

Activities Calendar Summer/Autumn 2025

Hello. Here's the details of our summer/autumn programme with a range of local activities for visually impaired people to take part in. This calendar is updated quarterly, the latest version can be found on our website. Information can also be found on our Facebook page.

During this quarter there's a variety of indoor and outdoor events. Unfortunately, we cannot provide transport but we do try to make sure venues are easily accessible by public transport.

People who have attended our events say how much they enjoyed getting out and how useful it was to meet other people with sight loss. We also welcome your ideas or suggestions for activities.

You may wish to attend with a partner or friend, while others come on their own. If you need some assistance to get about, please contact us in advance so that we can try to arrange for a volunteer to help.

It is always good to contact us to let us know which sessions you're interested in, so that we know the numbers attending. If you require any further information or wish to book - please contact Victoria Gallimore on 01332 292262 or email: Victoria.gallimore@sightsupportderbyshire.org.uk

We would love for you to join us!

Date/time	Activity	venue	Cost	Contact/book
Wednesday July 30 th Time: 10.45	Steve & Julie – Folk due play at our head office	Sight Support Derbyshire, 2A Wentworth House, Vernon Gate, Derby DE1 1UR	Contribution: £5 per person	Contact Victoria to book/pay for your space – 01332-292262
Wednesday August 13 th Time: 10.30	Café meet up in Belper	Ada Belfield café, Derwent St, Belper DE56 1UQ	Pay own refreshment	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday August 20 th Time: 10.30	Café meet up at Buspark cafe	Buspark café, Market Street Swadlincote DE11 9DA	Pay own refreshment	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday September 3 rd Meet up time: 10.45 (2 hour boat trip)	Cromford canal boat trip – Cromford wharf to Leawood pumphouse & return	Cromford wharf, Mill Rd, Cromford, DE4 3RP	Cost: seniors - £8 regular adult: £10	Contact Victoria ASAP to book/pay for your space – 01332-292262
Wednesday 10 th September Time: 10.30	Music vision room project with Mendi in Chesterfield - Session one TBC	Grace Chapel, Chesterfield, opposite the back market in town	Contribution - £2 per person	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday 17 th September Time: 11 -1	Chesterfield canal boat trip with afternoon tea	Hollingwood hub, 22 Works Rd, Hollingwood, Chesterfield S43 2PF	£22 per person – Book ASAP to confirm your space	Contact Victoria ASAP to book/pay for your space – 01332-292262

Wednesday 24 th September Time: 10.30	Music vision room project with Mendi in Chesterfield	Grace Chapel, Chesterfield, opposite the back market in town	Contribution - £2 per person	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday 8 th October Time: 10.30	Music vision room project with Mendi in Chesterfield	Grace Chapel, Chesterfield, opposite the back market in town	Contribution - £2 per person	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday 15 th October Time: 10.00	Café meet up at Terrace café, walk in park	Terrace café, Darley Dale	Pay own refreshment	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday 22 nd October Time:10.30	Music vision room project with Mendi in Chesterfield	Grace Chapel, Chesterfield, opposite the back market in town	Contribution - £2 per person	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Tuesday 28 th October Time: 10.30	Derby Art gallery/café	Derby museum & Art gallery, The Strand, Derby DE1 1BS	Pay own refreshment	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262
Wednesday 29 th October Time: 10.30	Swadlincote café meet up	Sweet Caroline café - Sharpe's pottery, Corner of West Street, Swadlincote DE11 9DG	Pay own refreshment	Contact Victoria – 01332-292262