

Activities Calendar Autumn/Winter 2026

Hello. Here's the details of our autumn/winter 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 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 as we know the numbers attending. If you require any further information, 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 14 th October Meet up: 10.30 am	Café meet up – walk in the grounds	Whitworth Hotel - Terrace café, Darley Dale, DE4 3PH	Pay own refreshments	Please contact Victoria to book
Wednesday 21 st October Time: 10.30 am	Wellbeing session with Victoria	The Old Post Office Centre, High St, Swadlincote DE11 0HX	Fee: £2 per person - Pay own refreshments	Please contact Victoria to book
Wednesday 28 th October Meet up: 10.30 am	Walk in Bakewell & lunch	Meet at central point near the bus stop walk through town, along river and lunch	Pay own refreshments	Please contact Victoria to book
Wednesday 4 th November Time: 10.30	Derby café meet up	Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby DE1 1BS	Pay own refreshments	Please contact Victoria to book
Wednesday 18 th November Time: 10.30	Swadlincote social meet up	Swadlincote café -venue to be confirmed	Pay own refreshments	Contact Victoria for further details

Wednesday 25 th November Time: 10.30	Julie & Steve Folk duo – Christmas special	Grace Chapel, Market Place, Chesterfield S40 1PH	Fee £7 per person	Please contact Victoria to book
Wednesday 2 nd December Time: 10.30	Arts session with Katie – Junction Arts	Grace Chapel, Market Place, Chesterfield S40 1PH	Fee £2 per person	Please contact Victoria to book
Saturday 12 th December Show time: 2.30 pm	Theatre showing of The Railway Children	Derby Theatre (Derbion), 15 Theatre Walk, St Peter's Quarter, Derby, DE1 2NF	Fee to pay: £30 per person, carer free	A few spaces available – please contact Victoria ASAP to book and pay
Sunday 20 th December Show time: 5.30pm	Christmas Panto – Beauty & the Beast	1435 Theatre, Corporation St, Chesterfield S41 7TX	Fee to pay: £24 per person, carer free	A few spaces available – please contact Victoria ASAP to book and pay