



Hello Everyone...

Spooky season is upon us. Will you be trick o treating and watching scary movies? We are all about the pumpkin's this year. Join us at Alnwick Garden for the pumpkin maze and trail and carve your very own pumpkin. Check out our range of activities coming up.

Anne-Marie & Karen

Book it.

ALL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS MUST BE PRE-BOOKED

**How to book
Via our website:**

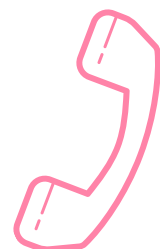
www.carersnorthumberland.org.uk/new-and-events

Telephone: 01670 320025

Email: youngcarers@carersnorthumberland.org.uk



**PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF OUR
NEW BOOKING SYSTEM**





Please note: Activities may be cancelled if we do not meet minimum numbers.

Date	Time	Activity	Age group	Book by
Sunday 12 th October	11am-12pm	Airbox Bounce	8+	1/9/25
Sunday 19 th October	2pm-3pm	LUSH workshop	12+	5/10/25
Saturday 25 th October	11am-12pm	Boxing	8+	16/10/25
Monday 27 th October	4:30pm-5pm	Meet the Team	all	20/10/25
Tuesday 28 th October	3pm-4pm	Pumpkin Carving	all	22/10/25
Thursday 30 th October	11am-2pm	Pumpkin Garden	8+	15/10/25
Friday 31 st October	12pm-1pm	Hexham Old Gaol	8+	20/10/25
Friday 7 th November	6:15pm-7:45pm	Roller Disco	8+	27/10/25
Thursday 13 th November	4:30pm-5:30pm	Cookie Dough Pots	all	3/11/25
Saturday 15 th November	11am-12pm	Dog and Scone	12+	2/11/25
Monday 24 th November	4:30pm-5pm	Meet the Team	all	20/10/25
Thursday 27 th November	7pm-10pm	Aladdin Pantomime	8+	11/11/25

Activities

Please take note of the age symbol next to our activities:

- 8 plus means for young carers aged over 8
- 12 plus is for those over 12
- If an activity has no symbol it is open to any age



How to book onto activities



Book onto an activity on our website in the young carers section or by emailing youngcarers@carersnorthumberland.org.uk.

Automated confirmation email from website (if booked through website).

Confirmation emails sent out after the booking deadline to confirm your child's place or place on the waiting list. Further details provided in this email including payment instructions.

You will receive a reminder text message a few days before the activity.

Activity 😊

Activity evaluation completed by young carers and photographs of the activity posted to our Young Carers Facebook page.

Please do not come to an activity without booking. If you have not had a booking confirmation email confirming your child's place and with further details contact us prior to the activity. Please cancel activities ASAP if you cannot make it.



Spooky



Have fun adventuring around The Garden in the scavenger hunt. Dare to enter the Scarecrow Bamboo Labyrinth - will you find your way out, or get lost among the scarecrows? Warm up with a pumpkin latte and have a go at games like corn hole, guess the weight of the pumpkin, pumpkin bowling and hook a duck. You will also have the option to spend time in lilidorei or stay in the garden.

Thursday 30th October 11am-2pm

Transport available from blyth, Ashington, bedlington and widdrington book by Wednesday by 15th October. Cost £5.



MEET THE TEAM

Newly registered with us as a young carer?

Or just want to find out more information about us?

Join us on zoom to find out more about how we can support you, the services available and ask us questions. Only 30 minutes long. Please let us know if you can attend.

When: Monday 27th October or Monday 24th November
4:30pm-5pm.

Book by 20th October for either.
Contact us if you'd prefer a different day and time.





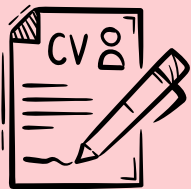
LUSH WORKSHOP

12+

Fancy making your very own gorgeous bath bomb at Lush? Come along to our workshop hosted by LUSH in Newcastle Eldon square for a scent-sational day.

