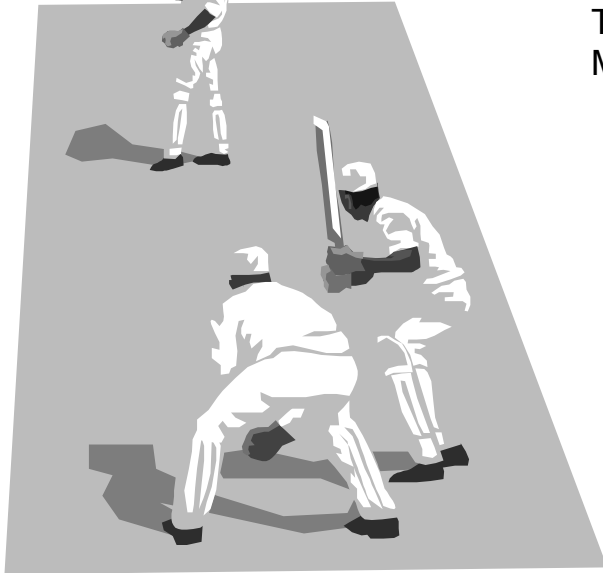


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Mr Deric Longden



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Anyone for Cricket?

To find out more please see page 3

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Bulletin Deadline

Could all those who wish to contribute to the September Bulletin, please let me have their articles by **26 July 2010**. You can also email me at: joanne@dab.org.uk with any ideas or information. Thank you.

Important information for members receiving the Bulletin on cassette

We are please to announce that all future editions of the audio Bulletin will be produced on CD. This follows a consultation which we recently carried out with members who receive the Bulletin on tape. 96% of members indicated that they would be happy to change to CD format and we hope that making this change will greatly improve the audio quality.

If you have received this Bulletin on cassette tape, your next bulletin will be sent out in CD format. If you have any comments or queries or if you wish to continue to receive cassette tapes please speak to **Ruby Russell** or **Jo Wilbraham** on **01332 292262**.

Fiona's Focus

As the weather gets warmer we think of outdoor activities so what about a game of cricket? Derbyshire Disabled Cricket Club has started a cricket team for visually impaired people. They already have a group of 9 enthusiastic players, including several DAB members. They meet every other Tuesday at Darley Abbey Cricket Ground between 6pm and 7.30pm for training under the guidance of Alan Gardner and his team of qualified coaches. In the winter they will move indoors.

The game is similar to the mainstream game with a few modifications. For example the ball is white and slightly bigger with a rattle sound, the stumps are white and there are certain calls and clapping noises made to help the batter and fielders locate the ball more easily. Everyone was really enjoying the training when I visited in March.

It is their dream to play at least one match this season but they need more players to make this dream come true. If you would like to join in please ring **Alan** on **01332 769329** for more information. The next training session will be on 8th and 22nd June at 6pm on Darley Abbey Cricket Ground. They will welcome anyone with a visual impairment – you can be any age, male or female. Come on give it a go!!

If you would rather watch cricket than play, then Derbyshire County Cricket Club has generously given DAB a number of free season passes for visually impaired people and a companion to attend home matches. **See page 11 for details.**

Whilst we are on the subject of sport I would like to advertise our new '**One to One Sports**' project. This is for anyone over 65 who wants to take part in a sporting activity but feel they need just a little bit of support to take part. For example, one DAB member wanted to play golf but was unsure about getting to the golf course and then playing because of his sight loss. We matched him with a golfing volunteer and now they go golfing together every week. If you are over 65 and want to take up a new sport or go back to something you used to enjoy then please **ring Helen Rowley on 01332 287024.**



Fiona Francis – Operations Manager

Fundraising News!

Hello and welcome to another round up of DAB's fundraising events and activities.

We are working with Ashbourne Radio on a **Sponsored Walk** on the **26th June** to raise money as part of deaf/blind week 2010. Absolutely anyone can get involved on this beautiful walk on the Tissington Trail so why not give it a go?

