## **Short Breaks Newsletter**

News, Updates and Activities for Children with Disabilities and their Families in Telford



October 2025

## Have Your Say on ADHD & Autism Services

'People across Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin are being invited to share their views about ADHD and autism services to help shape improvements for children, young people, adults, and families. You may have received a diagnosis, be waiting for an assessment or self-identify as being autistic, having ADHD or AuDHD.

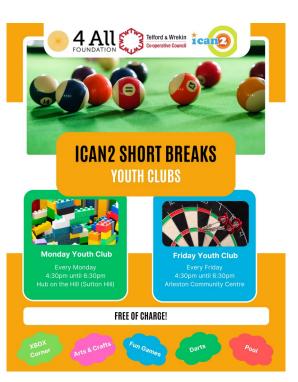
We know that services are sometimes not as joined up as they could be and demand is increasing. Many people face long waits for assessments, experience inconsistent access to services, and are at increased risk of poor outcomes due to delays, especially during critical transition points in life.

Whether you have used services yourself, support someone as a parent or carer, or may need them in the future, your voice matters. This is an important opportunity to influence how services are designed, delivered and improved to better meet the needs of our communities. We want everyone to feel included and valued across Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin

Your feedback will be used, along with data and insight already gathered by our health and care partners and patient experience team, to identify what is working well, what support is missing, and how we can make best use of the resources available to shape services that are more responsive, inclusive and person-centred.'

To complete the survey, please visit www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/get-involved/current-and-recent-work/all-age-adhd-and-autism-services/











Date and Time	Activity	Location	Details
Monday			
Every Week—10-11.30am	PODS Sensory Session	PODS Hub, 1 Hawksworth	To book PODS activities, visit
Every Week—3.45-4.45pm	PODS Sensory Session	Road, Central Park, Telford, TF2 9TU	www.ticketsource.co.uk/Parents-Opening- Doors-PODS. For any queries, contact
Every Week—4-5pm	PODS Stop Motion	112310	support@podstelford.org
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Every Week—4-5.30pm	Soft Play for Juniors	Telford Ice Rink, International	To book, visit https://
Every Week—6-8pm	Soft Play for Seniors	way, Telford TF3 4JQ	www.telfordicerink.co.uk/info/5/soft-play
Every Week—4.30-6.30pm	iCan2 Youth Club	Hub on the Hill, Sutton Hill	
Every Week—4.30-6.30pm	iCan2 Creative Arts	Admaston House Community	To book, visit www.4all.foundation
		Centre	
Tuesday			- 1 1555
Every Week—3.45-4.45pm	PODS Sensory Sessions	PODS Hub, 1 Hawksworth Road, Central Park, Telford,	To book PODS activities, visit www.ticketsource.co.uk/Parents-Opening-
Every Week—4-5pm	PODS Minecraft	TF2 9TU	Doors-PODS. For any queries, contact
			support@podstelford.org
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Every Week—4-6pm	Soft Play SEND Session	field 17, Telford TF7 4PF	10 DOOK, Call 01932362562
Every Week—6-7pm	Airea 51 SEND Session	Airea 51, Stafford Park 12,	To book, visit https://www.visittelford.co.uk/
		Telford, TF3 3BJ	things-to-do/airea51-p1418561
Every Week—4-5pm	Challenging Perceptions	Park Lane Centre, Woodside,	To book, call 01952683700.
	Youth Wellbeing Group	TF7 5QZ	
Every Week—3.30-4.30pm	4 All Boxing	104-106 Southgate, Telford	No booking required.
		TF7 4HG	
Wednesday			
Every Week—3.45-4.45pm	PODS Sensory Session	PODS Hub, 1 Hawksworth	To book PODS activities, visit
Every Week—4-5pm	PODS Lego	Road, Central Park, Telford,	www.ticketsource.co.uk/Parents-Opening-
		TF2 9TU	Doors-PODS. For any queries, contact
			support@podstelford.org
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Every Week—4-5pm	4 All Dodgeball	104-106 Southgate, Telford	No booking required.
		TF7 4HG	
Every Week—4.30-6.30pm	iCan2 Creative Arts	Admaston House Community	To book, visit www.4all.foundation
		Centre	

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Thursday			
Every Week—4-5pm	PODS Activity Sessions	PODS Hub, 1 Hawksworth Road, Central Park, Telford, TF2 9TU	To book PODS activities, visit www.ticketsource.co.uk/Parents-Opening-Doors-PODS. For any queries, contact support@podstelford.org
Every Week—10.30-1.30pm	Special Needs Activity Centre	7 Downemead, Hollinswood, Telford, TF3 2EW	For more information, please visit SNAC on Facebook.
Friday			
Every Week—1-2pm	PODS Sensory Sessions	PODS Hub, 1 Hawksworth Road, Central Park, Telford, TF2 9TU	To book PODS activities, visit www.ticketsource.co.uk/Parents-Opening-Doors-PODS. For any queries, contact support@podstelford.org
Every Week—10-12pm	Ice Rink SEND Session	Telford Ice Rink, International	To book, visit https://
Every Week—5-6pm	Ice Rink SEND Session	way, Telford TF3 4JQ	www.telfordicerink.co.uk/info/5/soft-play
Third Friday of Month —7pm	Funky Friday Inclusive Disco 15+	The Navy Club, Bellman's Yard. Newport, TF10 7AJ	Entry is by pre-booked ticket only. See Face- book page Funky Friday Inclusive Disco for booking details.
Every Week—10-11am	Challenging Perceptions Under 5's Parents and Toddlers	Park Lane Centre, Woodside, TF7 5QZ	To book, call 01952683700.
Every Week—4.30-6.30pm		Arleston Community Centre	
Every Week—4.30-6.30pm	iCan2 Youth Club iCan2 Creative Arts	Admaston House Community Centre	To book, visit www.4all.foundation
Saturday			
Every Week—2.30-3pm	Chance to Dance SEND Session	Randlay Avenue, Telford, TF3 2LH	To book, call 07792300692.
Every Week—10-11am	PODS Activity Session	PODS Hub, 1 Hawksworth Road, Central Park, Telford, TF2 9TU	To book PODS activities, visit www.ticketsource.co.uk/Parents-Opening-Doors-PODS. For any queries, contact support@podstelford.org
Every Week—10-1pm	iCan2 Sports & Leisure	Southall School, Telford	To book, visit www.geniustuition.co.uk
Sunday			
Every Week—12.15-1.30pm	SEND Swimming	Abraham Darby Leisure Centre, Ironbridge Rd, Telford, TF7 5HX	To view full timetable, visit https://www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk/info/4/swimming
Every Week—5-6pm	Wrekin SEND Swimming Club	Wellington Leisure Centre, Tan Bank, Wellington, Telford TF1 1LX	For more information, search Wrekin Special Swimming Club on Facebook or call 07530465472.