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# October Half-Term Programme 2026

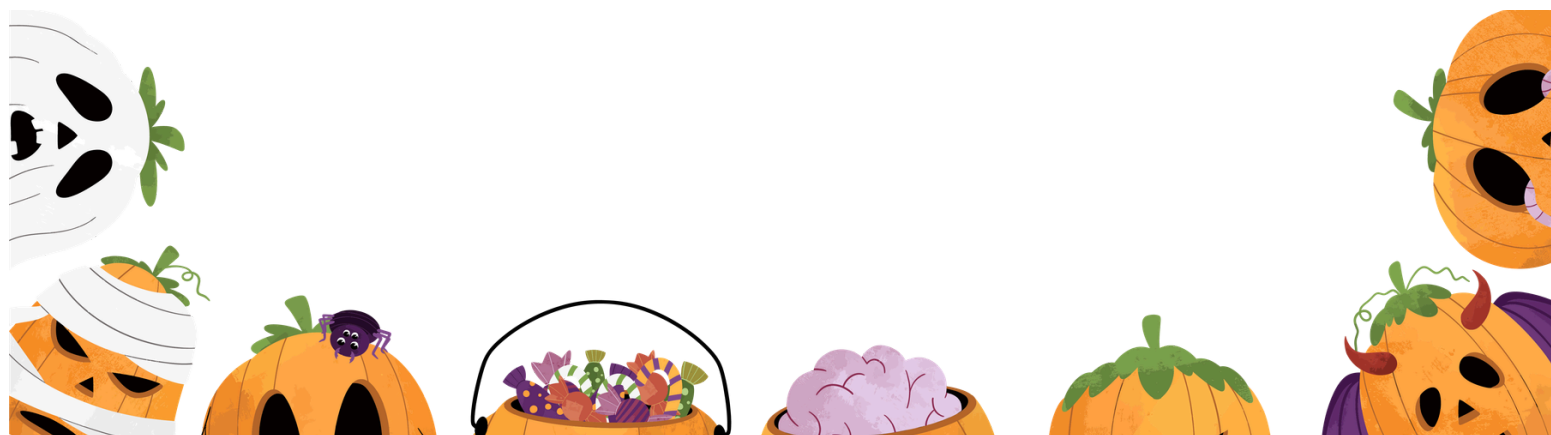
Here's our October Half-Term activity Programme!

We hope you find lots that you'd like to do.

Book directly with Nicola at [scarf@scarfnewforest.org](mailto:scarf@scarfnewforest.org) or call 07874 221249.

Please remember to let us know exact numbers and names of everyone coming for each activity.

Please request your activities by Friday 9th October.  
Confirmation emails will be sent on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October.



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**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October 5:15-6pm**

**Romsey Rapids, Southampton Road, Romsey, Hants SO51 8AF**

Scarf have the pool and rapids all to ourselves for this private session (for up to 100 swimmers). There will be floats and rings available, and you can take a pirate wash under the tipping bucket, climb up to the crows nest and whizz down the long slide, enjoy the rapids and relax in the Jacuzzi. For younger ones there is a pirate ship and a toddler slide in the toddler pool area. Please arrive at 5pm to register with the Scarf Meet and Greet and change beforehand.

Swimmers over 8 years old do not need to be accompanied by an adult swimming with them. One adult may accompany two children under 8. Both children must be supervised in all areas. Under 4's and non-swimmers must be supervised on a 1-1 basis and must wear floatation aids. Bring a £1 coin for the changing lockers.

£3.50 per swimmer | 100 spaces available

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October 11am-12pm and 12:15-1:15pm**

**Aero Trek Experience, Calshot Activities Centre, Calshot Road, SO45 1BR**

Get ready to take on the Aero Trek at Calshot Activity Centre! We've booked the course exclusively for Scarf families, giving participants the chance to challenge themselves on an exciting indoor high-ropes adventure. Suspended 6 metres above the ground inside Calshot's historic World War I aircraft hangar, Aero Trek features a series of aerial obstacles and challenges to navigate, including barrels, star steps and a zip wire. Participants will be safely harnessed throughout the activity and will work their way around the course at their own pace, tackling different challenges as they go. It's a great opportunity to try something new, build confidence and have plenty of fun along the way! Please let us know when requesting this activity which time slot you would prefer. Please note parents will supervise from the ground.

£7 per child/young person | 10 spaces available on each session |

Participants need to be over 9 years, at least 1.3 metres tall and comfortable with heights.

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October 6:30-8pm**

**Bedtime Yoga with Lou, Hordle Pavillion, Vagg Lane, SO41 0FT**

Our bedtime yoga session will be an enjoyable and relaxing space for our Scarf members and their families to stretch and unwind together. We'll explore gentle yoga, breathing and relaxation activities with no previous Yoga experience needed. Please bring a yoga mat if you have one, blanket and a pillow to make it extra cosy. We'll finish the session with a warm hot chocolate. (Please let us know in advance of any allergies).

