

NEWSLETTER

We hope you enjoy this week's newsletter

BREAKFAST CLUB:

If you have any questions relating to the above, please email bc@thegrangeschooldaventry.net

END OF SCHOOL PICK UP
In the event that someone other than named contacts are collecting your child, please inform the office no later than 2.30pm. Thank you

RED NOSE DAY - FRIDAY 18TH MARCH 2022

WE ARE ASKING FOR DONATIONS - BUT ONLY IF YOU CAN - AND THIS CAN BE AS LITTLE AS YOU LIKE - EVERY LITTLE HELPS

RED NOSE DAY

FUNNY IS POWER
Friday 18 March

CHILDREN ARE INVITED TO COME DRESSED IN MUFTI

Meet the Governor



Peter retired from the position as Internal Control Supervisor at Ford Motor Company European Parts Operations in 2005 after 30 years service with the company.

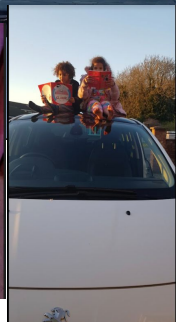
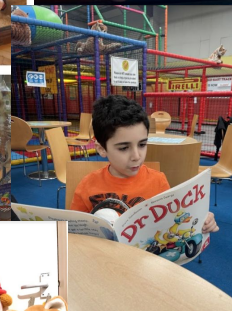
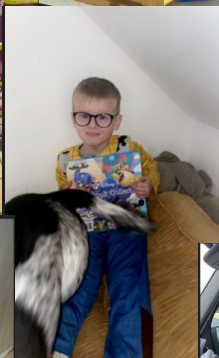
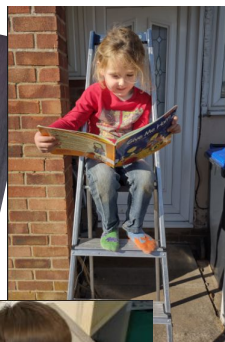
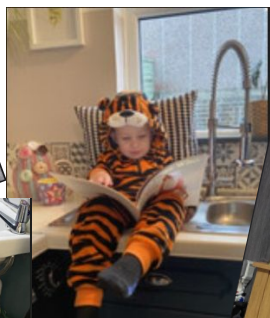
Peter is a long serving current governor, and past chair, of the Grange School, Daventry. He is also a founder, a member, and a current director of the Innovate Multi Academy Trust, a founder and current trustee of the Inspire Multi Academy Trust and founder and current Trustee of Ask Education. In addition to education, another of Peter's passions is sport and he is a trustee of the Daventry and District Sports Trust and director, life member, former president and founder player of Daventry Rugby Football Club Ltd.

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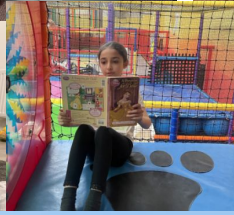
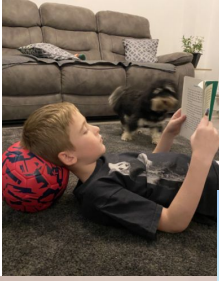
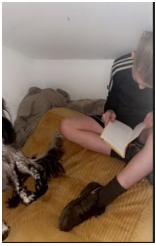
WORLD BOOK DAY PHOTOS

WHAT A WONDERFUL WEEK WE HAD...HERE ARE JUST A FEW PHOTOS...









SPOTLIGHT ON SPECIAL NEEDS



Information
Advice
Support
Service
for SEND in Northamptonshire



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Information
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Information Advice and Support Service for SEND in Northamptonshire (previously Northamptonshire Parent Partnership Service) is an impartial and confidential service which gives free information, advice and support about matters relating to Special Educational Needs and Disabilities.

The service operates at arms length from the local authority and clinical commissioning groups (CCGs) through independently trained staff.

The service is for children and young people aged 0 – 25 with special educational needs and/or disabilities and their families. You can self-refer or with your permission someone else can refer on your behalf. Young people (aged 16-25) can ask for support separately from their parents or carers if required.

We give practical, factual and impartial information advice and support to enable you to participate fully in decisions about education, health and social care. This may include:

- Advice and support by telephone or email
- Individual casework which may include support with meetings and contributing to assessments and reviews
- Help with writing letters
- Help with understanding and interpreting information and applying it to your situation
- Help when things go wrong, including resolving disagreements and providing support to manage mediation, appeals, exclusions, and complaints on matters related to SEN
- Information about other services or sources of support locally or nationally
- Advice through parent/carers support groups, youth groups or training events



If you are currently struggling with household bills - we would like to make you aware of some help that may be available to you from West Northamptonshire Council:

Household Support Fund:

We are providing financial support to households struggling with the cost of living over the winter period, including vulnerable households with or without children. Support includes:

• **Household hardship vouchers:** Vouchers to buy food, essentials, and support household budgets to pay essential bills. If your application is successful, you will receive a voucher based on the size of your household. The vouchers may be exchanged for use in a variety of supermarkets

Winter fuel bank: Emergency £40 top-up vouchers for pre-payment energy meters. You can also contact your energy supplier for additional support in the event of severe hardship. We can grant a maximum of three vouchers, per household over the winter period

Remember, this is not emergency funding, you can access emergency food sources via food banks, your community partners and social services.

