Lots for Tots Derbyshire

Your guide to thrive in Derbyshire



Free

Lots on Weekly
Find local classes, activities & groups for babies, toddlers & preschoolers

Lots on Local
Family events in and around Derbyshire from October 2026 - January 2027

Titchy Town
CHELLASTON

Hero Town
MELBOURNE

Interactive play centres based in South Derbyshire

Titchy Town and Hero Town are both indoor play centres designed especially for little ones up to 8 years of age. Children can freely explore the many different play zones in both centres. The centres are designed to allow children's imagination to run wild whilst they role play in a safe environment.

Hero Town also features a soft play area specially designed for young children to learn, explore, and develop essential skills through play. Integrated within our role play centre, it provides a safe and stimulating environment that encourages creativity, imagination, and independent discovery. Through climbing, balancing, crawling, and interactive play, children can develop key physical skills including coordination, balance, strength, and fine motor control.

Grown-ups can participate in their child's play, or just sit back and watch them learn whilst enjoying a mug of freshly brewed tea or coffee and an amazing homemade cake from our little coffee shop.

Where are we?

Titchy Town is based on the site of Scallywags Private Day Nursey in Chellaston (Rowallan Way, DE73 5WX). Hero Town is based on the site of Scallywags Private Day Nursery in Melbourne (Castle Lane, DE73 8JB). Please use Scallywags car park at both sites. You will find signage in both car parks on how to access the centres.

How it works?

Both centres work on a pre-book via our website and pay on arrival basis with sessions lasting 90 minutes. On your first entry you will be issued a loyalty card and for every nine sessions you attend you will receive your 10th entry free of charge! Loyalty cards can be used across both sites. Payment is **cash only**. See prices on our websites.

Titchy Town Play Centre

- Castle Store
- Town House
- Vets 'n' Pets
- Anabelle's Café
- Wash 'n' Go
- Harry's Yard
- Heidi's Fire Station
- Baby Zone

Hero Town Play Centre

- Dolly Dogs Grooming Parlour
- George's Garage
- Simon's Shed
- Foston's Fire Station
- Mrs Potts Tearoom
- Castle Lane Clinic
- The Land Where Dreams Come True
- Baby Zone
- Little Heroes Soft Play

To find out more, enquire about private party hire, or to book into a play session...

Visit our websites: titchytown.com or hero-town.co.uk

Welcome to Issue 71



A huge thank you to Little Boo Photography for our front cover image!

Welcome to our October to January edition of Lots for Tots!

As we head into the final few months of the year, this edition is packed with days out information and local businesses to help you make the most of the autumn and festive season with your little ones.
From Halloween and Christmas events to classes, groups and activities happening across Derbyshire, there is plenty to keep families busy over the coming months. Our What's On and weekly timetable pages have also been updated with the latest classes and groups, so do take a look and see what's happening near you.

We're also really excited to be launching our brand-new Lots for Tots website this autumn! The new website will make it even easier for families to find local businesses, classes, events and activities all in one place. We'll be continuing to add more businesses and information as the website grows, so make sure you keep checking - www.lotsfortots.co.uk

A huge thank you, as always, to all of the businesses, organisations and advertisers who continue to support Lots for Tots. As a small local business, I'm so grateful to everyone who chooses to be part of the magazine and allows us to continue helping families discover all the fantastic things available for parents and little ones across Derbyshire.

And on a personal note, life has become even busier since our last edition as we've welcomed Micah into our family who actually features on the front cover of this magaazine

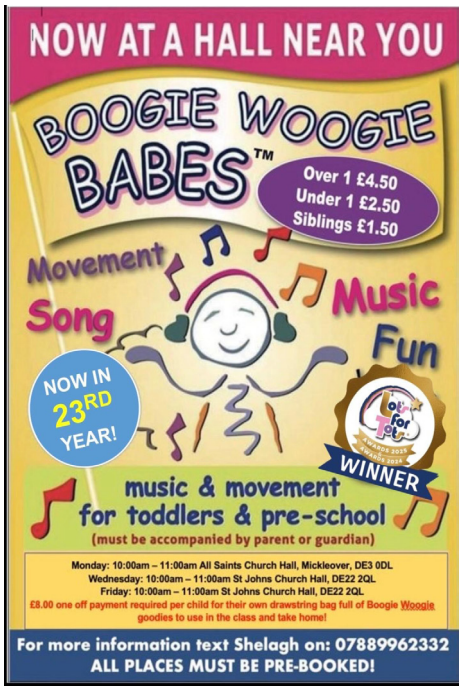
I hope you enjoy this edition and, whether you're looking for something to do over the weekend, a new class to try or simply want to discover a fantastic local business, I hope Lots for Tots continues to be a helpful guide for you and your family.

Wishing you all a lovely autumn, a magical Christmas and a very happy New Year!

Beth x

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BOOGIE WOOGIE BABES™
Over 1 £4.50
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Siblings £1.50
Movement
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NOW IN 23RD YEAR!
WINNER
music & movement for toddlers & pre-school
(must be accompanied by parent or guardian)
Monday: 10:00am – 11:00am All Saints Church Hall, Mickleover, DE3 0DL
Wednesday: 10:00am – 11:00am St Johns Church Hall, DE22 2QL
Friday: 10:00am – 11:00am St Johns Church Hall, DE22 2QL
£8.00 one off payment required per child for their own drawstring bag full of Boogie Woogie goodies to use in the class and take home!
For more information text Shelagh on: 07889962332
ALL PLACES MUST BE PRE-BOOKED!


Hettie & Sid
Wooden toys - children's clothing - accessories
what we do
Our family-run toy shop offers a range of:
- Wooden toys, Soft toys & Nursery decor
- Books & Storytime cushions
- Children's clothing & accessories
- Personalised gifts & keepsakes
where to find us
Unit 20-Peak Village, Chatsworth Road, Rowsley, Derbyshire, DE4 2JE
Mercia Marina, Willington, Derbyshire, DE65 6DW
Heart of the Country Village, A38 Swinfen, Lichfield, WS14 9QR
Are we online?
Of course!
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@hettieandsid
https://www.hettieandsid.co.uk


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Department for Education
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JOIN US THIS WINTER
HOLIDAY ACTIVITY AND FOOD IN DERBY
FREE HEALTHY MEAL
SPORTS COACHING
ARTS & CRAFTS
DRAMA AND DANCE
AND MORE...
Subject to availability
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Derby City Council

The Families Information Service

The Families Information Service provides free, impartial information and advice to families about childcare and other services that support families. The Families Information Service delivers:

- A Childcare Directory - an online directory of registered childcare within Derby city including, nursery schools, day nurseries, childminders, before and after schools clubs and more. **derby.gov.uk/childcaredirectory**
- A Family Hub Directory - an online directory that holds information on local and national organisations such as Family Hubs, Children's Centres and their events, family activities and support groups. **derby.gov.uk/family-hub**

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Derby City Council



52 Things to do before you're 5

52 Things to do before you're 5 is a booklet of fun activities that are free or low-cost that parents and children under five can do together.