£5 per child/young person | 10 spaces available | Aged 13+

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October 10-11:30am**

**Pedall Inclusive Cycling, Burley Yard, Lyndhurst Road**

We have booked 3 sessions with Pedall over the October Half-Term holidays.

The other sessions are on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> October at 10am and Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October at 10am. There will be a whole range of adapted bikes and standard bikes to choose from (including tandems, tricycles, wheelchair cycles, hand-cycles and recumbents). This session will be guided by an Inclusive Cycle Ride Leader from Pedall, and the group will cycle on gravel tracks from the yard - up to around 5km max, but this can be adapted on the day depending on the group and their cycling experience/ability. Parents/carers need to stay with their child/young person on the bike ride - standard bikes will be available for parents/carers/siblings not using a double bike. Everyone will need to dress for the weather and bring water (and a snack if needed).

Here's a link to info about the bikes so you can see what's available: <https://www.pedall.org.uk/bikes/>

£4 per child or young person (includes 1 accompanying parent/carer free of charge).

Additional adults/carers: £4 per person | 10 people per session | All ages welcome.

Please let us know what bikes you need when requesting this activity.

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## Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October 3-4pm and 4:30-5:30pm Biscuit Decorating Workshop, River of Life Church, Tiptoe Road, SO41 6FT

We have two sessions booked with Sarah for this fun and creative workshop.

Please let me know when requesting this activity if you have a preference for the earlier (3pm) or the later (4:30pm) session. This fun workshop will start with a demonstration from expert biscuit decorator, Sarah B. You will then use your own royal icing bag to try different piping skills. Using pre-mixed and coloured royal icing, you will then outline and flood pre-baked biscuits and learn how to add details, using different techniques. The biscuits will be Halloween themed. **Please note biscuits and/or icing will contain wheat & dried egg albumen.**

£6 per child/young person | 6 Spaces per session | Age 8+

## Scarf 2

### Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October 6:30-8:30pm Karaoke and Pizza, Wootton & Bashley Club, Tiptoe Road, BH25 5SJ

Our Scarf 2 group is for young people with additional needs from Year 11 upwards (i.e.: age 16-25 years). Parents/carers do not need to stay for this activity as young people will be supported by Scarf support workers/volunteers. Join us for a Karaoke & Pizza Evening, where you can sing your heart out to your favourite hits. From power ballads to pop anthems, and everything in between.

Whether you're a shower superstar or a stage veteran, this is your moment to shine!

And don't worry, you won't be singing on an empty stomach!

Our taste buds will be just as spoiled as our ears, thanks to Super Bros Catering who will be providing food for the evening. (Menu to follow). **£12 per young person**



### Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> October 10-11:30am Pedall Inclusive Cycling, Burley Yard, Lyndhurst Road

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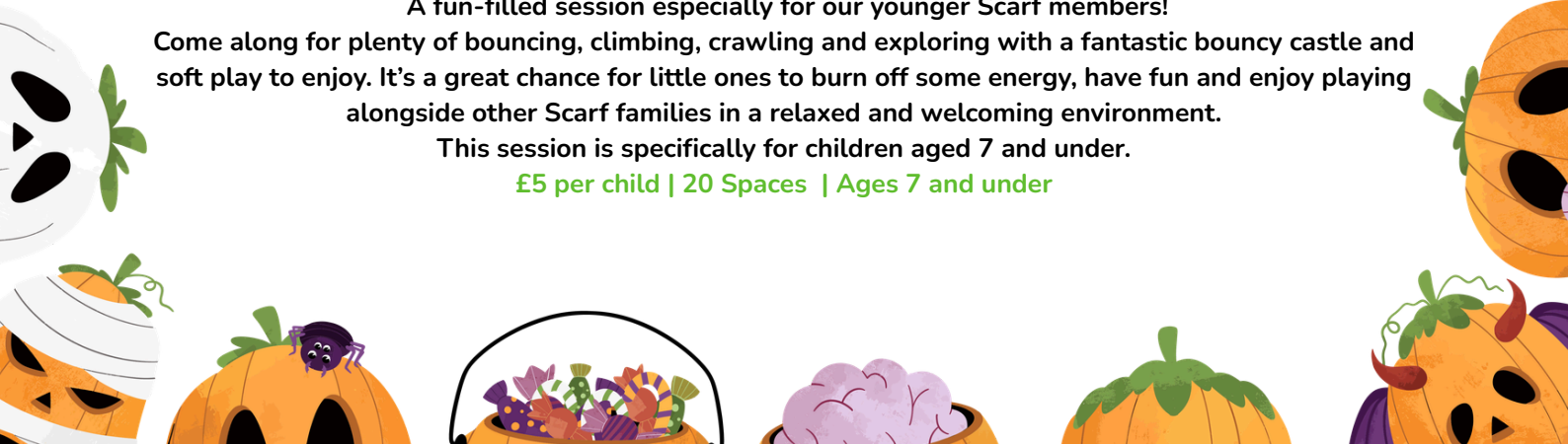
### Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2:15-3:15pm Bounce and Play, New Milton Leisure Centre, Gore Road, BH25 6RR

A fun-filled session especially for our younger Scarf members!