We are currently looking for adventurous individuals and groups to take part in the following challenges;

- The world famous **Tough Guy** challenge
- **Bungee Jump** from the UK's highest indoor platform
- **Skydive** and parachute jump from over 12,000 feet
- The **Nottingham Marathon**, Half Marathon and Team Relay;
- Climb the **Three Peaks** of Britain in just 24 hours
- Cycle from **London to Paris** and to **Abseil** in the dark from Derby City's Jury's Inn.



We are participating in the annual **Car Draw** along with hundreds of other small charities. Get in touch to request a book of tickets to win a **Fiat 500** for just £1. Last year we raised over £2700!

We are holding the inaugural **DAB Open** at Brailsford Golf Course on **Tuesday 29th of June** and are looking for participants and sponsors. If you play golf, or know someone that does, please get in touch.



We need our members to support DAB by helping to find people to raise money for us or to collect at home using a **Members Box**. Or if you are friendly with any shops, maybe they could host a **Collection Box**?

We need your help to support the VIP community in Derbyshire, get in touch and make a difference today.

Donations - Many thanks to everyone for your generous and kind donations. Thank you to the anonymous donor in Erewash for their generous donation of £300.

In fond memory of Dad – Fred Jorgensen – from Dawn and Martin for their regular & ongoing donations.

Children and Young People's News

Hello to you all!

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself to all existing and new members. My name is **Mary Hutchinson** and I am about to rise to the challenge of being DAB's 'Children's Project Manager' over the next six months.

As you may be aware Claire Tompkinson will shortly be on maternity leave and in her absence I hope to run the project smoothly for her.



Over the past ten years I have worked with Children and Young People in a range of childcare settings. I have worked in London, France and New York, but over the last four years I have based myself over here working in a Sure Start Children's Centre, setting up and developing groups for children, running parenting groups and overseeing the toy library throughout Staffordshire Moorlands supporting pre-schools, toddler groups and special schools.

I am currently studying part time at Derby University and will complete my Foundation Degree in Early Years and Young People's Services in May. Over the last two years I have also been involved in setting up a youth group for 11-18 year olds, which has gone from strength to strength.

I am very passionate about what I do, extremely excited to be taking this project on and will carry on with the excellent service that is already in place.

I look forward to meeting you all and if you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact me at the DAB office on **01332 292262**.

Thank you

Mary Hutchinson – Children's Project Manager

Services Team News Round-up

Welcome to the latest edition of the Services Team News Round-up.

Summer is here - a time for inviting friends round for barbeques and an evening of fun and games. We want to make sure you don't miss out on all the fun by offering a variety of games to keep you entertained.

Playing cards

Our range of playing cards provide clear suit designs in a variety of sizes; giant, jumbo and standard. Where indicated Braille markings are located at the top left and bottom right hand corners.



Some of the designs have two back colour options - red or blue. Use an Easi-grip Card Holder to keep your cards together. Also available Happy Families card packs. Prices range from £2.54 to £8.00.

Easy-to-see dominoes

There are two types available, firstly the easy-to-see dominoes with large indented black dots on a white background. The middle of the domino is separated by black line and tactile gold marker.

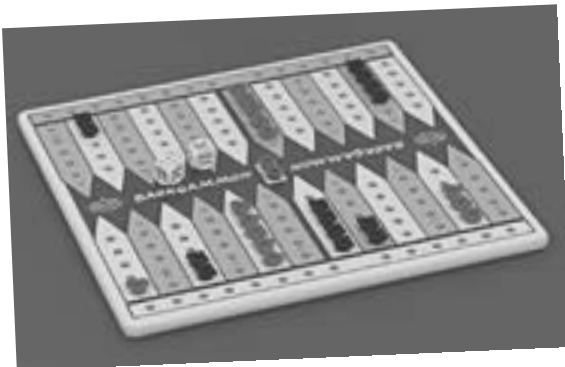
Secondly, the Easy-to-see dominoes with raised dots are tactile dominoes are available as double six 28 piece or double nine 55 piece set supplied in black plastic case. The black dots are raised and a tactile ridge divides the two halves of each domino.



Prices £7.50 to £13.00.

