



Welcome Spaces Register – Lewes May 2024

Ascension Church, Peacehaven

Ascension Church, 41 Bramber Avenue, Peacehaven, BN10 8HR

Open Tuesdays from 10am to 12pm for a friendship group for older residents

Telephone: 01273 580745: Contact Sarah McFarlane - office hours Tues and Thurs 9am to 2pm

Email: ascensionpeacehaven43@gmail.com

Disabled access.

Offering: hot drinks and biscuits.

Chailey Free Church, South Chailey – Open Doors Community Space

Church Hall, South Common South Chailey Lewes, BN8 4AN

Open on Wednesdays at 11am to 3pm

Telephone: 07913652920

Email: contact@chaileyfreechurch.com

Disabled access, open to all ages, child friendly.

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, free Wi-Fi, toddler toys and craft activities for young and old, jigsaws, newspapers, leaflets, and signposting.



Christ Church, Lewes

Prince Edwards Road, Lewes, BN7 1BL

Open Wednesdays 10am to 2.30pm

Telephone: 01273 488237

Email: layworker@christ-church-lewes.org

Disabled access, open to all ages, child friendly

Offering: hot drinks and biscuits, free Wi-Fi, activities, advice leaflets and signposting, toys, books, and craft materials available.

Denton Island Community Cafe, Newhaven

Youth Centre, Denton Island Community Centre, Newhaven, BN9 9BA

Open on Mondays from 1.30pm to 3pm

Telephone: 01273 516032

Email: food@sussexcommunity.org.uk

Disabled access, open to all ages, child friendly.

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, hot meals e.g. soup, free Wi-Fi, activities, advice leaflets and signposting, social activities, befriending opportunities, drop-in sessions around digital exclusion, saving money on your energy bills, home safety checks done by the fire service and more.

The SCDA Community Navigators are available who can help people with issues around housing, debt, homelessness, benefits etc and signpost them to the right support. This is a free service.

The Community Cafe is open to everyone in the Community from 1.30pm to 3pm after the Community Supermarket has finished. The Community Supermarket supports people with accessing affordable food on a Pay-As-You-Feel basis. There is also a Community Fridge and Community Kitchen on site.

The cafe is also open on Thursdays in Peacehaven from 1.30pm to 3pm at Kempton House, Cavell Avenue, Peacehaven, BN10 7NJ.

Fitzjohns, Lewes

Christ Church, Prince Edwards Road, Lewes, BN71BL

Open Mondays from 1pm to 2.20pm **for members**

Telephone: 07395 156 873

Email: fitzjohnsfoodbank@gmail.com

Disabled access, child friendly

Offering: hot drinks, hot meals e.g. soup, free Wi-Fi, advice, leaflets, and signposting.

We run a Pay-As-You-Feel Community Cafe offering fresh meals cooked by volunteers, as well as food to take home for members of Fitzjohns Food Bank. If you require support with food please get in contact at fitzjohnsfoodbank@gmail.com

Friends of Bishopstone Station, Bishopstone

The Old Parcel Room Community Hub, Bishopstone Station, Station Road, Bishopstone, BN25 2RB

Open every Monday from 10am to 1pm (closed on bank holidays).

Telephone: 07501 672424 Email: friendsofbishopstonestation@yahoo.com

Disabled access but no disabled parking, open to all, children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. Baby changing facilities available.

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, free Wi-Fi, second-hand book swap, plus weekly talks on a wide range of topics, confidential advice sessions for Citizens Advice, Ovesco Energy and TechResort, leaflets and signposting.

'Meet up Mondays' aims to combat social isolation and build resilience within the Bishopstone community. "Pop up Pantry" - help prevent food waste, use up surplus food - supported by Havens Food Co-op.

Man Space open from 10am to 12 noon on the first and third Friday of each month. Welcome men of all ages from across the Seahaven area for a chat over tea or coffee. No need to book, just drop by. We also have occasional talks and discussions on men's health, wellbeing and other subjects of interest.

If driving, please use the Buckle car park and come via the back steps to the platform and over the footbridge. Better still, walk, cycle, or come by train. The nearest bus stop is Hill Rise.

