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for children and young people



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summer in the city

2018 Guide

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Summer is here again and we are pleased to provide this guide full of great activities for you, your friends and family to enjoy.

You will be amazed at the variety of things available to do in Aberdeen over the holidays.

We hope this will help you to start planning your summer.

I'm sure you will have a great time!

Regards

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You can apply to join the scheme provided you are a resident of the City of Aberdeen AND are either aged 60 years and over or in receipt of certain benefits, allowances and eligibility criteria.

You can apply for an Access to Leisure card from Customer Services at Marischal College, all branch libraries and the Central Library (Adult Lending Department). Applications are also available from Customer Access Points at Kincorth, Mastrick and Woodside.

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This summer, why not check out the discounts and offers that are available to young people on the Young Scot website (www.youngscot.org)? There are also many discounts and offers available on a wide range of services and local businesses through the Residents Discount Scheme (www.accordaberdeen.co.uk).

If you're entitled to Access to Leisure, stay fit over the summer at any of the Sport Aberdeen leisure sites or the Aberdeen Sports Village with your Accord Card.

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PRIOR TO THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS			
17 May	The OVO Energy Tour Series	12 – 10pm	14
26 May	Grampian Pride	Grampian Pride Parade – 10.30am (arrive from 9.30am) Grampian Pride Event Village – opens 1pm	14
6 – 9 June	Peter Pan: The Musical	7pm (Matinee Saturday 2pm)	14
7 June	Scottish Disability Sport's Grampian Parasport Festival	10.30am – 2pm	15
12 June	Bookbug Session – Dyce Library	10.30 – 11am	14
14 June	Bookbug Session – Kaimhill Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	15
14 June – 16 June	Me and My Girl	Starts at 7.30pm (Matinee starts 2.30pm)	15
16 June	Minibeast Safari and Birdwatching	10am – 1pm	15
17 June	Aberdeen's Highland Games	10am – 5.30pm	15
20 June	Bookbug Session – Bucksburn Library	2.30 – 3pm	16
21 June	Bookbug Session – Torry Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	16
21 June	Play on the Longest Day	3 – 5pm	16
22 June	Bookbug Session- Cove Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	16
23 June	Macro Magic	2 – 4pm	16
26 June	Bookbug Session – Central Children's Library	10.30 – 11am	16
26 June	Bookbug Session- Ferryhill Library	2 – 2.30pm	17
26 June	Bookbug session – Tillydrone Library	10.30 – 11am	17
26 June	BP Big Screens	6.30 – 10.30pm	17
27 June	Bookbug Session – Cornhill Library	10.30 – 11am	17
28 June	Bookbug Session – Woodside Library	10.30 – 11am	17
30 June	Armed Forces Day	11am	17
30 June	Balsam Bashing	10am – 3pm	18
3 July	Bookbug Session – Airyhall Library	10.30 – 11am	18
5 July	Bookbug Session – Torry Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	18
6 July	Bookbug Session – Cove Library	2.15 – 2.45 pm	18
7 July	Rock Pooling at Cove	2 – 3.30pm	18

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CHILDCARE – REGISTERED HOLIDAYS PLAYSCHEMES			
Monday – Friday throughout the summer holidays	Aberdeen Sports Village Crèche	9am – 3.30pm	20
Monday – Friday throughout the Summer holidays	Beach Early Learners Drop-in sessions	9.15am – 3.45pm	20
Monday – Friday throughout the Summer holidays	Shoe Lane Early Learners Drop- in sessions	9.30am – 4.30pm	20
2 July – 3 August	Scamps Holiday Playscheme	8am – 6pm	20
9 July – 3 August	Rising Light Summer Holiday Club	8am – 6pm	20
9 July – 17 August	Milend Holiday Club	8am – 6pm	20
9 July - 17 August	Stompers Holiday Camp	8am – 5.30pm	21
10 July – 3 August	Fernelea Out of School Club Summer Play Scheme	8am – 6pm	21
10 July – 17 August (closed 9 July for local holiday)	CLICC Summer Programme	8am – 5.55pm (flexible sessions available, additional offer of core hours available)	21
10 July – 17 August	Oldmachar Out of School Club Holiday Playscheme	7.30am – 6pm (half days available 8.30am – 12.30pm / 1.30 – 5.30pm)	21
20 August	Oldmachar Out of School Club Holiday Playscheme	7am – 6pm	21
ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER			
10 May – 19 August	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
9 July – 17 August	Sports Camps at ASV - Aberdeen Sports Village	9.30am – 4pm	23
Every Tuesday and Thursday from week of 16 July – 9 August	Mastrick Summer Playscheme	Please contact directly for specific times	23
Every Wednesday and Friday between 16 July – 10 August	Northfield Playscheme	Wednesday 10am – 5pm and Friday 8am – 9pm	23
During Summer School Holidays	Transition Extreme Holiday Camp	9am – 4pm (early drop off from 8.30am available, late pick up of 5pm available except for Fridays)	23
Throughout summer – Tuesday and Thursdays	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
Throughout the summer	The Tolbooth Museum	Monday to Saturday 10am – 5pm and Sunday 12 – 3pm	24
Throughout the summer	Aberdeen Maritime Museum	Monday to Saturday 10am – 5pm and Sunday 12 – 3pm	24
Throughout the summer	Fab Fridays	10am – 3.30pm	24

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Throughout the Summer	Transition Extreme – Aerial Trekking	Various throughout the day	24
Throughout the Summer	Transition Extreme – Climbing	Various throughout the day	24
Throughout the Summer	Transition Extreme – Skatepark	Various throughout the day	24
Throughout the Summer	Me Too! Relaxed Sessions (suitable for ASN children)	Various times	24

WEEK 1 : 9 – 13 JULY

9 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's Messy Mondays	10am – 1pm	26
9 July	Bookbug Session – Kincorth Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	26
9 – 13 July	Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	26
9 – 13 July	Beacon Gymnastics Camps	12.15 – 2.15pm	26
9 – 13 July	Beacon Gymnastics Camps	2.15 – 4.15pm	26
9 – 13 July	Bringing Books to Life – Aberdeen Arts Centre's Summer School 2018	10am – 3.30pm (morning session: 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)	27
9 – 13 July	Get active Kids Camps – Beach Leisure Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	27
9 – 13 July	Get active Kids Camps – Beacon Sports Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	27
9 – 13 July	Intensive Swimming Camps – Bucksburn Swimming Pool	9.30am for level 1a, 1b & 2a/3 10.15am for level 1a, 1b & 2a/3	27
9 – 13 July	Intensive Learn to Swim – Aberdeen Sports Village	9.30 – 10am Swim Skills 1 – 2 10 – 10.30am Swim Skills 1 – 2 10.30 – 11am Swim Skills 3 – 4	27
9 – 13 July	Kings Camps	9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)	28
9 – 13 July	Multi – Activity Week (Ages 9-13)	9am – 4pm	28
10 July	Bookbug Session – Central Children's Library	10.30 – 11am	28
10 July	Bookbug Session – Dyce Library	10.30 – 11am	28
10 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
10 July	Movement in the Museum (Ages 3-5)	10 – 11am	28
11 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Big Parks" Wednesdays	10am – 1pm	28
11 July	KinderGym	10am – 1pm	29
11 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Cornhill Library	2.30 – 3.15 pm	29
12 July	Bookbug Session – Bridge of Don Library	10.30 – 11am	29

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12 July	Bookbug Session – Kaimhill Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	29
12 July	Maritime Makers	10am – 12pm (booking required) 2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)	29
12 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
12 – 15 July	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
13 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Follow Us" Fridays	10am – 1pm	29
13 July	Tea, Toast and Toys	9 – 10am (breakfast served at 9.30am)	30
13 July	KinderGym	10 – 10.45am or 10.45 – 11.30am	30
13 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Kincorth Library	2.30 – 3.15pm	30
14 July	Tracks and Signs on Erlick Hill	10am – 1pm	30
WEEK 2 : 16 – 20 JULY			
16 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's Messy Mondays	10am – 1pm	31
16 July	Gorgewalking (Ages 9-15)	9am – 4pm	31
16 – 19 July	Intensive Learn to Dive – Aberdeen Sports Village	9 – 9.30am Dive Skills 1 9.30 – 10am Dive Skills 1 9 – 10am Dive Skills 2 – 4	33
16 – 20 July	Aberdeen Performing Arts Senior Summer School	10am – 4pm	31
16 – 20 July	Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps	9am – 4pm	31
16 – 20 July	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	9.30 – 11.30am	31
16 – 20 July	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	12 – 2 pm	32
16 – 20 July	Around the World – Aberdeen Arts Centre's Summer School 2018	10am – 3.30pm (morning session: 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)	32
16 – 20 July	Aquatics Camps at ASV	9.30am – 4.00pm	32
16 – 20 July	Get active Kids Camps – Beach Leisure Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	32
16 – 20 July	Get active Kids Camps – Beacon Sports Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	32
16 – 20 July	Intensive Swimming Camps – Tullos Swimming Pool	9.30am for level 1a & 2a 10.15am for level 1b & 2a	33
16 – 20 July	Kings Camps	9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)	28
17 July	Dune Divers (Ages 5-8)	9am – 4pm	33
17 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
17 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Cove Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	33

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17 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Tillydrone Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	33
18 July	Paddle Power Levels 1, 2 & 3 (Ages 9-15)	9am – 4pm	33
18 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Big Parks" Wednesdays	10am – 1pm	34
18 July	Bookbug Session – Bucksburn Library	2.30 – 3pm	34
18 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Dyce Library	3 – 3.45pm	34
18 July	Northfield Playscheme	10am – 5pm	23
19 July	Bookbug Session – Culter Library	10:30 – 11am	34
19 July	Learn to Bike AM Session (Ages 3-7)	9am – 12pm	34
19 July	Bookbug Session – Torry Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	35
19 July	Mountain Biking (Ages 9-15)	9am – 4pm	35
19 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
19 July	Music in the Museum	10 – 10.45am (Ages 3-5) 11.30am – 12.30pm (Ages 5-8)	35
19 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Bridge of Don Library	2.30 – 3.15pm	35
19 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Monster Mischief – Central Children's Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	35
19 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Woodside Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	35
19 – 22 July	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
20 July	Learn to Bike PM Session (Ages 3-7)	1 – 4pm	35
20 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Follow Us" Fridays	10am – 1pm	36
20 July	Bookbug Session – Cove Library	2.15 – 2.45 pm	36
20 July	Tea, Toast and Toys	9 – 10am (breakfast served at 9.30am)	36
20 July	Northfield Playscheme	8am – 9pm	23
21 July	Maritime Makers	10am – 12pm (booking required) 2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)	36

WEEK 3 : 23 – 27 JULY

23 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's Messy Mondays	10am – 1pm	37
23 July	Bookbug Session – Cults Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	37
23 July	Kids in the Kitchen	10.30am – 12.30pm	37
23 July	Rock Scrambling and Coasteering (Ages 9-15)	9am – 4pm	37
23 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Ferryhill Library	2.30 – 3.15pm	37
23 – 27 July	Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	37
23 – 27 July	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	9.30 – 11.30am	38

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23 – 27 July	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	12 – 2pm	38
23 – 27 July	Get active Kids Camps – Beach Leisure Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	38
23 – 27 July	Get active Kids Camps – Beacon Sports Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	38
23 – 27 July	Get active Kids Camps – Cults Sports Complex	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	38
23 – 27 July	Intensive Learn to Swim – Aberdeen Sports Village	9.30 – 10am Swim Skills 1 – 2 10 – 10.30am Swim Skills 1 – 2 10.30 – 11am Swim Skills 3 – 4	38
23 – 27 July	Intensive Swimming Camps – Bucksburn Swimming Pool	9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a 10.15am for level 1a, 1b, 2b/3	39
23 – 27 July	Kings Camps	9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)	28
23 – 27 July	Movie Magic – Aberdeen Arts Centre's Summer School 2018	10am – 3.30pm (morning session: 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)	39
24 July	Bookbug Session – Central Children's Library	10.30 – 11am	39
24 July	Bookbug Session – Ferryhill Library	2 – 2.30pm	39
24 July	Bookbug session – Tillydrone Library	10.30 – 11am	39
24 July	Movement in the Museum	10 – 11am (Ages 3-5) 11.30 – 12.30pm (Ages 5-8)	39
24 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
24 July	Multi-Activity Day (Ages 5-8)	9am – 4pm	40
24 July	Pollinator Safari	12 – 2pm	40
24 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Torry Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	40
25 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Big Parks" Wednesdays	10am – 1pm	40
25 July	Bookbug Session – Cornhill Library	10.30 – 11am	40
25 July	Climbing and Abseiling (Ages 9-15)	9am – 4pm	41
25 July	Hilltop Treasure Trail	10am – 1pm	41
25 July	Northfield Playscheme	10am – 5pm	23
26 July	Bookbug session – Woodside Library	10.30 – 11am	41
26 July	Maritime Makers	10am – 12pm (booking required) 2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)	41
26 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
26 July	Splash Zone – Mini Kayaking (Ages 5-8)	9am – 4pm	41
26 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Up to Mischief – Airyhall Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	41

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26 – 29 July	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
27 July	Tea, Toast and Toys	9 – 10am (breakfast served at 9.30am)	42
27 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Follow Us" Fridays	10am – 1pm	42
27 July	Northfield Playscheme	8am – 9pm	23
27 July	Surfing AM Session (Ages 9-15)	9am – 12pm	42
27 July	Surfing PM Session (Ages 9-15)	1 – 4pm	42

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30 July	Aberdeen Play Forum's Messy Mondays	10am – 1pm	44
30 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Kaimhill Library	2.30 – 3.15pm	44
30 July – 2 August	Intensive Learn to Dive – Aberdeen Sports Village	9 – 9.30am Dive Skills 1 9.30 – 10am Dive Skills 1 9 – 10am Dive Skills 2 – 4	46
30 July – 3 August	Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	44
30 July – 3 August	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	9.30 – 11.30am	44
30 July – 3 August	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	12 – 2pm	44
30 July – 3 August	Animal Kingdom – Aberdeen Arts Centre's Summer School 2018	10am – 3.30pm (morning session 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)	45
30 July – 3 August	Aquatics Camps at ASV	9.30am – 4.00pm	45
30 July – 3 August	Get active Kids Camps – Beach Leisure Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	45
30 July – 3 August	Get active Kids Camps – Beacon Sports Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	45
30 July – 3 August	Get active Kids Camps – Cults Sports Complex	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	45
30 July – 3 August	Kings Camps	9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)	28
30 July – 3 August	Multi-Activity Week (Ages 12-16)	9am – 4pm	46
31 July	Bookbug Session – Airyhall Library	10.30 – 11am	46
31 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Cove Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	46
31 July	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
31 July	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Bucksburn Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	46

