW PLANTING EVENT!

Sunday 2nd February at 10.00am

We will be planting roughly 200 hedgerow plants which have been secured in a wildlife and nature grant from the Shropshire Countryside Charity by Miss Tanner and the eco committee for our developing nature garden behind the new wing of school.

We are appealing for volunteers on this morning to come along in boots or wellies with a spade/shovel to help us with the planting process.



Equipment will be available on site for those who are unable to bring these along.

Refreshments and toilets will be available

Please inform the Office if you are willing and able to volunteer to come along so we have an idea of numbers on the day.

THE CROSSBAR COLLEGE OF SPORT 2025 - 2026 OPEN EVENING



Are you leaving school this year and looking to pursue a career in sport?



WEDNESDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 2025 4:00PM UNTIL 5:30PM

01952677965

Lilleshall National Sports Centre TF10 9AT

admin@thecrossbargroup.co.uk

OPPORTUNITIES



MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY
VOLUNTEER WITH WMAS

We're Recruiting for Community First Responders!

Volunteer CFRs are trained members of the community who respond to emergency 999 calls in their own time without pay, offering life-saving skills until an Ambulance arrives.

Full Training is provided, however, Applicants should have a good, all-round education, a full UK Driving License for at least a year with no more than 3 penalty points, strong communication skills, and a willingness to learn and assist others.

APPLY NOW

www.jobs.nhs.uk



We're recruiting for the following areas;

- Worcestershire
- Coventry & Warwick
- Staffordshire
- Birmingham
- Shropshire
- Black Country
- Herefordshire

WE'RE HIRING

HOUSING OFFICER & SUPPORT-
35 HOURS P/W @ £13.00 P/H (SUBJECT TO SALARY REVIEW IN APRIL)

- WORKING WITHIN THE HOUSING TEAM PROVIDING TENANCY RELATED SUPPORT TO A RANGE OF CLIENTS WITHIN STAY'S OWN ACCOMMODATION PORTFOLIO.
- RESPONSIBLE FOR RECRUITING A TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS, PROVIDING INDUCTION, SUPPORT AND ALLOCATING TASKS.

Community Activities

RAMBLERS WELLBEING WALKS
Telford and Wrekin

NEW FOR JANUARY 2025

WELLBEING WALKS IN ADMASTON EVERY WEDNESDAY 10AM-11AM

WARM POST WALK WELCOME AT THE CHATTERY
Homemade Soup and Roll after the walk (£1 min donation/ serving)
Everyone Welcome Just Come Along



Start and Finish at The Chattery Cafe
Admaston House, TF1 0BN

Walk Leader Dr Caroline Freeman
Contact: sasawellbeinghub@gmail.com



CVS
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RISE

Dad's Bowling NIGHT

MONDAY 3RD FEBRUARY

1 GAME
£4.75
6-7 PM
Tenpin Bowling, Telford

If you would like to find out more contact
01952 262062 or email
childrensautism@tandwcv.org.uk

Please note that participants are responsible for purchasing their own food and drinks

Telford Children's Autism Hub

NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin | Integrated Care System | Shropshire Council | Protect, care and invest to create a better tomorrow

The Crown Players present

Adults £8.00
Concessions £4.00
Family £20.00



Mother Goose

17th-22nd February
Mon-Thursday 7.00pm
Friday 6.30pm
Saturday 1.30pm/6.30pm
at The Charlton School Wellington

A pantomime by David Maun
An amateur production by arrangement with StageRights Ltd.

For tickets contact Julie on 07538 035737
or thecrownplayers@gmail.com

All profits in aid of Severn Hospice



Creative Competition!

Get Creative!

Be a part of something amazing!

We're calling on creative minds of all ages to submit an artwork for an exciting community project to make a mosaic. The winning design will be transformed into a beautiful mosaic for The Retreat Garden in Telford Shopping Centre.

Theme for the Design:
Caring for the Earth
Caring for People
A World Where Everyone has a Fair Share

Deadline for submissions:
07.03.25

All artwork must be handed in to the CVS or emailed to: roz@pneuma-affinity.co.uk

CVS | VEOLIA | Supported by | Telford & Wrekin Cooperative Council | EnviroGrant | PNEUMA affinity

Learning Opportunities



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SPREADSHEETS FOR BEGINNERS

Start date: **Friday 7th February 2025**
End date: **Friday 28th February 2025**
Time: **9:30 - 11:30am**
Duration: **3 weeks**
Location: **Meeting Point House, TF3 4HS**

***Please note there is no session during half-term, 21.02.25**

This course is suitable for learners with some experience using a computer or tablet who would like a basic introduction to spreadsheets. The sessions will provide practical exercises and give you hands-on experience to see how spreadsheets can be used in the workplace and at home.
Eligibility: Adults aged 19+ (from 1st Aug 2024)

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To register, text/call 07976 710840 or visit www.learntelford.ac.uk



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COMPUTING FOR JOBSEEKERS

Start date: **Thursday 27th Feb 2024**
End date: **Thursday 20th Mar 2024**
Time: **9:30 - 11:30am**
Duration: **4 weeks**
Location: **Meeting Point House, TF3 4HS**

If you are looking for work, this FREE course will help you make the most of ICT to find your preferred job. This course is suitable for learners who have some basic IT skills and can use a PC or laptop. At the end of the course you may be able to start a 10-week accredited course to achieve an Entry 3 qualification.
Eligibility: Adults aged 19+

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GETTING ONLINE

Start date: **Friday 7th February 2025**
End date: **Friday 28th February 2025**
Time: **12:30 - 2:30pm**
Duration: **3 weeks**
Location: **Meeting Point House, TF3 4HS**

***Please note there is no session during half-term, 21.02.25**

This course will give you the confidence to get online and use the internet in everyday life. It is intended for beginners who want an introduction to getting online, including how to use the internet to find information, services and to communicate with others.
Eligibility: Adults aged 19+ (from 1st Aug 2024)

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Telford online

DIGITAL DROP IN SUPPORT

FREE

Would you like to feel confident using your mobile phone, tablet, laptop or library computer?

Let us help you to understand your device functions, such as using Apps, connecting and using the internet safely, using email or if you have a specific digital query, please ask us. Supported by our digital champion volunteers we can provide you 1-2-1 support. Just turn up, no booking required, make sure to bring your device too!

Southwater One (in the library)
Every Wednesday 10.00am - 12.00pm
Southwater Square, Southwater Way, TF3 4JG

Wellington Library, Wellington Civic and Leisure Centre, TF1 1LX
Every Thursday 1.30pm - 3.30pm



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Basic Manicure (Practical Nail Care)

Start Date: Wednesday, 26th February 2025
End date: Wednesday, 12th March 2025
Time: 12:45-2:45pm
Duration: 3 weeks
location: Creative Training Spaces, Wellington, TF1 1BJ

This **FREE** 3-session unaccredited manicure course aims to introduce you to basic manicure techniques. It is perfect for beginners and no previous experience is needed.
Eligibility: Adults aged 19+.



scan to register

FREE COURSE

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SPRING KOKEDAMA



Date: Wednesday, 05.02.2025
Time: 10am-1pm
location: Hadley United Services & Village Club, TF1 5PB

This **FREE** one day course will give you the opportunity to create a Spring Kokedama, a form of Japanese garden art, in an informal and friendly environment with an experienced tutor. **Eligibility:** Adults aged 19+.