Sunday 19th October 2pm-3pm
Book by Sunday 5th October.

Transport available via train from Ashington and Newsham or we can meet you at central station if you are getting another train. Cost £5.



Working for Carers Project



Are you at the age where you're thinking about your future. Maybe you're applying for a job, college or university course and would like some help. We have a Working for Carers Team that can help you. Contact us if you're interested in being referred to them.

Check support they can offer below



The Working for Carers project can help you to:

- Find employment, training, education and volunteering opportunities
- Understand your rights as a working carer
- Build your confidence and skills
- Write CVs, applications and support with interviews

Our friendly advisors offer one-to-one, free, non-judgemental and specialist advice to best help you. Visit our website, or get in touch with us to find out more about the Working for Carers project.

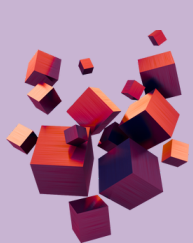
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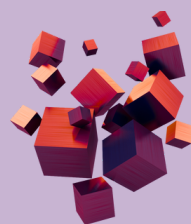
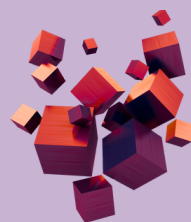




Jump until your hearts content at Air Bounce. A room full of trampolines for you to truly bounce and jump.

Sunday 12th October 11am-12pm.
Book by Wednesday 1st September.

No cost. No transport. Grip socks will need to be purchased separately.



Roller Disco



Are you a skating king or queen? Come along to the roller disco in Ashington to show us your skating party moves.

Friday 7th November. 6.15pm - 7.45pm.
Book by 27th October.

No cost. No transport.





BOXING

8+

Come along to our boxing session at Empire School of Boxing and try a new skill or simply have fun completing a fun work out to set you up for the weekend.

Saturday 25th October 11am-12pm
Book by Thursday 16th October.

No transport. No cost.

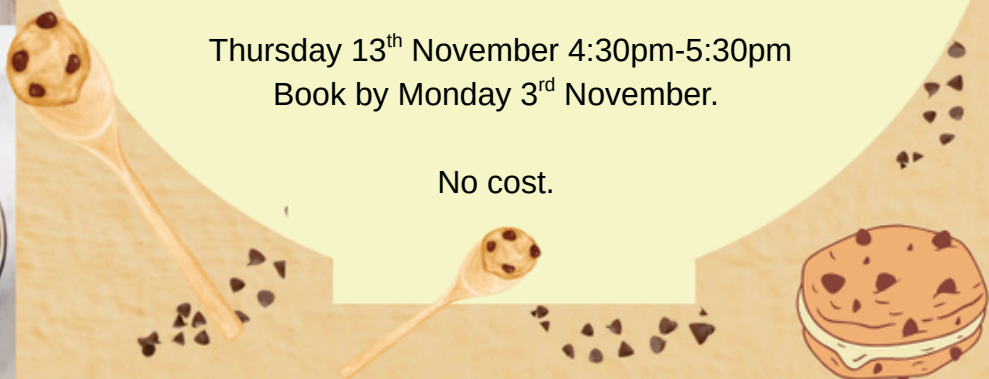


Cookie Dough Pots

Join us via Zoom to make this delicious recipe. Crispy bake on top warm cookie dough in the middle in a convenient pot.
Parental guidance required when using the oven.

Thursday 13th November 4:30pm-5:30pm
Book by Monday 3rd November.

No cost.