Wooden board games

Our range of board games are perfect for playing with the family. They have been designed to be suitable for everyone regardless of level of sight loss. The boards are tactile which means you can play by touch, they also have contrasting colours which makes it easier to see and play. Solitaire, Chess, Draughts and Nine Men's Morris, have pieces and wooden boards with tactile design.



The playing pieces are wooden with a tactile element which helps to distinguish the pieces whilst playing. Snakes and Ladders, Ludo, Backgammon and Chinese Chequers have contrasting coloured boards. All the playing pieces are different colours and shaped pegs and dice are tactile. Prices £10.00 - £40.00.

Contact us at DAB for further information.

Regards – The Central Services Team

Prestigious Award for Wendy May

Congratulations to former DAB staff member Wendy May who has been awarded an Excellence in the Community Award.



These awards honour individuals, groups, businesses, voluntary groups and charities who make a difference to the lives of others.

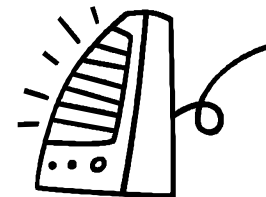
Wendy works to help visually impaired people in Derbyshire. She currently runs two drop-in sessions in Ripley and Creswell as well as organising trips, weekend lunches and outings, helping with shopping and carrying out home visits.

We are pleased that her hard work over the years has been recognised and hope that her good work inspires others to give their time to help make a difference to the lives of people living with a visual impairment.

Bolsover Broadcast

We have been busy!

In March/April we had several activities to celebrate the 3rd Year of our project. Highlights included 42 members and volunteers enjoying afternoon tea and entertainment provided by the Alfreton Rotary Club. Our celebrations were nicely 'rounded off' with an excellent buffet lunch at the Bluebell Bolsover followed by a magnificent cake, popcorn and a screening of 'Mamma Mia'. Thanks go to Alfreton Rotary Club, Kevin and the team at the Bluebell and Angels Heavenly Celebrations for the Cake!



We are going to be even busier!

The **Bowling Group** is moving outside to Somercotes for the summer months. (Don't worry if it rains as there is inside space for us to enjoy tea, coffee and biscuits.)

The **Audio Book Club** will have an extra meeting in June to join the Chesterfield Library listening group for a 'Making Noise in Libraries' event for readings from a local author.

A **Craft Group** is starting in the Creswell/Whitwell area in June so be sure to come along with all your crafting ideas and tips - or just come along and try something new. If anyone knows of someone who could be a volunteer helper for this group then please get in touch. (We also need a volunteer for the **Swimming Group**).



The **DipaDABaDo** and '**Curtain Up**' groups have always been open to all social and leisure group members but in response to member requests they will now be there for all visually impaired members **and** their family and friends. So everyone can come and enjoy the theatre including 'Hi de Hi' at the Sheffield Lyceum in July or a boat trip from Tapton Lock in August.

Whether it is at our regular friendly socials or on an outing we look forward to enjoying your company over the summer months.

Please call **Karen** or **Elisabeth** at Bolsover Hospital if you would like more information about any of the groups or to book a place on any of the outings:
01246 562136 / 07548 218893.



Bolsover Activities – June

Tues	1 st	Walking Group	Bolsover & surrounding area
Wed	2 nd	Bolsover Social	Fulleylove Court
Thurs	3 rd	Curtain Up Club	“We’ll Meet Again” Chesterfield
Thurs	3 rd	Audio Book Club	Bolsover Library
Tues	8 th	The Workhouse Tour	Nottingham
Wed	9 th	Shirebrook Social	Pub Lunch
Mon	14 th	Make a Noise in Libraries	Chesterfield Library
Wed	16 th	Swimming+Chairobics	Creswell Leisure Centre
Wed	16 th	Bowls	Somercotes Recreation Ground
Thurs	24 th	History Talk	Bolsover Library
Thurs	24 th	Craft Group	Contact Bolsover Office
Tues	29 th	Chesterfield Social	Saints Parish Centre
Wed	30 th	S.Normanton Social	St.Michaels Church Hall

