

## BEXLEY VOICE - HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES LIST 2018



SERVICE/PROVIDER/ORGANISATION	AGE RANGE	CRITERIA/SPECIAL NEED (Please note – not all activities are specifically for special need/disabled children)
Animal Days Out <a href="http://www.adotherapy.co.uk">www.adotherapy.co.uk</a> 0208-850-6778	6 months to 14 years	Half-term and holiday clubs ADO Therapy 1:1, family and group sessions - Activities, therapy, counselling All children have an individual assessment and babies can be accommodated. Special needs met depending on assessment including physical, self-esteem, anxiety, depression, bereavement, ASD, ADHD. Accept direct payments.
Air Jump Trampoline Park - Orpington <a href="http://www.airjumptrampolinepark.co.uk">www.airjumptrampolinepark.co.uk</a> 0800 6771502	All ages	Run sessions for people with disabilities. See website for further details.
Aspens Charities Catherine Gammon <a href="mailto:Catherine.gammon@aspens.org.uk">Catherine.gammon@aspens.org.uk</a> 07788 365360	7-18 years	Saturday Fun Club 9.30-4.00 pm £15 held at the Carlton Centre, Carlton Road, Sidcup. Commissioned by Bexley LA and a referral from the Children with Disabilities service is essential. Advance booking required.
Bexley Accessible Transport Scheme (BATS) <a href="mailto:enquiries@bexleyct.co.uk">enquiries@bexleyct.co.uk</a> <a href="http://www.bexleyct.co.uk">www.bexleyct.co.uk</a> 01322 311333		KIDZ DAYZ AWAY - BATS run a summer programme of family day trips using accessible minibuses to cater for children with SEN and physical disabilities. Contact BATS direct for more information.
Bexley Beavers Swimming Crook Log Leisure Centre, Bexleyheath <a href="http://www.bexleybeavers.org.uk">www.bexleybeavers.org.uk</a> 020-3393 8305	No age limit	Every Friday between 6-7.30pm Exclusive swim session for people with all disabilities, their families, carers and friends. Hoist is available in the large pool. No booking required. Entry by donation.
Bexley Library services Summer reading challenge	4-11 years	Theme: 'Mischief Makers' featuring lots of characters from 'The Beano' comic. Runs in all Bexley libraries and is open to children of all ages and reading abilities. 14 July to 8 September - Contact individual libraries for a list of other activities running during the holidays.
Bexley NAS (National Autistic Society) <a href="http://www.bexleynas.co.uk">www.bexleynas.co.uk</a>		Summer holiday activities for members only. Free to join once a diagnosis is given. Visit the website for more information
Bexley SNAP <a href="http://www.bexleysnap.org.uk">www.bexleysnap.org.uk</a> Claire Sullivan, Activities Co-ordinator <a href="mailto:Claire@bexleysnap.org.uk">Claire@bexleysnap.org.uk</a> 01322-334192	5-18 years	Summer Holiday Scheme for children/young people with severe and profound/complex or physical needs who receive support from the Children with Disabilities Service. Contact SNAP or your social worker for more information. w/c 30 <sup>th</sup> July Holiday Scheme for 12-18 years, Endeavour Academy, 10am to 3pm, Monday to Thursday w/c 6 <sup>th</sup> August Holiday Scheme for 12-18 years, Endeavour Academy, 10am to 3pm, Monday to Thursday w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> August Holiday Scheme for 5-11 years, Normandy Children's Centre 10am to 3pm, Monday to Thursday w/c 20 <sup>th</sup> August Holiday Scheme for 5-11 years, Normandy Children's Centre 10am to 3pm, Monday to Thursday
Charlton Athletic Community Trust <a href="http://www.cact.org.uk">www.cact.org.uk</a> Alexandra Levey (Short Breaks Co-ordinator) 0208-850-2866 <a href="mailto:alexandra.levey@cact.org.uk">alexandra.levey@cact.org.uk</a>	10-19 years	CACT provide inclusive activities and short breaks in Greenwich and Bexley and accept direct payments. Awaiting details of this year's Summer Holiday Scheme for those young people who are known to the Children with Disabilities Service and meet their criteria for support. In the past CACT have run a programme of activities out in the community and are able to provide 1:1 support. Contact social worker or CACT for more information.