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INTRODUCTION TO CHILD BEHAVIOUR

This is a **FREE** introductory course to support adults in understanding why children behave the way they do and develop strategies to manage behaviour.

Eligibility: Adults aged 19+

Start Date: Wednesday 12th March 2025
End Date: Wednesday 9th April 2025
Start time: 9:30 - 11:45am
Duration: 5 weeks
Location: The Wakes, Theatre Square, Oakengates, TF2 6EP



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INTRODUCTION TO CHILD BEHAVIOUR

This is a **FREE** introductory course to support adults in understanding why children behave the way they do and develop strategies to manage behaviour.

Eligibility: Adults aged 19+

Start Date: Tuesday 25th February 2025
End Date: Tuesday 1st April 2025
Start time: 9:15 - 11:15am
Duration: 6 weeks
Location: Brookside Central Community Centre, TF3 1LP



To register your interest, please text/call 07976 710840 or visit www.learntelford.ac.uk

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TELFORD SKILLS SHOW

Explore opportunities and careers

27 MARCH 2025

**Telford International Centre,
Telford, 11.30am-6pm**

- **Discover career opportunities:** meet employers across diverse industries actively hiring experienced professionals.
- **Professional networking:** connect with industry leaders and expand your career prospects.
- **Upskill with expert guidance:** receive personalised career advice from recruitment specialists.
- **Explore training options:** find courses to enhance your skills and future-proof your career.



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you from pregnancy to
parenting & beyond



expecting
expectingclasses.co.uk

**LAWLEY
COMMUNITY HUB**
(VILLAGE SQUARE, LAWLEY)

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**FREE PARKING AT
MORRISONS**

Find out about:
Graduated Response -Assess, Plan, Do, Review
School SEND offer
Local offer
EHCP
Sen Support and more...

Tuesday 21st January 2025, 12pm-3pm
Drop in and bookable appointments

Thursday 27th February 2025, 9am-11.30am
SEN Bitesize Session
(pre bookable only)

For further advice, information or support
please call us 01952 457176
or
email info@iass.org.uk



Lawley Partnership Board
Bournville
SEND IASS
NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin
Integrated Care System

Listening Hub

Drop in for free tea /
coffee and biscuits.

Hosted by **The Methodist
Church in Telford**

Friday 13th December 2024
Friday 10th January 2025
Friday 7th February 2025
10.30am to 12pm



Lawley Community Hub,
In the Square
(Unit 3 Birchfield Way, TF3 5BZ)

Parking on the community carpark by Morrisons Lawley



**Telford & the Wrekin
Citizens Advice at
Lawley Community Hub**

Available here every 2nd
Wednesday of the Month
by appointment only

To book an appointment in
Lawley call us on
0808 278 7988
or scan the QR code for our
contact us form

**citizens
advice** Telford &
the Wrekin



Volunteering Information



COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER GROUP

Register now to find opportunities in Lawley and surrounding areas. It is quick and easy to sign up to our online portal and search for local opportunities!

Give a little time & gain a lot of community value
Email: getinvolved@communityvolunteers.uk

To sign up or for details scan or visit:
www.communityvolunteers.uk

JOIN OUR COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER TEAM

BVT Sounding Group Members

We are searching for new community volunteers to join the Bournville Village Trust (BVT) Sounding Group to consult on Estates and Stewardship services in Lawley.

Date	Location	General Theme of Meeting
Tues 21st Jan 2025 6-7pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ	Communications for Community Charges
Tues 8th April 2025 6-7pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ	BVT website audit
Tues 15th July 2025 6-7pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ	Grounds Maintenance service and communications review
Tues 14th Oct 2025 6-7pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ	LMC Elections process review and future planning

Could you:

- ✓ Represent residents who pay BVT's community charge
- ✓ Help with consultations and feedback on BVT services and activities
- ✓ Attend an evening quarterly meeting to share your views

Email us at: lawleystewardship@bvt.org.uk

DROP IN TO SEE YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD MANAGER

BVT Tenants Surgeries

We welcome BVT tenants can come to Lawley Community Hub and speak to your Neighbourhood Manager about your needs.

Date	Location
Weds 26th Feb 1-5pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ
Weds 2nd April 1-5pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ
Weds 30th April 1-5pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ
Weds 4th June 1-5pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ
Weds 23rd July 1-5pm	Lawley Community Hub, TF3 5BZ

Could you:

- ✓ Speak to your Neighbourhood Manager face to face at the hub
- ✓ Get help with tenant issues and advice from our team
- ✓ Meet other tenants and find out about things happening in Lawley

Email us at: enquiries@bvt.org.uk

BE AMAZING

BE A HOME-START VOLUNTEER!

Create a positive impact on local families

HOME-START

Next volunteer training course starting soon

For more information contact us on:
01952 872280
Volunteers are required to undergo a DBS check

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Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust (SaTH) has successfully delivered four cohorts through the Volunteer to Career (VtC) Programme which supports people to explore careers in healthcare while volunteering. The programme offers our volunteers placements to gain experience and training sessions to develop their NHS skills and knowledge. SaTH pledges its support for anyone who has served in the Armed Forces and are now veterans, and their families.

<https://www.sath.nhs.uk/working-with-us/volunteering/veterans-volunteer-to-career-programme-2/>



Find out more: www.orlo.uk/jmXFC

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Woodland Sessions for Veterans

A Small Woods project enabling veterans to find a new sense of belonging and purpose

 **VETERANS LOTTERY**

 **Small Woods**

Get in touch

rebeccavincentevans@smallwoods.org.uk
01952 432769 / 01952 979518

Connect with us

   SmallWoodsUK
smallwoods.org.uk 1081874 Registered charity number

“ I've been in the woods before, but never like this. I've learnt so much being out here, about trees, about living things...about me. **”**

Project participant

An opportunity for veterans and their families to connect positively with the woods, each other and themselves.

- Create links with the local community by designing and creating greenwood benches
- Learn new woodland skills and about how humans interact with the living world.
- Socialise and give back to the community by helping to create a vibrant and healthy woodland site.

When & where

Mondays, 10am - 3pm

Squatter's Cottage, Woodlands Lane, Lightmoor, TF4 3QZ

What3words: rejoined.lifeguard.bagels

Group of the Month

JOIN THE ADVENTURE



ANCHORS
4 – 8 Years

புலம்பெற
8 – 11 Years

Company
11 – 14 Years

Seniors
14 – 18 Years

FIND OUT MORE ON OUR WEBSITE & SOCIALS



WE MEET AT 
TELFORD MINSTER
MEETING POINT HOUSE, SOUTHWATER SQUARE, TF3 4HS



telfordbb@boys-brigade.org.uk

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Community Support



Do you know someone who struggles to read?

Read Easy provides free and confidential one-to-one reading coaching for adults.

People can learn to read or improve their reading skills at their own pace and without pressure. It's friendly, flexible and fun!

To find out more, please contact:

07941 515 220

readeasy.org.uk

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DIGITAL DROP IN SUPPORT ^{FREE}

Support with your digital needs
Such as navigating and using your device, using WhatsApp, how to use email, how to use council services, online shopping and more!