To get your copy and for more information call **01332 640758**, go to **derby.gov.uk/52things** or scan here

Join in the fun, get your copy now!

The Families Information Service

Derby City Council

Lots on Local...

1st and 2nd Oct

Pots & Prosecco Evenings

The Mug Tug Ashore

Enjoy an evening of Pottery Painting without the children. Glasses provided just bring your favourite tipple and don't forget your snacks! First Thursday and Friday of each month - 6.30pm to 9.30pm. Prices depend on what you choose to paint on the night.
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Sat 3rd Oct - 10:00 - 11:00am

Saturday Boogie Woogie Babes

All Saints Church Hall, Mickleover

Music & movement for toddlers & preschoolers. This is the usual weekly class but on a Saturday with an added extra of a craft table. To book contact Shelagh: 07889 962332

3rd-5th, 9th to 12th and 16th to 23rd October

Pumpkin Picking

Bluebell Dairy Farm

With over 40 varieties of pumpkins and squash to discover, there's everything from traditional carving pumpkins to weird and wonderful varieties in all shapes, colours and sizes. Grab a wheelbarrow, explore the patch and find your perfect pumpkin!

Your Pumpkin Patch Ticket Includes
Explore our huge Pumpkin Patch
Picture-perfect Halloween moments
Pumpkin Catapult £3.50 per person
Straw Bale Mountain
Bottle Smash £2.50 per person

4th October

Wirksworth Wizarding Day

Wirksworth DE4

The largest fan-organised event for Harry Potter fans in the UK! Every year witches, wizards and understanding muggles take over the historic Peak District town of Wirksworth. Adults and children descend on the town dressed as their favourite characters to enjoy themed food, activities, music, quizzes, magic, the character costume contest and to meet other fans. Magic and surprises are around every corner!

4th October - 31st October

Pumpkin Picking

Mr Pumpkin

Pumpkin picking
Bouncy castle
Mini Fairground
Pumpkin trail around the farm
Food stall
And much more…

4th October - 31st October

Pumpkin Picking at Ashover Family Farm

S45 0BD, Chesterfield

Ashover Family Farm - Pick Your Own Pumpkin Patch. A fun day out for all the family!
Thousands of Pumpkins of all shapes & sizes
Photo opportunities
Corn Maze!
Marshmallow Toasting!
FREE PARKING FREE ENTRY

Mondays - 5th October -2nd Nov

Mummy Matters Hypnobirthing, Derby

Mummy Matters Studio, Borrowash

5 week Antenatal & HypnoBirthing® course for an easier, more comfortable birth. Classes held evenings and weekends at Mummy Matters Studio, Borrowash, Derby DE72 3WS
Group, Private and online classes available. Call Claire King on 07917 679 279 to reserve your place or email hello@mummymattershypnobirthing.co.uk

5th October

National Grandparents Day

Hero Town and Titchy Town

Treat the Grandparents in your little one's lives with a trip to your favourite role-play village, and a special treat for all Grandparents!

Friday 9th October

Mental Health Matters

Hero Town and Titchy Town

We're here for you! So come on down to our play centres on Friday 9th October just before World Mental Health Day to enjoy a free craft, themed cakes, a friendly smile, a listening ear, and a special gift for all visitors.

Lots on Local...

★Thursday 15th October

Spidey & Spin

Hero Town

Come on down and try your luck on our spin the wheel promotion, with our friendly neighbourhood spiderman popping in to spin, jump and blast webs with you. All included in your standard session charge

★Friday 23rd October

Tea Time: Wear it pink fundraiser

Hero Town & Titchy Town

We're raising money for Breast Cancer Now's 'Wear it Pink' campaign. Buy a cup of tea or one of our special pink bakes today and we'll donate the proceeds to charity on your behalf. Help us beat the £100 mark this year!

★24th October 2026 - 31st October

Bluebells School of Witchcraft and Wizardry

Bluebell Dairy Farm

Bluebells' Wizarding Adventure is bigger than ever! Your ticket includes access to our magical Pumpkin Village, full access to Bluebells Farm Park all day and a whole host of wizarding experiences for the ultimate Halloween adventure.

★24th October 2026 - 31st October

Fang-tastic Halloween Festival! at Matlock Farm Park

Matlock Farm Park

Venture into the Forbidden Forest to follow our Spooky Trail, packed with prop-based woodland scenes, ghoul games and spellbinding riddles.

Join Witch Wendolyn's daily craft workshops to create enchanted keepsakes to take home. A spellbinding Halloween day out for the whole family!

★26th Oct - 30th Oct

Halloween Fun

National Tramway Museum

Fun Halloween Trail along the Woodland Walk. Enjoy scarily fun, family activities with a spooky theme. Stories on a tram, face painter, Halloween crafts, Join in Halloween Show and tricks and treats on our woodland Halloween trail.

★Week commencing 26th October

Halloween Week at Tiddlekicks!

Across Tiddlekicks sessions

Our regular Tiddlekicks sessions will be running as normal throughout Halloween week, with a spooky twist! Expect Halloween-themed games, activities and lots of Tiddlekicks fun. Fancy dress is encouraged! Spaces are available in selected sessions. Get in touch to find out more and book your place!

★Monday 26th October - 9:30–10:30am

Tiddlekicks Halloween Special

Derby Arena

Join us for a special hour of Halloween-themed games, movement and football fun! Come along in your favourite fancy dress and get ready to play, move and have lots of fun. Book online.

★26th Oct - 30th Oct

October Holiday Course with SoccerstarsUK

Various locations across Derbyshire

The holiday club is stuitable for school years 1 to 6

Taking place at the below locations:
Derby Rugby Club
Etwall Leisure Centre
Melbourne Sports Park
Friesland School
Kirk Hallam Community Academy
Pingle Academy
Fun filled football holiday courses packed with exciting games, skill building activities, tournaments and plenty of time on the ball

★26th Oct & 30th Oct

The Halloween Spooktacular!

Hero Town

Join us for some spooky fun, hosted by our wonderful witches, across October half term for 90 minutes of treats! We'll have halloween crafts, yummy refreshments, transfer tattoos, mask painting, a dance off and treats to take home! Booking opens soon, keep an eye on our social media for announcements, dates and how to book!

Lots on Local...

28th October

A Pumpkin Party!

Titchy Town

Join us at Titchy Town this half term for a pumpkin festival bash! Enjoy halloween crafts, glitter tattoos, face painting and more! Booking opens at least six weeks prior, keep an eye on our social media for announcements, dates and how to book for 90 minutes of seasonal fun.