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1 August	National Play Day – Union Terrace Gardens	11am – 3pm	47
1 August	Northfield Playscheme	10am – 5pm	23
1 August	Preschool Gymnastics	10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am	47
1 August	Rock Pooling at Cove	10 – 11:30am	47
2 August	Bookbug Session – Torry Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	47
2 August	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
2 August	Wee Tales	11am – 12pm	47
2 – 5 August	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
3 August	Aberdeen Play Forum's "Follow Us" Fridays	10am – 1pm	48
3 August	Bookbug Session – Cove Library	2.15 – 2.45 pm	48
3 August	Northfield Playscheme	8am – 9pm	23
3 August	Preschool Gymnastics	10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30pm	48
3 August	Tea, Toast and Toys	9 – 10am (breakfast served at 9.30am)	48
4 August	Maritime Makers	10am – 12pm (booking required) 2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)	48
4 August	A Wild Night Out at Burnbanks	8.30pm – 12am	48

WEEK 5 : 6 – 10 AUGUST

6 August	Bookbug Session – Kincorth Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	50
6 August	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Culter Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	50
6 August	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Northfield Library	3.30 – 4.15pm	50
6 – 10 August	Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	50
6 – 10 August	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	9.30 – 11.30am	51
6 – 10 August	Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps	12 – 2pm	51
6 – 10 August	Get active Kids Camps – Beach Leisure Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	51
6 – 10 August	Get active Kids Camps – Beacon Sports Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	51
6 – 10 August	Get active Kids Camps – Cults Sports Complex	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	51

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6 – 10 August	Intensive Swimming Camps – Cults Sports Complex	9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a & 2b 10.15am for level 1a, 1b 2a & 3	52
6 – 10 August	Learn to Swim	9.30 – 10am Swim Skills 1 – 2 10 – 10.30am Swim Skills 1 – 2 10.30 – 11am Swim Skills 3 – 4	52
7 August	Bookbug Session – Central Children’s Library	10.30 – 11am	52
7 August	Look what I found!	2 – 4pm	52
7 August	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
7 August	Music in the Museum	10 – 10.45am (Ages 3-5) 11.30am-12.30pm (Ages 5-8)	52
7 August	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Torry Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	52
8 August	Northfield Playscheme	10am – 5pm	23
8 August	KinderGym	10 – 10.45am or 10.45 – 11.30am	53
9 August	Bookbug Session – Bridge of Don Library	10.30 – 11am	53
9 August	Bookbug Session – Kaimhill Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	53
9 August	Maritime Makers	10am – 12pm (booking required) 2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)	53
9 August	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
9 August	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Cults Library	11am – 12pm	53
9 – 10 August	Kings Camps	9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)	28
9 – 12 August	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
10 August	Northfield Playscheme	8am – 9pm	23
10 August	KinderGym	10 – 10.45am or 10.45 – 11.30am	53
10 August	Tea, Toast and Toys	9 – 10am (breakfast served at 9.30am)	53

WEEK 6 : 13 – 17 AUGUST

13 – 16 August	Intensive Learn to Dive – Aberdeen Sports Village	9 – 9.30am Dive Skills 1 9.30 – 10am Dive Skills 1 9 – 10am Dive Skills 2 – 4	56
13 – 17 August	Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	55
13 – Friday 17 August	Aquatics Camps at ASV	9.30 – 4pm	55
13 – Friday 17 August	Beacon Gymnastics Camps	12.15 – 2.15pm	55
13 – Friday 17 August	Beacon Gymnastics Camps	2.15 – 4.15pm	55

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13 – 17 August	Get active Kids Camps – Beacon Sports Centre	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	55
13 – 17 August	Get active Kids Camps – Cults Sports Complex	9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off & pick up times to 8am & 5pm)	56
13 – 17 August	Intensive Swimming Camps – Bucksburn Swimming Pool	9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a 10.15am for level 1a, 1b, 2b/3	56
13 – 17 August	Kings Camps	9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)	28
14 August	Bookbug Session – Dyce Library	10.30 – 11am	56
14 August	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
14 August	Rock Pooling at Cove	10 – 11:30am	56
14 August	Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers – Mastrick Library	2.30 – 3.30pm	56
15 August	Bookbug Session – Bucksburn Library	2.30 – 3pm	57
15 August	Preschool Gymnastics	10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am	57
16 August	Bookbug Session – Culter Library	10.30 – 11am	57
16 August	Bookbug Session – Torry Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	57
16 August	Mucky Pups	9.30 – 11.30am	23
16 – 19 August	RSPB Dolphinwatch	11am – 6pm	23
17 August	Bookbug Session – Cove Library	2.15 – 2.45pm	57
17 August	Preschool Gymnastics	10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am	57
17 August	Tea, Toast and Toys	9 – 10am (breakfast served at 9.30am)	57
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Thursday 17 May

The OVO Energy Tour Series



Britain's top cycle teams will complete in Round 3 of the OVO Energy Tour Series in Aberdeen on Thursday 17 May. An exciting programme of amateur races will take place on a revised version of the circuit, which takes in Belmont Street and Little Belmont Street, before the main event in the evening. We also invite you to the Cycling Activity Village to celebrate the Tour Series and all things cycling with free fun-filled activities for all to enjoy at Union Terrace Gardens, and other city centre locations.

For more details visit: aberdeencity.gov.uk/tourseries

Venue: Aberdeen City Centre

Time: 12 – 10pm

Cost: Free

Contact Details: Aberdeen City Council – City Events
cityevents@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Saturday 26 May

Grampian Pride

Grampian Pride aims to bring the local and wider community together.

Welcoming everyone from the North East of Scotland, the rest of the UK, and

international communities; Grampian Pride aims to provide a safe space for all LGBT+ individuals and their straight allies. The Pride event will consist of a parade down Union Street, gigs around town, various stalls, information about LGBT+ organisations and services, entertainment, key speakers, safe spaces including a family area.

Venue: Grampian Pride Parade – Union Street

Grampian Pride Event Village – Queens Links

Time: Grampian Pride Parade – 10.30am (arrive from 9.30am)

Grampian Pride Event Village – opens 1pm

Cost: Free to attend (tickets not needed for the parade but you must register for a ticket at: www.grampianpride.org for the village)

Contact Details: mail@grampianpride.org



Wednesday 6 – Saturday 9 June

Peter Pan: The Musical

Join Castlegate Theatre Company (CTC) and soar to Neverland in this magical musical version of Peter Pan on Aberdeen Arts Centre's stage. Hear stories of Peter Pan with the Darling children; fight Captain Hook with Peter & Tinkerbell; and join The Lost Boys as they sing and dance their way through this classic tale. Children and adults alike will love this family friendly musical!

CTC is Aberdeen Arts Centre's youth theatre company for ages 8-17 years old, focussing on performance skills through musical theatre. They take part in different projects throughout the year whilst always working towards an annual show. Come along to this showcase of talent that you don't want to miss!

Venue: Aberdeen Arts Centre

Time: 7pm (Matinee Saturday 2pm)

Cost: £15 standard or £13 concession

Contact Details: Visit www.aberdeensartscentre.com or call the Box Office on 01224 641122 to book tickets

Tuesday 12 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Dyce Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Dyce Library 01224 723015 or DyceLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Thursday 7 June

Scottish Disability Sport's Grampian Parasport Festival

An action-packed day out for school-aged children with physical, visual & hearing impairments where they can try out a range of sports especially adapted for the type of disability they have. Sports include wheelchair basketball, boccia, table tennis, athletics, swimming & much more. Pupils from P1 (going into P2 after the holidays) to S6 are welcome along with parents, carers and school staff. To book your space, please visit www.scottishdisabilitysport.com/grampian-para-sport-festival-2018/ or get in touch.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village

Time: 10:30am – 2pm

Cost: Free of charge

Contact Details: Alison Shaw, Regional Manager for Scottish Disability Sport, on 07828 744 848 or alison.shaw@scottishdisabilitysport.com



Thursday 14 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Kaimhill Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kaimhill Library 01224 498160 or KaimhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 14 June – Saturday 16 June

Me and My Girl

Me and My Girl is a musical with music by Noel Gay and its original book and lyrics by Douglas Furber and L. Arthur Rose. The musical is set in the late 1930s and tells the story of an unapologetically unrefined cockney gentleman named Bill Snibson, who learns that he is the 14th heir to the Earl of Hareford. This musical includes the famous songs "The sun has got his hat on" and "Doing the Lambeth walk". Come along and join the fun! Suitable for the whole family.

Venue: Aberdeen Arts Centre

Time: Evening Performance (Thursday 14 – Saturday 16 June) starts at 7.30pm,

Matinee performance (only Saturday 16) starts 2.30pm

Cost: Standard Price £13, Concessions £11

Contact Details: To book tickets please visit www.aberdeenperformingarts.com/events/me-and-my-girl

Saturday 16 June

Minibeast Safari and Birdwatching

The St. Fittick's area is rich in bird and bug life, especially in the wildflower meadows and recently created ponds. Come and explore the wildlife to be found with the Countryside Rangers. Please wear sturdy footwear or wellies, and bring binoculars and a camera if you like; you never know what might be discovered in the meadows or in the skies.

Meet at the old St. Fittick's Church on St. Fittick's Road.

First Bus 12 & 20 go to Balnagask Road. Perfect for families, children 5 years and over. Booking essential!

Venue: St Fitticks Park, Torry

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: Free, but donations welcome

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the

Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Sunday 17 June

Aberdeen's Highland Games

Aberdeen's Highland Games returns to Hazlehead Park on Sunday 17 June 2018.

A highlight on the Aberdeen summer calendar, it promises to be a day full of family entertainment. Come and watch traditional Highland Games activities such as tossing the caber, highland dancing, pipers, pipe bands and athletics. There will be a family stage with various children's themed entertainment and a show by a top children's TV presenter. You can also try the free activities including a climbing wall, segways, crazy golf and many more cool things! See the website for the latest updates. There will also be a fun fair which will be on pay for a ride prices, and trade and information stalls selling a range of Scottish and handmade items.

Tickets are available now at: aberdeencity.gov.uk/highlandgames

Venue: Hazlehead Park

Time: 10am – 5.30pm

Cost: Please check link for all prices: www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/services/leisure-culture-and-sport/aberdeens-highland-games

Contact Details: Aberdeen City Council City Events – cityevents@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 20 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Bucksburn Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.00pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bucksburn Library 01224 710830 or BucksburnLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Thursday 21 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 21 June

Play on the Longest Day

Aberdeen Play Forum is offering a term-time play session in Westburn Park to celebrate play on the longest day of the year! We are delighted this session is going ahead with funding from Celebrate Aberdeen, and Aberdeen University Student's Association RAG Campaign, and follows on from a schools' event held during the day.

We will have our Loose Parts kit – recyclable resources such as pipes, fabric and boxes which encourage children to tap into their imagination and lead their own play. We will also supply some fun, messy ingredients such as mud, gloop, foam, bubbles, plus lots and lots of water! Old clothes, a towel and spare clothing to change into afterwards is highly recommended!

All ages are welcome, this session would appeal to families/groups with toddlers through to school age children. This session is free of charge therefore no need to book. Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants.

Venue: Westburn Park, Aberdeen For more details please check our Facebook Page - Aberdeen Play Forum or visit our website - www.aberdeenplayforum.com

Cost: FREE

Time: 3 – 5pm

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554 or 07854958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Friday 22 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45 pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or CoveLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Saturday 23 June

Macro Magic

Come along to Scotstown Moor LNR and get up close and personal with minibeasts, fungi and other micro inhabitants of the nature reserve. Learn or practice using the close up macro settings on your camera, giving you a chance to really see how these animals live and record their images.

Meet at the Nature Reserve car park off Scotstown Road. First Bus 2 goes to Scotstown Road and 8 to Dubford Road. Perfect for families, children 16 and over. Booking essential.

Venue: Scotstown Moor, Scotstown Road

Time: 2 – 4pm

Cost: Free, but donations welcome

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Tuesday 26 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Central Children's Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Central Children's Library 01224 652507 or ChildrensLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 26 June

Bookbug Session

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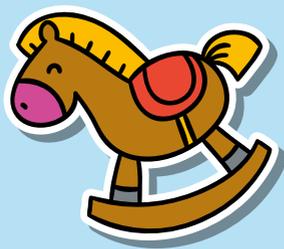
Booking essential.

Venue: Ferryhill Library

Time: 2 – 2.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Ferryhill Library 01224 581576 or FerryhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Tuesday 26 June

Bookbug session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Tillydrone Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Tillydrone Library 01224 276975 or TillydroneLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 26 June

BP Big Screens

Aberdeen City Council in partnership with BP and the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden, will stage a dramatic opera in the park on Tuesday 26 June as part of this summer's BP Big Screen programme.

Suitable for all the family; this year's opera will be La Bohème.

The ever popular BP Big Screen event will return to Aberdeen on Tuesday 26 June with a live production of the classic Verdi opera "La Bohème." La Bohème is one of opera's most popular and unforgettable stories. When young poet Rodolfo meets seamstress Mimi; it's love at first sight. But faced by the cruel realities of poverty and ill health, will the flame that burns between them flicker and die, or will the timeless strength of their youthful passion withstand every trial and tribulation that life can throw at them? Conducted by Nicola Luisotti and with two wonderful casts including Maria Agresta and Ekaterina Siurina as Mimi and Matthew Polenzani and Atalla Ayan as Rodolfo.

The transmission will be relayed via satellite direct to the big screen in Aberdeen's Duthie Park from the Royal Opera House in Covent Garden London.

This is a family friendly event. Bring a picnic, make yourself

comfortable (picnic rugs, deck chairs, etc.) and enjoy the night. For the latest information visit: aberdeencity.gov.uk/bpbigscreens

Venue: Duthie Park, Aberdeen

Time: 6.30 – 10.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Aberdeen City Council City Events – cityevents@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 27 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cornhill Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cornhill Library 01224 696209 or CornhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 28 June

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Woodside Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Woodside Library 01224 484534 or WoodsideLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Saturday 30 June

Armed Forces Day

The City of Aberdeen will welcome more than 1,000 serving, veteran and cadet force personnel when they parade through the city centre to mark Armed Forces Day on Saturday 30 June.