Tuesday 09.30am - 11.30am	Holy Trinity Church Wrockwardine Wood, Church Road, TF2 7AH	Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am	Wrekin Housing Group Hub Unit 2 Stinchley Rd, Telford TF3 1ET
Tuesday 12.30pm - 2.30pm	Donnington and Muxton Community Library Turrell Avenue, Donnington Telford, TF2 8HG	Thursday 1.30pm - 3.30pm	Wellington Library Wellington Civic and Leisure Centre, Larkin Way Wellington, Telford TF1 1LX
Wednesday 10am - 12noon	Southwater Library Southwater Square, Telford Town Centre, TF3 4JG		
Wednesday 12.45pm - 2.45pm	Lawley Bank Court Martingale Way, Lawley Bank, Telford TF4 2PP		

For more information
www.telford.gov.uk/telfordonline or call 01952 382915



If you would like help or advice about community development activities and projects, please contact BVT's Lin Powell Community Development and Partnerships Officer.

LindseyPowell@bvt.org.uk

EILEEN HEWER COMMUNITY FUND

SUPPORT AVAILABLE

- Advice and support completing application forms and bid writing
- Can be used to fund equipment/projects/events

GRANT FUNDING

- Up to £2000 per year per group
- Links to other grant providers/funds
- Voted for approval by a resident panel

GROUPS WE HAVE HELPED INCLUDE:

- Lawley Scout Group
- Lawley Village Line Dancing
- Lawley Lightmoor Comets
- Lawley Primary PFA
- Telford Steam Railway
- Lawley Guide Group
- Lawley Running Club
- Lawley Community Association
- Lawley Village Yout Club
- Community Volunteer Group
- Lawley Walkers
- Ironbridge Lions

CONTACT US

Scan or search:

<https://bvtlawleyvillage.org.uk/your-village/eileen-hewer-community-fund>

Email BVT for more info:
lawleystewardship@bvt.org.uk

bvtlawleyvillage.org.uk
0300 333 6540
@bvt_lawley
bvtlawleyvillage
bvtlawleyvillage

Green & Keen

Join Climate Action Hub Telford
for our 2025



Sustainable Saturdays
10.30am - 2.30pm

Belmont Hall, Wellington, TF1 1LU

5th April: Sustainable Gardening

7th June: Sustainable Fashion

2nd August: Summer Festival

4th October: Energy in the home

6th December: Sustainable Christmas



ZERO WASTE



See our website for details:
Scan the QR code or go to
www.climateactionhub.org.uk
Email: telfordcec@gmail.com



Climate Action Hub Telford's
SUSTAINABLE FOOD EVENT

Saturday 1st February
10.30am - 2.30pm

Belmont Hall, Wellington, TF1 1LU

- Cooking demos & info using surplus & plant-based food
- Low-energy cooking appliances
- Edible plants, cookery & gardening book giveaway
- Swap (books, toys, DVDs household items, clothes etc)
- Terracycle & Eco library
- Plant-based refreshments



Scan or follow for details



JOIN US FOR OUR

PRE-LOVED MARKET

email: lawleyeventstelford@gmail.com for a table

SUNDAY 9TH FEBRUARY

ST JOHNS VILLAGE HALL, LAWLEY
11 TIL 1 - FREE ENTRY



Come & Join us for

Seedy Saturday 2025 - Seed Swap
Saturday 22nd February 2025 - 10 AM to 1PM
Randlay Community Centre, Randlay Avenue, Telford
TF3 2LH



Seeds of all kinds, veg herbs, flowers & more.. Bring any spare seeds to swap. A selection of seed potatoes will also be available

Refreshments available

We are joined by our friends Telford Terracycle & Telford Repair Cafe

Transition Telford Reg.Charity.1166228 transition.telford@gmail.com

February
Half term



Telford & Wrekin
Co-operative Council

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URBAN GAMES

NO NEED
TO BOOK

#SAFERSTRONGER

AGED BETWEEN 8-16?
OUTGROWN YOUR
USUAL SPORT?

Or just looking for something new, a way to get active AND have fun? The Urban Games is the perfect way to give something new a try.

It's free, there's no need to book and professional coaches make sure the sessions all over Telford and Wrekin are fun.

From football, cricket, hockey and netball to quidditch or BMX – there really is something for everyone. So, grab a friend and check out what's on offer near you.

And perfect for little ones are the 'Wild Telford' activities where nature crafts and outdoor fun like den building and campfires will make sure they have plenty to explore in Telford's green spaces.



WWW.TELFORD.GOV.UK/URBANGAMES



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February Half term

From
£3
per person

PODS HALF-TERM SESSIONS

Saturday 15th February	10am-12pm	PODS Hub	Cooking session
Monday 17th February	10am-12pm	PODS Hub	Pancake session
Wednesday 19th February	10am-12pm	Blist Hill	Museum
Friday 21st February	10am-12pm	PODS Hub	Gardening session









From
£3
per person

PODS ACTIVITY SESSIONS

Thursday 6th February	4pm-5pm	PODS Hub	Trains & Construction
Saturday 8th February	10am-11am	Blist Hill	Museum
Thursday 13th February	4pm-5pm	PODS Hub	Valentines Crafts
Thursday 27th February	4pm-5pm	PODS Hub	Freestyle Drawing











Wild Telford

With Shropshire Wildlife Trust
11am-2.30pm

Wild Telford helps your little ones discover and fall in love with the nature, that's right on their doorstep. With help from Shropshire Wildlife Trust, explore crafts and wildlife activities like treasure hunts, marshmallow toasting, den building and lots more. Every event will be different, be sure to bring a picnic or snacks and dress for the weather. Check the //what3words location for the meeting places.

Date	Location	Activities
Monday 17 February	Squatters Cottage - Lightmoor Parking: Village Centre Car Park, TF4 3TB. On-street parking possible on Stocking Park Road, TF4 3QZ. Meeting point at cottage //broads.tentacles.shells	Den building and campfire marshmallows
Tuesday 18 February	Apley Woods Meeting point/parking: Peregrine Way Car Park TF1 6TH //flipping.imprints.garages	Nocturnal nature! Winter Wildlife crafts and trail
Thursday 20 February	Randley Valley Starting point/carpark - The Pavilion, Draycott, Hollinswood, Telford TF3 2DN //shave.grapevine.rainbow	Birds, eggs and nests! Bird-themed scavenger hunting and crafts

These sessions are hosted in partnership with Shropshire Wildlife Trust. They are open to everyone of all ages young and old, children under 12 need to be accompanied by an adult. **Please bring suitable clothing and refreshments.**

CONTACT
Kathryn Jones
Email: kathrynj@shropshirewildlifetrust.org.uk






SKY REACH - CLIMBING WALL AND FREE FALL SESSIONS*

12NOON-3PM

Wednesday 19 February	Sky Reach Telford Town Park, Hinkshay Rd, Telford TF3 4EP	<p>Free Fall - Aged 6+ / No height restriction. Are you brave enough to take the leap of faith? A harnessed free fall from the high ropes course.</p> <p>Climbing Wall - No age or height restriction. Can you make it to the top? Suitable for both beginners.</p> <p>*Please note there could be waiting times if the equipment is busy so a queuing system will be in place.</p> <p>**A safety briefing is required before taking part in these activities</p>
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CONTACT
Sky Reach/Telford Bike Hub
Tel: 01952 380413
Email: skyreach@telford.gov.uk



COME HAVE FUN AT OUR
BREAKFAST AND

BOARD GAMES SESSIONS!