Bolsover Activities – July

Thurs	1 st	Audio Book Club	Bolsover Library
Tues	6 th	Walking Group	Bolsover & Surrounding areas
Wed	7 th	Bolsover Social	Fulleylove Court
Thurs	8 th	Curtain Up Club	“Hi De Hi” Sheffield Lyceum
Weds	14 th	Shirebrook Social	Pub Lunch
Wed	21 st	Swimming+Chairobics	Creswell Leisure Centre
Wed	21 st	Bowls	Somercotes Recreation Ground
Tues	27 th	Chesterfield Social	Saints Parish Centre
Weds	28 th	S.Normanton Social	Pub Lunch
Thurs	29 th	Craft Group	Contact Bolsover Office

Bolsover Activities – August

Tues	3 rd	Walking Group	Bolsover and surrounding areas
Wed	4 th	Bolsover Social	Fulleylove Court
Thurs	5 th	Audio Book Club	Bolsover Library
Wed	11 th	Shirebrook Social	Pub Lunch & Langwith Bassett Hall
Thurs	12 th	DIPADABADO Summer Boat Trip	on Tapton Lock
Wed	18 th	Swimming & Chairobics	Creswell Leisure Centre
Wed	18 th	Bowls	Alfreton Leisure Centre
Wed	25 th	S.Normanton Social	St.Michaels Church Hall
Thurs	26 th	Craft Group	Contact Bolsover Office

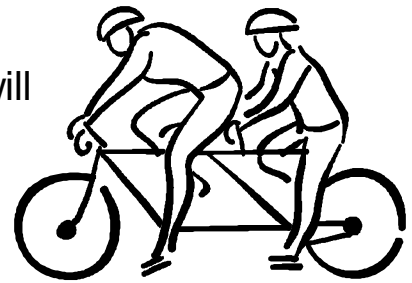
Derby Sport & Leisure Outings

Launch of New Groups

I have been working together with other organisations and am pleased to announce the launch of two new groups.

Tandem Bike Group:

This will meet twice a month in Chaddesden. You will be able to ride tandem with trained volunteers on planned cycle outings. If you have your own bike or ride with a partner you are also welcome to join in.



The Secret Garden Group:

Pear Tree Library have a walled garden, which is not widely known - hence the name! Why not develop your gardening skills and support the library to maintain this green city space by coming along and helping with weeding and planting.

Sports and Leisure Outings

The National Memorial Arboretum at Alrewas

Date: Friday 25th June

Time: 10.30 Stand X4

Cost: £12 Derby city pick ups only

Sight Village Exhibition Birmingham

Date: Wednesday 14th July

Time: TBA

Cost: £10

Melbourne Hall and Gardens

Date: Friday 23rd July

Time: 10.30 Stand X4

Cost: £6 Derby city pick ups only

Melbourne Hall has several shops, a restaurant and workshops which are free of charge, but there are admission costs for the hall and gardens of you wish to visit them.

At the time of going to press we are developing a 6 month schedule for trips and outings in the Derby area. This will be issued to Derby members in the near future.

Derbyshire County Cricket Club

The club has issued tickets for our members for the season. One ticket allows a VI member and one sighted person free entry to the cricket grounds. I have limited amount of tickets so it a first come first served basis. Please contact **Helen Rowley** on **01332 287024**

Derby Walking Group

The 2010 walks will be on
10 July, 28 August, 23 October, 27 Nov

We ask all members to make a note of these dates, and contact us if they wish to nominate a walk.

Lead walkers Pat and John Haywood

Saturday Rambles

Organisers: Barbara Hadfield and Glenda Rudkin

A joint project with the Chesterfield and North East Derbyshire Ramblers Association and Derbyshire Association for the Blind. Short walks up to 5.5 miles, easy pace.

Starting time: 11am unless stated otherwise. Contribution of £3 per walk by DAB walkers towards travelling expenses.

We would welcome new volunteers to help with transport and guiding.

Jul 17th Park at Cromford Meadows SK300571
Rose End Meadows – High Peak Trail
Leader: Reg Millward

Aug 21st Park at Calton Lees Pay Car Park
SK258685
Chatsworth Circular
Leaders: Beryl Morton & David Corns

Sep 18th Park at Black Rocks Car Park SK289559
Cromford Moor Circular
Leaders: Barbara & Ken Hadfield



If you need any more information about the sports and leisure activities or wish to book a place on any of the trips, please contact **Helen Rowley** on **01332 287024**.