Wed 28th - Sat 31st October

Halloween Forest Light Walk!

Conkers, Moira

Join us for a spooktacular Halloween event filled with thrilling activities, eerie decorations, and hauntingly good fun! Start your adventure with a ride on our ghost train for a spine-tingling experience, then explore the magic of our forest light walk through the haunted woods, you may be in for a few Surprises along the way!

Thurs 29th Oct

Halloween Street Party in Derby

Sadler Gate

It's time to DRESS TO IMPRESS! Our Spooktacular Halloween event returns for another year of FANGTASTIC fun!

Fri 30th - Sat 31st October

Bonfire and Fireworks at Chatsworth

Chatsworth House

Join us in the garden for a blazing bonfire and two spectacular fireworks displays, including an earlier, gentler display designed especially for our youngest visitors.The evening will include a varied programme of family entertainment.

Sat 31st October

Halloween Trains

Peak Rail

Enjoy a family day out with decorated heritage carriages and a festive Halloween atmosphere Children can enjoy FREE sweets during their journey, and fancy dress is warmly welcomed, so come dressed as your favourite witch, wizard, ghost, vampire or spooky character to join in the fun. No Pre-booking is available, just turn up and pay on the day.

5th and 6th Nov

Pots & Prosecco Evenings

The Mug Tug Ashore

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Thurs 5th Nov

Fireman Sam's Bonfire Bash

Hero Town

Come on down to Hero Town to have a play and meet our special guest; Fireman Sam. We'll be learning all about Fire safety, taking part in some special crafts and more! All included in your standard session charges.

6th Nov - 7th Nov

Fireworks Weekend

Midland Railway -Butterley

Enjoy a spectacular Fireworks Weekend at Midland Railway – Butterley. Travel by heritage shuttle train to Swanwick Junction for a music-accompanied fireworks display, seasonal food and drink, and evening attractions for a memorable night out.

Fri 6th - Sat 7th Nov

Fireworks Spectacular 2026

Conkers, Moira

Looking for something fun to do with the whole family? Look no further than the Family Fireworks event in the Forest! Back by popular demand Overseal Pyrotechnics will be lighting up the sky with two nights of dazzling fireworks displays, along with walkabout entertainers, this is an event you won't want to miss.

Sat 7th Nov - 10:00 - 11:00am

Saturday Boogie Woogie Babes

All Saints Church Hall, Mickleover

Music & movement for toddlers & preschoolers. This is the usual weekly class but on a Saturday with an added extra of a craft table. To book contact Shelagh: 07889 962332

Lots on Local...

7th Nov -13th Dec

Chatsworth Christmas Market

Chatsworth Estate

Our Christmas market returns in 2026 with gifts, decorations, and seasonal food and drink. Parking must be booked in advance.

Sat 7th Nov

Fire & Vines – Fireworks At Sealwood

Sealwood Estate & Vineyard

Join us Saturday the 7th of November for a family-friendly Bonfire Night celebration at our vineyard in Linton (Swadlincote, Derbyshire) Expect an evening packed with fireworks, a bonfire, food, drinks and plenty of autumnal fun – all set against the backdrop of our vineyard Whether you're joining us with the kids, meeting up with friends or just fancy an evening of local wine, fireworks and a ridiculously roaring bonfire, we'd love to see you there!

7th Nov - 3rd Jan 2027

Christmas at Chatsworth

Chatsworth Estate

Christmas at Chatsworth transforms the house and garden into a festive experience, inviting visitors to enjoy a beautifully decorated house, illuminated gardens and seasonal activities for all ages. Each year features a new decorative theme inside the house, bringing festive storytelling and creativity to the historic interiors, while the garden comes alive after dark with a magical light trail set against the winter landscape.

Wed 11th Nov

Random Acts of Kindness

Hero Town & Titchy Town

Running every other month, its our random acts of kindness day! Lots of freebies to be won, including: pots of bubbles, stickers, hot drinks or even a free session!

11th Nov - 20th Dec

Mercatum Christmas Artisan Markets at Haddon Hall

Haddon Hall, Bakewell,

Mercatum is more than just a festive market. Haddon Hall's fairytale surroundings become especially magical during the season, adorned with twinkling lights, elegant decorations, and stunning Christmas trees. Visitors can indulge in delicious street food, hot chocolate, and mulled wine from various stalls while enjoying live music that completes the cosy, festive atmosphere.

14th - 15th Nov

Bakewell Christmas Market

Market Street DE45 1HA

Join us at our Bakewell Christmas Market Weekend and browse through our incredible selection of festive stalls, delicious food and drink and not forgetting the vast selection of entertainment we have planned over the weekend.

Thursdays- 12th Nov- 10th Dec

Mummy Matters Hypnobirthing, Derby

Mummy Matters Studio, Borrowash

5 week Antenatal & HypnoBirthing® course for an easier, more comfortable birth. Classes held evenings and weekends at Mummy Matters Studio, Borrowash, Derby DE72 3WS Group, Private and online classes available. Call Claire King on 07917 679 279 to reserve your place or email hello@ mummymattershypnobirthing.co.uk

Fri 20th Nov

World Children's Day: Lucky Dip

Hero Town & Titchy Town

Take a chance, pick a prize! Every dip is a surprise. All children visiting Hero Town and Titchy Town today get to take a dive into our special prize box and receive a wonderful treat on the globally recognised 'World Children's Day".

Lots on Local...

★20th Nov 5pm - 8pm

Bolsover Christmas Lights Switch On

Bolsover, Derbyshire,

Join us on Friday 20th November for a special evening filled with seasonal cheer as we switch on the town's Christmas lights and welcome the festive season.From 5pm to 8pm, the town will come alive with a joyful atmosphere. Visitors can enjoy live music, festive food and drink, and browse a variety of stalls offering seasonal gifts and treats. Many local shops will be staying open late, giving you the perfect chance to start your Christmas shopping. Bolsover will sparkle with thousands of twinkling lights. It's the perfect way to get into the festive spirit and celebrate the start of the holiday season with family, friends and the local community.

★21 Nov – 23 Dec 2026 - Running Thursday–Sunday

Light Post Farm 2026

White Post Farm, NG22 8HL

Step into Light Post Farm, returning bigger, brighter, and more magical for 2026! Join us every Thursday to Sunday from 21st November to 23rd December for an unforgettable illuminated adventure through the heart of White Post Farm.

What's New for 2026

This year's trail has been expanded to include brand-new light installations and even more photo-worthy moments. Expect displays designed to delight visitors of all ages.

Festive Farm Fun

Wander along our beautifully illuminated 1km Christmas trail, soaking in the seasonal magic as you explore the farm after dark. Along the way, enjoy:

The chance to see newborn lambs arriving in early December

Full access to the fascinating Reptiles of the World Exhibit

Play time in the indoor Jungle Barn

Seasonal food, hot drinks, and festive treats available throughout the evening.