Friday 21st February 9:30-11:30am @ The Lawley Community Centre Telford TF4 2PR

Ages: 10-16

FREE



Please email to book a place:
tonilouise.bambrough@barnardos.org.uk
kedemah.lubsey@barnardos.org.uk







February Half term

TELFORD BIKE HUB

	10.30AM-12.30PM	1PM-3PM
Thursday 20 February	Overdale MUGA	Ketley MUGA

SEE PAGE 2 FOR ADDRESSES

CONTACT
Telford Bike Hub
Email: thebikehub@telford.gov.uk



INFORMATION

- Ages 8-16
- Bike and scooter skills
- Learn to ride training
- All bikes, equipment and bike parts included



DR BIKE - FREE BIKE REPAIRS

	10AM-3.30PM
Wednesday 19 February	Telford Bike Hub @ Telford Town Park Hinkshay Rd, Telford TF3 4EP

Delivered by
Telford Bike Hub

Got a bike that has been sat in the garden or the shed in need of a repair? Bring along your bike/s to Telford Bike Hub and our qualified bike mechanics can check your bike for roadworthiness, make minor repairs, repair punctures and provide advice on what is needed to your bike moving smoothly again. This is your opportunity to get it restored back to its former glory. No need to book just turn up with your bike.



SPOTFEST PRO WRESTLING

	12NOON-2PM
Tuesday 18 February	M54 Space Centre Unit 7 Spotfest Pro Wrestling Training Facility Halesfield 8, Telford TF7 4QN

CONTACT
Spotfest Pro Wrestling Events
Email: SpotfestEvents@gmail.com

INFORMATION
• Ages 8-15



SHROPSHIRE CRICKET

	1PM-3PM
Monday 17 February	Randlay Community Centre
Tuesday 18 February	Wrekin College Sports Hall
Wednesday 19 February	
Thursday 20 February	
Friday 21 February	



SEE PAGE 2 FOR ADDRESSES

CONTACT
Sacha Lee
Tel: 07875 730151
Email: sacha.lee@shropshirecricketboard.co.uk



INFORMATION
• Ages 8-16

MULTISPORTS

	12NOON-3PM
Monday 17 February	Sutton Hill MUGA
Tuesday 18 February	Arleston MUGA
Wednesday 19 February	Telford Town Park MUGA
Thursday 20 February	Brookside MUGA
Friday 21 February	Ketley MUGA



CONTACT
4 All foundation
Tel: 0800 321 3617
Email: info@4all.foundation



HOCKEY

	11AM-1PM
Tuesday 18 February	Telford & Wrekin Hockey Club St George's Sports and Social Club TF2 9LU

CONTACT
Email: mail@telfordhockeyclub.co.uk



INFORMATION
• Ages 8-11



AFC TELFORD UNITED - FOOTBALL

	1.30PM-3.30PM
Monday 17 February	Stitchley MUGA
Tuesday 18 February	Lightmoor MUGA
Wednesday 19 February	Woodside MUGA
Thursday 20 February	Oakengates 3G
Friday 21 February	Lawley Newdale Park

CONTACT
Ian Peeco, AFC Telford United Foundation
Tel: 07545 891789
Email: foundation@afctu.co.uk

INFORMATION
• Ages 8-16



To help you find the venues, we have listed the **what3words** location. What3words pinpoints a location within three metres. Download the free app from [what3words.com](https://www.what3words.com)

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Sessions are free of charge.
- No need to book but places limited to 25 people (first come first serve).
- Please bring wet weather clothing and plenty of drinks.
- Programme may be subject to change (sessions maybe cancelled due to unsuitable weather/playing conditions).

NO NEED TO BOOK

VENUE	ADDRESS
Arleston	Adjacent to 27 Windsor Road, Arleston TF1 2PD //emulating.moment.compiled
Brookside	Off Beaconsfield (By Windmill Primary), Brookside TF3 1LW //trial.juggles.surface
Ketley	Millennium Village, Sutherland Close TF1 5BR //rumbles.winded.novelists
Lawley Newdale Park	Off Greasham Drive, Lawley TF3 5ES //tissue.rollers.foam
Lightmoor	Oak Tree Centre, Lightmoor Way, Lightmoor TF4 3EG //treezers.fatigued.circling
Oakengates 3G	New Rd, Wrockwardine Wood TF2 7AB //fallen.quirky.nightcap
Overdale	Off Rock Road, Overdale TF3 5BX //stammer.verb.laser
Randlay Community Centre	Randlay Ave, Telford TF3 2LH //video.beep.creeps
Stitchley	Adjacent to 67 Cullingington, Stitchley TF3 1UN //quirky.rekons.commencaed
Sutton Hill	Off Southgate (through alley way), Sutton Hill TF7 4AY //easily.custom.motor
Telford Town Park	Hinkshay Rd TF3 4EP //stardom.difficult.vows
Woodside	End of Park Lane, Woodside, TF7 5HR //pleaser.scuba.spider
Wrekin College	Sutherland Rd, Wellington, Telford TF1 3AU //shared.cycled.disbanded

BMX

	10AM-12NOON	1PM-3PM
Monday 17 February	Malinslee BMX Track	
Tuesday 18 February	Leegomery BMX Track	
Wednesday 19 February	Rough Park BMX Track	Hills Lane BMX Track
Thursday 20 February	Donnington BMX Track	
Friday 21 February	Telford Flyers BMX Track	



VENUE	ADDRESS
Donnington BMX Track	Broad Oaks, Off Wellington Road, Donnington, TF2 8AW //lucky.gullible.reap
Hills Lane BMX Track	Rear of 108 Hills Lane Drive, Madeley, TF7 4BY //bandaged.chaos.struggle
Leegomery BMX Track	Off Aintree Close, Leegomery TF1 6UY //weary.canal.raves
Malinslee BMX Track	Off Alma Avenue, Malinslee TF4 2DU //trash.lessening.rots
Rough Park BMX Track	Woodside Avenue TF7 5TY //crumble.blissful.fishery
Telford Flyers BMX Track	Duce Drive, Dawley, Telford TF4 2DA //imitated.begin.reported

CONTACT
Telford Flyers BMX
Martin Brown
Email: telfordflyers@gmail.com



INFORMATION
• Ages 8-16
• Max 16 riders
• Own bike/helmet required
• Wear long sleeves/trousers

TELFORD NETBALL

	10AM-12NOON
Wednesday 19 February	Charlton School (outdoor courts), Apley Ave, Wellington TF1 3FA
Thursday 20 February	

CONTACT
Telford Netball
Email: telfordnetballclub@gmail.com



INFORMATION
• Ages 8-16



FAMILY TABLE TENNIS

	2PM-4PM
Wednesday 19 February	Turrett Hall Turrett Avenue, Donnington TF2 8HG

CONTACT
Connor - Donnington & Muxton Parish Council
Tel: 01952 608001

INFORMATION
• Max 16 players



Youth Opportunities



TELFORD CHILDREN'S AUTISM HUB

TELFORD AUTISM HUB

elevate youth!

ARE YOU AGED BETWEEN 14 AND 24 YEARS OF AGE?


DO YOU HAVE THOUGHTS, EXPERIENCES, AND IDEAS ON HOW THE SEND/AUTISM SERVICES CAN BE IMPROVED TO ENSURE THAT THE VOICES OF YOUNG PEOPLE ARE HEARD?

Join us at our next meet up and have a say in making a positive impact!