Watch the impressive parade of serving military men and women, veteran associations, cadet and youth organisations accompanied by local pipe bands march down Union Street, finishing at the Castlegate. This free family event is a celebration of the history and proud record of the armed forces and allows the people of Aberdeen to show their respect for the role they play within our society.

For the latest information visit:

aberdeencity.gov.uk/armedforcesday

Venue: Union Street, Aberdeen

Time: 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Aberdeen City Council – City Events cityevents@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Saturday 30 June

Balsam Bashing

Himalayan Balsam is a non-native invasive plant, recognisable by its bright purple flowers. These plants spread very quickly, overrunning areas of native wildflowers. Come and help the Countryside Rangers pull up these invasive plants before they can set seed.

Meet at the St Peter's Heritage Centre car park, Station Road East, Peterculter. First Bus 19 and Stagecoach 201, 202 & 203 go to the North Deeside Road (A93).

Perfect for families, children 5 and over. Booking essential

Venue: Deeside Line, Peterculter

Time: 10am – 3pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Tuesday 3 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Airyhall Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Airyhall Library, 01224 310536 AiryhallLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 5 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Friday 6 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45 pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or CoveLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Saturday 7 July

Rock Pooling at Cove

Residents of the rock pools need to be tough as life is constantly changing and every tide may bring in new arrivals. Join a Countryside Ranger at Cove for an opportunity to explore the rock pools, meet some of the rock pool residents and create some wild beach art. Remember to bring wellies!

Meet at Colsea Road car park. First Bus 3 goes to Cove Road. Perfect for families, children 5 and over. Booking essential.

Venue: Cove Harbour – meet at Colsea Road Car Park

Time: 2 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



special feature

Get ready for the summer with Childcare Services!

This summer the following registered services are available:

HOLIDAY CLUBS

– primary school age children can participate in fun activities such as trips and outings, arts and crafts, music and movement games, sport and other project activities.

DROP-IN CRÈCHES

– 0 – 8 year old children can have fun and play activities, such as arts and crafts, singing and dancing, messy play, role play, story time and a wide range of experiences designed to engage their imagination and creativity alongside the opportunity to socialise with other children. The crèche is a safe environment for children to attend while parents/carers take part in learning, social or sporting activities.

For booking or further information:

03000 200 293, Option 4



registered holiday childcare

Monday – Friday throughout the summer holidays

Aberdeen Sports Village Crèche

Children from birth to 8 years old can stay, play and learn for up to 3 hours per day.

Please note crèche use is not limited to Aberdeen Sports Village members and parents are free to enjoy their free time as they wish in and outwith the building.

Venue: Aberdeen Sport Village

Time: 9am – 3.30pm

Cost: £3.85 per hour

Bookings can be made up to a week in advance and payment is required at time of booking.

Contact Details: 01224 438900

Monday – Friday throughout the summer holidays

Beach Early Learners Drop-in Crèche

Children from birth to 8 years old can stay, play and learn for up to 3 hours per day.

Venue: Beach Leisure Centre, Aberdeen

Time: 9.15am – 3.45pm

Cost: £3.85 per hour per child

Contact Details: 01224 507738 or 07767 297619

Monday – Friday throughout the summer holidays

Shoe Lane Early Learners Drop-in Crèche

Children from birth to 5 years can stay, play and learn for up to 3 hours per day.

Venue: Shoe Lane Early Learners, Shoe Lane, Aberdeen

Time: 9.30am – 4.30pm

Cost: £3.85 per hour per child

Contact Details: 01224 626829



Monday 2nd July – Friday 3rd August

Scamps Holiday Playscheme

Welcoming primary school children from all over Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire as long as you can drop off and pick up. We run a wide and varied range of educational and fun trips in and around Aberdeen as well as fun activities at our club including; water splash day, baking, arts & crafts, jewellery making, sports day, den building and face painting. Our fully trained staff are on hand to welcome your child and make their summer holiday a fun and memorable time. Closed for the local holiday Monday 9 July and the last two weeks of the Summer holidays (6 – 17 August). Open for the in-service day on Monday 20th August.

There is a £25 per child one off registration fee in order to access the club facilities.

Venue: Beechgrove Scout Hut.

Time: 8am – 6pm

Cost: £36 per day with additional activity charges (not usually more than £4 extra). No half days.

Contact Details: 07774 314017 / 07792 768202, info@scampsoosc.com or www.scampsoosc.com



Monday 9 July – Friday 3 August

Rising Light Summer Holiday Club

For children aged 4-11 years old attending primary school. Activities will include pleasure and educational trips to Charleton Fruit Farm, Hoodles, museum, cinema and woods. With indoor and outdoor physical activities, games, arts & crafts and lots more!

Venue: Fountain House, 29 Palmerston Road, Aberdeen, AB11 5QP

Time: 8am – 6pm (alternatively 8am – 1pm or 1 – 6pm)

Cost: £25 full day session (£15 half day or £120 full week – second and third child discount applies)

Contact Details: 01224 574511 or admin@risinglight.org.uk

Monday 9 July – Friday 17 August

(including Monday 20 August)

Mile End Holiday Club

Full day holiday fun for Primary School aged children (5-12 years old) including art & craft, sport activities, free play and outings such as tubing, beach & cinema.

Venue: Mile End School

Time: 8am – 6pm

Cost: £27.50 full day or £16.75 half day

Contact Details: 0845 604 1432

or email childcareservices@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 9 July – Friday 17 August

Stompers Holiday Camp

Age 4-12 years old (limited availability for 4 year olds starting school in August 2018).

Daily use of soft play, nerf arena, music suite, cookery sessions, arts & crafts, day trips, boards games etc.

A programme is also available for additional activities

Venue: Stompers, Campus 3, Balgownie Drive, Bridge of Don, AB22 8GW

Time: 8am – 5.30pm

Cost: Daily costs £29, weekly costs £130, sibling discount on full weeks only £117

Contact Details: avril.stompers@yahoo.co.uk

Tuesday 10 July – Friday 3 August

Fernielea Out of School Club – Summer Playscheme

Range of activities on a daily basis to suit all children of a primary school age (5-11 years old).

Venue: Fernielea School

Time: 8am – 6pm

Cost: £22 full day or £14 half day

Contact Details: for more information and booking forms please contact the Manager at Fernieleaoutofschoolclub@hotmail.com or call us on 07757230051

Tuesday 10 July – Friday 17 August (closed 9 July for local holiday)

CLICC Summer Programme

Registered childcare provision for school age children, new holiday users welcome!

A stimulating play environment for school age children. Each day is different with a mixture of activities, including free-play and outdoor play. Local trips and away day outings feature in the programme. Full day and half day and flexible sessions available. Parents are required to provide a packed lunch daily.

Venue: St Joseph's 10 July to 17 August, with inservice day service on 20 August and Hazlehead 23 July to 17 August.

Time: Flexible sessions available from 8am – 5.55pm.

NEW for summer 2018 additional offer of core hours available.

Cost: £30.80 full days, £22.50 core hours's session available 10am – 4 pm and £17.60 half day sessions available (8am – 1.30pm and 12.30 – 5.55pm).

Early Bird Full Week in advance: £123.20 offer available when you book 5 consecutive days in the week.

We are registered with Care Inspectorate and accept Childcare Vouchers.

Contact Details: General Enquiries please call 01224 764553

New holiday users welcome – to register your child contact 01224 764556 / 01224 764696

Tuesday 10 July – Monday 20 August (inclusive)

Oldmachar Out of School Clubs – Holiday Playscheme

We care for school aged children. Limited places for new Primary 1 children starting August 18.

We organise our activities / trips / outings / visitors planner in line with suggestions from the children/ parents/carers and staff. Please check out our Public Facebook page – Oldmachar Out of School Clubs Childcare – to keep up to date and view activity and outings planner when published.

Venue: Forehill Primary School, Jesmond Drive, Bridge of Don, AB22 8UR

Times: Holiday Play Scheme 7.30am – 6pm and In service day 7am – 6pm

Cost: Main Session: 8.30am – 5.30pm – £28.

Half session: 8.30am – 12.30pm or 1.30pm – 5.30pm – £16.25

Lunch cover bolt on: 12.30 – 1.30pm – £3.25.

Additional bolt on sessions: £1.90/ 30 minutes or part thereof. We are registered with Care Inspectorate and accept Childcare Vouchers.

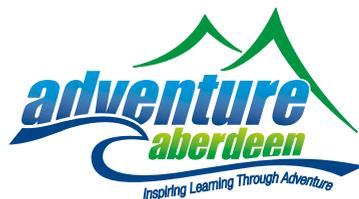
Contact Details: brenda@omosc.co.uk or louise@omosc.co.uk



special feature

Adventure Aberdeen Holiday Programme!

Finding yourself looking for adventures for your children in the holidays why not sign up for one of Adventure Aberdeen's activities. They range in ages from 5-8 years and 9-16 years. How about a day on the water, in the forest, at the beach or on a bike. Have a look at our holiday programme on Eventbrite by using the link below or you can access it through our website!



Eventbrite: <http://bit.ly/2ow4UtC>

Website:

www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/adventure-aberdeen



Adventure Aberdeen

Fairley Road
Kingswells
Aberdeen
AB15 8PZ

Tel: 01224 270990

activities throughout the summer

Every Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday between 10 May – 19 August

RSPB Dolphinwatch



Did you know that Aberdeen is one of the best places in Europe to see bottlenose dolphins? Why not join us to delight at their antics as they play and feed in the harbour. We are on hand every Thursday to Sunday from 10 May until 19 August 2018. We will also run special events and family-friendly activities throughout the season so please follow us at www.facebook.com/RSPBNorthEastScotland

or @RSPB_NEScotland on Twitter. Please call in advance if making a special trip to see us, in case the weather has forced us to cancel.

Venue: Torry Battery car park off Greyhope Road, AB11 8QX
Time: 11am – 6pm
Cost: FREE (donations welcome)
Contact Details: 01224 624824 or dolphinwatch@rspb.org.uk

Every Wednesday and Friday between 16 July – 10 August

Northfield Playscheme

For P1 to P7s we do trips to Carnoustie, 5 Sister Zoo, Arbroath, Blair Drummond, Stonehaven, Highland Wildlife, Aden C. P. and Landmark.

Venue: Leave from Northfield Community Centre
Time: Wednesday 10am – 5pm and Friday 8am – 9pm
Cost: Prices varies from trips.
Contact Details: Jacqui at Northfield Community Centre 01224 695416 or check our Facebook page Northfield Community Centre Group

Monday 9 July – Fridays 17 August

Sports Camps at ASV

Children from P1 – S3 will have a blast at Sports Camps at ASV. This is the ULTIMATE holiday camp! Take part in a whole host of traditional, innovative and exciting sports from athletics to ultimate dodgeball under the guidance of fantastic, fun coaches!

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Linksfield Road, AB24 5RU
Time: 9.30 – 4pm
Cost: £129 per week
Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com

Every Tuesday and Thursday from week of 16 July – 9 August

Mastrick Summer Playscheme

Children P1 – P7. We will be running a variety of activities; Alford tubing and park, Craigtoun Park, Montrose, Active kids, Cairnie Farm, Landmark, Arbroath and Skyline Trampolining in Inverurie.

Venue: Mastrick Community Centre
Time: Please contact directly for specific times
Cost: Please get in touch for prices
Contact Details: Mastrickcc@hotmail.co.uk, 01224 788288 or look on our Facebook page for further information.

During summer school holidays

Transition Extreme Holiday Camp

Week long camp of skateboarding, BMXing, climbing, high ropes activities, outdoor games, snow sports, team games and more! Suitable for 8-13 year olds.

Venue: Transition Extreme
Time: 9am – 4pm (early drop off from 8.30am available, late pick up of 5pm available except for Fridays as campers will need to be collected from Garthdee Snow Sports Centre)
Cost: £165 per child per week
Contact Details: 01224 626279, email info@transition-extreme.com or visit www.transition-extreme.com



Throughout summer – Tuesday and Thursdays

Mucky Pups

Messy Play with a wide range of resources (babies – 7 years old).

Venue: Danestone Community Centre
Time: 9.30 – 11.30am
Cost: £2 per person
Contact Details: 01224 828333 or danestonecentre@btinternet.com

Throughout the summer

The Tolbooth Museum

Built between 1616 and 1629, the Warehouse, now known as The Tolbooth Museum, was a prison for people awaiting either trial or punishment. Climb the 86 steps of the winding staircase to explore atmospheric 17th and 18th century cells and displays covering the development of the City of Aberdeen and the history of crime and punishment in the Burgh. Highlights include medieval instruments of punishment, such as the 'maiden', an early version of a guillotine.

Venue: The Tolbooth Museum, Castle Street, Aberdeen AB11 5BQ

Time: Monday – Saturday 10am – 5pm and Sunday 12 – 3pm

Cost: Free admission

Contact Details: For more information go to www.aagm.co.uk

Throughout the summer

Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Aberdeen Maritime Museum tells the story of the city's long relationship with the sea. Explore Aberdeen's maritime history through collection covering shipbuilding, fast sailing ships, fishing and harbour history. Hands-on exhibits help bring to life the drama of the North Sea industries such as offshore oil, fishing and shipping. There are fantastic views over Aberdeen's busy harbour from the top floor.

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum, Shiprow, Aberdeen AB11 5BY

Time: Monday – Saturday 10am – 5pm and Sunday 12 – 3pm

Cost: Free admission

Contact Details: For more information go to www.aagm.co.uk



Throughout the summer

Fab Fridays

Open Play session with a Character Guest Appearance (up to 8 years old).

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 10am - 3.30pm

Cost: £2 per child

Contact Details: 01224 828333, danestonecentre@btinternet.com or check out our Facebook page Danestone Community Centre

Throughout the summer

Transition Extreme – Aerial Trekking

High ropes trekking (different rope elements to work round) and extreme drop. An assault course suspended 15 metres in the air that participants have to navigate around while attached to safety equipment overhead. Minimum height 130cm, minimum weight 20kg, maximum weight 120kg.

Venue: Transition Extreme

Time: Various throughout the day (please call us to make your booking)

Cost: £15 per person

Contact Details: 01224 626279, info@transition-extreme.com or www.transition-extreme.com

Throughout the summer

Transition Extreme – Climbing

Bouldering and climbing sessions, challenge yourself to reach the top! Ages 5 years and above for all abilities. Variety of taster sessions, funclubs, NICAS coaching, Learn to Climb for 18 years and over, Learn to Lead for 18 years and over.