★W/C 23rd-27th November

Crumpets & Christmas Crafts

Hero Town & Titchy Town

Our well loved 'crumpets and crafts' is back with a festive twist, come along to our play centre this Monday to Friday for our morning session only and enjoy a yummy crumpet snack, along with Christmas tree decoration making and write your special letters to Santa.

★28th Nov - 24th Dec

Christmas at Bluebells

Bluebell Dairy,

Step into a world of festive wonder this Christmas at Bluebell Dairy, where magical memories await around every corner. From twinkling woodland trails and cosy festive cabins to real reindeer, Christmas cuddles and a truly magical visit with Santa himself, this is a Christmas experience the whole family will treasure.

★28th Nov - 24th Dec

Santa's Enchanted Journey

Ecclesbourne Valley Railway

All passengers receive...

A festive welcome to our beautifully decorated Wirksworth Station platform from our jolly elves

Steam train ride from Wirksworth and return in a seasonally-decorated period carriage

Festive entertainment from Mrs Claus and Santa's team of jolly elves during the journey. A visit from Santa to your seat who has a present for every child.

★28th Nov

Bolsover Christmas Market and Lantern Parade

Market Place, Bolsover,

Get ready for an unmissable day of festive magic in Bolsover! On Saturday 28th November, the town centre will be transformed into a Christmas wonderland full of handmade gifts, music, and a truly breathtaking light procession.

★28th Nov

Christmas Lights Switch On & Festive Derby opening

Derby Market Place

Join Derby City Centre's Christmas countdown as festive lights illuminate the city. Enjoy free live entertainment, community performances presented by Smooth Radio, and a spectacular lantern parade by Surtal Arts.

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★ 28th Nov - Thurs 31st Dec

Cathedral Quarter Ice Rink 2026

Derby Market Place

Bring the whole family into the festive spirit at Cathedral Quarter Ice Rink, back in the city centre this Christmas. Whether it's little ones taking their first wobbly steps on ice or grownups reliving their childhood glory days, there's something here for everyone. Our covered rink means the fun continues whatever the weather with plenty of rink side space for anyone who'd rather watch than skate. Hourly sessions include skate hire, and we've got you covered for confidence too.

★ 28th Nov - Thurs 31st Dec

Nordic Bar

Derby Market Place

Gather your friends and family together this festive season. Wooden benches, stunning festive foliage arrangements, disco balls and twinkling lights will welcome you in for a seat by the firepit. Relax and enjoy a delicious range of hot and cold drinks, from cocktails to mocktails and mulledwine to hot chocolate. Why not visit our on site food vendors and enjoy your food in the warmth of the tipi with your Nordic drink. There will also be a programme of entertainment taking place including music, children's entertainment, quiz nights and more!

★ *1st - 25th December*

Hero Town Presents: A Holly Jolly Giggle Advent

Hero Town

A jolly jam-packed month of laughter, joy and prizes awaits you come December 1st! We've got 25 doors to open, with some special guests, and lots of surprises along the way from Santa's elves. All you need to do to join the fun is visit Hero Town and follow along on our social media this festive season.

★ 3rd and 4th Dec

Pots & Prosecco Evenings

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★ Fri 4th Dec -

Ashbourne Lantern Spectacular

Ashbourne, Derbyshire

Don't miss the magical 2026 Lantern Spectacular, a half-mile procession of candle-lit paper and willow lanterns winding through the streets. Old favourites the owl, the polar bear, the dragon and the giant gingerbread men will all be there plus some new arrivals for 2026. Street entertainment will fill the night including an amazing son-et-lumierer show.

★ Fri 4th Dec - Thurs 31st Dec

Snow White

Derby Arena

Mirror, Mirror, on the wall, don't miss the fairest panto of all! Can Snow White (CBeebies favourite Evie Pickerill) save her kingdom and somehow defeat the wicked Queen (theatre star Katie Paine), a bad apple who's rotten to the core! Starring Derby's award-winning Dame, Morgan Brind as Cilla Bang, local lad Kristian Cunningham as Keanu Leaves the Gardener and Panto favourite Roddy Peters as Hamish the Huntsman. This dazzling panto adventure is packed full of spectacle, slap stick and sparkle!

★ Sat 5th Dec - 10:00 - 11:00am

Saturday Boogie Woogie Babes

All Saints Church Hall, Mickleover

Music & movement for toddlers & preschoolers. This is the usual weekly class but on a Saturday with an added extra of a craft table. To book contact Shelagh: 07889 962332

★ Sat 5th Dec - 24th Dec

Santa Specials 2026

DE5 3QZ, Ripley

Climb aboard a Santa Special at Midland Railway – Butterley and enjoy a magical Christmas train journey. Meet Santa on board, receive a gift, enjoy festive treats, a puppet show and animatronics, for a truly memorable family day out.

Lots on Local...

Sat 5th Dec - 24th Dec

Santa Specials at Peak Rail

Rowsley South Station, off, Harrison Way, Darley Dale,

Santa and his Railway Helpers invite you to get Christmas off to a magical start by riding Santa's festive steam train, through the delightful Derwent Valley. Join them on their special train at Peak Rail from Rowsley South Station. As you sit back and enjoy the journey, a variety of professional entertainers will perform for you, Santa and his helpers will make their way through the train and meet everyone at their seat. Santa will have with him a wonderful age suitable gift for all the children.

Sat 5th Dec - 24th Dec

Unwrap the magic of Christmas

Tropical Butterfly House Wildlife Conservation Park

Warmest wishes come to life with appearances from our special Meet and Greet Christmas Characters. Santa himself will be joining a whole host of much-loved and familiar faces, stopping by to make your festive family day out merry and bright. From ice queens and grumps to furry favourites and frosty friends - can you help these mascots and mischief-makers make it onto Santa's naughty or nice list?

Sat 5th Dec - 12:30–2:00pm

Tiddlekicks Christmas Party!

Springwood Leisure Centre

Get ready for a festive afternoon of Tiddlekicks fun! Enjoy football games, a bouncy castle and soft play, with plenty to keep little ones entertained. Every child will also receive a visit from Tiddlekicks Santa, festive snacks and a special gift to take home! Spaces are limited, so book online soon to avoid missing out. Photography from Lucy E Warner Photography will also be available on the day.

Thurs 10th - Wed 23rd Dec

Help! Santa's Missing

Chapel Street Arts Centre

Chapel Street Arts Centre transforms into a world of magic, mystery, and laughter as audiences of all ages are invited to join the search for Santa Claus himself. The story begins when Santa mysteriously disappears just days before Christmas. With the clock ticking and Christmas in jeopardy, two unlikely detectives—one a middle-aged Elf from the North Pole, the other a human girl with boundless energy—are thrown together to solve the case. Their journey is filled with twists and turns as they encounter a colourful cast of villains from folklore, fairy tales and legend, each with their own secrets and motives.