Derby Sports and Leisure Regular Activities

Activity	Day	Venue	Time
Pottery	Mon	The Village Learning Centre	10am-12pm
Swimming	Mon	Queens Street Leisure Centre	3-4pm
Knitting Group	3 rd Wed of the month	Nottingham Road Fire Station	1pm-3pm
Indoor Carpet Bowls	Thurs	Springwood Leisure Centre	12-2pm

For further information or to join the activities please contact **Helen Rowley** on **01332 287024**

Chesterfield Sports and Leisure Regular Activities

Activity	Day	Venue	Time
Spire Social Group	Last Tues of the month	Varied activities or outings	1-3pm

For more information please contact **Jackie Pennington** **01246 551727**

Important Information on Car Parking From the North...

Please be aware that as from Monday, 12th April, the rules on car parking in certain areas of Chesterfield have changed. The changes affect St Margaret's Drive (where our Resource Centre is based). The majority of St Margaret's is now restricted to **Permit Holders only**. We do have a permit for visitor's, so if you are intending to visit the Chesterfield Office and you need to park, please ensure that you always ask for the permit on your arrival, and please make sure you return it!!

Befriending News



A big thank you to everyone who currently supports the Befriending Services here at DAB. You make a huge difference to many visually impaired people across Derbyshire....

However, there are still people in your community who have sight loss and may feel socially isolated. They would really like to receive a visit and have a chat with someone – **could that someone be you?**

All it takes is a couple of hours a week of your time – the support you give is really valuable. We are looking for volunteers in Derbyshire, particularly Chesterfield, High Peak, Ilkeston and Matlock, to visit someone in their community.

If you, or someone you know, would like to become a volunteer or find out more please call Lynne on: 01332 292262 or Jackie on: 01246 551727.

Diane Naylor
Befriending Services Project Leader



Advertisement

Free Home Eye Tests

Specs-at-Home are offering free eye tests in the comfort of your own home for people who find it difficult to get to a normal high street optician.

Those registered blind or partially sighted automatically qualify for this service, as well as the elderly and disabled.

The Home service is funded by the NHS and provided you qualify for a free NHS sight test, you can request an optician to visit you in your own home.

Regular eye tests are essential in making sure your spectacles are kept up to date, which will ensure your vision is kept at its maximum. A regular eye test will also ensure any diseases in the back of the eyes are detected & treated appropriately.

Those under hospital treatment also need to make sure their lenses are kept up to date, as the hospital may not necessarily do this for you. For further information, you can either log on to the website www.specs-at-home.com or call 0845 680 1116.

Volunteers Required June 2010

We provide training and support for all our volunteers and pay travelling expenses in line with our expenses policy.

Derbyshire 1 to 1 Access to Sport Volunteer

1 2 1 Access to Sport enables people with a visual impairment to access sporting activities. Volunteers are required to accompany individual members and act as a sighted guide and to give support.

Derby Ilkeston Market Stall Volunteer

Volunteers are required to manage the DAB stall at Ilkeston Market each Thursday. Items are to be sold on the stall which will aid raising funds for the organisation. The use of a car is essential.

Derby Volunteer Car Drivers

Volunteers are required to transport people with a visual impairment to and from pottery, bowls and social clubs.

Derbyshire Children's Activity Volunteer

Volunteers are required to assist young people with a visual impairment at Youth groups, after school activities and during school holidays.

Derby Mobile Resource Centre Volunteer Driver

The Mobile Resource Centre is a custom made vehicle that serves as a showroom exhibiting equipment for people with a visual impairment. Volunteer Drivers are required to assist the Co-ordinator at specific locations.

Derbyshire Home Visiting Volunteers

Volunteers are required to visit members for a cup of tea and a chat, shopping, outings, reading mail.

**For the above opportunities contact: Lynne Smitheringale
on 01332 292262**

Calow, Buxton and Whitworth Eye Clinic Hospital Volunteers

Volunteers are required to provide information to patients visiting the eye clinics.

