

Home School Link Worker Weekly Bulletin

Woking Family Centre: Free 4-week online SEND support group



**Woking Family
Centre**

Wednesdays - 4 weeks

7pm - 8pm

3rd June - 24th June 2026

Online SEND Support Group for Parents/Carers

Free support group for parents/carers with children aged
0-16 with pre or diagnosed SEND.

The course will cover topics like:

- Back to school and discussions around EHCP's
- Boundaries and useful parenting tools
- Accessing useful websites and other support networks
- Support on applying for DLA and other funding options.

For more information scan the
QR code or call 01483 310419



**Woking Family Centre, The Bungalow
Sythwood, Woking GU21 3AX**

BARNARD'S

**Changing childhoods.
Changing lives.**

Woking Community Grocery

YOU'RE INVITED



**Woking Community Grocery is opening soon—
packed with great products and huge savings.
Shop from just £5 and save £20+ every visit.**

**Join us at one of our exclusive pre-launch events
to explore the Grocery, sign up, and complete
your first shop.**

**Tue 14 April or Tue 21 April
9:30am-1:00pm**



Location:
Woking Community Grocery,
1-5 Church Street West,
Woking,
GU21 6DJ

Family Voice Surrey webinar: Understanding sensory reactivity



📅 Thursday 7 May

🕒 7:00pm

🔑 Online

Parent Workshop with Aniesa Blore - Consultant Paediatric Occupational Therapist | Certified in Ayres Sensory Integration®

Does your child seem overwhelmed by noise, touch, movement or busy environments?

Or do they constantly seek movement, crash into things, chew, spin or make repetitive noises?

You're not alone - and there is a reason for it.

Join Family Voice Surrey in this workshop which helps parents understand sensory reactivity - how your child's nervous system responds to everyday sensory experiences - and how this directly impacts behaviour, emotions, sleep, attention and participation in daily life.

💡 *Learn about:*

- *Sensory processing and reactivity*
- *Links between behaviour, anxiety, and regulation*
- *Practical strategies to support your child*

👤 *Ideal for parents of children who experience sensory challenges, anxiety, or emotional regulation difficulties.*

👉 **Reserve your place:** <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1985804718369?aff=oddtcreator>

Free Family Fun Day with Family Voice Surrey & Active Surrey

📅 Sunday 26 April 2026

🕒 12:00pm – 3:00pm

🔑 Guildford Spectrum Leisure Centre

🎟️ Free tickets - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1985276232654?aff=oddtcreator>

This free event is designed especially for children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) in Surrey, along with their families.

We're delighted to welcome Lizzi Jordan MBE, who will share her inspiring story of resilience, possibility, and the joy of movement. Lizzi will be opening our event and you can also join her for a Q&A session during the day.

🗨️ *What to expect:*

- Sports and movement sessions
- Games and interactive activities
- Arts, crafts, and creative zones
- Quiet breakout spaces
- Small animal experiences for calm engagement



Creating Connection

We're excited to welcome **Paralympian Lizzi Jordan MBE**, who will be joining us to inspire children and young people with stories of resilience, possibility and the joy of movement.

This **free**, family-focused event is designed for children and young people with **Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)** and their families.

Explore a range of inclusive activities, including:

- Sports & movement sessions
- Games and Scalextric
- Crafts & creative zones
- Quiet breakout spaces
- Small animals for calm engagement

A space to feel included | A space to play, explore and connect |
A space to discover what movement can mean for your family

While **booking isn't required**, register for your free tickets in advance to receive an event pack by email before the day, including everything you need to know and details on how to claim your free goody bag." Simply **scan the QR code**.



Scan the QR code on the poster or follow the registration link to secure your place
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1985276232654?aff=oddtcreator>

Fun activity of the week: Marble run

Using either a large piece of card, or a wall, attach cardboard tubes using tape to create your very own marble run!



Recipe of the week: Cheese scones

Ingredients:

- 75g (3oz) light Cheddar cheese
- 250g (8oz) self-raising flour, sifted
- 40g (1½oz) reduced fat spread
- 5ml (½ fl oz) mixed herbs
- 125ml (4fl oz) semi-skimmed milk



Method:

1. Preheat the oven to Gas Mark 7, 220°C or fan 200°C.
 2. Grease a baking tray with reduced fat spread to stop the scones from sticking.
 3. Grate the cheese into a bowl and place to one side.
 4. Sift the self-raising flour into a mixing bowl and add the butter or margarine.
 5. Using your fingertips, rub the butter or margarine into the flour until it looks like fine breadcrumbs.
 6. Add the grated cheese and mixed herbs and stir well.
 7. Pour in the milk a little bit at a time, mixing with a palette knife as you go along, and saving a little bit for the end.
 8. Once you've formed a soft dough, tip it onto a lightly floured work surface and roll the dough out with a rolling pin or your hands until it's about 1.5cm thick.
 9. Cut out the scones using a cutter, place them on a baking tray and brush the tops with the remaining milk.
 10. Bake for 12 to 15 minutes until they're golden brown.
-

If you would like any further help, guidance or support for you or your family, please contact **Laura Merrick** (Home School Link Worker) hslw2@stmarys-byfleet.surrey.sch.uk (Working hours: Tuesday 8:30am - 3:30pm, Wednesday 8:30am - 1:00pm, Thursday 8:30am - 3:30pm).

