



HARTLEPOOL SPECIAL NEEDS  
*support group*

# NEWSLETTER

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## **Trips—Open to all ages unless specified**

### **MARCH**

- 6 Film Night: 6 pm—9 pm. 13 years+
- 24 Family Night— Bingo, Fish and Chips 6.00 pm

### **April**

- 1 Easter Treats served by our Get-together Club, 1 pm—3 pm. Parents, carers & guests, please come along and support us.
- 6 Larry's Bowling, Seaton Carew 11.30 am—2.30 pm.
- 7 Build a fluffy “Peter Rabbit” or “Flopsy the Bunny” with treats 1.30pm—3.30pm . 13 Years+.
- 7 Family Craft Session includes materials and Easter treats 6 pm—8 pm, due to last years success this has been requested again. Families can meet together, relax and have fun.
- 8 Pizza Hut/Cinema 12 Noon.
- 9 Build your own “Peter Rabbit or “Forest the Happy Bunny” with lunch 11 am—1.30 pm. Up to 12 years.
- 10 Sizzlers (Owton Lodge) 12 noon. 13 years+
- 11 “Dame Dolly’s Tale as old as Time Easter Pantomime” Matinee Hartlepool Town Hall
- 14 Jump 360 - 10.30 am to 1.30 pm.
- 15 Film Afternoon , Resource Centre with Pie and Peas 12.30 pm - 3.30 pm. 13 years+
- 16 Silly Sloths, portable soft play and lunch 11 am - 1.30 pm . Up to 12 years.
- 17 The Windmill, Dalton Piercy - 12 Noon. 13 Years+

### **MAY**

- 8 Race Night—See Core fundraising page
- 19 Members Meeting—see overleaf

### **JUNE**

- 13 “Bring it on”, Matinee Sunderland Empire



## MEMBERS, FAMILY, FRIENDS AND CORE FUNDRAISING GROUP EVENTS, DONATIONS ETC

### Great North Run

£250.00	Aran Hetherington—Great North Run
£120.00	Chris Shepherd via Hartlepool Masonic Benevolent Association
£245.00	Sue Harrison
£100.00	Julie Carter +£150 see previous newsletter
£2933.50	Christmas Jumper Day
£50.00	Mrs Saddler Via Andrew Allison
£50.00	Mrs E Gibbon via Andrew Allison
£130.00	Christmas Fayre
£300.00	Christmas Raffles
£100.00	Hunter Family—Use of Centre
£110.00	Pauline Hunter—Sale of home-made Christmas cakes
£37.00	Christmas Collection Box
£112.50	Hartlepool Supporters Club via Farman Family.

Please continue to help and support us, all donations enable the group to raise funds towards all services provided.

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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all members who came along or sent in their apologies. Cheese, biscuits and cakes went down a treat.

**Trustees:-** Jayne Shepherd (Chair), Julie Carter (Secretary), Karen Taylor (Treasurer), Ami Carroll. Co-opted:- Jamie Allison, Grace Brock. Our trustees are made up of parents and volunteers who continue to work with us to help improve services for all our children and young adults.

Trustees Annual Report 2019 on view in resource centre or via the following link:-  
<http://hsnsg.org.uk.wp.downloads/annual-report/>

***Our Next AGM: - Tuesday 23rd February 2021—6 pm***

Next Members Meeting:- **Tuesday 19th May 2020 at 6pm**, this will be a short meeting followed by Fish and Chip Supper. Support for children and young adults available. Places and food must be booked.

### VOLUNTEER HOURS

**November- 246**

**December—135**

**January—184**

# Core Fundraising Group



## Charity Race Night



Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020

7pm arrival, first race 7:45pm

Avenue, Lauder St, Hartlepool, TS24 8AH



Adult Tickets: £5 Includes Pie & Peas

Under 16 Tickets: £3

Pie & Peas or Hotdog



To purchase tickets please speak to Jamie Allison

Mobile: 07904037335

E-mail: [fundraising@hsnsg.org.uk](mailto:fundraising@hsnsg.org.uk)



Cash  
Prizes

All proceeds to Hartlepool Special Needs Support Group

### WANTED

We would appreciate your kind donations of:-

Bottles of plonk, soft drinks, sauces, bubble bath, shampoo etc

Individual wrapped or fun sized chocolate and sweets e.g. roses, heroes, celebrations, refreshers, lollies etc

Please bring your donations to the Resource Centre by Monday 27th April 2020

## NOTICE BOARD

If you are interested in any of the following places are still available- further details contact office.

### Resource Centre—Term Time

**Childrens Fun Club** Ages 3 -12 (or when appropriate) Monday 5.30 pm — 7.30 pm  
Some of the activities are table top games, multi sensory room, art and crafts etc.

**Get Together Club** Age 18+ Wednesday 11.00 am—3.00 pm  
Work tasks and social opportunities.

**Youth Club** Age 12 onwards Wednesday 6.00 pm—8.00 pm  
Simply chilling and chatting with friends making their own choices during evening.

**Drama Club** Age 13+ (or when appropriate) Thursday 6.00 pm—8.00 pm  
Working towards performing.

**Friends Fun Club** Age 3—13 (or when appropriate) Sunday 4.00 pm—6.00 pm  
Choice time for fun and games, whilst working towards performing with Drama club “Constellation”.

**Multi-sensory Room** is available for bookings. Encourages rhythmic movement and dancing while listening to various types of sounds learning choices, differences, relaxing etc.

**Private Parties** booking available on request—Children’s birthdays, Get-togethers, Christenings etc.

**Max Card** is a discount card available for families of children with additional needs.  
To apply contact Tracy Liveras on: 01429 284876 or email [tracy.liveras@hartlepool.gov.uk](mailto:tracy.liveras@hartlepool.gov.uk)

**Hartlepool Art Gallery —Relaxed Opening - Autism Friendly Session - March** FREE  
Yoga age 4-10 12.30-1pm & ages 11-16 1.15-1.45pm \*limited places for first come first serve basis.  
Contact [Caroline.Shilson@hartlepool.gov.uk](mailto:Caroline.Shilson@hartlepool.gov.uk)

### **IMPORTANT — ALL MEMBERS MUST COMPLETE RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION AND SUPPLY ANY EVIDENCE REQUESTED**

- 1. Annual Renewal**—You must renew your membership by **30th March 2020** otherwise we will assume you do not wish to continue to access our services.  
*All details will be deleted after this date.*
- 2. Information Required** — Evidence of receiving DLA or PIP also cinema passes to be updated. *(This is to help us with future bookings).*
- 3. Personal Profiles**—Information must be updated and completed please call in for paper copy or we can email you documentation on request. If you need any help with this contact the office to make an appointment..
- 4. Cancellations Activities-Trips-Theatre & Live Shows-** HSNSG have to pre-book tickets-entrances and pay in advance. Therefore any individual who has booked and cannot attend or do not turn up on the date in question must pay full costs.

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