•••FREE Snacks and Drinks!!!•••
Increase your confidence and learn new skills
Share your experiences and make a difference!
Meet like minded people and have fun

childrensautism@tandwcvcs.org.uk
01952 262062

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High Sheriff's Outstanding Young Citizen Award 2025

Monday 10th March 2025 - Telford College

CELEBRATING THE EXCELLENT AND OUTSTANDING ATTITUDES AND ACTIONS AMONGST YOUNG PEOPLE IN SHROPSHIRE



Calling all musicians... TELFORD YOUNG MUSICIAN 2025

A competition to celebrate the borough's top young instrumentalists, singers and music creators.

Free of charge to enter

Video entries for Round 1
Live final: 7 and 8 May 2025

To enter you must:

- Live in the borough of Telford and Wrekin
- Be 18 or under on 31 August 2025

Categories:

- Junior/Intermediate/Senior **Singer**
- Junior/Intermediate/Senior **Instrumentalist**
- Band** or Group
- Composer/**Creator**


Deadline for video submission:
14 March 2025

t: 01952 380981
w: www.telfordandwrekinmusic.co.uk

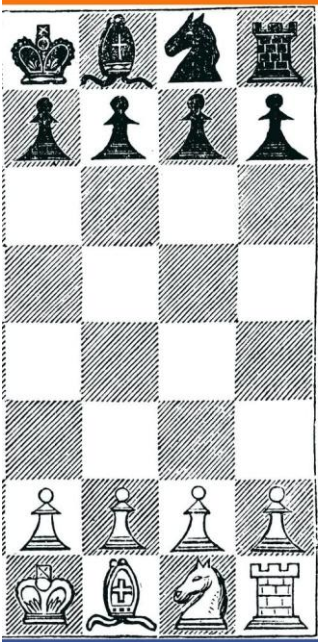
Scan QR code to enter

All information will be sent once we receive your entry application.

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TELFORD CHILDREN'S AUTISM HUB




ALL AGES QUIET CHESS CLUB




MONDAY'S

6th January
20th January
3rd February
17th February
3rd March
17th March

4pm - 5pm & 5.15pm - 6.30pm

Email to book your place
childrensautism@tandwcvcs.org.uk



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Let's talk Autism...
Supporting My Autistic Teen

Date: 22nd January 2025 Time: 18.30 - 20.00
Online via MS Teams

Topics covered:
* Sensory Differences
* Navigating Social Relationships
* Transitions
* Autistic Burnout
* Self Identity

For more information and to book your place contact our team on: 01952 262062
childrensautism@tandwcvcs.org.uk

LAWLEY COMMUNITY HUB
(VILLAGE SQUARE, LAWLEY)

Find out about:
Graduated Response -Assess, Plan, Do, Review
School SEND offer
Local offer
EHCP
Sen Support and more...

FREE PARKING AT MORRISONS

Tuesday 21st January 2025, 12pm-3pm
Drop in and bookable appointments
Thursday 27th February 2025, 9am-11.30am
SEN Bitesize Session (pre bookable only)

For further advice, information or support please call us 01952 457176 or email info@iass.org.uk

SENDIASS INFORMATION APPOINTMENTS.
PRE-BOOKABLE ONLY
AT PODS HUB, 1 HAWKSWORTH ROAD, TELFORD, TF2 9TU

Thursday 30th January 9am-12pm
Tuesday 25th February 12.30pm-2.45pm
Thursday 27th March 9am-12pm
Tuesday 22nd April 12.30pm-2.45pm
Thursday 22nd May 9am-12pm
Thursday 19th June 9am-12pm
Tuesday 15th July 12.30pm-2.45pm

40 MINUTE APPOINTMENTS TO DISCUSS ANY QUESTIONS RELATING TO:
Educational Health and Care Plan
Annual Reviews
Mediation
Appeals

To book your place please call/email:
info@iass.org.uk
01952457176

PODS
Involving & Supporting

Are you having trouble getting your child/young person to sleep at night?

From Thursday 6th March we will be running our last 3 week Sleep Tight Course.

The course will cover; The importance of sleep, Causes of sleep issues, sleep physiology, good sleep practice and strategies.

Sessions will last 1.5 hours and run weekly at 10am on Thursday's at the PODS Hub.

Parent/carers must attend all 3 sessions in order to successfully complete the course.

Places are limited and will be offered on a first come first served basis.

To register your interest please email elaine@podstelford.org

1 Hawksworth Road, Central Park, Telford, Shropshire, TF2 9TU
www.podstelford.org 01952 458047

Early Years & Families

LITTLE CITY
Shropshire

Next Sessions

- Fri 17th Jan**
Shifnal Village Hall
- Mon 10th Feb**
Admaston House
- Wed 19th Feb**
Bayston Hill

bookwhen.com/littlecityshropshire

TELFDOR'S MAGICAL
Soft Play & Party Venue

OPEN DAILY 10AM-6PM
Summer Hours - 5PM*

Soft play, Sensory room, Disney inspired character appearances & Party venue for the under 10's and SEN families

MRS POTTS CAFE
We cater for a variety of dietary requirements

PRICE LIST

1 UNDER 6 MONTHS FREE <small>(Including baby cot & high chair)</small>	2 6 - 17 MONTHS £2	3 18 - 35 MONTHS £3 <small>(Up to 2 Toddler & 1 High Chair)</small>
4 3 YEARS & OVER £5	5 ADULTS £1.50	6 SENSORY ROOM £1.50* <small>(Includes 1 cot & 1 high chair)</small>

WHAT'S ON?

Tuesday - Open from 10am - 4pm. We then hold our exclusive use play session for our Pirates & Princesses with special needs 4pm - 6pm. Sensory room included and siblings are welcome.

Friday - Don't Miss out on "Boogie Babies" at 1pm. An extra £2 to join in. 20-30 minutes of musical fun, great for Child / Baby development. All ages are welcome. No booking required.

Keep an eye on our facebook page for changes, events and early closures due to exclusive hires.

BOOK A PARTY WITH US
Have a Disney inspired Character to host!

SCAN & FOLLOW

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT US:
PIRATESANDPRINCESSES2015@HOTMAIL.COM 01952 582832

Telford Babies & Toddlers Classes & Groups!

Telford Babies & Toddler Classes & Groups
1.8k likes • 2k followers

Join this fantastic Facebook community for information and news across Telford for young ones and families.

EDGMOND
TODDLERS

Join us at
Edgmond Village Hall (TF10 8HU)
Thursdays 10am - 12 noon (term time only)

Have fun and socialise in a friendly, safe & relaxed environment.
New-born to pre-school children.
New faces, always welcome.
£3.00 per child + 50p per sibling
£2.00 per child (childminders)
No booking required.

Refreshments
Wide selection of toys & activities
Safe zone for babies. SEN-friendly.
Music with singing & active nursery rhymes.
Baby changing and disabled toilet facilities. Disabled access.

@Edgmontoddlers

Early Years & Families

YOUNG PARENT 'ME TIME'

If you're a Mum aged 24 or under, why not join us at our weekly drop-in group. We offer support, advice and a place to take some "me time" Sessions include crafts, well-being sessions, pampering and peer support.

CRECHE INCLUDED!

Meeting Point House, Southwater, TF3 4HS
Thursdays 10am - 11.30am (term time only)



Telford and Wrekin **FAMILY HUBS**
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info@homestartandw.org.uk

DAD SQUAD



INTERCHANGE HOUSE
TRENCH LOCK
TF1 6SZ

We'll be meeting at 9:30 on:
MONDAY, 20TH JANUARY

LET'S PLAY! COME AND MEET LIKE-MINDED DADS AT JUNGLELAND. ENJOY SOME TIME WITH THE KIDS (cost of entry covered by Home-Start)

Please call 01952 872280 for more information!



