

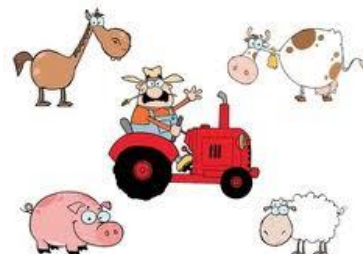
LET'S HEAR IT!

BRIEFLY
DORSET DEAF CHILDREN'S SOCIETY
April 2024



FARMER PALMER'S **SUNDAY 12th MAY 11am**

Wareham Road, Organford, Poole
BH16 6EU



Come along and enjoy a family day out.

There is plenty to do including animal feeding, tractor rides, bouncy castles, pedal go karts, woodland walk, pig racing, sand and splash zone or go on a Deer Safari!

DDCS will pay entry for each child with a hearing loss and one parent/carer. We will also part fund siblings and one other parent/carer. The charge for siblings and a second parent/carer is £6 each.

Please note that Farmer Palmer's is designed for children 0 – 8 years old so older children will not be able to go on the play equipment but are welcome to join in with the animal activities.

To book your places call Shirley on 01202 571089
before **FRIDAY 26th APRIL**



Please do not enter the park before checking in with Shirley by the entrance
If you have any problems on the day please phone Shirley on 07765 304968



FAMILY FUN DAY **& HOG ROAST/BBQ**

SUNDAY 30th JUNE
11 AM

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



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, and a delicious hog roast and BBQ!

Please can you state when booking places if you would like either a Hog Roast OR BBQ, not both.

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 (but hopefully not umbrellas!)

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

To book your place please call Shirley on 01202 571089 before **FRIDAY 7th JUNE.**
Any problems on the day please ring 07765 304968

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

NIKKI'S LITTLE PLAY CAFÉ

SUNDAY 5th MAY

11am - 1pm

4 Pope Street, Brewery Square,
Dorchester,
DT1 1GW



This event is for our families with babies and pre-school children. It is an opportunity for you to meet up with families who have children the same age and may also have recently been diagnosed with a hearing loss.

It is a small venue of which we have exclusive use.

Siblings any age are welcome but the age range for the soft play is 0-7 years old.

Drinks and snacks will be available to purchase from the cafe.

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All our Trustees are volunteers who give up their spare time to Dorset DCS. The charity could not function or provide support and events without their time and the help that they give to the charity. The Trustees family members quite often also give up their time to help. Everyone does what they can and it is much appreciated!

**Thank you to all our volunteers
you make a great team!**

DDCS Support up to 25 years old!

Although the name of our charity is Dorset Deaf Children's Society our support does not stop when they are 18 years old. We will support and include young people in our events up to the age of 25.

DDCS FUTURE EVENTS 2024

Wednesday 10th April – Lush Factory visit

Sunday 21st April – Thorpe Park

Sunday 5th May – Nikki's Little Play Café

Sunday 12th May – Farmer Palmers

Sunday 30th June – Family Fun Day and Hog Roast

Tuesday 23rd July – Fun at the Beach

Saturday 12th October – AGM & Jenny Barrett Awards

Saturday 30th November – Christmas Party

More details to follow in future newsletters

National Deaf Children's Society Online Events and Courses For Parents and Carers



NDCS online events are suitable for families of children with all types and levels of deafness. They cover a variety of topics and issues, from finding out your child is deaf or has a hearing loss, to supporting them as they become a young adult

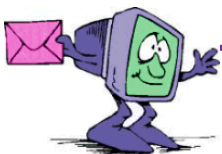
For more information go to:

<https://www.ndcs.org.uk/our-services/our-events/events-for-parents-carers-and-families/>

MORE INFORMATION AND NEWSLETTERS

For more information, news, pictures and future events please visit our website. If you lose your newsletters you can also find them on the website

www.dorsetdcs.co.uk



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