

Nottinghamshire Children and Young Peoples

Voluntary Sector Newsletter

General news:



Voluntary Sector Development Team

The Voluntary Sector Team would like to announce we are now live on our new Facebook page. Please visit the page and follow the team. As this is new it is currently a work in progress and over the next few months, we would like to see it develop and grow. We are hoping that joining the social media world this will help more voluntary organisations that work with children and young people find support.

If anyone that receives the Newsletter and would like to share any information on our Facebook page please can you send in your request to our email:

VoluntarySectorDevelopmentTeam@nottsc.gov.uk This will also help other groups know what is happening in their areas and to help promote all voluntary groups create a better working partnership.

[Voluntary Sector Development Team | Facebook](#)



What is Vaping? (1 attachment)

Vaping is the use of an electric device to inhale vapour derived from a heated liquid. The main ingredients are vegetable glycerine and propylene glycol, but most e-liquids contain nicotine, which must be no more than 2% or 20mg per ml, as well as small amounts of flavourings.

Vapes are not harmless, short-term effects can include

- Coughing
- Dizziness
- Sore throats

Long term affects are yet unknown.

Disposable vapes and batteries inside them are bad for the environment, with many ending up in landfills.

Those who knowingly sell to under 18's are driven by profit and don't care who they sell to.

DON'T BE DUPED!



Measles, Mumps and Rubella (1 Attachment)

What is measles?

Measles is a very infectious viral illness that is spread by coughs and sneezes. If you are not protected and have even passing contact with someone who has measles, the chances are that you will be infected too. If you catch measles you will probably feel very poorly and be off school or work for around 10 days. There is no treatment or cure for measles.

Symptoms of measles include fever, sore red eyes, and rash. It can be a very serious infection for some people.

What is mumps?

Mumps is a viral illness that is spread by coughs and sneezes or close contact with someone who already has the infection.

Symptoms of mumps usually last around two weeks and can include headache and fever but the most common symptom is swelling of the glands at the side of the face. This can give you the appearance of having a 'hamster face' and can cause pain and difficulty swallowing.

What is rubella?

Rubella is a viral illness, often called German measles, that is now rare in the UK thanks to the success of the MMR vaccine. It is spread in a similar way to mumps and measles. For most people, it is usually a mild condition that gets better in 7 to 10 days without treatment. However, if pregnant women develop rubella, it can be very serious for their unborn baby.

Symptoms of rubella include a rash, cold-like symptoms, and aching joints.



Have your say!

Are you a parent or carer whose child or young person accesses Special Educational Needs and Disability services?

Your feedback is important to help develop services and provision for children and young people with SEND.

Completed questionnaires will be entered into a prize draw and there will be the chance to win one £20 Amazon voucher and two £10 Amazon vouchers. The winners will be notified by phone or email.

Fill out the survey.

[SEND Parent and Carer Survey 2024: Have Your Say - Nottinghamshire County Council - Citizen Space](#)

Training News:

Contact Andy Marks if you need any information with regards to youth work training: andy.marks@nottsc.gov.uk



New Training Programme for 2024- 2025!!!

New Dates for CCard training have now opened for the 2024-25 period. Training will continue to run virtually as it has proved to be very popular. There are also a few sessions that we are running in person for anyone that would prefer to do the training face to face. Registration training will run from **9.00am to 1.00pm** to ensure we can cover all the important aspects of C Card Registration, with the usual short e-learning module that is completed a week before the training. The Refresher will continue to run from **10:00am-12.00pm**

To view and book onto the 2024-2025 Training Programme, click on the link below and book through Eventbrite.

<https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/care/health-and-wellbeing/sexual-health/c-card-training>



Ashfield Play forum in partnership with the national lottery community grant offer free training to the residents of Ashfield.

They have kindly offered unfilled spaces to anyone who receives the voluntary sector newsletter.

March 2024

- Saturday 23rd March - Emergency First Aid - 9.00am to 4.00pm

April 2024

- Saturday 13th & 20th April – Paediatric First Aid - 9 am to 16.00 pm (Must attend both days)
- Saturday 27th April – Food Hygiene – 9:00am to 16:00pm

All training is held at Ashfield Play Forum and is free to attend including materials, certificates and exam fees if applicable Please note a refundable deposit of £20 per person is required.

For further information or to book a place we can be contacted by email: info@ashfieldplayforum.co.uk or Telephone 01623 441168



Children's Bereavement Centre

Training for Parents & Carers (1 Attachment)

Training session 1: An Introduction to Childhood Bereavement and Grief

Aim: To enable parents/carers and family members to increase their understanding of childhood grief and learn helpful suggestions/practical ideas to better support their children and themselves when someone important to them has died.

Cost: FREE

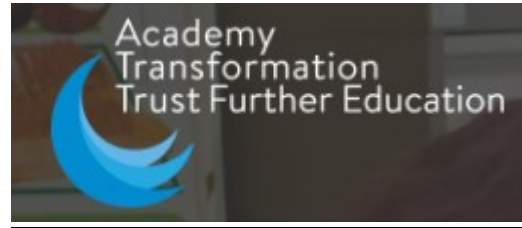
Locations:

- Saturday 13th April 2024, Oak Tree Children's Centre, Jubilee Way South, Mansfield, NG18 3QA. Time: 10am-12.30pm.

