

EDITION 91 - Thursday 17 August 2023

SPOTLIGHT ON... Autism Friendly Cinema Screening

Event: Autism Friendly Cinema Screening - Spider-man: Across The Spider-Verse (PG)

After reuniting with Gwen Stacy (voiced by Hailee Steinfeld), Brooklyn's full-time, friendly neighbourhood Spider-Man is catapulted across the Multiverse, where he encounters the Spider Society, a team of Spider-People charged with protecting the Multiverse's very existence. But when the heroes clash on how to handle a new threat, Miles (voiced by Shameik Moore) finds himself pitted against the other Spiders and must set out on his own to save those he loves most. Anyone can wear the mask — it's how you wear it that makes you a hero.

Autism Friendly Screenings are films shown with low-level lighting, reduced sound-levels and no adverts or trailers. The auditorium will open 30 minutes before the film to allow audiences time to familiarise themselves with the space. Visits to the venue prior to the screening can also be arranged. Aimed at both children and adults on the autistic spectrum, along with their carers, families and/or friends, it is fine for audiences to move around, make noise and take breaks during the film

Date – Wednesday 23 August (Autism Friendly & Captioned)

Time – 2pm

Venue – Junction, Paradise Place, Goole, DN24 5DL

What's New on the Local Offer?

• Pen Portraits About us (eastridinglocaloffer.org.uk)

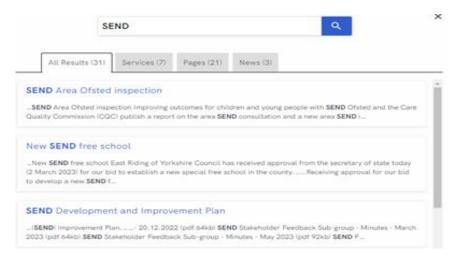
New East Riding Local Offer!

As many of you will now be aware, our new Local Offer website is now live. We hope that this new website offers greater functionality and access to information and resources. Over the coming weeks and months, we will be working hard to review the information on the Local Offer to ensure that it is accurate, relevant and up-to-date.

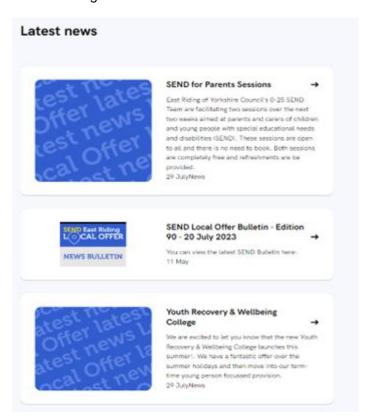
Here's some information on some of the key changes:



The new website offers a much cleaner interface – we have removed many of the tabs at the top in order to simplify the design and make it easier to find what you need. The new 'Alerts' function will provide us with the opportunity to share news and announcements with you when you visit the site, making it easier to find out about the latest developments.



We are delighted to share that our 'search' function has greatly improved – you are now able to search through the full range of services, pages and news using key words or phrases. The search will work intuitively to help you to navigate to the most relevant information based on your search. You can also search through news items for the first time.



Our new 'Latest news' page contains individual articles with the latest information and developments; you can then use the search function to search through news articles.

It is important to remember that this is just the start for the development of the Local Offer website – our new platform has lots of exciting new features and functions that we believe will greatly improve its accessibility and usefulness.

What's Next?

The Local Offer will continue to develop and improve over time – we are currently prioritising ensuring that the website contains the right information in an accessible format, removing old or outdated pages and services and refining our directory. From September 2023, we will have a dedicated Local Offer Officer who will be working alongside the Family Information Services Hub (FISH) and the web team, as well as colleagues across the authority, health partners and external stakeholders (parents/carers, young people, schools) to implement further change.

We welcome your feedback – you can contact us using the information here.

To view any of the above items, please click here



East Yorkshire Parent Carer Forum (EYPCF)

East Yorkshire Parent Carer Forum Events & Coffee Mornings coming up August 2023 (For East Riding of Yorkshire families)

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Event: – NEW Supper Club

Date: Wednesday 30 August

Time: 6pm – 8:30pm

Venue: The Cookhouse, Albion Terrace, Bridlington, YO 15 2Pl

Cost: FREE

Notes: The PCF Pie & Pud' night.