Apply:

Household Hardship Voucher and Winter Fuel Bank Vouchers

You will need to provide evidence of hardship with your application form and our team will assess your circumstances against our eligibility criteria. We can take up to 5 working days to assess applications and issue vouchers. Fuel vouchers will be prioritised where possible.

Applications will be accepted until 31 March 2022.

<https://www.westnorthants.gov.uk/coronavirus-covid-19/household-support-fund>



Can we please remind you that Daventry food bank is always available to support with food and toiletries?

You do not need to be entitled to any benefits to receive a food parcel - the only criteria is that you do not have enough food to feed yourself or your family.

If you need support please email Mrs Hennessy on

mrs.hennessy@thegrangeschooldaventry.net

All referrals are treated in the strictest of confidentiality.

PRESS RELEASE

Thursday, 3 March, 2022

PAW Patrol brick trail heads to Northampton town centre

PAW Patrol fans will be able to meet their favourite characters as Northampton town centre hosts an amazing 'trail' of sculptures from the hit show, presented and built by BRICKLIVE.

The town centre is set to host up to 21 models including favourite characters and buildings from the hit Nick Jr. show.

Families can join in the search and find the brightly coloured toy brick models with characters including Chase, Marshall, Skye and the gang all waiting to be found in and around the town centre.

During the two-week event, which runs from Saturday, March 12 to Sunday, March 27, visitors can collect a trail map and answer questions based on each of the models to be in with a chance of winning one of four £50 vouchers to spend in town centre businesses.

Mark Mullen, Operations Manager at Northampton Town Centre Business Improvement District (BID) which has organised the trail, said: "We're delighted to be welcoming the PAW Patrol brick trail to Northampton, giving local families and shoppers the chance to get up close and enjoy these amazing models.

"From little ones to big kids at heart, the trail will have something for fans of all ages, and we hope families take advantage of this free event and explore our town centre as they visit each PAW Patrol character on the trail.

"The quiz and trail competitions will keep the whole family entertained and with this event being free for all, we hope to ignite imaginations and create long lasting memories."

Model builders are busy preparing the characters, with the pups ranging in size from 75cm to 120cm high.

The trail will also feature a two metre tall lookout tower using over 65,000 bricks while families can also pose for a selfie in Marshall's fire truck – made up of a whopping 141,000 bricks.

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Maps and prize draw entry forms can be collected from any hosting businesses as well as Abington FX, Metro Bank and Kall Kwik Northampton or downloaded from the BID website. Entries can be posted into a postbox located in Grosvenor Shopping Northampton.

This project is being funded by West Northamptonshire Council, through the Welcome Back Fund and supported by Grosvenor Shopping Northampton.

Cllr Lizzy Bowen, West Northamptonshire Council's Cabinet Member for Economic Development, Town Centre Regeneration and Growth said: "We're really looking forward to seeing these colourful Paw Patrol characters around Northampton town centre as a result of working together with the Northampton Town Centre BID and we hope that families get to experience great days out whilst the trail is live."

"The brick trail is just one of several initiatives being delivered as a result of the Welcome Back Fund - we are currently running a 'Love Your High Streets' campaign on billboards and bus shelters across West Northamptonshire, encouraging people to get back into their local town centres and highlighting the benefits of supporting independent businesses."

Models will be found in the following businesses:

A Plan Insurance
Argos
Café Track
Eden Mobility
Esquires Coffee
G&E McIntyres
Grosvenor Shopping (x3)
LUSH
Michael Jones Jeweller
Nationwide
Northampton Health Store
Northampton Museum and Art Gallery
Northamptonshire Central Library
Olly B's
St Giles Jewellers
The Entertainer
Vintage Guru
Virgin Money
Voni Blu

For more information on the Paw Patrol Trail, visit www.discovernorthampton.co.uk

Notes to editors

- Further interviews are available upon request. To arrange, please call Daniel Owens from Orange Juice Communications on 07909 916668 or email daniel.owens@ojpr.co.uk