Come along for plenty of bouncing, climbing, crawling and exploring with a fantastic bouncy castle and soft play to enjoy. It's a great chance for little ones to burn off some energy, have fun and enjoy playing alongside other Scarf families in a relaxed and welcoming environment.

This session is specifically for children aged 7 and under.

£5 per child | 20 Spaces | Ages 7 and under



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**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October 11am-12:30 approx**

**Shaun The Sheep - The Beast of Mossy Bottom**

**The Cinema, Lymington Community Centre, New Street, Lymington SO41 9BQ**

Scarf have a private viewing of the new Shaun the sheep film called 'Shaun the Sheep : The Beast of the Mossy Bottom' which looks great - have a look at the trailer here: [youtube.com/watch?v=DQQngNLt5hI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DQQngNLt5hI)

The film starts at 11am and lasts around 1 hour 30 minutes. Arrive around 10.45am to take your seats. You can bring your own snacks, but please take your rubbish with you when you leave.

£4 per person | 80 Spaces available | All ages welcome

**Thursday 29th October 1:30pm-3pm**

**Cartooning Workshop, New Milton Hub, Whitefield Road, BH25 6DE**

Would you like to learn how to create fun and exciting cartoon characters?

Join Nick for a fun and creative step-by-step cartooning session, where he'll show you how it's possible to create any manner of fun cartoon characters using just some simple shapes and techniques.

We will be working as a group, taking suggestions for what we can draw together and then Nick can spend time on a 1-1 basis with anyone who would like to improve their cartoons further or show them how to draw additional cartoons. All materials will be provided, but please feel free to bring your own art supplies if you prefer.

£6 per child/young person | 12 Spaces | Age 10+

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October 6-7:30pm**

**Scarf Family Disco, Wooton & Bashley Club, Tiptoe Road, Wootton, BH25 5SJ**

For those that love to dance! Come and join us for some classic dance tunes and boogie away. All ages are welcome to join in, obviously siblings included too. Run by Mai, one of our Support Workers, who will be playing the tunes and helping everyone to join in. If you have any song requests, please let us know when you book. Parents/carers will need to stay.

The bar will be open to buy drinks and we'll also provide jugs of squash.

£4 per child/young person | All ages welcome

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Additional adults/carers: £4 per person | 10 people per session | All ages welcome.

Please let us know what bikes you need when requesting this activity.

**Friday 30th October 4-5pm**

**Skele-Fun Trail, Foxlease Park, Clay Hill, Lyndhurst SO43 7DE**

Get into the Halloween spirit with a fun family trail around the grounds of Foxlease Park.

Follow the trail along the main paths and through part of Foxlease House, with themed fun and activities to keep you entertained along the way. It's a nice, relaxed activity to enjoy together as a family, with the trail taking around 45 minutes to an hour to complete, including the activities.

There is free parking and toilets on site, as well as a small souvenir shop with a few refreshments available. Please note there is no café at Foxlease.

£3 per child/young person | 20 spaces | All ages welcome.

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## How to Book:

Please make your selections and email Nicola by Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October.

We are giving families 7 days after the programme is released to put in their choices before places are allocated (to ensure places are allocated fairly rather than first-come-first-served).

Further activities can be booked later on if places are available.

Please let us know exact numbers and names of everyone coming for the registers for each activity.

You will receive an email by Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October either confirming your places or advising of a waiting list.

Please then pay for your confirmed activities in advance by bank transfer by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October.

(Please note we are no longer able to accept cheques)

Account name: Scarf

Sort code: 30 92 02 (Lloyds Bank)

Account number: 02657039.

We will hold a waiting list for over-subscribed activities – we'll let you know if you're on this list.

You won't need to pay for wait list activities unless a place becomes available.

Please remember activities cancelled within 48 hours of the activity start time cannot be refunded unless we are able to allocate your space to another family.

We remain committed to ensuring that Scarf is accessible to all, and have a concessions fund available to those experiencing financial hardship - do please apply (in confidence, to scarf@scarfnewforest.org or tel: 07874 221249, or approach one of our Committee Members) if you have genuine difficulty with accessing Scarf activities due to the cost and would like to access our concessions fund.

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