Welcome to the latest edition of SPP News!



Welcome to our latest edition of SPP News! Wishing everyone a warm welcome back with our most recent update of events and activities, plus a taster of what's coming up at SPP in the next month of 2024!

It's been a busy time as always for our staff and volunteers, tackling the January blues by delivering much needed services across our community.

From courses, to family support, youth clubs to re-stocking our SPP 'Family Essentials' store.....all to support you, our valued service users. We've made some exciting new partners to support us in supporting you and we can't wait to keep doing what we do in the months ahead!

Team SinglePoint

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Upcoming CRC Events

CRC Client Coffee Drop In Thursday 22nd February - 9:30am - 12:00pm



Join us after school drop off at SinglePoint Family Hub, Oldbury for a chance to enjoy a cuppa and a welcoming chat with our Volunteer Team in a relaxed environment! Free refreshments and a warm welcome - why not get out of the cold for a cuppa & chat with the team and each other ©

CRC clients are welcome to drop in anytime between 9:30am to 12:00pm and members of the local community are welcome to find out more about this fantastic project by emailing: CRC@singlepointplus.org

CRC Coffee Drop In -St David's Court, Oldbury



We are delighted to be partnering up for a monthly Coffee Drop-in at St David's Court, Oldbury for St David's residents to attend on the last Monday of each month. This is specifically for residents only and we look forward to these events and working in partnership with St David's Court.

Community Resilience Champions



SPP's Community Resilience Champions are our team of trained volunteers – parents, local people just like you! CRC's offer emotional support to others through community mentoring, and this is a totally free service for anyone! If you or someone you know would benefit from a listening ear and some support, get in touch with crc@singlepointplus.org or call the office in confidence on 0121 544 1393.

Volunteering with CRC - We need you!

We are recruiting new CRC volunteers to our training programme, so if you would be interested in volunteering as a CRC please get in touch. Not only is volunteering with CRC an opportunity to give back to your community, but you will also receive free training and support to aid your own personal development and celebrate the life experience you bring to the team. No experience necessary, full training provided.

Get involved by emailing - crc@singlepointplus.org

Upcoming SPP Events

Pre-loved Uniform & Clothing event – 13th February 2024



We are excited to announce that we will hosting our FREE Pre-Loved Uniform & Clothing Event on Tuesday 13th February - 10am to 2pm at SinglePoint Family Hub, Oldbury, B69 4DZ!

We will have various pre-loved clothes and accessories on offer for women and children, available on a first come, first served basis!

We are also offering a wide range of good-quality, clean second-hand school uniform. Items are available with and without logos for St Francis Xavier, Langley, Uplands, and Christ Church Primary School, in addition to skirts, trousers and PE Items.

If there are uniform items you require and you cannot make the date, please contact: communityinfo@singlepointplus.org and we will try to accommodate you!

SPDC Coffee Morning – 28th February 2024



Join us for a Coffee & Chat at the Sandwell Parents for Disabled Children (SPDC) Coffee Morning on Wednesday 28th February - 10:00am-11:30am taking place at SinglePoint Family Hub, Oldbury, B69 4DZ!

SPDC Information Officer, Claire will be available on-site to explain what SPDC can offer to families with a disabled children in the Sandwell area.

Sandwell Parents for Disabled Children (SPDC) seeks to ensure that all disabled children, young people and their families have access to a range of positive play and leisure opportunities enabling them to be safe, healthy and happy and focus on enjoyment and achievement.

Get Online @ SinglePoint 🧘



Sandwell Council Leader and Cabinet Members recently visited SinglePoint to see the benefits of the West Midlands Combined Authority (WMCA) Connected Digital Services Programme in action. SinglePoint has been fortunate to receive a bank of electronic equipment to support community users in getting online and feeling confident to do so!

More than 1,750 digital devices including Chromebooks and laptops have been given to residents and community organisations in Sandwell as part of a WMCA £3.8M project to help more people across the wider region get connected and get online.

With the support of this project and new equipment, SinglePoint will be offering access to digital devices and practical advice to support our service users. Watch this space for dates of upcoming drop-in sessions to get online with the support you need to get digital!

Meet our new Family Support Worker, Sam! 💗



Introducing Sam, our new Family Support Worker at SinglePoint, supporting families from Langley & Uplands Manor Primary.

Sam brings a wealth of experience, and we wish her a warm SinglePoint team welcome!

Rewire Youth Club

Since our last update, the Rewire Youth Club has continued to deliver fun weekly evening sessions at Dorothy Parkes Centre & Heart of Oldbury Community Centre.



Rewire Youth club is a free service for primary aged children in the community led by our experienced staff team. Registration for Youth Club can be completed by filling out a few details on the Dorothy Parkes website by visiting this link: https://bit.ly/Rewire-YC

Rewire Youth Clubs are running on Tuesdays – 5:00pm to 6:30pm & Thursdays – 6:00pm to 7:30pm.

Nature Buddies Down at the Allotments are scheduled to return in Spring 2024.

Keep an eye out for an announcement from us soon! Register now to make sure your child doesn't miss out!!

Contact Us

Please follow us on <u>Facebook</u> for news on upcoming dates or if you would like to find out more about events or services on offer at SinglePoint, please call us on 0121 544 139 or email: <u>communityinfo@singlepointplus.org</u> or <u>admin@singlepointplus.org</u> for more information.