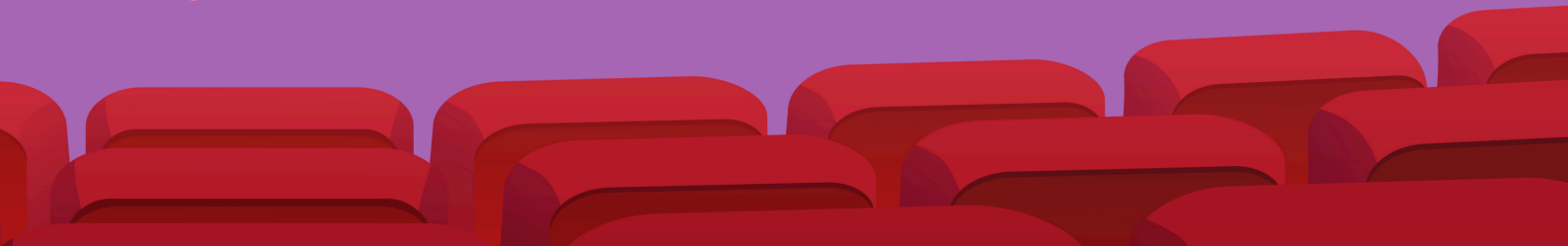
Danny Adams and Joe McElderry are back for another hilarious Christmas pantomime. This year is the new adaption of Aladdin. Come and join us. Please note there may be flashing lights during the production. Please bear in mind it may be a late night.



Thursday 27th November 7pm-10pm
Book by Thursday 11th November.



Transport from Morpeth, Blyth and Bedlington. Cost £5.



TIME TO
UPDATE



Young Carers-Change of School



SCAN ME

Update us
with your
current
school!



Dog & Scone Cafe



Love dogs? we do too! come with us to one of the best Dog cafes in located in Newcastle.
you'll get to have refreshements whilst stroking some of the most adorable dogs.

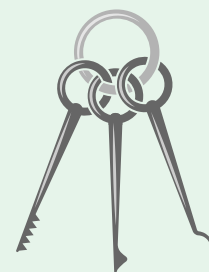
Sunday 15th November 11am-12pm

Book by Sunday 2nd November.

Transport available via train from Ashington and Newsham or we can meet you at central station if you are getting another train. Cost £5.



HEXHAM OLD GAOL



Delve into what life was really like for prisoners in the 1300's by visiting Hexham's Old Gaol. Visit the dark and dingey dungeon.

Friday 31st October 12pm-1pm.

Book by Monday 20th October.

No transport. No cost.



COLOUR ME



Borrow our Woodhorn Museum Passes

Located in Ashington, once the largest pit village in the world, the former colliery is now home to a popular visitor attraction. Woodhorn brings to life Northumberland's proud mining heritage, making it a fun and cultural day out for all the family.

We have a number of passes for carers to borrow that allow free access to the museum. Get in touch on 01670 320025 or info@carersnorthumberland.org.uk for more details or to book your passes.



Thanks Laurie!!

Thank you so much to Laurie, the newest member of our Info Team, who ran the Great North Run for Carers Northumberland!

So far Laurie has raised over £600 in donations, which will go towards funding our upcoming carer activities. As a small charity these donations make a huge difference to the work we can do.

Thanks Laurie, you smashed it!



PUMPKIN CARVING

Get ready for Halloween by carving your very own creative pumpkin design. Pop it in your window, pop it at your door or carry it around on Halloween.

Tuesday 28th October 3pm-4pm
Book by Wednesday 22nd October.

No cost. A supermarket gift card will be emailed to you prior. Online via Zoom.



Young Carers Forum



Our next Young Carers Forum will be:

When: Wednesday 29th October 2025

Time: 1pm-2pm

Where: 107-109 Station Road, Ashington, NE63 8RS

Cakes & travel will be provided. Reps will be rewarded with an end of year trip if they attend 3 or more meetings, certificate and lanyard.

We are looking for brand ambassadors! Please email youngcarers@carersnorthumberland.org.uk to register your interest in being a Forum member. You must be able to travel to our office for the meetings and happy to/able to analyse documents independently and offer critical analysis and good quality feedback. Young carers will be contacted if they are successful or not.

*If you have any feedback or comments about what we do e.g what you like, don't like and any suggestions, pass on your comments to the reps to pass on to us.

If you would like to join the forum please contact us on **01670 320025** or youngcarers@carersnorthumberland.org.uk



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photos from events in this group!