After the great success of our Breakfast Clubs we have decided to start running a Supper Club.

Our first Supper Club - The PCF Pizza night in Beverley was a great success.

The Supper Club event is to offer support to working parents & carers that are unable to attend our other events that are on a day time during the week.

We have received a lot of feedback from parents asking for an evening option so we hope that these will help.

The NEW Supper Club will be an evening meal out (tea time) provided by us at various locations throughout East Yorkshire.

Once you have booked on we will send you a menu to preorder what pie and pudding you would like.

If you have an allergies or specific dietary requirements please send us an email and we will send you an alternative menu to choose from.

Limited spaces available - please note that priority will be given to working parent carers for this event.

Children are welcome. Please email admin@eypcf.co.uk to book your space. Please also include your full name, address and contact telephone number.

Summer Break - We're half way through

To all Parents and Carers, how is your summer break going?

Have you visited anywhere nice with your children that you could recommend to other parent carers?

Please feel free to email us and share your stories admin@eypcf.co.uk

The EYPCF is busy in the background getting on with some exciting things to come.

Enjoy the rest of the summer holidays, hopefully we will eventually see some sunshine

Parent Carer Support Groups

There are a number of parent carer support groups running across the East Riding and surrounding areas. To view information about these groups please click here.

To view National support organisations, please click here.

(These links will take you to the Local Offer website).

East Riding wide and Hull/York catchment

Schools Out 2023

Find plenty of ways for children to get active and have fun throughout the summer holidays with #SchoolsOut.

For more information and details of different activities over the summer holidays, click on the link below.

Schools Out (activeeastriding.co.uk)



KIDS Community of Experience and Healthy Parent Carer Courses

Free courses in Parent Carer wellbeing. KIDS are offering these free courses to parent carers of disabled youngsters in Hull, East Riding, York, North Yorkshire, N Lincs and NE Lincs.



For more information on dates, times and venues, please click on the link below.

Summer Session Dates



Holiday Activities and Food Programme - HAF

The HAF programmes are for children and young people 5-16 years old who are on benefits related free school meals who attend an East Riding school. There are a very small number of places for children and young people with SEND on the programmes who are not means tested, and these will be offered on a first come, first served basis. Once the provider has reached their quota, they will signpost families back to the schools out website and local offer. Search for activities for children and young people receiving benefit-related free school meals across the East Riding on Schools Out! Sign up to our newsletter to be the first to hear of events from our providers.

For further details and information please see below attachment and website

SEND Reel

Holiday Activities and Food (activeeastriding.co.uk)

Portage Workshop

This is a certificated training course delivered by National Portage Association Accredited Trainers.

The Portage Workshop is an introduction to the Portage Approach to working with children with additional needs and their families. The workshop is suitable for early years practitioners who work in an early year's settings (PVI or maintained), Children's Centres, Childminders and parents/carers of children who are receiving Portage support.

Central to the course are the 'Portage Principles' and the 'Three Circle Model of Portage'. The NPA has set standards for minimum workshop content and length. The Workshop has a core curriculum consisting of seven modules and must last a minimum of 2 full days plus a Follow Up session.

The workshop is designed to support parents who have children that are being supported by Portage, and practitioners working with children, to help support their learning and development and to understand the strategies and principles used by Portage Workers.

Dates: 13.09.2023, 24.10.2023, 21.11.2023

Venue: North Bridlington Library, Marton Gate, Bridlington, YO16 6YD.

Please contact earlyyears.training@eastriding.gov.uk to request a place.

Did You Know....

The Families Information Service has their own Facebook and Twitter pages!

If you have any upcoming events or sessions, we can share them via our social media, email fish@eastriding.gov.uk and we can add the information.

Facebook.com/eastridingfish

Twitter.com/FamiliesERYC

The Families Information Service Hub have no control over the nature, content and availability of the external sites linked to within this newsletter. The inclusion of any links does not imply a recommendation or endorsement of the views expressed within them.

The next bulletin will be on Thursday 31 August 2023 If you would like to submit information, news or events for inclusion in the next bulletin, please email us BEFORE 12 NOON on Wednesday 30 August 2023 (please note submission does not guarantee inclusion).

Thank You.

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