Contact: **Janice Sanders** on **01246 513610**

Chesterfield Telephone Befriending Volunteer

Volunteers establish friendly contact by telephoning people with a visual impairment on a weekly basis.

Chesterfield Office Administration Volunteers

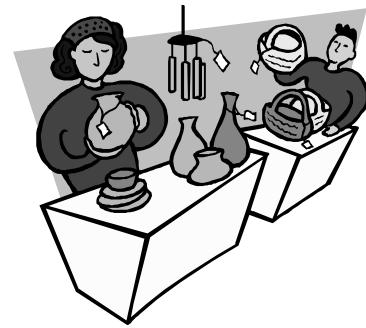
Volunteers are required to help with general office tasks, and to answer telephone calls.

**For Chesterfield opportunities contact Jackie Pennington on 01246
551 727**

Notice Board

Buxton Fair and Charity Bazaar

This is taking place on **Saturday 5th June** between **10am and 3pm** in the **Pavilion Gardens, Buxton**. DAB will be there with a stall of hand crafted items made by staff, volunteers and members as well as a tombola. There is also entertainment throughout the day. It's usually a very enjoyable day so come along and see us!



South Derbyshire Listening Group

South Derbyshire CVS , working with Sarah Wood of DCC libraries service is planning to launch a listening group based at the CVS. The first meeting will be on **Tuesday 4th May**, and then every 6 to 8 weeks. Volunteers are required to help with the group and perhaps to run it if interested; but mostly we want local people with an interest in books to come along ; to enjoy it and make it their own group.

Anybody interested can contact either **Eric Clayton** at the CVS on **01283 550163 / ericc@sdcvs.org.uk** or **Sarah Wood** at Derbyshire County Council at **Sarah.Wood@Derbyshire.gov.uk**

Patient Support Glaucoma Meeting

Friday 20th August at 2.00pm

Buxton Methodist Church, Market Place, Buxton

Organiser: **Norma Ayres**, Glaucoma Nurse, Cavendish Hospital.

Telephone: **01298 212850**

For Sale

Mrs Parker has two CT Machines for sale, one black and white and one colour both with 14inch screens. Cost for the black and white one £70 and cost for the colour one is £100. Please contact Mrs Parker on: 01332 516 856.

Mr D Hinckley has a Compact Plus Optelec Magnifying Reader for sale. It enlarges text up to 10 times, has 1 button simplicity, a 4.3 inch screen and comes complete with charger unit, batteries and manual. Offers around £150 considered. Please contact Mr D Hinckley on 01332 517446.

Mobile Resource Centre

Locations June 2010

Day	Date	Town	Place	Time
Tue	01-Jun	Ilkeston	Ilkeston Community Hospital Eye Clinic	9:30-11:00
Tue	01-Jun	Ilkeston	Shopmobility Car Park	11:30-1:30
Tue	01-Jun	Ilkeston	Market Place	2:00-3:30
Wed	02-Jun	Bolsover	Fulleylove court	10:00-12:30
Wed	02-Jun	Glapwell	Community Centre	13:00-14:00
Thu	03-Jun	Bakewell	Granby Road Car Park	10:00-14:00
Fri	04-Jun	Long Eaton	Old Market Place	10:00-12:30
Fri	04-Jun	Sawley	Draycott Road	13:00-15:00
Tue	08-Jun	Glossop	Norfolk Square	11:00-14:00
Wed	09-Jun	Clowne	Market Place	10:00-12:00
Wed	09-Jun	Shirebrook	Langwirth Community Hall, Upper Langwirth	12:30-2:45
Thu	10-Jun	Clay Cross	Community Hospital Car Park	10:00-12:00
Thu	10-Jun	Stonebroom	Birkenstile Lane, Stonebroom	13:00-14:00
Fri	11-Jun	Chapel-en - le-Frith	Morrisons Supermarket Car Park	10:00-12:30
Fri	11-Jun	Whaley Bridge	Canal Street Car Park	13:00-14:00
Tue	15-Jun	Calow	Royal Hospital	10:00-12:30
Tue	15-Jun	Arkwright	Community Centre Car Park	13:15- 14:30
Wed	16-Jun	Derby	Market Place	10:00-14:00
Thu	17-Jun	Heanor	Market Place	10:00-14:00
Fri	18-Jun	Swadlincote	VIP, Newlands Close Community Room, Church Gresley, Swadlincote	10:00-12:00
Fri	18-Jun	Sinfin	Asda Car Park	13:15-15:00
Tue	22-Jun	Chesterfield	Market Place (outside Portland Hotel)	10:00-14:00
Wed	23-Jun	Belper	Morrisons Car Park	10:00-14:00
Thu	24-Jun	Breadsall	Morrisons Car Park	10.00-12.00
Thu	24-Jun	Little Eaton	New Inn, 2 Duffield Road, Little Eaton	13:00-14:45
Fri	25-Jun	Blagreaves	Stenson Road Post Office	10:00-12:30
Fri	25-Jun	Littleover	Co-Op Burton Road	12:45-13:30
Fri	25-Jun	Littleover	Heatherton Shopping Centre	14:00-15:30
Tue	29-Jun	Brailsford Golf Day		10:00-14:00
Wed	30-Jun	Tibshelf	Medical Centre	10:00-12:30
Wed	30-Jun	S Normanton	St Michaels Church Car Park	13:30-15:30