More Information about training please visit our website: [Training for Parents & Carers | Children's Bereavement Centre \(childrensbereavementcentre.co.uk\)](https://www.childrensbereavementcentre.co.uk)

Or Email Kate Baxter:

kate@childrensbereavementcentre.co.uk



Academy Transformation Trust Further Education (ATTFE) (1Attachment)

ATTFE College offers LIFELONG learning to our local and wider communities. Excellent inclusive further / adult education learning opportunities are provided in an exciting range of non-vocational provision, alongside accredited learning from Entry Level to Level 4.

Our learner-led provision is easy to access and priced, with both free and 19+ loan payment options available (enquire within for further information).

Whatever your goal, we are here to help nurture your potential, develop your learning skills, and provide you with the tools that you need to successfully achieve your ambitions.

Free Courses available for Voluntary Organisations

- Supporting Mental Health
- Supporting Inclusive Communities
- Supporting Volunteering and Employability
- Supporting Children and Families

[About Us - Academy Transformation Trust Further Education \(attfe.org.uk\)](https://attfe.org.uk)



Nottinghamshire County Council, Nottingham City Council and NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire ICB have commissioned Harmless to deliver a range of funded CPD accredited evidence-based training courses in:

- Mental Health Awareness
- Suicide Prevention / Intervention
- Suicide Bereavement
- Self-Harm Awareness
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We aim to provide funded training to equip individuals with the confidence and skill to be able to respond and support individuals in distress.

Mental Health

- Monday 25th March - [Mental Health Awareness training \(Nottinghamshire inc. Bassetlaw\) Tickets, Mon 25 Mar 2024 at 09:30 | Eventbrite](#)
- Monday 8th April - [Mental Health Awareness training \(Nottinghamshire inc. Bassetlaw\) Tickets, Mon 8 Apr 2024 at 09:30 | Eventbrite](#)
- Monday 22nd April - [Mental Health Awareness training \(Nottinghamshire inc. Bassetlaw\) Tickets, Mon 22 Apr 2024 at 12:30 | Eventbrite](#)

Suicide Bereavement (Nottingham & Nottinghamshire)

- Thursday 11th April - [Suicide Bereavement training \(Nottingham & Nottinghamshire\) Tickets, Thu 11 Apr 2024 at 09:30 | Eventbrite](#)

Suicide Prevention

- Tuesday 9th April - [Suicide Prevention & Intervention training \(Nottingham and Nottinghamshire\) Tickets, Tue 9 Apr 2024 at 12:30 | Eventbrite](#)
- Thursday 25th April - [Suicide Prevention & Intervention training \(Nottingham and Nottinghamshire\) Tickets, Thu 25 Apr 2024 at 09:30 | Eventbrite](#)

Self Harm

- **Tuesday 30th April** - [Self Harm Awareness training \(Nottingham and Nottinghamshire\) Tickets, Tue 30 Apr 2024 at 09:30 | Eventbrite](#)

Relationship Breakdown Training as a Suicide Risk Factor

- **Tuesday 2nd April** - [Wave 4: Relationship Breakdowns as a Suicide Risk Factor \(Nottingham/shire\) Tickets, Tue 2 Apr 2024 at 14:00 | Eventbrite](#)

Vacancies:

Job Vacancies for voluntary groups who wish to advertise within their organisation. If you have any upcoming vacancies, please let us know and we will put your request in our newsletter.

Youth Worker – UASC

- Closing date: 4 April 2024
- Work pattern: Full Time
- Number of hours to be worked per week: 37.
- Contract Length (Months): 24
- Location: Sutton Young People's Centre, Nottinghamshire, NG17 5FW
- Interview date: April 22nd
- Salary: £35,547 - £38,461 (pro rata)

The Youth Service provides high quality, safe and enjoyable social education activities for young people. We offer safe spaces, trusted youth workers and fun and engaging things to do.

We are looking for a qualified and highly skilled youth worker to work closely with the Unaccompanied Asylum-Seeking Children Team, Looked After and Leaving Care Service to build positive relationships with UASC and support them to meet their educational needs.

Furthermore, to enable these young people to access additional support depending on their individual need, alongside creating opportunities for them to independently access mainstream universal provision. The offer will be carefully designed to enable long term contextual support at the earliest opportunity, as well as focused and tailored youth work interventions, when needed. You must have a proven track record in working with young people and partners to deliver projects, programmes and activities that strive for and produce high quality youth work outcomes.

More Information: [Youth Worker - UASC - Nottinghamshire County Council \(tal.net\)](#)

Voluntary Sector Development

The Voluntary Sector Development Team forms part of Nottinghamshire County Council's Youth Service. Our team covers the seven districts in Nottinghamshire working to support Voluntary Sector Organisations that work primarily with Children and Young People between 4 and 19 (25 if the young people are looked after or young disabled people).

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