



Cragside SEND
Spring/Summer Newsletter

Welcome to the 2nd issue of our
Special Educational Needs (SEN)
Newsletter!

We will be sending out a
newsletter each term with recent
research, websites and news
relating to SEND. We hope you
find it useful!





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Special Educational Needs Coffee and Cake Afternoon - Friday 16th June

We are delighted to announce our next SEN coffee and cake afternoon on Friday 16th June from 1.30pm - 3pm.

This term we will have a speech, language and communication needs focus and would love to see parents of any children who have speech and language difficulties, anyone who has questions surrounding this topic or parents of children with any other special educational needs to come along for a chat!

We will be joined by specialist speech and language teacher from the HINT team, Libby Jordan. This time, Libby will be doing a short presentation in the hall about who the HINT team are and what they do at 1.30pm and then we will move to our nursery for coffee and cake after. Our Early Help assessment coordinator Rowan Reed will also be joining us, as well as Mrs Parker and Miss Harris so please pop in at 1.30pm. Coffee, tea and Catling cakes provided!

If you have any questions, please email Miss Harris - ellie.harris@cragside.northumberland.sch.uk.



The Tim Lamb Centre - Rising Sun Country Park



A number of families have talked about how brilliant the Tim Lamb Centre is.

The Tim Lamb Centre offers specialist activity and leisure facilities for disabled children/young people and their families. Their centre is open to families with a child/ young person at any stage of their diagnostic journey and whatever their additional needs.

Facilities include a soft play area with adjoining cafe, a well-equipped sensory room, large multi-purpose hall with indoor trampolines, a toddler playroom and a computer suite. They also have a large fully enclosed outdoor playground, which includes a range of inclusive play and sensory equipment.

Annual family membership is £20.

More information about activity schedule and opening times - <https://pathways4all.co.uk/tim-lamb-centre/opening-hours/>

The Toby Henderson Trust - Free Online Webinars

The Toby Henderson Trust (TTHT) is an independently funded charity supporting autistic children, young people and adults, their families and carers in the North East of England.

As part of the many other things they support with, The Toby Henderson Trust offer free online webinars about topics such as..

- Autism and Mental Health
- Food issues
- Social Stories
- Toileting
- Sensory issues
- Managing Meltdowns
- Visual Aids
- Sleep

Here is the link for upcoming webinars and how to book on -

<https://www.ttht.co.uk/training-workshops-and-events/webinars/>



South East Northumberland Family Hubs April - July 2023

There are a range of courses set up by the South-East locality family hub.

If there are any courses that are of interest ring Cramlington West Family Hub on 01670 798 800.

More information – <https://www.familyhubsnorthumberland.co.uk/south-east-locality>

COURSES WE OFFER

*REQUEST FOR SERVICE REQUIRED

Brilliant Babies (0-6 months)*

6 week course supporting you and your baby with helpful tips on play, communication & baby's development.

Early Explorers (6-18months)*

6 sessions - with information, tips & activities to support your child's development.

LTPP AND(Additional Needs and/or Disability) (0-5 years)*

Play, Communication, Behaviour & Wellbeing.

Tiny Talkers (1-2+ years)*

6 week course to support your child's journey through language & communication, play stories & fun activities.

HENRY (0-5years)*

Healthy Families Right from the Start

8 week course, activities & strategies supporting good health, nutrition & exercise.

HENRY*

One off workshops in Starting Solids and Eating Well for Less.

LTPP(Learning Together Through Play) 0-5years

LTPP Babies (0-12months) DROP-INS

Sessions are designed to give babies & children opportunities, to socialise with other children, take part in a range of activities & for parents and carers to learn about a range of key themes.

HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS*

- Me You & Baby Too
- Arguing Better
- Getting it Right For Children

This support is for Parent/s Co-parents and young people who might be experiencing difficulties in their relationship and want to reduce arguments in the household or the sake of their Child's well being



Incredible Years *

Incredible Babies 0-12months *

8 week program to support needs of babies

Incredible Toddlers Pre-school *

12 week program to gain tools, knowledge and new skills to support the needs of children aged 1-6

Teen Triple P*

Teen Triple P is a positive parenting programme for parents of teenagers aged 9+

SPACE*

SPACE is an educational programme aimed at all adults with children aged 5-19 years to enable them to support children and young people who may be going through difficult times.

HOW TO APPLY

Our courses run every term. If you'd like to join us on any of our courses please complete one of our online 'Request for Services' (RFS) forms by scanning this barcode with your phone camera.



Visit our Facebook Page



Or get in touch

Blyth West Family Hub

Devonworth Place, Cowpen NE24 5AQ
Tel: 01670 541150

Blyth Central Family Hub

103 Wright Street, Blyth NE24 1HG
Tel: 01670 798800

*SEND Special Education Needs & Disabilities



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What's on Guide

South East Locality

Family Hubs

April - July 2023



At the end of September 2022, all Children's Centres in Northumberland became Family Hubs.

This means your local Family Hub will extend its age range to 0-19, (0-25 for SEND*) and greater support and activities will be offered. So, watch out for the changes and get in touch if you want to know more..

South-East Locality Parenting Drop in leaflet



NORTHUMBERLAND EARLY HELP SUPPORT SERVICES

South East Locality Parenting Drop in

Parents and carers are welcome to come to our parenting drop in to seek advice from our Early Help Family Workers about issues they may be experiencing. no booking is required.

For more information please contact 01670 798800

**On Monday's 10:00am-2:00pm at Eastfield Community House,
1 Axminster Close, Cramlington, NE23 2UA**



Early Help 0-19
Services

THANK YOU FOR READING!

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL:

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