Crook log leisure centre Brampton Road, Bexleyheath 020-8304 9090	All ages	Contact direct for information on inclusive sports and leisure activities running during the holidays. Leisure savers card gives free or discounted entry.
Danson Youth Centre, Brampton Rd, Bexleyheath 020-8303 6052 <a href="http://www.dansonyouth.org.uk">http://www.dansonyouth.org.uk</a>		See website for details of holiday activities. Includes football, boxing and a skate park.
Dimensions Cinema <a href="http://Dimensions-uk.org/get-involved/campaigns/autism-friendly-cinema-screenings">Dimensions-uk.org/get-involved/campaigns/autism-friendly-cinema-screenings</a>	All ages	Cinema showings specifically for people with ASD See website for details.
Europa Centre 01322 318888 <a href="mailto:info@europagymcentre.com">info@europagymcentre.com</a>		SEND Holiday Gym Sessions All Tuesdays in August – 1.15 – 2.15pm £4 per session - Book in advance
Freedom Night club Spital Street, Dartford <a href="mailto:m.gobbett@mcch.org.uk">m.gobbett@mcch.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.mcch.org.uk/nightclub">www.mcch.org.uk/nightclub</a> 01322-293312	Over 18s	For adults with learning disabilities Last Wednesday of every month 7pm-11pm £5.00 entry – Carers £1
Gambados soft play - Beckenham <a href="http://www.gambado.com">www.gambado.com</a> <a href="mailto:Beckenham@gambado.com">Beckenham@gambado.com</a> 0208 662 6910		See website for details.
Garwood Foundation Holiday Home Bramely Hill on 020 8686 9866		Adapted Holiday Home for Hire in Pagham, West Sussex <a href="http://www.garwoodfoundation.org.uk/garwood-foundation-caravan">www.garwoodfoundation.org.uk/garwood-foundation-caravan</a>
Gravity Trampoline Park <a href="mailto:Enquiries.bluewater@gravity-uk.com">Enquiries.bluewater@gravity-uk.com</a> 01977 529920		Bluewater Shopping Centre See website for details
Lark in the Park, Sidcup Place, Sidcup 21 <sup>st</sup> July-5 <sup>th</sup> August 0208-309-6056 <a href="mailto:info@larkinthePark.com">info@larkinthePark.com</a>	0-15 years	A FREE Community event for the whole family organised by Bexley churches. Bubbles tent caters for children with SEN. Daytime and evening events/activities. Email or see website for further details, registering for events on-line is highly recommended.
S. A. F. E School (Social Arts for Education) - Eltham <a href="mailto:info@safeschool.co.uk">info@safeschool.co.uk</a> <a href="http://www.safeschoolbexley.co.uk">www.safeschoolbexley.co.uk</a>	8+	Alternative education provider for vulnerable children such as those with ASD and anxiety disorders. They may run some activities during the holidays. Contact for more information.
Ultimate Dodgeball Academy <a href="http://www.ultimatedodgeballacademy.co.uk/services">www.ultimatedodgeballacademy.co.uk/services</a> Connor 07985 165003 or Jack 07411 610710	5-11 years	Danson Youth Centre and Bexley FC Halls Dodgeball coaching company with experience of ASD & ADHD
We Are Beams Allsworth Court, 38-40 St David's Road, Hextable <a href="http://www.wearebeams.org.uk">www.wearebeams.org.uk</a> <a href="mailto:admin@wearebeams.org.uk">admin@wearebeams.org.uk</a> 01322-6688501		To use services at BEAMS you must pay the yearly membership of £30.00. Day time and short breaks available.

Youth Action Diversity Trust (YADT) <a href="http://www.youthactiondiversitytrust.co.uk">www.youthactiondiversitytrust.co.uk</a> Gary - 0208-308-3862	3-14 years	North Cray Children's Centre, Sidcup Contact for further details.
Zinc day centre hub-Ongar Essex 01277-365626 <a href="mailto:fran.george@zincarts.org.uk">fran.george@zincarts.org.uk</a>	14 years +	Full day activities bookable in advance with a maximum of 25.

Accessible Countryside <a href="http://www.accessiblecountryside.org.uk">www.accessiblecountryside.org.uk</a>		Promoting disabled access to the countryside, sport and leisure
Disability Grants <a href="http://www.disability-grants.org/national-disability-discounts-days-out.html">www.disability-grants.org/national-disability-discounts-days-out.html</a>		National Disability Discounts - Days Out
Disabled Holidays Travel agents <a href="http://www.disabledholidays.com">www.disabledholidays.com</a> 0161-804-9898		DisabledHolidays.com is the UK's largest disability specialist travel agency. Fully accessible holidays in the UK, abroad and on cruise ships.
DLA Days Out – Facebook Page <a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/DLAchildrensDaysOut/">www.facebook.com/groups/DLAchildrensDaysOut/</a>		Children DLA days out Discounts tips and advice about Disability Living Allowance
Gatwick Airport <a href="mailto:hiddendisability@gatwickairport.com">hiddendisability@gatwickairport.com</a>		On arrival (or you can pre-order) at Gatwick you can collect a free lanyard for your child to wear from 'Assistance reception'. This will identify them to airport staff. There is also an 'Autism friendly visual guide to travelling' that can be printed from their website.
Heathrow Airport <a href="mailto:Special_assistance@heathrow.com">Special_assistance@heathrow.com</a>		Email in advance to obtain a lanyard which will identify your child to airport staff. A booklet to help your child understand what happens at an airport can be collected.
Scope <a href="http://www.scope.org.uk/support/tips/leisure/days-out">www.scope.org.uk/support/tips/leisure/days-out</a>		National charity offering information on days out for disabled adults and young people Advice on how to plan a day out.

**Bexley Voice are unable to endorse or recommend any of the listed organisations and providers of holidays clubs, but are merely passing on member recommendations. Please contact the individual organisations and providers for full details. Information provided was correct at time of print (June 2018) but is subject to change without notice at any time.**

Bexley Voice are a voluntary group of parent/carers of children and young people (age 0-25) with special/additional needs and disabilities (SEND) living in the London Borough of Bexley. We provide an opportunity for parent/carers to express their views and input into the planning and delivering of SEND services.

We signpost, support and empower families to obtain the best possible care and services.

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