Monday 14th and Friday 18th Dec

Hero Town's Ho-Ho-Holiday Party!

Hero Town

Join us for a magical 90 minutes of Christmas fun! We've got interactive role-play and soft-play, mask painting and tattoos, crafts, refreshments and even a special story time with yummy 'milk and cookies' with Santa himself. Keep an eye on our social media, bookings open at least 6 weeks prior!

21st - 30th Dec

Christmas Holiday Course with SoccerstarsUK

Various locations across Derbyshire

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The holiday course is suitable for school years 1 to 6

Football and Multi-sports Courses

Various locations across Derbyshire

Free HAF spaces available for eligible children

Designed for all abilities

Individual development, tournament and shooting games

Fun filled holiday courses offering, action packed football or exciting multi-sports activities, with games, challenges and plenty of fun!

Lots on Local...

21st - 24th December

Titchy Town Presents: Elf Workshop!

Titchy Town

Santa's Elves have journeyed to Titchy Town once again and are causing mischief! With face paint, tattoos, crafts and more, join us for festive fun playtime with the cheeky elves. Keep an eye on social media for more details.

Sat 2nd Jan - 10:00 - 11:00am

Saturday Boogie Woogie Babes

All Saints Church Hall, Mickleover

Music & movement for toddlers & preschoolers. This is the usual weekly class but on a Saturday with an added extra of a craft table. To book contact Shelagh: 07889 96233

Wed 6th Jan

Spin The Wheel Day: New Year Special

Titchy Town & Hero Town

It's back again, start your 2027 off lucky with our spin the wheel! An event we now run every other month, what prize will you win?! Up for grabs: Free sessions, free cakes and more!

7th and 8th January

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Enjoy an evening of Pottery Painting without the children. Glasses provided just bring your favourite tipple and don't forget your snacks! First Thursday and Friday of each month - 6.30pm to 9.30pm. Prices depend on what you choose to paint on the night.

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3. What activities do the children undertake and how can they be supported in those activities

4. How can the children communicate with the other parent when they're not with them eg FaceTime etc

5. What are the arrangements for the holidays including taking the children abroad. Both parents with parental responsibility will need to consent and share information about where the holiday is etc

6. How will plans change as the children grow older and their needs change. You will need to consider how you will make decisions together eg about the children's next school

7. Parenting plans are a good guide to working out the arrangements (How a Parenting Plan can help | Cafcass)

8. How will you communicate with one another as parents - there are Apps available to help with this eg OurFamilyWizard, 2Houses, AppClose

9. If disputes or disagreements arise that cannot be resolved between you mediation is a good next step to try and resolve those issues

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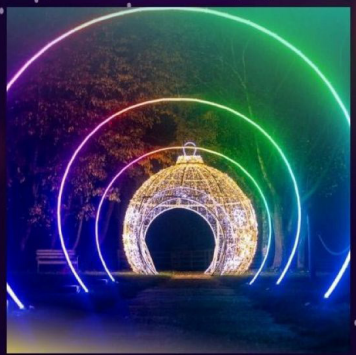
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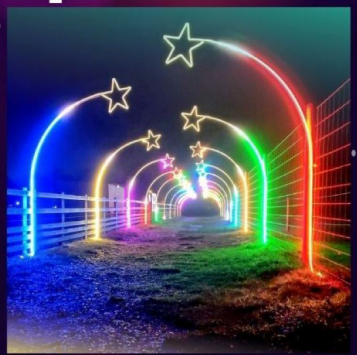
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Away from the music, Happy's Circus returns, while Gloworm will transform into a world of magic and imagination with a spectacular Fairytale theme for 2027.

Gloworm isn't simply family-friendly; it's designed specifically around families, with live entertainment, workshops, activities, character meet-and-greets and fairground rides all forming part of the experience.

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The formula has earned Gloworm an exceptionally loyal following. One recent attendee described it as an "amazing weekend", praising the organisation, entertainment and huge choice of activities for children, while another said: "Gloworm festival never lets us down."

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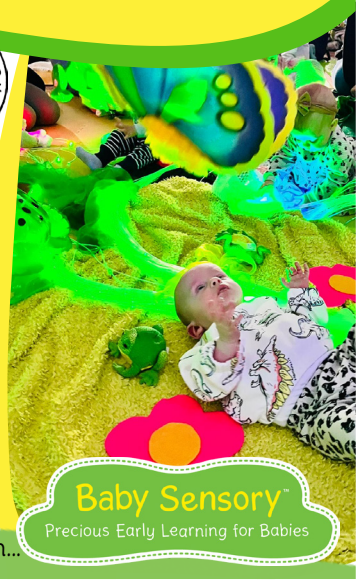
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Second Monday of the month,
12pm-1pm Alfreton Library

Ashbourne

Baby Sensory
Tuesdays, 10-11am (Birth-6m)
11:30am-12:30pm (6m-13m)
1-2pm (Birth-13m)
The Venue, Ashbourne

Moo Music
Mixed Moo 10am
Baby Moo 11am
The Ashbourne School of Dance

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
First Wednesday of the month,
12.15pm-2.30pm
Ashbourne Play Village

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Every Friday, 10am-11.30am7
Ashbourne Elim Church

PuddleDucks
Lessons for different ages Monday, Friday and Saturday
Ashbourne Adelaide Grange

Aston on Trent

Aston on Trent Tots
Tuesday 9.30am -11.30am
Wednesday 13.30pm -15.00pm War Memorial Hall

Derbyshire Dragons
Thursday
Little Dragons: 4:30pm
Beginners Taekwondo 5:00pm
Friday
Little Dragons 5:00pm
Beginners Taekwondo 5:30pm
Aston on Trent Recreation Centre
Saturday
Little Dragons 9:30am
Beginners Taekwondo 11:00am
Family Kickboxing:11:00am
Aston on Trent War Memorial Hall

Belper

Baby Sensory
Wed, 10-11am (Birth-6m)
11:30am-12:30pm (6m-13m)
1-2pm (Birth-13m)
The Lion Hotel, Belper

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Fridays 1pm to 2:30pm
St Mark's Church, Belper, DE56 0SD

Bolsover

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Second and Fourth Fridays of the month, 10.30am-12pm
Bolsover Parish Rooms