Venue: Transition Extreme

Time: Various throughout the day (please call us to make your booking)

Cost: From £10 – £80 per person (dependent on lesson type)

Contact Details: 01224 626279, info@transition-extreme.com or www.transition-extreme.com



Throughout the summer

Transition Extreme – Skatepark

Skatepark open sessions and coaching for ages 5 years and above for skateboarding and 8 year and above for BMXing.

Venue: Transition Extreme

Time: Various throughout the day (please call us to make your booking)

Cost: From £13 per person

Contact Details: 01224 626279, info@transition-extreme.com or www.transition-extreme.com

Throughout summer

Me Too! Relaxed Sessions – (suitable for ASN Children)

Me Too!'s Relaxed Sessions will be taking place throughout the city. Please look at our Facebook page for more information of times and venues. Copies of Me Too! Magazine which lists activities suitable for children with disabilities are available at all city schools, libraries and sports centres.

Venue: Throughout the city

Time: Various Times. Please check our Facebook page (Me Too Sc045895) for more information.

Cost: Various, depending on activity – details are via Facebook or Eventbrite

Contact Details: Phionna McLnnes 01224 539393 or phionna@metoomagazine.org

Special Feature

National Play Day!

WEDNESDAY 1ST AUGUST
11AM – 3PM
UNION TERRACE GARDENS

Everyone welcome – no need to book! Free entry!

Check our Facebook page for updates:



Aberdeen Play Forum



@AberdeenPlayForum

Contact Melanie Jaffrey on **01224 764554 / 07854 958107**
or email **melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk**

Please note that Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants.



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week 1: 9-13 July

Monday 9 July

Aberdeen Play Forum's Messy Mondays

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All ages welcome, most play sessions appeal to families with toddlers through to primary school age children. All sessions are free of charge and there is no need to book.

Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants.

Venue: For the precise location please check our Facebook Page 'Aberdeen Play Forum' or visit our website – www.aberdeenplayforum.com or look out for our posters; details will go live by 4th July at the latest.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554, 07854958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Monday 9 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Kincorth Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kincorth Library 01224 872572 or KincorthLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps

Tennis camps are held at Aberdeen Tennis Centre in Westburn Park. Camps include tennis coaching from our team of LTA qualified professionals, the opportunity to compete in fun competitions and try a range of other sports and fun games.

Venue: Westburn Park

Time: 9am – 4pm (Option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £120 per week (£140 for extended hours)

Limited day spaces are also available at £32.50 each

Contact Details: available for online booking
www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aberdeen-tennis-academy-camps

Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Beacon Gymnastics Camps

Artistic and Rhythmic Gymnastics Camps available to girls aged 5-7 years old. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in both artistic and rhythmic gymnastics skills throughout the week. Both beginners and experienced gymnasts welcome!

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 12.15 – 2.15pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: call the centre on 01224 214488 or book online at:

www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Beacon Gymnastics Camps

Artistic and Rhythmic Gymnastics Camps available to girls aged 8-16 years old. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in both artistic and rhythmic gymnastics skills throughout the week. Both beginners and experienced gymnasts welcome!

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 2.15 – 4.15pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: call the centre on 01224 214488 or book online at:

www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps



Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Bringing Books to Life – Aberdeen Arts Centre’s Summer School 2018

Calling all storytellers, explorers, movie makers and animal lovers. We have four, week long programmes for young people over the Summer holidays.

Each week will be themed and cover a wide range of arts including drama, musical theatre, dance and crafts. Each day, each age group will rotate round the different areas in short sessions allowing them to try a bit of everything, learn and have fun whilst preparing a performance for all parents/guardians at the end of the week.

Age groups are split into: Age 3-5 years, Age 6-8 years and Age 9-12 years.

Age 3-5 years old can come for a morning or an afternoon session – or they can take part in both and spend the whole day. Age 6-8 years old and Age 9-12 years old classes will run all day from 10am – 3.30pm.

Lunch is not provided; everyone will need to bring a packed lunch. Please ensure your child wears comfortable clothing that they can move around in easily.

Venue: Aberdeen Arts Centre

Time: 10am – 3.30pm (Morning session: 10am – 12.30pm or Afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)

Cost: Morning session: £60 (per child per week), Afternoon session: £60 (per child per week) or full day session: £120 (per child per week)

Contact Details: chloe.mcmillan@act-aberdeen.org.uk



Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Get Active Kids Camps

Get Active Kids Camps are for P1-7 school aged children and run at 3 venues across the city.

Our qualified friendly staff ensure your child enjoys themselves, makes new friends and learns new skills whilst getting active. Sports include; football, basketball, tennis, athletics, as well as fun games and activities.

Venue: Beach Leisure Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

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Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps



Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Intensive Swimming Camps

Intensive swimming courses are a great way to improve skills quickly, meet new friends and work with different teachers.

Venue: Bucksburn Swimming Pool

Time: 9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a 10.15am for level 1a, 1b, 2b/3

Cost: £30 per week

Contact Details: available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aquatics-aberdeen-swimming-camps

Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Intensive Learn to Swim

These intensive lessons are held during the school holidays to help swimmers build and practise existing skills as well as develop new skills.

The classes are suitable for children from primary 1 - aged 15 years who are either currently in a lesson programme or are new to swimming.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, AB24 1SX

Time: 9.30 – 10am Swim Skills 1 – 2
10 – 10.30am Swim Skills 1 – 2
10.30 – 11am Swim Skills 3 – 4

Cost: £25

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com

Monday 9 July – 17 August

Kings Camps

Kings Camps combine the best elements of sports and holiday clubs with a wide range of sports and games, children develop socially while learning new skills and building lasting friendships. Our experienced coaches all have the ‘Kings Factor’; a unique way to engage your child to ensure they get the most out of their time with us. Kings Camps run during school holidays and are suitable for children aged 4-17 years old. Choose from flexible daily or week packages, with extended hours also available. We accept childcare vouchers and offer subsidised places for some children.

Venue: RGU Sport

Time: 9am – 4.30pm (extended hours: 8.15am – 5.45pm)

Cost: £162 per week or £42 per day

Contact Details: 0114 263 2160 or www.kingscamps.org

Monday 9 – Friday 13 July

Multi-Activity Week (ages 9-13 years)

Summer Adventure Week!

This is a full 5 day adventure week with our qualified tutors and only 12 spaces available!

Day 1: Mountain Biking

Day 2: Canoeing and Kayaking

Day 3: Climbing and Abseiling

Day 4: Scramble and
Coasteering

Day 5: Gorgewalking

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen,
Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: Pick up and drop off each day
are 9am – 4pm

Cost: £175

Contact Details: booking available online:
www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241



Tuesday 10 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Central Children’s Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Central Children’s Library 01224 652507 or
ChildrensLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 10 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Dyce Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Dyce Library

01224 723015 or DyceLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Tuesday 10 July

Movement in the Museum

Join our dance artist for a fun interactive movement session, the perfect introduction to dance for young children. **Venue:** Aberdeen Maritim Museum

Time: 10am – 11am (ages 3-5 years old)

11.30-12.30 (ages 5-8 years old)

Cost: £3 + booking free

Contact Details: booking required at
www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Wednesday 11 July

Aberdeen Play Forum’s “Big Parks” Wednesdays

Aberdeen Play Forum’s Play Rangers will pop up in parks with their Loose Parts kit – recyclable resource such as pipes, fabric and boxes which encourage children to tap into their imagination and lead their own play. We will also supply some fun, messy ingredients such as mud, gloop, foam, bubbles plus lots and lots of water! Old clothes, a towel and spare clothing to change into afterwards is highly recommended! All ages welcome, most appeal to families with toddlers through to primary school age children.

All sessions are free of charge and there is no need to book. The Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants.

Venue: For the precise location please check our Facebook Page – Aberdeen Play Forum – or visit our website

www.aberdeenplayforum.com or look out for our posters.

Details will go live by 4th July at the latest.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554 or
07851 958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberfour.org.uk

Wednesday 11 July

KinderGym

Classes are for 18 months to 3 years and provide a safe, fun environment where your child can be active and explore the fundamentals of movement. In this class the child works directly with their parent / guardian, alongside the coaches who will guide the floor and apparatus activities through the use of music and songs.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am or 10.45/11.30am

Cost: £4 per session

Contact Details: call the centre on; 01224 214488 or book online at: www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps

Wednesday 11 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Summer Reading Challenge themed story and activity session for children aged 5-12 years, celebrating 80 years of The Beano.

Venue: Cornhill Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.15pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cornhill Library 01224 696209 or CornhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 12 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Bridge of Don Library

Time: 10.30 – 11.00am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bridge of Don Library 01224 702800 or BridgeofDonLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 12 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Kaimhill Library

Time: 2.15pm – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kaimhill Library 01224 498160 or KaimhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 12 July

Maritime Makers

Fun, free, maritime-themed craft activities led by experienced makers. All materials provided.

Suitable for families with children aged 3-12 (children must be supervised by an adult).

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10am – 12pm (booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson)

2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Friday 13 July

Aberdeen Play Forum's "Follow Us"

Fridays

Aberdeen Play Forum's Play Rangers will pop up in parks with their Loose Parts kit – recyclable resources such as pipes, fabric and boxes which encourage children to tap into their imagination and lead their own play. We will also supply some fun, messy ingredients such as mud, gloop, foam, bubbles plus lots and lots of water! Old clothes, a towel and spare clothing to change into afterwards is highly recommended!

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Venue: For the precise location please check the Facebook Page – "Aberdeen Play Forum" – or visit our website www.aberdeenplayforum.com or look out for our posters. Details will go live by 4 July, at the latest.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554, 07854 958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk





Fridays 13 July

Tea, Toast and Toys

Breakfast with bouncy castle and a wide range of toys.

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 9 – 10am (Breakfast Served at 9.30am)

Cost: £1 per person

Contact Details: 01224 828333 or danestonecentre@btinternet.com, check out our Facebook page Danestone Community Centre

Friday 13 July

Kindergym

Classes are for 18 months to 3 years and provide a safe, fun environment where your child can be active and explore the fundamentals of movement. In this class the child works directly with their parent / guardian, alongside the coaches who will guide the floor and apparatus activities through the use of music and songs.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am or 10.45 – 11.30am

Cost: £4 per session

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 214488 or book online at: www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps

Friday 13 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Stories and crafts at Kincorth Library celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Kincorth Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.15pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kincorth Library 01224 872572 or KincorthLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Saturday 14 July

Tracks and Signs on Elrick Hill

Join a Countryside Ranger for this guided walk to discover what animals have been travelling along the paths and slopes of Elrick Hill. You'll see some fantastic views too, so bring your camera. Meet at the Brimmond Hill North car park. Perfect for families, children 15 years old and over. Booking essential.

Venue: Brimmond Hill North meet at Car Park

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countryside ranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Week 2: 16-20 July

Monday 16 July

Aberdeen Play Forum's Messy Mondays

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Venue: For the precise location please check our Facebook Page – Aberdeen Play Forum – or visit our website www.aberdeenplayforum.com or look out for our posters. Details will go live by 4th July at the latest.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554, 07854958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Monday 16 July

Gorgewalking (Ages 9-15)

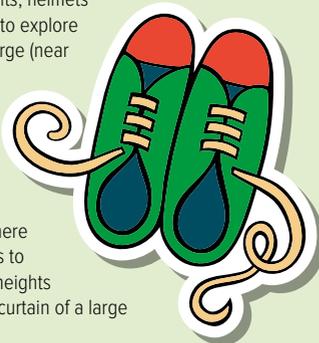
Gear up with wetsuits, helmets and buoyancy aids to explore the fantastic Lui Gorge (near Braemar). This activity involves walking and scrambling beside the gorge as well swimming and wading in it. There are also the options to jump from various heights and go behind the curtain of a large waterfall!

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen, AB15 8PZ

Time: Pick up and drop off each day are 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241



Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Aberdeen Performing Arts Senior Summer School

For S1 – S6, This course is an opportunity to learn and develop skills in devising and performance. Participants will learn a play in a week, working with theatre and music specialists to create and perform a fully staged production in Aberdeen's Lemon Tree.

Venue: His Majesty's Theatre

Time: 10am – 4pm

Cost: £100

Contact Details: creativelearning@aberdeenperformingarts.com



Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps

Tennis camps are held at Aberdeen Tennis Centre in Westburn Park. Camps include tennis coaching from our team of LTA qualified professionals, the opportunity to compete in fun competitions and try a range of other sports and fun games.

Venue: Westburn Park

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £120 per week (£140 for extended hours)

Limited day spaces are also available at £32.50 each

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aberdeen-tennis-academy-camps

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps

Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 5-7 years old. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 9.30 – 11.30am

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 507700 or book online at

www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps

Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 8-16 years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 12 – 2 pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Around the World

– Aberdeen Arts Centre’s Summer School 2018

Calling all storytellers, explorers, movie makers and animal lovers.

We have four, week long programmes for young people over the Summer holidays. Each week will be themed and cover a wide range of arts including drama, musical theatre, dance and crafts. Each day, each age group will rotate round the different areas in short sessions allowing them to try a bit of everything, learn and have fun whilst preparing a performance for all parents/guardians at the end of the week. Age groups are split into age 3-5 years old, age 6-8 years old and age 9-12 years old. Age 3-5 years old can come for a morning or an afternoon session – or they can take part in both and spend the whole day. Age 6-8 years old and age 9-12 years old classes will run all day from 10am – 3.30pm.

Lunch is not provided; everyone will need to bring a packed lunch. Please ensure your child wears comfortable clothing that they can move around in easily.

Venue: Aberdeen Arts Centre

Time: 10am – 3.30pm (morning session: 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)

Cost: Morning session: £60 (per child per week), Afternoon session: £60 (per child per week) or full day session: £120 (per child per week)

Contact Details: chloe.mcmillan@act-aberdeen.org.uk

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Aquatics Camps at ASV

ASV’s Aquatics camp is ideal for children who love the water! This exciting camp has been designed to give children aged 9-15 years old (who are confident and passed Swim Skills 3 or equivalent) the opportunity to experience all of the aquatic disciplines at Aberdeen Sports Village. During this action packed week, children will be given the chance to try out diving, swimming, water polo, synchronised swimming and lifesaving. In addition to these there will be dry side activities including, dry diving, circuits, lifesaving skills and team games.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, Aberdeen AB24 1SX

Time: 9.30am – 4pm each day

Cost: £149

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Get Active Kids Camps

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Venue: Beach Leisure Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Get Active Kids Camps

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Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

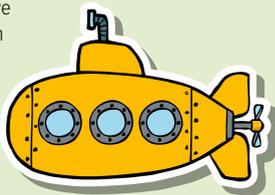
Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps



Monday 16 – Thursday 19 July

Intensive Learn to Dive

Our intensive Learn to Dive programme takes place in our World Class Olympic standard diving pool and is suitable for all newcomers to the sport, and for existing learn to dive participants to improve existing technique.



