

LET'S HEAR IT!

**BRIEFLY
DORSET DEAF CHILDREN'S SOCIETY
MAY 2026**



FAMILY FUN DAY & HOG ROAST/BBQ



**SUNDAY 28th JUNE
11 AM**

**The Orangery Suite
Merley House Lane, Merley, Wimborne, BH21 3AA**

Come along and join in the fun and meet up with other families!

Three acres of leisure garden with lots of games for all ages to enjoy including crazy golf, badminton, beach volleyball, climbing frame, table tennis, giant chess and more.

There will also be inflatables, an entertainer, face painting and a delicious hog roast and BBQ!

Bar available to purchase drinks including tea & coffee and ice creams will also be available. The Orangery is booked exclusively for us to enjoy the day, join in or relax and let the children and young people have fun! Please bring picnic blankets, chairs and if needed sun shades (hopefully not umbrellas!)

To book your places please call Shirley on 01202 571089 before **MONDAY 8th JUNE**. Please can you state when booking places if you would like either a Hog Roast OR BBQ, you cannot have both. For catering your choice cannot be changed on the day.

Any problems on the day please ring 07765 304968

PLEASE NOTE: PARENTS/CARERS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR CHILDREN AT ALL TIMES



BOAT TRIP TO SWANAGE Sunday 12th July 8.30am



**Meet Leanne by the blue & white ticket office of
Coastal Cruises on Poole Quay**

Come along and enjoy a family day out with a boat trip exploring the Jurassic Coast and visiting Swanage. Once in Swanage families are free to do as you wish.

For the return boat please be ready to board by 2.15pm. Please don't be late!

The boat is booked exclusively for DDCS and there will be limited spaces.

The spaces will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

To book your places call Shirley on 01202 571089

BEFORE FRIDAY 26th JUNE

Please note parents are responsible for their children at all times.

Any problems on the day please call Leanne on 07818 058961 or Shirley on 07765 304968

THE JENNY BARRETT DEAF CHILD ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



Would you like to see your child rewarded for
an achievement they have made?

The Jenny Barrett Deaf Child Achievement Award is split into two categories, Junior and Senior.
Junior is for any child up to the age of 11 years old and Senior is for 12 to 18 year olds.

The awards set out to reward the achievements of children and young people with a hearing loss and can be for anything from an act of courage, helping others, overcoming a difficulty, or reading a piece of work in assembly at school. Just so long as it is a real achievement for that individual child.

Anyone can make a nomination and every child is presented with a certificate and a voucher.

The winners will be announced at the Society's Annual General Meeting on Saturday 10th October 2026.



If you wish to make a nomination please contact
Kevin Forbes for a nomination form on 01202 769890

Or email kevin.forbes@ssfs.co.uk

Please return your nomination form to:

Kevin Forbes, Strategic Solutions Financial Services, Suite 2,
Hamilton Court House, 1-3 Alum Chine Road, Westbourne, Bournemouth, BH4 8DT

Closing date for nominations is 16th September 2026



Brownsea Island

Sunday 14th June

And Sunday 26th July

Meet Julie at 10.30am on Poole Quay to catch the ferry. We need to book places for the ferry in advance so please make sure you attend.

**PLEASE DON'T BE LATE
THE FERRY WON'T WAIT!**

Enjoy the island at your leisure



To book your places please WhatsApp/Text
Julie on 07973 737687

with names of adults, children and ages,
and contact mobile number.

There are only 15 spaces for each visit which
means it will be first come first served.

WANT TO ORDER A DDCS T SHIRT?

We do not order T-shirts very often and
the orders to the printers are
usually only once or twice a year.
If you would like a DDCS T-shirt
now is the time to send in your order.



All sizes for children and adults

Adults £13 - Olive, Black, Royal Blue, Heather Grey, Navy, Bottle Green



Children £8 - Purple, Green, Fuchsia, Orange, Royal Blue, Azure Blue, Light Pink, Sunflower

To order your T Shirt print the order form from our website
www.dorsetdcs.co.uk or call Shirley on 01202 571089

DDCS FUTURE EVENTS

Sunday 14th June – Brownsea Island

Sunday 28th June – Family Fun Day & Hog Roast

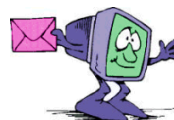
Sunday 12th July – Boat trip to Swanage

Sunday 26th July – Brownsea Island

Saturday 10th October – AGM & JBDCA Awards

Saturday 28th November – Christmas Party

These are dates for your diaries.



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