Hillcrest Community Centre, Newhaven

Hillcrest Community Centre, Bayvue Rd, Newhaven, BN9 9LH

Opening times: 9am to 3pm Monday to Friday

Email: info@hillcrestcentre.co.uk

Telephone: 01273 512376

No booking required, open to all ages.

Accessible entrance, accessible toilets, baby changing facilities, car parking, child friendly, dairy alternative, free Wi-Fi, hot drinks, cordial and biscuits, toilets, workstations.

Jitterbugs – Toddler Group, Newhaven

Denton Island Community Centre, Denton Island, Newhaven, BN9 9BA

Open Mondays from 10am to 12noon

Telephone: 01273 517250 or 07796 869402

Email: elsie.carnie@sussexcommunity.org.uk

For parents and carers with children under four years old, disabled access. Offering: hot drinks, snacks, free Wi-Fi, free play, sensory and music activities, advice, leaflets, and signposting.

Kempton House Day Centre

Kempton House, Cavell Avenue, Peacehaven, BN10 7NJ

Open Wednesdays and Fridays from 9am to 11am

Telephone: 07821 515118

Email: kemptonhousedaycentre@gmail.com

Disabled access, open to all ages, child friendly.

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, advice, leaflets, and signposting. Lunch is available but needs to be booked in advance.



King's Church, Lewes

Unit 3, Brooks Road, Lewes, BN7 2BY

Open Mondays from 11am to 2pm except bank holidays

Telephone: 01273 486182

Email: office@kingschurchlewes.org

Disabled access, open to all, child friendly.

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, hot food e.g. soup and a roll (12 noon to 1.30pm), free Wi-Fi, free computer access, advice, leaflets, and signposting.

King's Church Lewes offer a warm welcome to any member of the community that would like to visit us.

Lewes House of Friendship, Lewes

208 High Street, Lewes, BN7 2NS

Open weekdays from 9.30am – 1.15pm

Telephone: 01273 476469

Email: leweshouseoffriendship@gmail.com

Disabled access from the back of the house, enter via East Street public car park.

Open to anyone over the age of 55

Offering: hot drinks for £2 and hot drink with toast £3, hot meals at £8 each, free Wi-Fi, paid activities, advice, leaflets, and signposting.



Newhaven Baptist Church, Newhaven

Brighton Road, Newhaven, BN9 9NA

Open Wednesdays and Fridays from 9.30am to 1pm

Telephone: 07825 446711

Email: jac.parson@newhavenbaptistchurch.co.uk

Disabled access, open to all, child friendly

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, hot meals e.g. soup, advice, leaflets, and signposting. Sessions run alongside the Foodbank.

Ringmer Village Library

Ringmer Village Hall, Lewes Road, Ringmer, BN8 5QH

Open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2pm to 5pm. Wednesdays and Saturdays 10am to 12pm.

Telephone: 07989 676814

Email: [saveringmerlibrary@mail.com](mailto:savingmerlibrary@mail.com)

Disabled access, open to all ages, child friendly.

Offering: hot drinks, biscuits, free Wi-Fi, internet access, activities including reading, chat and jigsaws, advice leaflets.

St Peter's Church, Seaford

Chapel Rooms Hall, Belgrave Road, Seaford, BN25 2HE

Community Lunch on the last Friday of every month @ 12.30pm to 2.30pm.

The church would prefer people to book for the Community Lunch, by contacting the office, details are provided below.

Telephone: 01323 899054 Email: officeebb.benefice@gmail.com

Disabled access and disabled toilet, all ages welcome, child friendly, Offering: hot drinks, free Wi-Fi, advice, leaflets, and signposting. All are welcome to attend for warm food and friendship.



St Thomas More, Seaford

54 Sutton Rd, Seaford, BN25 1SS

Open for a free lunch every Thursday from 1pm to 2.30pm, pay what you can afford. Hot drinks and biscuits available until 3pm.

Telephone: 07769038473 (Mary Sloan)

Email: marysloan960@talktalk.net

Disabled access, open to all ages, child friendly.

Offering: hot drinks, snacks, hot meals, free Wi-Fi, board games, leaflets and signposting.

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