Children will develop their confidence and diving skills under the guidance of our professional instructors. Lessons are available for children aged primary 1-15 years who can swim in deep water for a minimum of 10 metres.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, Aberdeen AB24 1SX

Time: 9 – 9.30am Dive Skills 1

9.30 – 10am Dive Skills 1

9 – 10am Dive Skills 2 – 4

Cost: Dive Skills 1: £25

Dive Skills 2 – 4: £38

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com

Monday 16 – Friday 20 July

Intensive Swimming Camps

Intensive swimming courses are a great way to improve skills quickly, meet new friends and work with different teachers.

Venue: Tullos Swimming Pool

Time: 9.30am for level 1a & 2a

10.15am for level 1b & 2a

Cost: £30 per week

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aquatics-aberdeen-swimming-camps

Tuesday 17 July

Dune Divers (Ages 5-8)

Travel down to Balmedie beach for some sledging down sand dunes, digging big holes, walking the plank, finding treasure and rest for a picnic lunch!

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: Pick up and drop off each day are 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Tuesday 17 July

Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers

Have fun and games with stories, crafts and activities at Cove Library celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or CoveLibrary@aberdeency.gov.uk



Tuesday 17 July

Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers

Stories and activities relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Tillydrone Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Tillydrone Library 01224 276975 or TillydroneLibrary@aberdeency.gov.uk

Wednesday 18 July

Paddle Power Levels 1, 2 & 3 (Ages 9-15)

Spend a day with our British Canoe Union Paddlesports coaches at a local venue (Loch of Skene or Knockburn Loch) learning the next level skills necessary to control kayaks and canoes and receive a BCU 'Paddle Power' Level 1, 2 or 3 certificate.

The participants will be split up into groups depending on if they have completed Level 1, 2 or 3. All being taught at the same time.

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: Pick up and drop off each day are 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Wednesday 18 July

Aberdeen Play Forum's "Big Parks" Wednesdays

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Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554 or 07854 958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Wednesday 18 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Bucksburn Library

Time: 2.30 – 3pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bucksburn Library 01224 710830 or BucksburnLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Wednesday 18 July

Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers

Themed story and activity session, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Dyce Library

Time: 3 – 3.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Dyce Library 01224 723015 or DyceLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 19 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Culter Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Culter Library 01224 732587 or CulterLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 19 July

Learn to Bike AM Session (Ages 3-7)

This is a parent and child session. Basic bike control lessons for young children. Get tips and hints from our tutors to bypass stabilisers and gain confidence quickly for the parent to carry on the teaching after the session. It is recommended that children bring their own bike – if you do not own a suitable bike please phone or email and let us know in advance in order to borrow one of our bikes or trikes.

Children do not need to be able to ride prior to the course. We state the age range as 3-7 years old, if you have a child outwith the age category but would like to discuss booking in phone the office on 01224 270990.

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: 9am – 12pm

Cost: £25

Contact Details: Booking available online at www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241



Thursday 19 July

Bookbug Session

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Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 19 July

Mountain Biking (Ages 9-15)

Enthusiastic Bikers! Want to brush up on those Mountain Biking skills? Spend half a day with our tutors practising on our beams, ramps and jumps. Then we will take you to Kirkhill Forest bike fun park or Tarland Trails, where you can increase your skills and techniques. For confident riders only. Bikes and helmets provided.

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen, AB15 8PZ

Time: Pick up and drop off each day are 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Thursday 19 July

Music in the Museum

Enjoy songs, rhythm games and the chance to create your own sounds in this fun session led by a professional musician. A great introduction to music making!

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10am – 10.45am (ages 3-5 years old)

11.30am – 12.30pm (ages 5-8 years old)

Cost: £3 + booking free

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Thursday 19 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Stories and activities relating to this year's theme celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 4-12 years. Booking essential.

Venue: Bridge of Don Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.15pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bridge of Don Library, 01224 702800 or BridgeOfDonLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 19 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Monster Mischief

Stories and activities relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 4-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Central Children's Library

Time: 2:30 – 3:30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Central Children's Library, 01224 652507 or ChildrensLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 19 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Stories and activities relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Woodside Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Woodside Library 01224 484534 or WoodsideLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Friday 20 July

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Time: 1 – 4pm

Cost: £25

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241





Friday 20 July

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All ages welcome, most appeal to families with toddlers through to primary school age children. All sessions are free of charge and there is no need to book. The Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants.

Venue: For the precise location please check the Facebook Page – "Aberdeen Play Forum" – or visit our website www.aberdeenplayforum.com or look out for our posters. Details will go live by 4 July, at the latest.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554, 07854958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Friday 20 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45 pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or CoveLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Fridays 20 July

Tea, Toast and Toys

Breakfast with bouncy castle and a wide range of toys.

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 9 – 10am (Breakfast Served at 9.30am)

Cost: £1 per person

Contact Details: 01224 828333 or danestonecentre@btinternet.com
Check out our Facebook page Danestone Community Centre

Saturday 21 July

Maritime Makers

Fun, free, maritime-themed craft activities led by experienced makers. All materials provided. Suitable for families with children aged 3-12 years old (children must be supervised by an adult).

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10am – 12pm (booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson)
2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Week 3: 23-27 July

Monday 23 July

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Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

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Monday 23 July

Bookbug Session

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Venue: Cults Library

Time: 2:15 – 2:45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cults Library 01224 868346 or CultsLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 23 July

Kids in the Kitchen

Cooking Classes, where children make the menu for that day, they then sit down together and enjoy it. We may do an experiment or two and food taste tests to try them with different types of food (ages 5-12 years old)

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 10.30am – 12.30pm

Cost: £15 per child

Contact Details: 07764 852101 or website kidsinthekitchenaberdeen.co.uk



Monday 23 July

Rock Scrambling and Coasteering (Ages 9-15)

Explore Aberdeen's spectacular coastline by scrambling over rocks, wading, swimming and jumping into deep water. Professional Tutors will guide and closely supervise throughout the journey.

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Monday 23 July

Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers

Themed storytime and activity celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 4-11 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Ferryhill Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.15pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Ferryhill Library 01224 581576 or FerryhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps

Tennis camps are held at Aberdeen Tennis Centre in Westburn Park. Camps include tennis coaching from our team of LTA qualified professionals, the opportunity to compete in fun competitions and try a range of other sports and fun games.

Venue: Westburn Park

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £120 per week (£140 for extended hours)

Limited day spaces are also available at £32.50 each

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aberdeen-tennis-academy-camps

Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Alex Collie Gymnastics

Camps

Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 5-7 years old. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 9.30 – 11.30am

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps



Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps

Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 8-16 years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 12 – 2pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps

Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Get Active Kids Camps

Get Active Kids Camps are for P1-P7 school aged children and run at 3 venues across the city. Our qualified friendly staff ensure your child enjoys themselves, makes new friends and learns new skills whilst getting active. Sports include; football, basketball, tennis, athletics, as well as fun games and activities.

Venue: Beach Leisure Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

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Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

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Venue: Cults Sports Complex

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Intensive Learn to Swim

These intensive lessons are held during the school holidays to help swimmers build and practise existing skills as well as develop new skills. The classes are suitable for children from primary 1 - aged 15 years who are either currently in a lesson programme or are new to swimming.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, Aberdeen AB24 1SX

Time: 9.30 – 10am Swim Skills 1 – 2
10 – 10.30am Swim Skills 1 – 2
10.30 – 11am Swim Skills 3 – 4

Cost: £25

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com



Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Intensive Swimming Camps

Intensive swimming courses are a great way to improve skills quickly, meet new friends and work with different teachers.

Venue: Bucksburn Swimming Pool

Time: 9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a
10.15am for level 1a, 1b, 2b/3

Cost: £30 per week

Contact Details: Available for online booking
www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aquatics-aberdeen-swimming-camps



Monday 23 – Friday 27 July

Movie Magic – Aberdeen Arts Centre’s Summer School 2018

Calling all storytellers, explorers, movie makers and animal lovers. We have four, week long programmes for young people over the Summer holidays. Each week will be themed and cover a wide range of arts including drama, musical theatre, dance and crafts. Each day, each age group will rotate round the different areas in short sessions allowing them to try a bit of everything, learn and have fun whilst preparing a performance for all parents/guardians at the end of the week.

Age groups are split into age 3-5, age 6-8 and age 9-12.

Age 3-5 can come for a morning or an afternoon session – or they can take part in both and spend the whole day. Age 6-8 and age 9-12 classes will run all day from 10am – 3.30pm.

Lunch is not provided; everyone will need to bring a packed lunch. Please ensure your child wears comfortable clothing that they can move around in easily.

Venue: Aberdeen Arts Centre

Time: 10am – 3.30pm (morning session: 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)

Cost: Morning session: £60 (per child per week)

Afternoon session: £60 (per child per week)

or full day session: £120 (per child per week)

Contact Details: chloe.mcmillan@act-aberdeen.org.uk

Tuesday 24 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

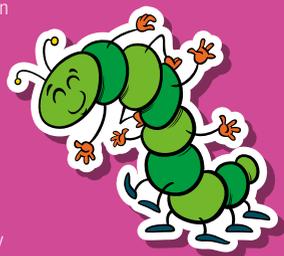
Venue:

Central Children’s Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Central Children’s Library, 01224 652507 or ChildrensLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



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Venue: Ferryhill Library

Time: 2 – 2.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Ferryhill Library 01224 581576 or FerryhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

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Venue: Tillydrone Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Tillydrone Library, 01224 276975 or TillydroneLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 24 July

Movement in the Museum

Join our dance artist for a fun interactive movement session, the perfect introduction to dance for young children.

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10 – 11am (ages 3-5)

11.30am – 12.30pm (ages 5-8)

Cost: £3 + booking free

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson



Tuesday 24 July

Multi-Activity Day (Ages 5-8)

Our Multi-Activity day is a fun filled day of climbing, cycling and learning new skills. Venture across our low ropes course and bouldering wall in the almighty Adventure Zone, try out a range of bikes, trikes and scooters on our bike track, try your hand at some wilderness skills and even have a go on our mobile climbing tower!

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Tuesday 24 July

Pollinator Safari

Join a Countryside Ranger to discover the world of pollinators. You'll be planting wildflowers to attract more pollinators then going on safari to see some bees, wasps, butterflies and moths for yourself!

Meet at the Nature Reserve car park on Skene Road. First Bus 11 or Stagecoach X17 go to Queen's Road. Perfect for families, children 5 years old and over. Booking essential.

Venue: Den of Maidencraig, Skene Road.

Time: 12 – 2pm

Cost: Free, but donations welcome.

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Tuesday 24 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Have fun and games with stories, crafts and activities at Torry Library celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 25 July

Aberdeen Play Forum's "Big Parks" Wednesdays

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Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554 or 07851 958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Wednesday 25 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cornhill Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cornhill Library 01224 696209 or

CornhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 25 July

Climbing and Abseiling (Ages 9-15)

Participants can climb upwards learning to move carefully and smoothly and descend cliffs by abseiling down fixed ropes. The apparent dangers of rock climbing help set the scene, whilst allowing for unlimited acts of determination, achievement, challenge and success. It pulls upon, and develops, confidence, self-reliance, trust, patience and for some the ability to overcome their fear of heights!

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

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Wednesday 25 July

Hilltop Treasure Trail

Explore some of the history and wildlife to be found on Kincorth Hill with an easy to use orienteering map to follow the trails around the nature reserve. Join a Countryside Ranger on this guided walk to find the bronze panels of leaves and animal tracks along the way and take crayon rubbings to complete your treasure hunt!

Meet at the Kincorth Hill car park off Abbotswell Crescent. First Bus 18 will take you to Abbotswell Crescent.

Perfect for families, children 5 and over

Booking essential

Venue: Kincorth Hill Local Nature Reserve

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: Free, but donations welcome.

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countryside ranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Thursday 26 July

Bookbug session

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Venue: Woodside Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Woodside Library 01224 484534 or WoodsideLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Thursday 26 July

Maritime Makers

Fun, free, maritime-themed craft activities led by experienced makers. All materials provided. Suitable for families with children aged 3-12 years old (children must be supervised by an adult).

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10am – 12pm (booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson)

2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Thursday 26 July

Splash Zone – Mini Kayaking (Ages 5-8)

The Splashzone is a basic introductory level to canoeing and kayaking! For the younger ones, our smaller kayaks will ensure a safe and enjoyable day. Our qualified instructors will encourage and enthuse your little ones into becoming fantastic boat paddlers.

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: 9am – 4pm

Cost: £40

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Thursday 26 July

Summer Reading Challenge: Up to Mischief

Join us at Airyhall Library for a story and craft session relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 4-10 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Airyhall Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Airyhall Library 01224 310536 or AiryhallLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Friday 27 July

Aberdeen Play Forum's "Follow Us" Fridays

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Special feature

Dolphinwatch!

Did you know Aberdeen is one of the best places in Europe to see bottlenose dolphins? Join RSPB Scotland staff and volunteers to watch these amazing animals, learn more and take part in fun activities.

WHERE?

Torry Battery car park, off Greyhope Road.
Grid ref: NJ 96446 05687.

COST?

Dolphinwatch is free, donations welcome. Additional events may incur a charge. Please visit [facebook.com/RSPBNorthEastScotland](https://www.facebook.com/RSPBNorthEastScotland)

WHEN?

We are on hand from 11am to 6pm every Thursday to Sunday from 10 May until 19 August 2018. Please call in advance if making a special trip to see us, in case bad weather means we've had to go elsewhere.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?

Call: **01224 624824**

E-mail: dolphinwatch@rspb.org.uk

Web: www.rspb.org.uk/aberdeen

www.facebook.com/RSPBNorthEastScotland

https://twitter.com/RSPB_NEScotland

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Week 4: 30 July - 3 August

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Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

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Monday 30 July

Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers

Themed storytime and activity celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 4-11 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Kaimhill Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.15pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kaimhill Library 01224 498160
KaimhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 30 July – Friday 3 August

Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps

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Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 9.30 – 11.30am

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

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Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 8-16 years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 12 – 2pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on: 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Monday 30 July – Friday 3 August

Animal Kingdom – Aberdeen Arts Centre’s Summer School 2018

Calling all storytellers, explorers, movie makers and animal lovers.

