

SPECIAL VOICES NEWSLETTER



Welcome to Special Voices (Slough parent/carer forum)

Special Voices is a group of parent/carers of children, young people & adults with disabilities/additional needs & is the parent/carer forum for Slough. We are all volunteers working in partnership with the Slough Children's Services Trust, Local Authority, CCG's and voluntary organisations to help shape and develop future services in Slough through participation and co-production with all your views & experiences that you share with us, without you we couldn't change things for all children/young people/adults in Slough.

Our mission is to raise awareness about the rights and needs of children/young people/adults with additional needs and to ensure that they and their families are consulted and participate in any decisions made during the planning and delivery of services for all our additional needs children/young people & adults.

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Drop - in Coffee Days 2019

**Cippenham Baptist Church Hall,
11 Elmshott Lane. SL1 5QS**

ANYTIME BETWEEN: 9.30am - 1pm

**Wednesday - 9th January - 6th February
6th March**

Drop - in Coffee Evenings 2019

**Classroom 3, Cippenham Baptist Church
11 Elmshott Lane. SL1 5QS**

ANYTIME BETWEEN: 6pm - 8pm

**Tuesday - 15th January - 12th February
12th March**

We would like to wish everyone a happy, healthy & peaceful new year.

We would also like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all our supporters & all of you that have contributed to the work of Special Voices over the years without whom we would not have celebrated achieving the Queens Award for Voluntary Service & 10 years, December 2018 since Special Voices first began.

Special Voices need volunteers

If you would like to find out how volunteering with us can make a difference for all children/young people/adults with SEND in Slough through participation & co-production by offering your skills then please come & have lunch with us to find out more on how we work (without commitment)

Wednesday 9th January 2019 - 12.30 – 1.30pm @ Classroom 3, Cippenham Baptist Church. 11 Elmshott Lane. SL1 5QS

For catering purposes please let us know if you would like to come

Our office: Every Monday - Drop – in anytime between 10.30am – 12.30pm
(except Bank Holidays)

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Parent/carers information & support. Come in for a coffee where we can help you find the information you need. It is also an opportunity to have a chat over coffee & find out how you can become involved & help us in the work we do for all parent/carers in Slough



Special Voices Family Participation Day

P. A. L. S 225 – 227 Northern Road. Slough. SL2 1LU

Saturday 16th March 2019 1.30pm – 4.00pm

FREE entrance gift for parents & children, free raffle, free parking & finger buffet

Special Voices would like to invite families with SEN/disabled/additional needs children, young people & adults in Slough to a participation event where we would like you to tell us your experiences & views of the services in Slough that you use, what has gone well this year? Are things better this year than last? Come & tell us with our very simple & short interactive session using our post it notes system where all family members can take part and is anonymous.

YOU WILL NEED TO BOOK YOUR FAMILY FOR THIS EVENT

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