Brailsford

Infinity Dance Academy
Nursery Ballet & Tap (from walking)
Saturdays 9.00-9.30am
Rainbow Ballet & Tap (3yrs+)
Saturdays 9:00-9:30am
Rainbow Modern (3yrs+)
Saturdays 9:30-10:00am
Primary Modern (5yrs+)
Saturdays 9:30-10:00am
Primary Ballet & Tap (5yrs+)
Saturdays 10:00-10:30am
Preliminary Modern (7yrs+)
Saturdays 10:30-11:00am
Preliminary & Junior Tap/Ballet (7yrs+)
Saturdays 11.00-12.00
Junior / Inter Freestyle (9yrs+)
Saturdays 12.00-12.30
Junior / Inter Contemporary (9yrs+)
Saturdays 12.30-13.00
Brailsford Institute

Castle Donington

PuddleDucks
Tuesday, Friday & Saturday
Leonardo Hotel

Chesterfield

Stay and Play Toddler Group
Tuesday 09:30 am- 11:00 am
Wellspring Church, Wirksworth

Baby Sensory Birth -13 Months
Birth - 13 months:
Mondays 13:00pm
Tuesdays 09:45, 11:00 & 12:30PM
Wednesday 09:45, 11:00 & 12:30PM
Thursday 09:45, 11:00
13:00 - Baby Massage
Friday: 11:30am & 13:00
Club Chesterfield, Chester Street, Chesterfield, S40 1DL

Baby Sensory Toddler Sense
Monday & Fridays 9:45 & 11am ,
Club Chesterfield, S40 1DL

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
1st Thursday of the month, 9.45am-11.15am Wirksworth Stay and Play

Crich

Popalong Baby & Toddler Group
Friday 09.30am -11.30am
Crich Welsey Chapel,

Denby

Baby & Toddler Group
Tuesday 10.00am -12.00pm
Denby Bottles Methodist Church

Eckington

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Alternate Tuesdays, 10.15am - 11.45am Eckington Children's Centre

Lots on Weekly...

Erewash, Amber Valley & Derbyshire

Most classes are Term-Time only

Etwall

Soccerstars Skills Centre
Sundays 9am-10am
Etwall Leisure Centre

Hilton

Baby Sensory
Thursday 10am, 11.30am & 1pm
The Mease Pavilion DE65 5LS

TiddleKicks
Saturday
8:30am, stage 2 (1-3yrs)
9:15am, stage 3 (3-5yrs)
Hilton Scout Hut

Heanor & Langley

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Alternative Tuesdays 09:30 - 11:00
Heanor Childrens Centre

Infinite Wellbeing
Monday to Friday 9-3 and Saturday 10-3
Role Play Area open - no need to book
Mondays
Messy Play 10-10.45am
Infinite Mini Wrigglers 12.30-1.15pm
Infinite Mini Movers 1.30-2.15pm
Tuesdays
Tuesday Tots
12.30-2.30pm
Wednesdays
Preschool Cooking 10-11am
Thursdays
The Family Huddle (support Group) 1-2pm
Infinite Wellbeing Community Centre, Heanor

Hulland

Hulland Hippos Baby & Toddler Group
Wednesday 10.00 - 11.30am
Millenium Village Hall, DE6 3EH

Kilburn

Blossoms Play Café
Opening times – mon, tues, thurs, Fri – 9am – 3pm sat 9am – 2pm.
110-112 Chapel Street, Kilburn
DE560NR

Little Eaton

Baby Sensory
Tuesday 10am, 11.30am & 1pm Village Hall, St Peters Park, Vicarage Lane, DE21 5E

Lots on Weekly...

Erewash, Amber Valley & Derbyshire

Most classes are Term-Time only

Long Eaton

SoccerstarsUK Tiny Tots
Saturday: 09:00, 09:30 and 10:15am
The Long Eaton School

Matlock

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Mondays 11.30am-13.00pm
Church in the Peak

Baby Sensory
Mondays, 10-11am (Birth-6m)
11:30am-12:30pm (6m-13m)
Flowmotion.Life Yoga Studio

The Mucky Outdoor Playgroup
Friday's 10:00 am to 11:15 am
Castle View Primary School and Nursery

Hettie and Sid Storytime Sessions
Every second Tuesday of each Month
It's free with a free book for each child, booking is via email – joanne@hettieandsid.co.uk

Melbourne

Derby Forest School- Nature Nursery
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
08.30am - 16.00pm
Whistlewood Common, Melbourne

Tiddlywinks
Monday 10.00am-11.30am Wesley Hall

Kidslingo Spanish for toddlers and preschoolers
Tuesday 11.00am
Melbourne Assembly Rooms

Derby Forest School- Tree Tots
Wednesday 10.00am - 11.30am
Whistlewood Common, Melbourne

Baby Sensory
Thursday, 10am, 13:00pm (Birth to 13 months)
Thursday, 11.30am (Birth to 6 months)
Melbourne Sporting Partnership

Hero Town Interactive Role Play Centre
See page 2 for session times. DE73 5WX

Connected
Bump to Babies Friday 10.30am - 12.00pm
Melbourne Sporting Partnership (pregnancy – 2 years)

Repton

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
2nd Wednesday of the month, 10am-11.30am
Repton Village Hall

Repton Baby and Toddler Group
Wednesdays 10 - 11.30am
Repton Village Hall.

Tiny Tots
Saturdays
9am / 9.30am / 10:15am
Repton Sports Centre

Ripley

Baby Sensory
Thurs, 10-11am (Birth-6m)
11:30am-12:30pm (6m-13m)
1-2pm (Birth-13m)
Ripley Leisure Centre

TiddleKicks
Wednesday
9:30am, mixed stage (1-4 yrs)
Ripley Leisure Centre
Saturday-
8:20am, mixed stage (1-4yrs)
9:05am, stage 2 (1-3yrs)
9:50am, stage 3 (3-5yrs)
Ripley Leisure Centre

Infinite Wellbeing
Tuesday Tots
Tuesdays during term time
9.30-11.30am
Preschool Cooking and Craft
Thursdays during term time
10-11am
Greenwich Sports Hub, Ripley

Shardlow

Shardlow stay and play group
Mondays 10-11.30 Shardlow Village Hall

Sudbury

Forest Tots
Friday 13:30pm Sudbury Primary, DE6 5HZ

Swadlincote

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month, 10am-11.15am
Woodville Children's Centre

Baby Sensory
Thursday 10:30-11:30 (Mixed Age Class Birth to 13 Months)
Linton Village Hall

Wyaston

Wyaston Parent & Child Group
Wednesday 09:30 - 11:30am
Village Hall, DE6 2DR

West Hallam

Baby & Toddler Group
Friday 09.30am - 11.30am
Powtrell Pavillion, DE7 6JY

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Every Thursday, 9.30am-11am
Powtrell Pavilion, West Hallam.

Lots on Weekly...