We have four, week long programmes for young people over the Summer holidays. Each week will be themed and cover a wide range of arts including drama, musical theatre, dance and crafts. Each day, each age group will rotate round the different areas in short sessions allowing them to try a bit of everything, learn and have fun whilst preparing a performance for all parents/guardians at the end of the week.

Age groups are split into age 3-5 years old, age 6-8 years old and age 9-12 years old.

Age 3-5 years old can come for a morning or an afternoon session – or they can take part in both and spend the whole day. Age 6-8 years old and age 9-12 years old classes will run all day from 10am – 3.30pm.

Lunch is not provided; everyone will need to bring a packed lunch. Please ensure your child wears comfortable clothing that they can move around in easily.

Venue: Aberdeen Arts Centre

Time: 10am – 3.30pm (morning session 10am – 12.30pm or afternoon session: 1 – 3.30pm)

Cost: Morning session: £60 (per child per week), afternoon session: £60 (per child per week) or full day session: £120 (per child per week)

Contact Details: chloe.mcmillan@act-aberdeen.org.uk

Monday 30 July – Friday 3 August

Aquatics Camps at ASV

ASV’s Aquatics camp is ideal for children who love the water! This exciting camp has been designed to give children aged 9-15 years old (who are confident and passed Swim Skills 3 or equivalent) the opportunity to experience all of the aquatic disciplines at Aberdeen Sports Village. During this action packed week, children will be given the chance to try out diving, swimming, water polo, synchronised swimming and lifesaving. In addition to these there will be dry side activities including, dry diving, circuits, lifesaving skills and team games.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, Aberdeen AB24 1SX

Time: 9.30am – 4pm each day

Cost: £149

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com



Monday 30 July – Friday 3 August

Get Active Kids Camps

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Venue: Beach Leisure Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

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Our qualified friendly staff ensure your child enjoys themselves, makes new friends and learns new skills whilst getting active. Sports include; football, basketball, tennis, athletics, as well as fun games and activities.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

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Venue: Cults Sports Complex

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps



Monday 30 July – Thursday 2 August

Intensive Learn to Dive

Our intensive Learn to Dive programme takes place in our World Class Olympic standard diving pool and is suitable for all newcomers to the sport, and for existing learn to dive participants to improve existing technique. Children will develop their confidence and diving skills under the guidance of our professional instructors. Lessons are available for children aged primary 1 to 15 years who can swim in deep water for a minimum of 10 metres.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, Aberdeen AB24 1SX

Time: 9 – 9.30am Dive Skills 1

9.30 – 10am Dive Skills 1

9 – 10am Dive Skills 2 – 4

Cost: Dive Skills 1: £25, Dive Skills 2 – 4: £38

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com



Monday 30 July – Friday 3 August

Multi-Activity Week (Ages 12-16)

This is a full 5 day adventure week with our qualified tutors and only 12 spaces to spare!

Day 1: Mountain Biking

Day 2: Canoeing and Kayaking

Day 3: Climbing and Abseiling

Day 4: Scramble and Coaststeering

Day 5: Gorgewalking

Venue: Adventure Aberdeen, Fairley Road, Aberdeen AB15 8PZ

Time: 9am – 4pm

Cost: £175

Contact Details: Booking available online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/adventure-aberdeen-holiday-programmes-and-courses-5591330241

Tuesday 31 July

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Airyhall Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Airyhall Library, 01224 310536

AiryhallLibrary@aberdeency.gov.uk

Tuesday 31 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Have fun and games with stories, crafts and activities at Cove Library celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or

CoveLibrary@aberdeency.gov.uk

Tuesday 31 July

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Stories and activities relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-11 years old. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Bucksburn Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bucksburn Library 01224 710830 or

BucksburnLibrary@aberdeency.gov.uk

Wednesday 1 August

National Play Day

National Play Day; an extra special day to celebrate play! Please join the Aberdeen Play Forum in celebrating Children's Rights to Play with a host of engaging activities. Our Play Rangers will have our Loose Parts Kit – Pipes, Planks of Wood, Tarpaulins, Tyres, Cardboard, Fabric which all help encourage children to tap into their imaginations and lead their own play.

Some examples of the wonderful activities we had at last year's event also included:

- Pop up Zumba
- Inflatable Obstacle Course
- Woodland Arts & Crafts
- Baby Sensory Area
- Messy Play
- Static Obstacle Course

A full list of activities for this year's event will be announced no later than 1 July. Please check our Facebook Page 'Aberdeen Play Forum' visit our website – www.aberdeenplayforum.com – or look out for our posters. All ages welcome, most appeal to families with toddlers through to primary school age children.

All sessions are free of charge and there is no need to book. The Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants. We are delighted that this event is going ahead via funding from Celebrate Aberdeen.

Venue: Union Terrace Gardens

Time: 11am – 3pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey 01224 764554 / 07854 958107 or email: melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

Wednesday 1 August

Preschool Gymnastics

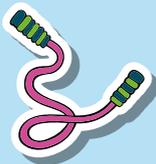
Children attend independently to learn fundamental skills of movement and basic gymnastics techniques. The coaches will guide children in the use of a range of rebound and climbing apparatus, as well as more challenging hand apparatus and movement to music.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am

Cost: £4.50 per session

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps



Wednesday 1 August

Rock Pooling at Cove

Residents of the rock pools need to be tough with life is constantly changing and every tide may bring in new arrivals. Join a Countryside Ranger at Cove for an opportunity to explore the rock pools, meet some of the rock pool residents and create some wild beach art. Remember to bring wellies.

Meet at Colsea Road car park. First Bus 3 goes to Cove Road. Perfect for families, children 5 and over. Booking essential

Venue: Cove Harbour meet at Colsea Road Car Park

Time: 10am – 11.30am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countryside.ranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Thursday 2 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 2 August

Wee Tales

Lose yourselves in your favourite books in these fun, interactive storytelling sessions for children and their adults, presented by Aberdeen-based 10ft Tall Theatre and Frozen Charlotte, specialists in making theatre for children and young people in Scotland. Suitable for children 4 years and older.

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 11am – 12pm

Cost: £3 + booking fee

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Friday 3 August

Aberdeen Play Forum’s “Follow Us” Fridays

Aberdeen Play Forum’s Play Rangers will pop up in parks with their Loose Parts kit – recyclable resources such as pipes, fabric and boxes which encourage children to tap into their imagination and lead their own play. We will also supply some fun, messy ingredients such as mud, gloop, foam, bubbles plus lots and lots of water! Old clothes, a towel and spare clothing to change into afterwards is highly recommended!

All ages welcome, most appeal to families with toddlers through to primary school age children.

All sessions are free of charge and there is no need to book. The Aberdeen Play Forum and Aberdeen City Council are not responsible for participants.

Venue: For the precise location please check the Facebook Page – “Aberdeen Play Forum” – or visit our website www.aberdeenplayforum.com or look out for our posters. Details will go live by 4 July, at the latest.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Melanie Jaffrey, 01224 764554, 07854 958107 or melanie.jaffrey@aberlour.org.uk

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Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45 pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or CoveLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Friday 3 August

Preschool Gymnastics

Children attend independently to learn fundamental skills of movement and basic gymnastics techniques. The coaches will guide children in the use of a range of rebound and climbing apparatus, as well as more challenging hand apparatus and movement to music.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am

Cost: £4.50 per session

Contact Details: call the centre on; 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps

Friday 3 August

Tea, Toast and Toys

Breakfast with bouncy castle and a wide range of toys.

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 9 – 10am (Breakfast Served at 9.30am)

Cost: £1 per person

Contact Details: 01224 828333 or danestonecentre@btinternet.com

Checkout our Facebook page Danestone Community Centre

Saturday 4 August

Maritime Makers

Fun, free, maritime-themed craft activities led by experienced makers. All materials provided.

Suitable for families with children aged 3-12 years old (children must be supervised by an adult).

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10 am – 12pm (booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson)

2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)

Cost: Free

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Saturday 4 August

A Wild Night Out at Burnbanks

Enter the mysterious world of night creatures! This will include setting up sugar and light traps to attract moths (which we will release unharmed after identification) and using detectors to pick up the ultrasound of hunting bats.

Bring sunglasses/wide-brimmed hat (to shield eyes from bright moth trap light), midge repellent & torch.

Meet in Burnbanks car park just off the Coast Road from Cove. Booking essential

Venue: Starting at Burnbanks Car Park, Coast Road, Cove.

Time: 8:30pm – midnight

Cost: Free, but donations welcome.

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countryside ranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



special feature

Countryside Ranger Service

Aberdeen City Council's Countryside Ranger Service manages and promotes the Council's countryside areas.

The Countryside Ranger Service offers opportunities for outdoor learning and guided events for all ages, as well as promoting nature conservation, biodiversity and undertaking site management.

The sites are always open for you to enjoy on your own or you can join in with one of the Ranger led walks or events.

The Countryside Ranger Service manages 29 sites around Aberdeen City including four Local Nature Reserves and is based at the Groats Road Pavilion in Hazlehead Park. You can visit our website www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/rangerservice for more information about where to find our sites or find us on Facebook for latest news and information.

People who come along to our activities in the past have said:

"I had a wonderful time. I just wish I could have stayed a bit longer. Now I know about all the wildlife at the beach, I want to go there more!"

"You'll certainly be seeing us again on your future walks!"

Contact us:

Email: countryside ranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Call: **01224 326429**

Find us on facebook "*Aberdeen City Council Countryside Ranger Service*"



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Week 5: 6-10 August



Monday 6 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Kincorth Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kincorth Library 01224 872572 or KincorthLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 6 August

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Make mischief in Culter Library with stories and activities celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 6-11 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Culter Library

Time: 2:30 – 3:30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Culter Library 01224 732587 or CulterLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 6 August

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Stories and activities relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Northfield Library

Time: 3.30 – 4.15pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Northfield Library 01224 695104 or NorthfieldLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Monday 6 – Friday 10 August

Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps

Tennis camps are held at Aberdeen Tennis Centre in Westburn Park. Camps include tennis coaching from our team of LTA qualified professionals, the opportunity to compete in fun competitions and try a range of other sports and fun games.

Venue: Westburn Park

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £120 per week (£140 for extended hours)

Limited day spaces are also available at £32.50 each

Contact Details: Available for online booking

www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aberdeen-tennis-academy-camps

Monday 6 – Friday 10 August

Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps

Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 5-7 years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 9.30 – 11.30am

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Monday 6 – Friday 10 August

Alex Collie Gymnastics Camps

Recreational Gymnastics Camps available to girls and boys aged 8-16years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in gymnastics at our new dedicated gymnastics facility! Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Alex Collie Sports Centre

Time: 12 – 2pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 507700 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Monday 6 – Friday 10 August

Get Active Kids Camps

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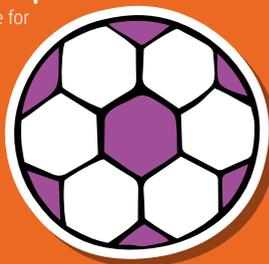
Sports include; football, basketball, tennis, athletics, as well as fun games and activities.

Venue: Beach Leisure Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps



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Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

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Venue: Cults Sports Complex

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps



Monday 6 – Friday 10 August

Intensive Swimming Camps

Intensive swimming courses are a great way to improve skills quickly, meet new friends and work with different teachers.

Venue: Cults Sports Complex

Time: 9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a & 2b

10.15am for level 1a, 1b, 2a & 3

Cost: £30 per week

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aquatics-aberdeen-swimming-camps

Monday 6 – Friday 10 August

Learn to Swim

These intensive lessons are held during the school holidays to help swimmers build and practise existing skills as well as develop new skills. The classes are suitable for children from primary 1 - aged 15 years who are either currently in a lesson programme or are new to swimming.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, AB24 1SX

Time: 9.30 – 10am Swim Skills 1 – 2

10 – 10.30am Swim Skills 1 – 2

10.30 – 11am Swim Skills 3 – 4

Cost: £25

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com

Tuesday 7 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Central Children's Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Central Children's Library 01224 652507 or ChildrensLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 7 August

Look what I found!

Enjoy an afternoon of mini beast hunting and exploring at Kincorth Hill LNR. Discover and record the animals we find. Meet at the Kincorth Hill car park off Abbotswell Crescent. First Bus 18 goes to Abbotswell Crescent. Booking essential. Perfect for Families with children over 5 years old.

Venue: Starting Kincorth Hill Local Nature Reserve

Time: 2 – 4pm

Cost: Free, but donations welcome.

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 7 August

Music in the Museum

Enjoy songs, rhythm games and the chance to create your own sounds in this fun session led by a professional musician. A great introduction to music making!

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10 – 10.45am (ages 3-5)

11.30am – 12.30pm (ages 5-8)

Cost: £3 + booking free

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Tuesday 7 August

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Have fun and games with stories, crafts and activities at Torry Library celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 5-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 8 August

KinderGym

Classes are for 18 months to 3 years and provide a safe, fun environment where your child can be active and explore the fundamentals of movement. In this class the child works directly with their parent / guardian, alongside the coaches who will guide the floor and apparatus activities through the use of music and songs.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am or 10.45 – 11.30am

Cost: £4 per session

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Thursday 9 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Bridge of Don Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bridge of Don Library 01224 702800 or BridgeofDonLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 9 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Kaimhill Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Kaimhill Library 01224 498160 or KaimhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 9 August

Maritime Makers

Fun, free, maritime-themed craft activities led by experienced makers. All materials provided. Suitable for families with children aged 3-12 years old (children must be supervised by an adult).

Venue: Aberdeen Maritime Museum

Time: 10am – 12pm (booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson)

2 – 4pm (drop-in, all welcome)

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Booking required at www.aagm.co.uk/whatson

Thursday 9 August

Summer Reading Challenge:

Mischief Makers

Make mischief in Cults Library with stories and activities celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 6-11 year old. Booking essential.

Venue: Cults Library

Time: 11am – 12pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cults Library 01224 868346 or CultsLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

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Fridays 10 August

Tea, Toast and Toys

Breakfast with bouncy castle and a wide range of toys.

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 9 – 10am (Breakfast Served at 9.30am)

Cost: £1 per person

Contact Details: 01224 828333 or danestonecentre@btinternet.com

Checkout our Facebook page Danestone Community Centre



Special Feature

Mayhem with Mischief Makers at your Local Library!