Mobile Resource Centre

Locations July 2010

Day	Date	Town	Place	Time
Thu	01-Jul	Kingsway	Sainsburys Supermarket, Kingsway Retail Park	10:00-12:30
Thu	01-Jul	Littleover	Co-Op Car Park, Burton Road	13:00-14:00
Thu	01-Jul	Blagreaves	Stenson Road Post Office	14:00-15:00
Fri	02-Jul	Ripley	Market Place	10:00-14:00
Tue	06-Jul	Dronfield	Civic Centre Car Park	10:00-12:30
Tue	06-Jul	Dronfield	VIP Group Gladys Buxton Centre	13:00-14:00
Wed	07-Jul	Ashbourne	Shawcroft Car Park, Shawcroft	10:00-12.30
Wed	07-Jul	Ashbourne	Activ V.I.P. Group, Cokayne Avenue	13:00-14:30
Thu	08-Jul	Allenton	Surestart, Cockayne Street, Allenton, Derby	10:00-15:00
Fri	09-Jul	Alfreton	Severn Square	10:00-14:00
Tue	13-Jul	Long Eaton	Post reg CVS Leopold Street	10:00-12:30
Tue	13-Jul	Long Eaton	Home Bargains, Unit 28, Tamworth Road, Long Eaton, Nottinghamshire, NG10 1JJ	13:30-15:00
Wed	14-Jul	Wirksworth	Waltham House, St John's Street, Wirksworth	10:00-13:00
Wed	14-Jul	Wirksworth	Anthony Gell School (Wirksworth Adult Community Education Centre) Wood Street, Wirksworth	13:30-14:30
Thu	15-Jul	Heanor	Home Bargains, Unit 5a, High Street, Heanor	10:00-13:00
Fri	16-Jul	Blagreaves	Stenson Road Post Office	10:00-12:30
Fri	16-Jul	Littleover	Co-Op, Littleover Village, Burtopn Rd	13:15-14:00
Fri	16-Jul	Heatherton	Heatherton Shopping Centre	14:15-15:00
Tue	20-Jul	Chesterfield	Market Place (outside Portland Hotel)	10:00-14:00
Wed	21-Jul	Allestree	St Nicholas Church, Allestree Lane	10:00-12:00
Wed	21-Jul	Mackworth	Christ the King, Prince Charles Avenue	12:30-3:15
Thu	22-Jul	New Mills	Co-op Car Park, New Mills	10:30-11:30
Thu	22-Jul	New Mills	Jubilee Street OAP bungalows, off Church Road	11:45-1:00
Thu	22-Jul	New Mills	Ollersett Avenue OAP bungalow, off Low Leighton Rd	1:45-2:30
Fri	23-Jul	Peartree	Library	10:00-12:00
Fri	23-Jul	Normanton	Home Bargains, Moore Street, Off Normanton Rd	12:30-15:30
Mon	26-Jul	Langley Mill	Childrens Centre, Baileybrook Drive, Langley Mill	TBC
Tue	27-Jul	Matlock	Hall Leys Park, next to memorial	10:00-12:00
Tue	27-Jul	Matlock	Matlock VIP group, Victoria Court, Springfield Rise.	13:00-14:30
Wed	28-Jul	Derby	Market Place	10:00-14:00
Thu	29-Jul	Buxton	Market Place	10:00-12:30
Thu	29-Jul	Buxton	Surestart, Victoria Park Road, Fairfield	13:00 14:30
Fri	30-Jul	Findern	Wyevale Garden Centre, Findern	10:00-11:30
Fri	30-Jul	Eggington	Main Street, Eggington	12:00-13:00
Fri	30-Jul	Etwall	Eggington Road, Etwall	13:30-14:30