Most classes are Term-Time only

Allenton

Rhymetime
Monday 14:00 - 14:30pm
Allenton Library

Sallies Tots
Tuesday: 9.30am - 11.00am (term time) Derby South Salvation Army,

Eddy's Tots Toddler group
Thursday 09:30-11:00
St Ed's Hut, DE24 9JA

Adult & Baby Yoga
Friday 9.30am - 10.30am
Moorways Sports Village, DE24 9HY

Baby Stay and Play Group
Tuesday 10:00 - 11:30
Osmaston Allenton Family Hub

Connected - Tea and Tots
Wednesday 12.30 – 14.00
Osmaston Allenton Family Hub (pregnancy – 5 years)

Stay and Play Group
Wednesday 13:30 - 15:00
Osmaston Allenton Family Hub

CANVAS - Move me
Thursday 13:30 - 15:00
Osmaston Allenton Family Hub

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Thursday 13:30 - 15:00
Osmaston Allenton Family Hub

Young Parent Connect
Fridays 09:30 - 11:00
Osmaston Allenton Family Hub

Alvaston

Connected Tea and Tots
Wednesdays 12.30pm - 2.00pm
Watermeadow Community Room

Connected Dad Space
1st and 3rd Thursday of each month
7.30pm - 9.00pm
Harrison's Hub, Pride Park Stadium

Allestree

Boogie Woogie Babes
Wednesday & Friday
10.00am - 11.00am
St Johns Church Hall,Park Farm
Tel Shelagh: 07889 962332

Tiny Talk Baby Signing
Monday
09:45 - 10:45 Babies
11:15 - 12:15 - Toddlers
St John's Methodist Church

Rhymetime
Tuesday 14:30 - 15:00pm
Allestree Library

Studio86
Thursday 9.45am- Baby Ballet/ Tiny Tappers 10.30am - 12:00pm Diddy Dancers
Wednesday 4-5pm
Friday 4.30-5.30pm
St Nich's Church Hall

Chaddesden

Connected Bump to Babies
Connected and DCCT
Dads' Space Thursday 19.00 – 21.00
Leisure United Derby Racecourse
(expectant Dad's and dads with under 2s)

Chellaston

Moo Music Derby
Thursday:
10:00 Mixed Moo
11:00 Baby Moo
Chellaston Community Centre

Derbyshire Dragons
Monday:
Little Dragons: 5:00pm
Beginners Taekwondo 5:30pm
Kickboxing 6:30 pm
Wednesday
Little Dragons: 5:00pm
Beginners Taekwondo 5:30pm
Family Kickboxing 7:30pm
Chellaston Junior School

Titchy Town Interactive Role Play Centre
See page 2 for session times.
Scallywags Nursery,

Tiny Tots
Saturdays
9am / 9.30am / 10:15am
Chellaston Academy

Chester Green

Baby Sensory
Friday, 10am, 11:30am (Birth to 13 months)
Friday 13:00pm (Birth to 6 months)
Chester Green Community Centre

Tiddlekicks
Saturday
9:05am, stage 2 (1-3yrs)
9:50am, stage 3 (3-5yrs)
10:35, stage 4 (4-6years)-
Chester Green Community Centre

Baby Sensory
Friday, 10am, 11:30am (Birth to 13 months) Friday 13:00pm (Birth to 6 months)
Chester Green Community Centre

Lots on Weekly...

Most classes are Term-Time only

Darley Abbey

Studio 86
Monday 09.30am Tumbling Tots
Broadway Baptist Church
Studio 86
Tuesday 09.30am Ballet/Tap,
Darley Abbey Village Hall

Derby City

Connected Bump to Baby
Monday 10.00am - 11.30am
Becket Children's Centre
Tiddlekicks
Monday 9:30am & 10:15am, mixed stage (1-4 yrs)
Derby Arena
PuddleDucks
Monday, Tuesday,Wednesday & Sunday Everlast Fitness Club Derby
Derbyshire Dragons
Monday:
Little Dragons: 4:30pm
Beginners Taekwondo : 5:00pm
Family Kickboxing: 7:00-8:00pm
Tuesday:
Beginners Taekwondo: 4:30pm
Wednesday
Little Dragons:4:30pm
Beginners Taekwondo 5:00pm
Family Kickboxing: 7:00pm
Thursday
Little Dragons: 5:00pm
Beginners Taekwondo: 5:30pm
Family Kickboxing: 7:30pm
Friday
Little Dragons:4:30pm
Beginners Taekwondo 5:00pm
Saturday
Little Dragons: 9:30am
Beginners Taekwondo 10:00am
Family Kickboxing: 13:00pm
Unit 6, MCP House, Parcel Terrace DE1 1LY
Bridge The Gap Drop-In
Thursday 10am - 11.30am
Becket Family Hub, 35 Stockbrook Street DE22 3WR.
Balance Bike (18 months- 5 years)
Friday 12:00 - 13:00pm
Derby Arena
Tiny Tots
Saturday 9.15am – 9.45am
2yrs 9.45am - 10.30am 3yrs& 10.30am – 11.15am 4 & 5 Mini skills class
The University of Derby
Skills Centre
Saturday mornings
09:30 - 10:30
The University of Derby
Advanced Technical Centre
Wednesday 5pm - 6pm
Derby Rugby Club

Littleover

Connected Pregnancy Connections
Last Monday each month 16.30 – 18.30 Insomnia Café Community
Baby Sensory
Wednesday 10am, 11.30am & 1pm
St Peters Church Hall, DE23 6GF
Play Ark
Thursdays and Fridays 10:00am – 11:30 am. £2 includes refreshments
Methodist Church
Rhymetime
Thursday 10:30 - 11:00am
Blagreaves Library,
Derby High School Stay and Play
Friday - 9:00 - 10:30 ,
PuddleDucks
Thursday Littleover Gayton Swimming Pool

Mackworth

Bridge the Gap Creative drop ins
Wednesday 13:30 - 15:00
Breastfeeding Club
Wednesday 10:30 - 11:30am
Stay and Play
thursdays 13:30 - 15:00
Mackworth Family Hub DE22 4EQ

Mickleover

Boogie Woogie Babes
Monday 10.00am - 11.00am
All Saints Church Hall Mickeover
Tel Shelagh: 07889 962332
Beat Feet Academy of Dance
Wednesday:
AcroDance Preschool 4:15 – 5:00pm
Acrobatic Arts - 5:45 – 6:45pm
Saturday:
Parent & Tots Bop - 9:30 – 10:15am
Baby Boppers - 9:45 – 10:30am
Acrobatic Arts - 10:15 – 11:15am
AcroDance Preschool - 10:30 – 11:15am
Ballet - 11:15 – 11:45am
Modern Theatre - 11:45 – 12:15pm
Tap - 12:15 – 12:45pm
Infant Street Dance 1:15 – 2:00pm
Murray Park Community School
Kidslingo French for toddlers and preschoolers
Thursday 10.00am Mickleover Library
Tiddlekicks
10:15am, mixed stage (1-4 yrs)
Mickleover Memorial Hall
Kidslingo Spanish for toddlers and preschoolers
Thursday11.00am Mickleover Library
Advanced Technical Centre
Friday evenings 5.15pm – 6.30pm - Mickleover FC

Normanton

Connected Bump to Books
Monday 15.00 – 16.00
Normanton Library (pregnancy – 5 years)

Lots on Weekly...