Once again The Tesco Bank Summer Reading Challenge Scotland will take place in Aberdeen City Libraries over the holidays. The Reading Agency produces the Challenge and is excited to be working with The Beano in their 80th anniversary year to bring Mischief Makers, Tesco Bank Summer Reading Challenge Scotland 2018 to libraries near you. Children will explore a map of Beantown to find the mysterious buried treasure and become ultimate mischief makers! Dennis the Menace, Gnasher and friends will help them solve clues and collect stickers, having lots of fun and adventures along the way.

The Challenge runs from Friday 6 July until Saturday 25 August and encourages children to visit their local library three times during the holidays, choosing two books at each visit to count towards a final total of reading six books to complete the Challenge. Any library book can be read, from picture books to talking books and children receive stickers and rewards at two, four and six books but can borrow up to fifteen books at each visit. Look out for our special prize draws and competitions.

For more fun and activities, check out the Summer Reading Challenge website www.mischief-makers.org.uk where children can also create a personal reading profile and add books they've read to the Book Sorter. Fun, free events take place in libraries throughout the holidays for children taking part in the Challenge. The Challenge is aimed at children aged 4 to 12, however children under 4 can take part using the Pre-school card, collecting up to 6 themed stickers and a special gold sticker when the Challenge is completed.

The regular Bookbug Story and Rhyme sessions continue in libraries across the city throughout the holiday period when children can take part in the Bookbug Library Challenge.

For more information visit your local library or our website www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/Library

Venue: All Aberdeen City Libraries

Time: Monday to Saturday

Cost: Free

Contact Details: See Library Contact Details page in this brochure



Week 6: 13-17 August

Monday 13 – Friday 17 August

Aberdeen Tennis Academy Camps

Tennis camps are held at Aberdeen Tennis Centre in Westburn Park.

Camps include tennis coaching from our team of LTA qualified professionals, the opportunity to compete in fun competitions and try a range of other sports and fun games.

Venue: Westburn Park

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £120 per week (£140 for extended hours) Limited day spaces are also available at £32.50 each

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aberdeen-tennis-academy-camps

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Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, Aberdeen AB24 1SX

Time: 9.30am – 4pm each day

Cost: £149

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com



Monday 13 – Friday 17 August

Beacon Gymnastics Camps

Artistic and Rhythmic Gymnastics Camps available to girls aged 5-7 years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in both artistic and rhythmic gymnastics skills throughout the week. Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 12.15 – 2.15pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

Monday 13 – Friday 17 August

Beacon Gymnastics Camps

Artistic and Rhythmic Gymnastics Camps available to girls aged 8-16 years. Children will have the opportunity to train with qualified coaches to learn new skills in both artistic and rhythmic gymnastics skills throughout the week. Beginners and experienced gymnasts both welcome!

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 2.15 – 4.15pm

Cost: £50

Contact Details: Call the centre on 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampoline-camps

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Venue: Beach Leisure Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

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Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps



Monday 13 – Friday 17 August

Get Active Kids Camps

Get Active Kids Camps are for P1-P7 aged children and run at 3 venues across the city.

Our qualified friendly staff ensure your child enjoys themselves, makes new friends and learns new skills whilst getting active. Sports include; football, basketball, tennis, athletics, as well as fun games and activities.

Venue: Cults Sports Complex

Time: 9am – 4pm (option of extending drop-off and pick up times to 8am and 5pm)

Cost: Camps cost £110 per week (£130 for extended hours)

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/holiday-camps

Monday 13 – Thursday 16 August

Intensive Learn to Dive

Our intensive Learn to Dive programme takes place in our World Class Olympic standard diving pool and is suitable for all newcomers to the sport, and for existing learn to dive participants to improve existing technique. Children will develop their confidence and diving skills under the guidance of our professional instructors. Lessons are available for children aged primary 1 to 15 years who can swim in deep water for a minimum of 10 metres.

Venue: Aberdeen Sports Village, Aquatics Centre, Regent Walk, AB24 1SX

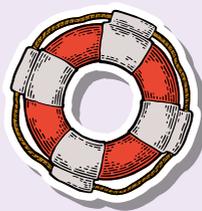
Time: 9 – 9.30am Dive Skills 1

9.30 – 10am Dive Skills 1

9 – 10am Dive Skills 2 – 4

Cost: Dive Skills 1: £25, Dive Skills 2 – 4: £38

Contact Details: 01224 438900 or info@aberdeensportsvillage.com



Monday 13 – Friday 17 August

Intensive Swimming Camps

Intensive swimming courses are a great way to improve skills quickly, meet new friends and work with different teachers.

Venue: Bucksburn Swimming Pool

Time: 9.30am for level 1a, 1b, 2a

10.15am for level 1a, 1b, 2b/3

Cost: £30 per week

Contact Details: Available for online booking www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/aquatics-aberdeen-swimming-camps

Tuesday 14 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 year old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Dyce Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Dyce Library 01224 723015 or DyceLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 14 August

Rock Pooling at Cove

Residents of the rock pools need to be tough with life is constantly changing and every tide may bring in new arrivals. Join a Countryside Ranger at Cove for an opportunity to explore the rock pools, meet some of the rock pool residents and create some wild beach art. Remember to bring wellies.

Meet at Colsea Road car park. First Bus 3 goes to Cove Road. Perfect for families, children 5 years and over.

Booking essential

Venue: Cove Harbour meet at Colsea Road Car Park

Time: 10 – 11:30am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: For further details and to book places contact the Countryside Ranger Service on 01224 326429 or countrysideranger@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Tuesday 14 August

Summer Reading Challenge: Mischief Makers

Join us for a fun story and activity session relating to this year's theme, celebrating 80 years of The Beano. For children aged 4-12 years old. Booking essential.

Venue: Mastrick Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Mastrick Library 01224 788558 or MastrickLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 15 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Bucksburn Library

Time: 2.30 – 3.00pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Bucksburn Library 01224 710830 or BucksburnLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 15 August

Preschool Gymnastics

Children attend independently to learn fundamental skills of movement and basic gymnastics techniques. The coaches will guide children in the use of a range of rebound and climbing apparatus, as well as more challenging hand apparatus and movement to music.

Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am

Cost: £4.50 per session

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps

Thursday 16 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Culter Library

Time: 10:30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Culter Library 01224 732587 or CulterLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Thursday 16 August

Bookbug Session

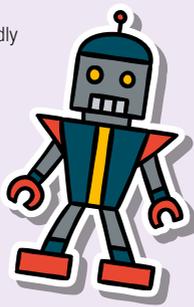
Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Torry Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Torry Library 01224 879037 or TorryLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Friday 17 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cove Library

Time: 2.15 – 2.45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cove Library 01224 245350 or CoveLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Friday 17 August

Preschool Gymnastics

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Venue: Beacon Sports Centre

Time: 10 – 10.45am & 10.45 – 11.30am

Cost: £4.50 per session

Contact Details: Call the centre on; 01224 214488 or book online at www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/gymnastics-trampolining-camps



Fridays 17 August

Tea, Toast and Toys

Breakfast with bouncy castle and a wide range of toys.

Venue: Danestone Community Centre

Time: 9 – 10am (Breakfast Served at 9.30am)

Cost: £1 per person

Contact Details: 01224 828333 or danestonecentre@btinternet.com

Checkout our Facebook page Danestone Community Centre

special feature

Duthie Park Ranger Service Summer Holiday Workshops

The Duthie Park Ranger Service will be running a variety of fun environmentally themed workshops during the holidays for primary age children.

The programme for the workshops will be available on Monday 18 June. For more information and to be added to the mailing list then please send an email to DuthieParkRangerService@aberdeencity.gov.uk



after the summer holidays

Monday 20 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cults Library

Time: 2:15 – 2:45pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cults Library

01224 868346 or

CultsLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 21 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Booking essential.

Venue: Ferryhill Library

Time: 2 – 2.30pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Ferryhill Library

01224 581576 or

FerryhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Wednesday 22 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents/ carers to enjoy together.

Venue: Cornhill Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Cornhill Library

01224 696209 or

CornhillLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk



Saturday 25 August

Scotstown Woodland Experience

Come and join the Countryside Rangers for this fun family morning of shelter building with natural materials. Make a hot drink using water boiled in an outdoor kettle and get creative with some natural art to decorate your shelter. Please wear clothing suitable for the weather. Meet at the Nature Reserve car park on Scotstown Road. First Bus 2 goes to Scotstown Road and 8 to Dubford Road.

Perfect for families, children 5 and over. Booking essential

Venue: Scotstown Moor Local Nature Reserve

Time: 10am – 1pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: For further details

and to book places contact the

Countryside Ranger Service on

01224 326429 or countryside@

aberdeencity.gov.uk



Saturday 25 August

& Sunday 26 August

Celebrate Aberdeen

Celebrate Aberdeen comprises of a series of Union Street mile races, a third sector parade, and a range of musical performances at various locations across the city centre.

Organised by a team of volunteers, in partnership with Aberdeen City Council, Celebrate Aberdeen is open to all and makes for fantastic family days out.

Venue: Various locations around Aberdeen city centre

Time: 10am – 5pm

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Morven Mackenzie

07855 526773 or

morven@mackenzie-brown.com

Sunday 26 August

The Simplyhealth Great Aberdeen Run

Summer 2017 saw 7000 people pound the pavements of the Granite City in the very first Simplyhealth Great Aberdeen Run.

Union Street was packed with thousands of runners and supporters, and participants can expect another scenic spectator-lined route in 2018, with many of the city's landmarks on show.



The Great Aberdeen Run will return on Sunday 26 August, so join thousands of runners, joggers and walkers for a great day of running for all the family!

Age Ranges

10K Race: Age 15+

Half Marathon: Age 17+

Family Run: Suitable for children aged 3-15 years old

To register for any of the races visit:

www.greatrun.org/great-aberdeen-run

Venue: Across Aberdeen/City Centre

Time: TBC

Cost: Half Marathon – £36 per entry

10K – £28 per entry

Family Run: TBC

Contact Details: Aberdeen City

Council – City Events

cityevents@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tuesday 28 August

Bookbug Session

Bookbug sessions are fun and friendly story, song and rhyme sessions for children from birth to 4 years old and their parents / carers to enjoy together. **Booking essential.**

Venue: Airyhall Library

Time: 10.30 – 11am

Cost: FREE

Contact Details: Airyhall Library

01224 310536

AiryhallLibrary@aberdeencity.gov.uk

special feature

Enjoy summer holiday fun at Aberdeen's museums!
Our venues are open 7 days and admission is free

ABERDEEN MARITIME MUSEUM,

Shiprow, Aberdeen AB11 5BY

Tel: 03000 200 293

Open Monday to Saturday 10am – 5pm

and Sunday 12 – 3pm

Admission free

This popular museum, with lots of hands-on exhibits for younger visitors to enjoy, tells the exciting story of the city's long relationship with the sea. Explore Aberdeen's maritime history through collections covering shipbuilding, fast sailing ships, fishing, harbour history and North Sea oil and gas. There are fantastic views over Aberdeen's busy harbour from the top floor.

Join us for fun-filled activities throughout the summer holidays, including Movement in the Museum, Music in the Museum, Maritime Makers and interactive storytelling with Wee Tales. See listings or visit www.aagm.co.uk/whatson for full details and booking information.



THE TOLBOOTH MUSEUM

Castle Street, Aberdeen AB11 5BQ

Tel: 03000 200 293

Open Monday to Saturday 10am – 5pm

and Sunday 12 – 3pm

Admission free

The Tolbooth is one of Aberdeen's oldest buildings – and amongst the best-preserved 17th-century jails in Scotland. Climb the winding staircase (count the 86 steps!) to discover the stories of five of the jail's earliest inmates, and explore the cells where they awaited trial or punishment. Highlights include medieval instruments of punishment, such as the 'maiden', an early version of a guillotine. The Tolbooth Museum is a historic building and access may be difficult for some visitors – for visiting information please go to www.aagm.co.uk



**ABERDEEN ART GALLERY
& MUSEUMS**

Feedback

what do you think of summer in the city 2018?

Your feedback will help us to continue to produce the Summer in the City guide and to ensure that we provide you with the information that you require. Please take a few minutes to read through and complete this short online feedback survey.

Complete online at:

consultation.aberdeencity.gov.uk/education-and-childrens-services/sitc18

Alternatively, you can contact the Family Information Service on the Information Helpline **03000 200 293, Option 6** and give us your feedback over the phone, or send us an email with your feedback to **fis@aberdeencity.gov.uk**



BEACH LEISURE CENTRE

The Beach Leisure Centre is one the North of Scotland's premier leisure facilities, offering a wide range of activities for all the family. An ideal destination at any time of the year, the centre really does have something for everyone, whether it is a relaxing time in the steam-room or sauna, or even a vigorous workout in the fitness suite or sports hall. There is something for everyone at Aberdeen's beachfront leisure complex. The pool is specifically geared to families. It is the ideal place for fun with fantastic water features including rapids, flumes and a wave machine, so you can't fail to have a whale of a time!

Contact: 01224 507739

BeachLeisureCentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

(Beach Leisure Centre, Beach Promenade, Aberdeen) for further information.

LINX ICE ARENA

Activities available include Skating, Figure Skating and Ice Hockey.

Public skating available at various times Monday – Sunday, for up to date timetable visit

www.sportaberdeen.co.uk or visit the arena.

Contact: 01224 507762,

LinxIceArena@sportaberdeen.co.uk

(Linx Ice Arena, Beach Promenade, Aberdeen, AB24 5NR) for further information.



GOLF COURSES

Aberdeen has four 18-hole golf courses, one 9-hole course and one 6-hole course. Hazlehead has a Footgolf course. For further information on the facilities provided at each course contact:

Balnagask Golf Course, St Fitticks Road, AB11 8TN

Tel: 01224 507764

Email: golf@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Hazlehead Golf Course, Hazlehead Avenue, AB15 8BD

Tel: 01224 507766 (18 hole course)

Tel: 01224 507765 (9 hole course)

Email: golf@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Kings Links Golf Course, Golf Road, AB24 1RZ

Tel: 01224 507767

Email: golf@sportaberdeen.co.uk



SPORTS CENTRES

Aberdeen's Sports Centres offer a range of activities.

For details contact the individual centres or contact Sport Aberdeen on 0845 601 3611.