Mobile Resource Centre

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Mon	02-Aug	Long Eaton	LEFSC, Lime Terrace, Long Eaton	TBC
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Wed	04-Aug	Bolsover	Fulleylove court	10:00-12:30
Wed	04-Aug	Glapwell	Community Centre	13:00-14:00
Thu	05-Aug	Chapel-en-le-Frith	Morrisons Supermarket Car Park	10:00-12:30
Thu	05-Aug	Whaley Bridge	Canal Street Car Park	13:00-14:00
Fri	06-Aug	Long Eaton	Old Market Place	10:00-12:30
Fri	06-Aug	Sawley	Draycott Road	13:00-14.45
Mon	09-Aug	Ashbourne	Ashbourne Adult Community Learning Centre, Cockayne Avenue, DE6 1EJ	TBC
Tue	10-Aug	Bakewell	Granby Road Car Park	10:00-14:00
Wed	11-Aug	Belper	TBC	10:00-12:30
Wed	11-Aug	Duffield	Appletree Medical Centre, Town St	13:00-14:30
Thu	12-Aug	Glossop	Norfolk Square	11:00-14:00
Fri	13-Aug	Hilton	Wellbrook Medical Centre, Welland Rd	10:00-11.30
Fri	13-Aug	Hatton	Hatton Centre, Station Street Car Park	12:00-14:00
Mon	16-Aug	Swadlincote	Newhall CC, 70-72 Elmsleigh Drive, Midway, Swadlincote, DE11	TBC
Tue	17-Aug	Calow	Royal Hospital	10:00-12:30
Tue	17-Aug	Arkrigh	Community Centre Car Park	1:00 – 2:00
Wed	18-Aug	Derby	Market Place	10:00-14:00
Thu	19-Aug	Repton	Askew Grove, Repton	10:00-11:00
Thu	19-Aug	Willington	The Green Dragon	11:30-12:30
Fri	21-Aug	Swadlincote	VIP, Newlands Close Community Room, Church Gresley, Swadlincote	10:00-12:00
Fri	20-Aug	Sinfin	ASDA / Library Car Park	1:00-2:00
Tue	24-Aug	Chesterfield	Market Place (outside Portland Hotel)	10:00-2:00
Wed	25-Aug	Tibshelf	Medical Centre	10:00-12:30
Wed	25-Aug	S Normanton	St Michaels Church Car Park	1:00-2:30
Thu	26-Aug	Heanor	Market Place	10:00-14:00
Fri	27-Aug	Peartree	Peartree Library	10:00-11:30
Fri	27-Aug	Allenton	Surestart	12.00-3:00
Tue	31-Aug	New Mills	Co-op Car Park, New Mills	10:30-11:30
Tue	31-Aug	New Mills	Jubilee Street OAP bungalows, off Church Road, Any Car Park	11:45-1:00
Tue	31-Aug	New Mills	Ollersett Avenue OAP bungalow, off Low Leighton Road	1:45-2:30

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Office Volunteers Urgently Required!

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Bolsover - Bolsover Hospital, Welbeck Road, Bolsover, S44 6DH.

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Telephone: **0115 944 0576** Tuesdays, 10am to 1pm

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