HOME START
Telford and Wrekin

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Happy & Healthy Food



...sessions for you and your little ones!

All you will need to know about first foods and beyond. Easy to follow food demonstrations with first food ideas, helping you to give your child a great start in life.

We will talk about the importance of following the Eatwell Guide - 5 a day fruit and vegetables, proteins and alternatives like beans and pulses, as well as sugar awareness such as how much we should have and the effects on our tooth health... and lots more!



FREE PARENT & CHILD GROUPS

Wednesdays 1pm - 2.30pm
Fridays 9.30am - 11am



Join us for fun activities, crafts, story time and more!

TERM TIME ONLY!

HLC Family Room
Hadley, TF1 5NU


01952 872280

HOME START
Telford and Wrekin

Family Support



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Bumps & Babies



**The Trinity Centre
Shifnal
10-11 Tuesdays
Term Time**

HOME START
Telford and Wrekin

ME TIME

If you're a Mum, why not join us at our weekly drop-in group. We offer support, advice and a place to take some "me time"
Sessions include crafts, well-being, pampering and peer support.

Mondays at 1pm - 2.30pm (term time only) Holliswood Neighbourhood Centre, TF3 2EW




01952 872280
info@homestarttandw.org.uk

COMMUNITY FUND



PODS PRE-SCHOOL SENSORY

Join our warm welcoming staff for our preschool sensory sessions on a Friday morning 10.30-11.30am during term-time. The sessions are held at PODS Hub:
1. Hawksworth Road, Central Park, Telford TF29TU

PARENTS OPENING DOORS
PARENT CARER FORUM

Nature & Grow
Let's get growing!

PODS BEFRIENDING SCHEME

The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service

Wellbeing
MADELEY COMMUNITY CAFE

AFTER SCHOOL

Supper & CRAFTS
everyone welcome

CVS

Treat Friday! Every Friday!

**Friday 24th January
3pm-4.30pm**

we will have crafts to get creative, enjoy and take home. This week will be 'tye dye t-shirt making'. For supper there will be make your own pizza. Our menu, hot drinks and cakes also available



£3.50

Please email or Facebook message to book-
molly.brookes@tandwcvcs.org

Family Support



Telford Children's Autism Hub **Telford Autism Hub**

FAMILY FUN SESSION

3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
4PM TO 5PM TERM TIME ONLY

COME AND JOIN US FOR OUR FAMILY FUN SESSION FOR PRIMARY AGED CHILDREN
If you would like to attend Email our team at childrensautism@tandwcvcs.org.uk

A project of Telford & Wrekin CVS

Logos: NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin; Integrated Care System; Telford & Wrekin CVS

Wenlock Olympian Games

Live Arts Festival 2025

Competitions in Dance, Music, Speech & Drama

For young people aged 18 and under

15th, 16th, 22nd & 23rd March 2025,

The Edge Arts Centre, William Brookes School, Much Wenlock

www.wenlock-olympian-society.org.uk
Closing date for Dance entries: 15/1/2025
Closing date for Music, Speech and Drama: 31/1/2025

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COOKING & CRAFTS!
OUTDOOR ADVENTURES!

UK Government

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Looking for support with childcare costs?

Get help that fits your family

Find out more childcarechoices.gov.uk

Childcare Choices

Community Activities

BOOK NOW RETURNS **MONDAY 6TH JANUARY**
A DANCE CLASS LIKE NO OTHER

BHANGRA FITNESS

THE FUN FULL BODY DANCE WORKOUT TO AWESOME BHANGRA TUNES

MON 9.30AM • THU 6PM
THE WAKES, OAKENGATES TF2 6EP

Facebook page: Bhangra dance and fitness

Jee's classes



Feel Good Dance & Social
Tuesdays
11.30am - 12.30pm
The Wakes, Oakengates TF2 6EP
1.30pm - 2.30pm
The Anstice, Madeley TF7 5BB

Bhangra Fitness
Mondays
9.30am-10.20am
Thursdays
6pm-6.50pm
The Wakes, Oakengates TF2 6EP

£6
Email: bangradanceandfitness@hotmail.com
Text: 07851270409



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Bhangra Fitness
4 sessions to choose from!

Feel Good Dance & Social

The ultimate feel good dance class!



TUESDAYS 11.30AM-12.30PM
At The Wakes, Oakengates
TUESDAYS 1.30PM-2.30PM
At The Anstice, Madeley

£6 per session, pay as you go! No need to book just come along! Contact Jee on 07851270409 for more info!

SUITABLE FOR BEGINNERS, ALL AGES & ABILITIES!
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Community Activities

BIJOUX EVENTS

ALTERNATIVE CRAFT & SMALL BUSINESS MARKET



SATURDAY 1ST MARCH
10AM TILL 2PM



Are you searching for something truly one-of-a-kind?
Come along and explore our alternative Market, featuring niche and unconventional items that you won't find at your typical craft fair!

Come and join us at

**THE COCK HOTEL
WELLINGTON
TF1 2DL**

VISIT US AT WWW.BIJOUX-EVENTS.CO.UK OR FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK FOR MORE INFORMATION

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5TH JULY

TELFORD STEAM RAILWAY



BOOK NOW :

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TELFORD STEAM RAILWAY

Alice's Adventures To Wonderland

SATURDAY 26 AND SUNDAY 27
APRIL 2025

BOOK YOUR TICKETS TODAY

Join us for an interactive theatrical train ride at Telford Steam Railway!



Carers & Support



Let's talk...

Community Hub

Come and speak with a range of providers offering guidance on personal health, wellbeing, care requirements and more.

Every Wednesday, 10am - 1pm at Madeley Library in the Anstice

You will find a welcoming space where your needs and concerns are heard and addressed.

Weekly services include:

- Blood pressure checking
- Healthy Lifestyles
- Independent Living Centre
- Telford Mind Social Prescribers
- Social worker support

plus...regular guest services

Helping to give you the tools and knowledge necessary to make small yet impactful changes to your life

Serving
Telford, Oakley, Madeley & Wrekin

For more information about the Let's talk Live Well Community Hub and the service providers attending email charlotte@madeleytowncouncil.gov.uk or call 01952 567288

Coffee & Chat

How can we help you?

Come along to:
Our Space Community Hub, Trimpey Street, Ellesmere, Shropshire, SY12 0AE

**Every 3rd Thursday of the Month.
Starting 21st Nov 24.
9:30am - 11:30am.**

Free information, advice and support around:

- Family Life
- Mental Health support
- Domestic Abuse support
- Housing and Finance support
- Dementia and Alzheimers support
- Special Educational Needs and/ or Disabilities (SEND) support

- Parenting support
- Carers support
- Food Share available
- Health Promotion and Prevention
- Social Isolation support and much more

Supporting families with children aged 0-19 years (up to 25 years for young people with special educational needs and disabilities)
We aim to make it easier for you to ask for help and get support when you need it.

Could you provide care in your own home...

... like Jeannie?

Start your caring journey

www.MyOptionsTelford.co.uk

Worrying about money? Struggling to make ends meet?

TCS are holding drop-in sessions in Stirchley for the next 4 weeks.
14th, 21st, 28th Jan, and the 4th of Feb.
10 am to 12 noon
No appointment necessary.
All welcome.

