

NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN October 2019

SENsational Families



Its Autumn Already! Its been a busy time for SENSational Families. Our training and support groups have been really popular and we're now working on what we can bring you in 2020.

We now have a day clinic running on Mondays from Lyng Village Hall during term time. We have our regular support group with activities from 9.30am to 11.30pm.

Then we have one to one private appointments from 12.30 to 4.30pm with our PSA, Emma. We can offer support, advice and guidance regarding form completion, EHCP, DLA, PIP, Short breaks, family funding and sign-posting to other agencies. To book your appointment please email: Emma@sensationalfamilies.org.uk

[Click for more information on our support groups](#)

Lyng Monday Support Group



Half Term Fun

Our activity session was a big hit this half term. Our PSA's Nicky and Emma were on hand for some crafty fun. Thanks to Costessey Library for letting us take over the library for the morning.



SAVE THE DATE!

10th November

SENSational Families Winter Fayre,
Lyng Village Hall 10am to 4pm

TRAINING

11th November

Mark Brown 2 workshops
Behaviour - 9.30am
Anxiety and Obsession - 12.30pm

20th November

EHCP Annual Reviews
with Bren Prendergast

4th December

Alpha Inclusion Emotional Regulation

18th December

Emma will be at the Castle Quarter with local Charity Get Me Out These 4 Walls 10.30am to 1.00pm. She will be on hand to offer SEN families advice

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The winter holidays can be a difficult time for children and families with SEND.

You are all doing your best and we are here to help you. Join our supportive Facebook group for advice and tips from other families who understand the sometimes difficult world of special needs and celebrate the positives our SENsational children bring to our lives!

[Click here for our Facebook Group](#)

We've included some links which you may find helpful...

[National Autism Society](#)

[Special Needs Jungle](#)

[Family Fund News](#)

Our Trustees are working hard ensure our voices are heard to improve lives in Norfolk.

Our Trustees are all volunteers and take time out of their lives to attend many steering groups, stakeholder meetings, advisory groups and NCC information sharing meetings and more.

We receive no government funding for our work and so rely solely on grants and donations to keep the charity running.

If you have any fundraising ideas, want to do a sponsored event or know of any businesses looking to support a local charity please do get in touch at:

Nicki@sensationalfamilies.org.uk

www.sensationalfamilies.org.uk

SENsational Families Winter Fayre

10th November 2019

10am to 4pm

Lyng Village Hall

We are getting very excited for our very first Fayre! We've been working hard behind the scenes to bring you a SEND Family Friendly event. We have free letter writing to Santa with our very own Elf. Cakes and refreshments in our pop up café. Free children's activities run by the Charity GMOT4W so you can mingle and peruse the arts and craft stalls. We even have Miniature Donkeys, Owls and the Bap Cave outside so pop over!



Winter Warmer Fayre

10th November 2019

10am to 4pm

Free Event!

Free children's activities

Letter writing to Santa

Quiet room available

Arts & Craft stalls

Lyng Village Hall

All Welcome!

Pop up café serving treats and refreshments, including mulled wine! and much more!

Post code: NR9 5RF