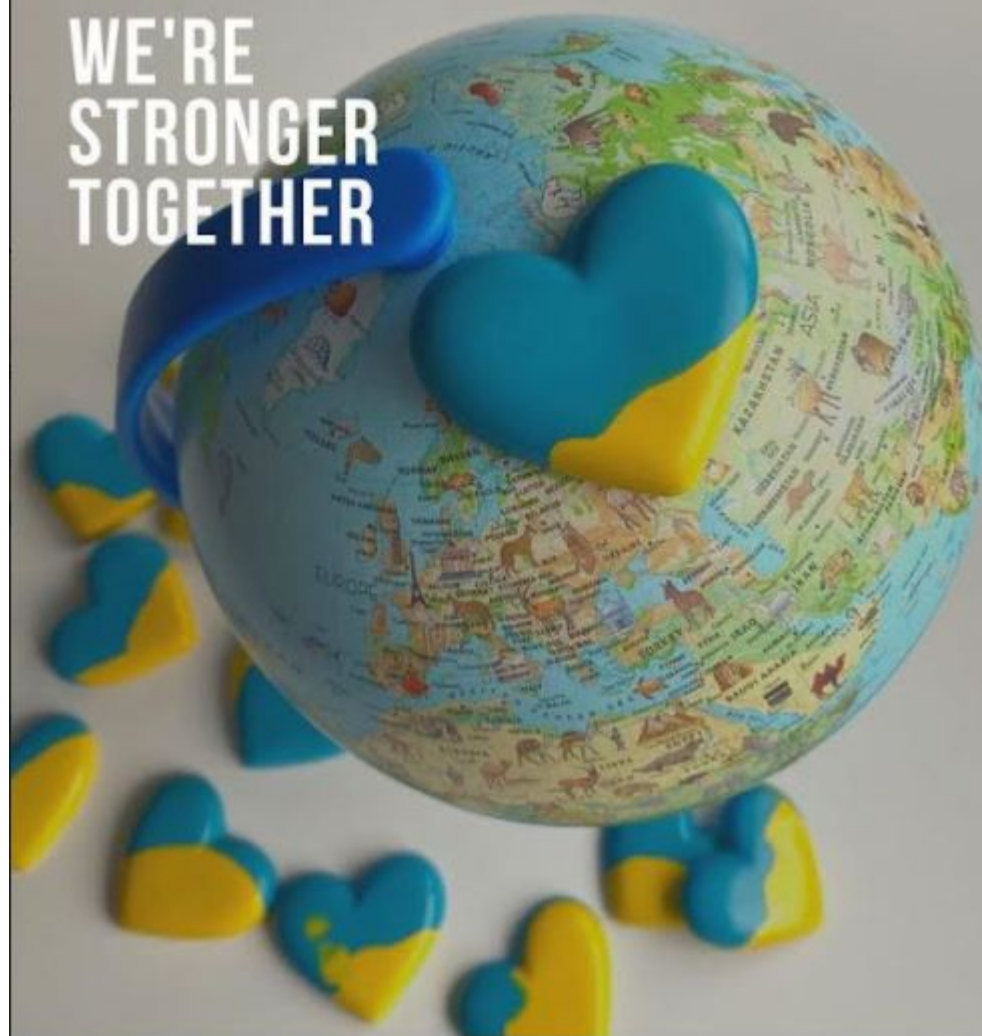
About Northampton Town Centre BID

- Business Improvement Districts are business-led partnerships within a defined area, created through a ballot process to deliver additional services to businesses within that area.
- There are over 310 BIDs across the country. Northampton Town Centre BID was set up in 2010 and is now in its third five-year term. It is made up of approximately 650 businesses, across retail, professional and hospitality sectors.
- The BID is scheduled to run until March 2026 and aims to deliver Promotion, Experience, Growth and Investment to the Town Centre. It is managed by Partnerships for Better Business (p4b UK) who also manage several other BIDs across the country and governed by a Board of Directors who operate businesses within the town centre and who give their time voluntarily.



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MARCH



Information for parents and carers on COVID-19 vaccination for at risk 5 to 11 year olds

Please share the following information with parents and carers of at risk 5 to 11 year olds.

Children aged 5 to 11 years who are in a clinical risk group or who live with someone who is immunosuppressed can get the COVID-19 vaccine, in line with advice set out by the [Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation \(JCVI\)](#). Eligible children include those with diabetes, immunosuppression, learning disabilities, and other conditions as outlined by the [UK Health Security Agency \(UKHSA\) in the Green Book](#).

Vaccinations help to increase protection against COVID-19, which is particularly important for those with underlying health conditions.

Further information is available in the [guide for parents of children aged 5 to 11 years](#) published by UKHSA. We have published some [frequently asked questions](#) on the vaccination programme including information on eligibility, accessibility and advice for parents of children at high risk from COVID-19. Following [advice](#) from the JCVI, healthy 5 to 11 year old children will also be offered two 10 microgram doses of the COVID-19 vaccine. The NHS will prepare to extend this non-urgent offer to all children during April.