**Wrekin Housing Group Hub
Stirchley, TF3 1ET**

Our friendly Link Worker can provide information and advice about support options available to you in Telford & Wrekin, and make referrals on your behalf.

TCS are an independent charity, all information and advice are provided free, and in the strictest confidence.

healthwatch

Getting a new GP

You may choose to register with a different GP practice, but the practice does not have to accept you.

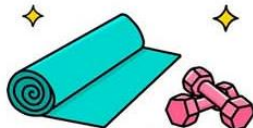
A practice cannot refuse you unless it has reasonable grounds for doing so. It must also give you reasons for its decision in writing.

Your local Intergrated Care Board, known as ICB, can find you another GP.



when you have the _____ WINTER BLUES

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MAKE TIME FOR MOVEMENT



NOURISH YOUR BODY



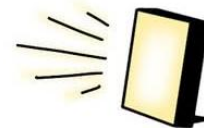
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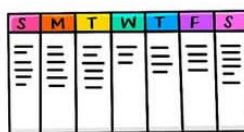
CONNECT WITH OTHERS



LOOK INTO LIGHT THERAPY



SEEK OUT INSPIRATION



MAKE PLANS FOR THE FUTURE



STICK TO A SCHEDULE



The poster features the Telford & Wrekin Co-operative Council logo and the Healthy Lifestyles logo. The main text reads 'Crush the habit' in large white letters on a purple background. Below this, it says 'Get help to stop smoking with Healthy Lifestyles' in a handwritten style. A yellow starburst graphic contains the word 'FREE!'. The background image shows a hand dropping a cigarette into a metal ashtray.

[Help to stop smoking - Help to stop smoking - Telford & Wrekin Council](#)



Prostate Testing

Upcoming Events

	<p>📅 Saturday 08 Mar 2025</p> <p>🕒 13:00-16:00</p> <p>📍 TF7 5HX</p>	<p>IRONBRIDGE LIONS</p> <p>PSA TESTING EVENT</p> <p>Haberdashers' Abraham Darby Academy</p> <p>Ironbridge Road</p> <p>Ironbridge</p> <p>TF7 5HX</p>
	<p>📅 Saturday 28 Jun 2025</p> <p>🕒 13:00-16:00</p> <p>📍 TF7 5HX</p>	<p>IRONBRIDGE LIONS</p> <p>PSA TESTING EVENT</p> <p>Haberdashers' Abraham Darby Academy</p> <p>Ironbridge Road</p> <p>Ironbridge</p> <p>TF7 5HX</p>

The image to this item shows the two Ironbridge Lions prostate test events for 2025, both of which are currently open on the booking site <https://mypatests.org.uk>. At the time of writing this newsletter all 300 slots for the 8th March event are booked: we would expect cancellations before the event so please feel free to add your name to the wait list on the booking site.

The second event was opened for bookings only very recently and at present we have over 300 vacant slots.

If you are over 40 and you have not had a recent PSA test why not book a slot? It will take around 15 minutes of your Saturday afternoon and it could just save your life. We make no charge for the test but we do invite donations towards the cost (approximately £27 per test). If you need further information, please contact Colin Thompson (See header above for contact details)

Health & Wellbeing



YOU'VE GOT A FRIEND IN US



Wellbeing Madeley community Café is a not for profit safe space for people to come and access information, advice and guidance. When you join us at the Café there is someone here with a friendly face ready for a chat. As of late people have been joining us for a warm cup of tea, lunch, cake or a full English breakfast. We have charging points and WiFi for anyone needing to use it, whether it be working or you need WiFi to sort bills. We use the cafe as a hub for our community and are working hard behind the scenes to provide you with events and offers. If you are ever in need of a warm meal we do have a pay forward scheme which you can come and ask for.

OPENING HOURS:
MONDAY-FRIDAY
9.00AM-2.30PM





Our volunteers



We are a small team, and our Café is predominantly run by our amazing volunteers. They have been working hard to help and serve everyone who walks through our door. This role helps our volunteers built confidence, find employment, boosts their independence and social skills. Our team are the backbone of the cafe. Our chef Tom will cook up all the delights on our menu. Ann has been growing her confidence in the kitchen and is a super Baker! Nicola also enjoys baking and her famous scones go down a treat. Dale is also enjoying cooking and serving our customers. We have had a fabulous year, and are always on the lookout for new volunteers



BREAKFAST

FULL ENGLISH	£5
Choose 5 items	£7
Choose 7 items	
Sausage or vegetarian sausage, bacon, hash browns, eggs (scrambled/fried/poached), tomatoes, mushrooms, toast.	
BREAKFASTS BAPS OR SANDWICH	£2.50
Sausage	£3.00
Bacon and egg	£3.50
Sausage and egg	£2.50
Quorn sausage	
Omelette plain	£3.00
Add a filling for 50p	
Toast and Jam	£1.50
Toasted tea cakes	£1.50

SANDWICH AND ROLLS

ALL SERVED WITH SIDE SALAD AND CRISPS

Egg mayonnaise	£3.00
Cheese	
Tuna mayonnaise	£3.50
Cheese and onion	
ham	
BLT	£3.50
TOASTED SANDWICHES	
Cheese and ham	£3.50
Cheese and tomato	
Kids Lunch box	£3.00
Includes: Juice carton Or squash, crisps, chocolate and sandwich of your choice	

JACKET POTATOES

ALL SERVED WITH SIDE SALAD

With butter	£3.50
Tuna mayonnaise	£4
Cheese	
Baked beans	
Coleslaw	
Extra toppings	£1
SOUP OF THE DAY	£3
QUICHE AND SALAD	£4

HOT MEALS

Hot dog and chips	
Burger and chips	£5
Quorn hot dog and chips	£5
Fish finger sandwich	£3.50
Portion of chips	£2
Beans on toast	£1.50
Scrambled eggs on toast	£2.50
Chefs hot Meal of the week	£6

CAKES

Please ask for our freshly baked cake selection From £1.00

-gluten free and dairy free option available-
 -our menus may contain allergens; Please let our staff know if you have allergies-

DRINKS

Tea	£1.50
Pot of Tea	£2
Americano	£1.50
latte	£1.50
Cappuccino	£1.50
Hot Chocolate	£2.00
Deluxe Hot Chocolate	£2.50

We serve yummy food, made with love by our amazing volunteers and team. When you eat and drink with us you are helping our team to grow in skills, confidence and experience.



Events and catering for a number of buffets, party's, and events. It has been a joy to see our tasty food go out to businesses, charity's and party's. We can cater for any event large or small and have had some fabulous reviews from our clients. You can give us an idea and we can sort your buffets with no stress for you. Over Christmas we have helped at various events which were a great success. We were at the Madeley Light switch-on serving cakes and hot drinks, our volunteers worked extremely hard to get it all ready. We would like to thank everyone who came and supported us. We have organised and enjoyed free bingo events, gingerbread decorating, and turkey baps all from our amazing venue. We would also like to thank our kind sponsor Denso.

You can find us at 23 High st, TF7 5AR
 01952916033 or
 Email communityafe@tandwcvcs.org.uk

We would love to thank all our regular and new customers for all your support throughout this year and we hope to continue growing within our community. There's a few things to look out for in 2025, we are now open until 4pm Monday-Friday, We are really hoping that family's will join us after school for tea time deals. With funding these are going to be super affordable for family's and include an after school activity. Hug in a mug, a book club and much more. We look forward to seeing you. Always remember we are here for absolutely anyone in need of a chat and a warm drink. We also promise to keep our yummy cakes and treats ready and fresh out the oven for you.