Alex Collie Sports Centre, Cardens Knowe, Bridge of Don, AB22 8PE

Tel: 01224 507700

Email: alexcolliesportscentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Beach Leisure Centre, Sea Beach, AB24 5NR

Tel: 01224 507739

Email: beachleisurecentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

The Beacon Centre, Keppelehills Road, AB21 9DG

Tel: 01224 214488

Email: BeaconCentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Cults Sports Complex, Quarry Road, AB15 9TP

Tel: 01224 507685

Email: CultsSports@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Jesmond Centre, Jesmond Drive, AB22 8UR

Tel: 01224 507755

Email: jesmondcentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Kincorth Sports & Community Centre, Corthan Crescent, AB12 5BB

Tel: 01224 507732

Email: Kincorthsports@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Peterculter Sports Centre, Coronation Rd, AB14 0RQ

Tel: 01224 214481

Email: cultersports@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Sheddocksley Sports Centre, Springhill Rd, AB16 6QJ

Tel: 01224 507750

Email: sheddocksleysportscentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Torry Youth & Leisure Centre, Oscar Road, AB11 8ER

Tel: 01224 214485 or 01224 214487

Email: Torrysports@sportaberdeen.co.uk

WESTBURN TENNIS CENTRE

Westburn Tennis Centre is located in Westburn Park. It is a pay and play tennis centre, with indoor and outdoor courts for hire. Tennis programmes and memberships are available for all ages and abilities, including mini tennis, adult coaching and free family sessions.

For information on tennis activity delivered at Westburn, visit the Tennis Aberdeen website www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/activities/tennis-aberdeen. Please contact for details.

Contact: 01224 507748

westburntenniscentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

(Westburn Tennis Centre, Westburn Park, Westburn Road, Aberdeen AB25 3DE) for further information.

OUTDOOR SPORTS CENTRES

Aberdeen Outdoor Sports Centres offer a range of activities including putting, tennis and bowling.

Albury – Putting, Tennis, Bowling

Contact: Sport Aberdeen on 01224 507702, 01224 571683, sportsbookings@sportaberdeen.co.uk or www.alburysportcentre.org

Northfield – Putting, Tennis, Bowling

Contact: Sport Aberdeen on 0845 601 3611, 01224 214496 or northfieldswimmingpool@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Ruthrieston – Tennis, Bowling

Contact: Sport Aberdeen on 0845 601 3611, 01224 507748 or westburntenniscentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Torry – Bowling

Contact: Sport Aberdeen on 0845 601 3611, 01224 507702 or sportsbookings@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Westburn Outdoor Sports Centre – Bowling

Contact: Sport Aberdeen on 0845 601 3611, 01224 507748 or westburntenniscentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

For booking information for all of the above outdoor sports centre, please contact 0845 601 3611, 01224 507702 or email sportsbookings@sportaberdeen.co.uk.

OUTDOOR FOOTBALL PITCHES

Outdoor Football pitches are available at Inverdee Jack Wood Pavilion, Hazlehead Joe Paterson Pavilion, The Raymond Kelly Pavilion and Aulton Outdoor Pitches, Westfield Football Pitches, Sheddocksley Pavilion and Pitches. For information or bookings for outdoor football pitches, please contact Sport Aberdeen on 0845 601 3611 or email sportsbookings@sportaberdeen.co.uk



SWIMMING POOLS

Swimming pools across Aberdeen offer swimming lessons and other activities throughout the summer holidays.

For details of these and for opening times, please contact the individual pools.

Beach Leisure Centre, Beach Promenade, AB24 5NR

Contact: 01224 507739

Email: beachleisurecentre@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Bridge of Don Swimming Pool, Braehead Way, AB22 8RR

Contact: 01224 507683

Email: bridgeofdonswimmingpool@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Bucksburn Swimming Pool, Kepplehills Road, AB21 9DG

Contact: 01224 507757

Email: BucksburnSwimmingPool@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Cults Sports Complex, Quarry Road, AB15 9TP

Contact: 01224 507685

Email: CultsSports@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Northfield Swimming Pool, Kettlehills Crescent, AB16 5TL

Contact: 01224 214496

Email: northfieldswimmingpool@sportaberdeen.co.uk

Tulloch Swimming Pool, Girdleness Road, AB11 8TB

Contact: 01224 507681

Email: tullochpool@SportAberdeen.co.uk



PARKS AND GARDENS

Aberdeen has six City Parks, seven Local Parks, 32 neighbourhood parks and many more green spaces and play areas in and around the City. Two of the most popular City Parks are Duthie and Hazlehead Parks.

The recently refurbished Duthie Park has undergone a major programme of works over the last few years which have brought it back to its former glory. Of particular note to parents are the two play areas located near the Northern and Southern entrances to the park catering to younger and older children respectively. The David Welch Winter Gardens are a particular favourite with families as they are a reliably warm and dry place to spend time when the weather lets us down. A small café serving a limited menu is open daily.

Hazlehead Park is a large, heavily wooded area on the outskirts of the city catering to the sports enthusiast, walkers, and people who generally enjoy spending time

outdoors. Around the park are football pitches, golf courses and woods for walking. Within the park itself you will find rose gardens, azalea and rhododendron borders, heather beds, children's play area, pet's corner and a maze. The park provides a home to a significant collection of sculpture and heritage items, rescued from various places within the city. A large and pleasant restaurant is open to the public daily along with a smaller kiosk serving hot drinks and ice cream.



Contact: Details for all City Council parks and play areas can be found at www.aberdeencity.gov.uk or by calling the grounds services department on 01224 489 441.

Further information about the cafés within the parks can be found by calling 01224 313833 or e-mailing enquiries-theparkcafehazlehead@hotmail.co.uk

THE GORDON HIGHLANDERS MUSEUM

Relive the compelling and dramatic story of one of the British Army's most famous regiments. Housed in the former home of leading Scottish artist, Sir George Reid at St Luke's, Viewfield Road, Aberdeen.

Admission: Adult £7.50, Concession £5.50, Child £4 (14 & under).

Family ticket 2 adults with max 3 children or 1 adult plus 2 or 3 children £15

Our tea-room, shop and gardens are open to everyone free of charge.

Open: February – November, Tuesday – Saturday 10am – 4.30pm.

Contact: 01224 311200, museum@gordonhighlanders.com or visit www.gordonhighlanders.com.

ABERDEEN SCIENCE CENTRE

Aberdeen Science Centre is Scotland's first science and discovery centre. Originally opened in 1988, we have been engaging with science for over 26 years. Our interactive, hands-on exhibits and live science shows help our visitors discover more about the world around them and the science of how things work. Why not visit our new look coffee house for lunch or home bakes, or our science shop for a fantastic range of science kits and gifts. There is free parking available for visitors.

Open: School holidays, Monday – Sunday 10am – 5pm, term time, Monday – Sunday 10am – 4pm. We can be found at 179 Constitution Street, Aberdeen.

Contact: 01224 640340, info@asc.scot, or visit www.aberdeensciencecentre.org



PEACOCK VISUAL ARTS

Peacock Visual Arts is Aberdeen's main centre for contemporary art. Drop in for the changing art exhibitions in our gallery or browse through the many high quality original prints by local, national and international artists produced in our workshops. We can be found at 21 Castle Street, Aberdeen.

Open: Tuesday – Saturday 9.30am – 5.30pm.

Contact: 01224 639539, info@peacockvisualarts.co.uk or visit www.peacockvisualarts.co.uk.



ABERDEEN MARITIME MUSEUM

The City's award-winning Maritime Museum tells the captivating story of the North Sea. View displays and exciting exhibitions of the North Boats, the offshore oil industry, shipbuilding and clipper ships. Other exhibitions include the Aberdeen Harbour Gallery and interactive computers on Aberdeen – everything from fishing techniques to how to 'park' your ship in the harbour. You can also visit the shop and licensed café.

We can be found on Shiprow. Admission is free.

Open: Monday – Saturday 10am – 5pm, Sunday 12 – 3pm.

Contact: 01224 337700, email info@aagm.co.uk or visit www.aagm.co.uk.



ABERDEEN ARTS CENTRE

Professional and amateur theatre and small gallery for contemporary arts and crafts. There is a variety of workshops available over the summer holidays, see website for details.

Aberdeen Arts Centre is located at 33 King Street, Aberdeen.

For more information visit www.act-aberdeen.org.uk.

Open: Tuesday – Sunday 10am – 4pm.

Contact: 01224 635208

community centres

Airyhall Community Centre
Tel: 01224 208082
Email: mail@airyhall.org.uk

Altens Community Centre
Tel: 01224 896798
Email: altenscc@gmail.com

Balgownie Community Centre
Tel: 01224 704823
Email: paul@thestaples.co.uk

Balnagask Community Centre
Tel: 01224 871206
Email: balnagaskcc.hazel@hotmail.co.uk

Cairncry Community Centre
Tel: 01224 698920
Email: cairncry@tiscali.co.uk

Carnegie Hall, Dyce
Email: gpenny2@sky.com

Catherine Street Community Centre
Tel: 01224 640853
Email: lavinia6933@yahoo.com

Danestone Community Centre
Tel: 01224 828333
Email: danestonecentre@btinternet.com

Ferryhill Community Centre
Tel: 01224 584118
Email: office@ferryhillcommunitycentre.org.uk

Hanover Community Centre
Tel: 01224 627328
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Hilton Community Centre
Tel: 01224 277025
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Kincorth Community Centre
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Email: new.kincorthcc@btinternet.com

Kingswells Community Centre
Tel: 01224 741806
Email: communitycentre@hotmail.co.uk

Loirston Annexe
Tel: 01224 897235
Email: loirstonannexe@yahoo.co.uk

Mastrick Community Centre
Tel: 01224 788288
Email: mastrickcc@hotmail.co.uk

Northfield Community Centre
Tel: 01224 695416
Email: admin@northfieldcommunitycentremc.org

Powis Community Centre
Tel: 01224 484056
Email: powiscommunitycentre@gmail.com

Ruthrieston Community Centre
Tel: 01224 572211
Email: info@ruthriestoncommunitycentre.org.uk

Seaton Community Centre
Email: seatoncommunitycentre@hotmail.com

Sheddocksley Community Centre
Tel: 01224 684200
Email: sheddocksleycommunitycentre@gmail.com

Tillydrone Community Centre
Tel: 01224 493388



Learning centres

Beacon Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 710841
Email: criley@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Bridge of Don Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 701160
Email: criley@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Cornhill Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 493302
Email: saduncan@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Cults Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 866286
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Cummings Park Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 694060
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Dyce Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 723344
Email: criley@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Frogghall Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 611151
Email: ISerci@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Hazlehead Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 498110
Email: ChReid@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Kaimhill Learning Centre
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Email: ChReid@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Manor Park Learning Centre
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Mile End Learning Centre
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Email: Intaylor@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Rosemount Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 647594
Email: Intaylor@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Seaton Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 277930
Email: criley@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Sunnybank Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 261727
Email: ISerci@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Torry Youth & Leisure Centre
Tel: 01224 878927
Email: ChReid@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Tulloch Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 291882
Email: ChReid@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Woodside Learning Centre
Tel: 01224 524949
Email: ISerci@aberdeencity.gov.uk



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www.act-aberdeen.org.uk



Aberdeen Box Office
Tel: 01224 641122
www.aberdeenperformingarts.com

Aberdeen International Youth Festival
Tel: 01224 213800
Email: admin@aiyf.org
www.aiyf.org

Aberdeen Sports Village
Tel: 01224 438900
www.aberdeensportsvillage.com



Adventure Aberdeen
Tel: 01224 270990
www.sportaberdeen.co.uk/adventure-aberdeen

Sport Aberdeen
Tel: 0845 6013611
www.sportaberdeen.co.uk

Aberdeen Maritime Museum
Tel: 01224 337700
www.aagm.co.uk

Aberdeen Play Forum
Tel: 01224 764554
www.aberdeenplayforum.org.uk

Aberdeen Foyer
 Marywell Centre, Marywell Street,
 AB11 6JF
Tel: 01224 212924
www.aberdeenfoyer.com

Family Information Service (FIS)
Tel: 01224 346034 (Mon-Fri)
 10am – 4pm
Email: fis@aberdeencity.gov.uk
www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/fis

The Belmont Film House
Tel: 01224 343500
www.belmontfilmhouse.com

VUE Cinema
Tel: 08712 240 240
www.myvue.com

Cineworld
Tel: 0871 200 2000
www.cineworld.co.uk



Citymoves Dancespace, Schoolhill
Tel: 01224 611486
citymoves.wordpress.com

Countryside Ranger Service
Tel: 01224 897400
www.aberdeencity.gov.uk

Aberdeen Childcare Services
Tel: 03000 200 293 option 4
www.aberdeencity.gov.uk



Music 4 U – Debra Kirkness
Tel: 01224 379393 / 07859 814458
Email: info@m4u.org.uk
www.m4u.org.uk



Visit Scotland Aberdeen
 Visitor Information Centre
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www.visitscotland.com

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Bridge of Don, AB22 8HH
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- 2 Duthie Park
- 3 Westfield Park
- 4 Seaton Park
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1. Is the provider subject to regulation and inspection by an outside body?

If you are choosing to use a registered childcare provider you will be able to access their latest Care Inspectorate report at www.careinspectorate.com

2. Does the provider have set procedures on the recruitment, training and management on workers/ volunteers?

3. Will there be adequate numbers of workers/volunteers for the activity to operate safely?

4. Are there clear procedures and guidance for workers/volunteers in respect to behaviour towards children and young people?

5. Does the provider have a policy to ensure the protection of children and young people and is the policy made available to parents? Is the policy maintained and reviewed?

6. Does the providers have a health and safety policy, a First Aid kit, a First Aider and adequate procedures for recording and notifying accidents? Is it insured?

7. What will happen if your child is sick?

8. How will the provider contact you in an emergency?

9. What will happen if you are delayed picking your child up at the end of the activity?

10. What should you do if you have a complaint? Who should you contact?

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Aberdeen Guarantees

learn : train : work



Aberdeen Guarantees is a partnership commitment to providing learning, training and work opportunities to all 14-25 year olds. The brand represents the collective efforts of the public, private and third sector in assisting and enabling young people to progress towards employment.



Aberdeen Guarantees profiles a range of approaches in school & post school which are already in place to support young people into positive destinations, promote good news stories and advertise new training and work opportunities for young people in Aberdeen.



Information on all Youth employment related activity is promoted through the Aberdeen Guarantees website which is a resource for young people, parents, professionals and employers:

www.aberdeenguarantees.com



www.facebook.com/aberdeenguarantees



www.twitter.com/abguarantees



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Information on services for children and young people?

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text **07825 053136**

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