Most classes are Term-Time only

Oakwood

Moo Music
Monday
9:20 Mixed Moo
10:15 Mixed Moo
11:15 Baby Moo
12:15 Mooborn Massgae
The Church on Oakwood
Friday
10:00 Mixed Moo
11:00 Baby Moo
Oakwood Community Centre

TinyTalk Baby Signing & Toddler Talk
Tuesdays 9.45-10.45 Toddlers
Tuesdays 11.15-12.15 Babies
The Church on Oakwood

Spring Tots
Tuesday - 09.30am - 10.30am (Walking to 3 years)
10.45am - 11.45am (3 - 5 years)
Wednesday - 09.30am - 10.30am (3 - 5 years)
10.45am - 11.45am (Walking to 3 years)
Springwood Leisure Centre

Connected Bump to Baby
Bump to Babies Thursday 10am – 12.00 Audrey Drive Children's Centre (pregnancy – 2 years)

TiddleKicks
Friday (alternate weeks)
10am, mixed stage (1-4 yrs)
Saturday
8:45am, mixed stage (1-4yrs)
9:30am, stage 3 (3-5yrs)
10:15am, stage 2 (1-3yrs)
Springwood Leisure Centre

Ockbrook

Breastfeeding Network Derbyshire
Wednesdays in term time, 1-2.30pm- Shining Stars Playgroup, All Saint's Church, Ockbrook

Spondon

Baby Sensory
Monday 10am, 11.30am & 1pm
Spondon Methodist Church,

Rhymetime
Tuesday 10:30 - 11:00am
Spondon Library

Spondon under 5's
Thursday 09.15am -11.15am
Village Hall, Sitwell St

PuddleDucks
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday, Saturday & Sunday Spondon Choices Health Club

Sinfin

Rhymetime
Monday 11:30 - 12:00pm Sinfin Library

Bridge The Gap Drop-In
Tuesday 10am - 11.30am Sinfin Family Hub, 345 Sinfin Lane DE24 9SF.

Lots on Weekly...

Most classes are Term-Time only

Burton

Early Movers
Mondays
9:30-10:15 - Wrigglers
10:30-11:15 - Movers
11:30-12:15 - Movers
Tuesdays
9:30-10:15 - Movers
10:30-11:15 - Wrigglers
11:30-12:30 - Shakers
1:30-2pm - Ballet and Tap
Wednesdays
9:30-10am - Ballet and Tap
Thursdays
9:30-10:15 - Movers
10:30-11:30 - Shakers
11:45-12:30 - Wrigglers
Saturdays
9-9:45 - Movers
Shakers - 0-9 months
Wrigglers - 9-18 months
Movers - 18 months to preschool age
Ballet and Tap - 2-3 years
Wendy Bates School of Dancing, Unit 6 Wood Street, Burton DE14 3AB.

Breastmilk Mummies
Tuesdays 10:00-12:00
East Saffs Children's Centre

Baby Bounce and Rhyme
Tuesdays & Fridays 10:15-10:45
Burton Library, DE14 1AH

Tots Time
Tuesdays 9:30-11:30
Branston Village Hall, DE14 3HS

Jelly Tots Stay and Play
Tuesdays 9:30-11:30
Riverside Church Warehouse, DE14 1AN

Connected Bump to Baby
Connected in Pregnancy
Wednesday 10am – 11.15am East Staffordshire Family Hub (pregnancy – 6 months)

Moo Music
Wednesdays Mixed Moo 1:00
East Saffs Children's Centre DE14 2NJ

Active Antz
Wednesdays 9:30-11:30
Meadowside Leisure Centre

Simply Play
Wednesdays 10:00-11:30 (pre-book)
East Saffs Children's Centre DE14 2NJ

Baby Sensory
Fridays
10:10-11:10 (birth to 13 months)
11:30-12:30 (birth to 13 months)
East Saffs Children's Centre

Saturday Lego Club
Saturdays 11:00-12:00
Burton Library, DE14 1AH

Barton

Stay and Play Story Time
1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month 2:15-3:00
Barton Library, DE13 8AX

Tots, Pots & Tales
Staffordshire Term-Time only.
Thursdays 1pm to 2pm
Fridays 10am to 11am
The Mug Tug Ashore

Saturday Craft Fun
Saturdays 11-12
Barton Library, DE13 8AX

Stretton & Rolleston

Moo Music
Mondays & Wednesdays
Mixed Moo 10:00
Baby Moo 11:00
Rolleston Scout Hut, DE3 9AB

Chipmunk Music
Mondays 10:15-11:00 & 11:30-12:15
Wednesdays & Thursdays 10:00-10:45
& 11:15-12:00
The Priory Centre, Stretton, DE13 0HF

Baby Sensory
Wednesdays
10:15-11:15 (birth to 13 months)
11:30-12:30 (birth to 13 months)
Stretton Methodist Church, DE13 0EA

Stapenhill & Winshill

Twins and Multiples Group
Mondays 10:00-12:00
Hill Street Health Centre DE15 9LD

Winshill Stay and Play
Tuesdays 9:00-11:00
Winshill Neighbourhood Resource Centre DE15 0HD

Bumps, Babies and Beyond
Tuesdays 10:00-12:00
St Mark's Church, Winshill, DE15 0HS

Little Lotus Neonatal Stay & Play
Tuesdays 10:30-12:00 (referral needed)
Hill Street Health Centre DE15 9LD

Baby Sensory
Wednesdays 1:00-12:00 (birth - 13 months)
12:30-1:30 (birth - 13 months)
Moira Village Hall, DE12 6DZ

Little Blessings (0-3 years)
Wednesdays 10:00-11:30
The Community Church, Stapenhill,

Heart Beats
Thursdays
9:45-10:45 (non-walkers)
11:00-12:00 (toddlers/mixed age)
Hill Street Health Centre DE15 9LD

Shorties Baby Group (under 1s)
Thursdays 10:30-12:00
The Community Church, Stapenhill,

Tatenhill

Razzamataz Burton on Trent
Razzamataz Minis (4/5 years),
Saturdays 9-10am,
Razzamataz Juniors (6-8 years)
Saturdays 10:15am-12:45pm,
Razzamataz Inters/Seniors (9-18 years)
Saturday 10am-1pm
John Taylor Free School, Burton on Trent, DE13 9SA

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The Long Eaton School* (10am-2pm)

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