Staying
Active



Shropshire Way



Walk Shropshire's long distance path of 200 miles. Experience the wonderful views from the Shropshire Hills of the southern loop and then appreciate the Meres, Mosses and Waterways of the northern loop. There's something for everyone...

Find out more at: www.shropshireway.org.uk

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POSITIVE FACT-CHECKING

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1. ARE YOU 100% CERTAIN THIS INFORMATION COMES FROM A LEGITIMATE SOURCE?
2. DID YOU IDENTIFY & CHECK THE SOURCE? DO YOU UNDERSTAND THE FULL CONTEXT?
3. WHO BENEFITS FROM THIS INFORMATION BEING TRUE? (PERSON, COMPANY, ETC.)
4. DOES THIS INFORMATION CONTRADICT ALL OTHER FACTS OR SOURCES?
5. DO YOU WANT IT TO BE TRUE BECAUSE IT UPHOLDS WHAT YOU BELIEVE?
6. ARE YOUR BIASES & EMOTIONS IMPACTING HOW YOU SEE THIS INFORMATION?

**Want your events or group featured here?
It's easy! Send your flyers or posters over to us at BVT.
Contact: Lin Powell LindseyPowell@bvt.org.uk**

Useful Information

Courtesy of Safer Communities Sexual Violence and Abuse Partnership, Lincolnshire. Originators of the 'Ask for Angela' poster campaign part of the #AskforAngela sexual violence and abuse in Lincolnshire awareness campaign. www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/home

#ASK FOR ANGELA

“ HI I'M ANGELA,

ARE YOU ON A DATE THAT ISN'T WORKING OUT?

DO YOU FEEL LIKE YOU'RE NOT IN A SAFE SITUATION?

IS YOUR TINDER OR POF DATE NOT WHO THEY SAID THEY WERE ON THEIR PROFILE?

DOES IT ALL FEEL A BIT WEIRD?

IF YOU GO TO THE BAR AND ASK FOR 'ANGELA' THE BAR STAFF WILL KNOW YOU NEED SOME HELP GETTING OUT OF YOUR SITUATION AND WILL CALL YOU A TAXI OR HELP YOU OUT DISCREETLY - WITHOUT TOO MUCH FUSS ”

www.met.police.uk/AskforAngela

Call 101 for non-emergency enquiries, to report an incident or get help.

If you're deaf or hard of hearing, use our textphone service on 18001 101.

Call 999 if it's an emergency or a crime is in progress.



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WORKING MINDS
MAKE IT ROUTINE
REACH OUT > RECOGNISE > RESPOND > REFLECT

PREVENT STRESS AND SUPPORT MENTAL HEALTH AT WORK

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2025



The law requires all employers to prevent work related stress to support good mental health in the workplace by doing a risk assessment and acting on it.

Help drive change across Britain's workplaces by using these key moments to promote the Working Minds campaign and free resources.

ACCESS FREE RESOURCES

workright.campaign.gov.uk/workingminds

SUICIDE IS THE BIGGEST KILLER OF PEOPLE UNDER THE AGE OF 35 IN THE UK.

DO YOU LIVE OR WORK IN SANDWELL AND WANT TO HELP SAVE LIVES? SIGN UP TO OUR FULLY FUNDED SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING COURSES.

ONLINE COURSE:

SPEAK | SUICIDE PREVENTION - EXPLORE, ASK, KEEP-SAFE. 3.5 HOURS.

FACE-TO-FACE COURSE:

ASIST | APPLIED SUICIDE INTERVENTION SKILLS TRAINING. TWO-DAY SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING COURSE.

PAPYRUS
PREVENTION OF YOUNG SUICIDE

SIGN UP NOW



Midlands Partnership University
NHS Foundation Trust

Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin LGBTQ Wellbeing Group

Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual or as a sexual minority, and are you looking for some help with anxiety, low mood or stress?

Then you might find the LGBTQ Wellbeing Group helpful.

We aim to make this a friendly space to learn coping strategies for anxiety, low mood and stress. The additional stresses that LGBTQ people can face will be another focus of the course.



We are offering an 8 week interactive course, with a mixture of online and in person sessions. In person group sessions will take place in Shrewsbury.

The course starts on 16 May and each session will last 1.5 hours. You just need to be registered with a GP within Shropshire or Telford and Wrekin.

To find out more or apply for the course email stwt@mpft.nhs.uk or call 0300 123 6020

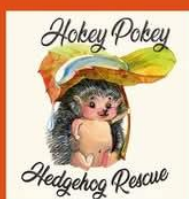
A hedgehog needs your help at this time of year if it's...

Out in the day - no hedgehog should be out in the day now. It may seem OK and uninjured, but this hog will be very poorly, likely with many internal parasites, and needs to be taken to a rescue.

Smaller than a grapefruit - this hedgehog will not weigh enough to successfully go back into hibernation and is at risk of starving.

Washed out of it's nest - a hedgehog might have had it's nest destroyed whilst hibernating and may appear to be lifeless - please call a rescue for advice.

Using gloves or a towel, place the hedgehog in a tall box and call a rescue ASAP for advice. Please don't leave it behind and assume it will be OK, it needs your help to save it's life.



Hokey Pokey Hedgehog Rescue takes in and rehabilitates poorly hedgehogs. The rescue is based in Welshpool but covers a much wider area. We are always happy to give help and advice - if in doubt please do put the hedgehog in a box and give us a call.



(Official)HokeyPokeyHedgehogRescue



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Stay
Informed

Follow us!

If you'd like to keep up to date with information about community activities, events or service information you can by:

Signing up to our bi-monthly online newsletter:
<https://www.bvt.org.uk/publications/register-for-online-newsletter/>

Visiting our website:
www.bvtlawleyvillage.org.uk

Following us on social media:
<https://www.facebook.com/BVTLawleyVillage/>
https://twitter.com/BVT_Lawley

*Would you like us to share details of your events, groups and activities?
Email: lindseypowell@bvt.org.uk*



*Looking for a way to help the local community?
Join our volunteer network now!
Email: Lawleystewardship@bvt.org.uk*

INFORMATION & WEBSITE



*Check out
our new
website!*

<https://bvtlawleyvillage.org.uk>

Scan the QR for details of BVT estates services, key information and event details in Lawley



Visit Lawley Community Hub to find out about using this space for community activities. Drop in to hear more about local events, activities and opportunities.

Lawley Community Hub, Unit 3 Birchfield Way, Lawley Square, Telford, TF3 5BZ



If you're looking for a room to hire for meetings, a space for a community group or simply looking for a change from working from home, the new Lawley Community Hub located in the village square has a space for you.

Lawley Community Hub has a private meeting room to hire as well as a larger open space. Discounts are available for Lawley charge paying residents, charities, community groups and local authorities.

The hub could be used for:

- **Business meetings.**
- **121 wellbeing/counselling sessions.**
- **Local community groups.**
- **Local charities.**
- **Professional groups/meetings.**
- **Parent and baby classes.**
- **Knit and natter groups.**
- **Book club.**
- **Community meetings.**
- **Desk space.**



For more information about hiring the hub or using a hot desk, click on the QR code, pop in or call the number below.

