

Short Breaks: *our time*

For children with disabilities and additional needs

Activities to try with your 2019-20 vouchers

March 2019

Welcome and thank you for applying for the Short Breaks Vouchers which are valid for use up to and including 31 March 2020.

Enclosed with your vouchers email is this document which contains details of where vouchers can be exchanged for a sporting, recreational or cultural activity.

You can choose to exchange your vouchers for an activity at any of the organisations listed in this booklet. The value is shown on the back and front of each voucher. They can be used to pay for an activity in full or part. Organisations cannot give cash refunds for part use of a voucher. The voucher does not have any value outside of the Short Breaks Scheme, must not be used for childcare and is not transferable. Before attending an activity, it is **important** to contact the organisation to ensure that their services meet with your needs.





The Short Breaks information in this booklet will now include organisations which have been awarded the PACA Mark.*

The PACA Mark has been developed by parent/carers who care for disabled children and young people with additional needs in Milton Keynes. It is a new annual award that will be presented to organisations that have been considered by mystery shoppers as being accessible, welcoming and inclusive. To find out more about the PACA Mark, please visit the website www.pacamk.org/paca-mark/.

So that we can keep in touch with you about Short Breaks, please remember to tell us when you change address. Please telephone or email your new correspondence address details to SEN@milton-keynes.gov.uk.



Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
360 Play 	27 Roebuck Way Knowlhill Milton Keynes MK5 8HL	Enquiries: 01908 308360 01908 670160	W: www.360play.co.uk E: bookings@360play.co.uk 

"Why not drive the dodgems / ride the carousel / let the children's imaginations run wild in 360 Street and Club 360 Play. The outside area opens from Easter to October (weather permitting)".

Special Needs Play Session

On the first Friday of every month a 2 hour play session 6.30pm – 8.30pm is offered for children with Special Needs and siblings are welcome.

Age Range and Facilities

Caters for children up to the age of 12 years – and the centre is zoned to cater for this diverse age range. Toddler area for the under 3's / Junior activity 3 – 6 years and then the main adventure the 3 storey play frame for children 6 – 12 years. Parental/guardian supervision is required at all times – and the equipment is suitable for adults as well.

Opening Times:

Open 360 days a year

Sunday to Thursday

Friday and Saturday

Check website for further details

Opening at 9.30am Closing at 5.30pm

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Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Abbey Hill Golf Centre and Mr Mulligan's Pirate Golf ABBEY HILL <i>Events • Golf • Family</i>	Monks Way Two Mile Ash	Enquiries: 01908 563845	W: www.abbeyhillgc.co.uk E: events@abbeyhillgc.co.uk


Activities:

Driving Range
 Adventure Golf

Pitch and Putt
 Foot Golf

- Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult
- Carers for children and young people with additional needs go free

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
 <p>Bletchley Leisure Centre</p>	Bletchley	01908 377251	W: www.hertsmereleisure.co.uk W: www.miltonkeynesleisure.co.uk
Milton Keynes Leisure manages these facilities in partnership with Hertsmere Leisure and Milton Keynes Council. Hertsmere Leisure is a registered charity. Charity number 1093653.			
Activities:			
Badminton and Squash Court Hire	Table Tennis	Public Swimming	Learn to Swim Scheme – Group Swimming Lessons Swimming Academy – Additional Needs Section
Swimming Academy – for swimmers who can swim 10 metres unassisted, please call to discuss child's needs in advance			

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
 <p>Barnardo's Young People Milton Keynes</p>	Central Milton Keynes	01908 232006	W: http://miltonkeynesshortbreaks.uk/ E: shortbreaksmiltonkeynes@barnardos.org.uk Barnardo's Reg. Charity Nos. 216250 & SC03760.
The Barnardo's office is based in Central Milton Keynes, the activities and sessions take place across Milton Keynes at the following locations:			
Activities:			
Caldecotte Adventure Club 6 to 19 years	Full day session of outdoor activities that Challenge young people to build confidence, improve team work and enhance socialising while enjoying a fun day out.	School Holidays Dates and times vary, please check flyers and E-mail alerts.	
Caldecotte Extra Adventure Club 6 to 25 years	Half day session of outdoor activities which allows young people to build confidence and learn new skills, while Barnardo's provide higher support levels for smaller groups.	School Holidays Dates and times vary, please check flyers and E-mail alerts.	
Family trips and outings All ages	Days out, fun days for families	School Holidays Dates and times vary, please check flyers and E-mail alerts.	
Barnardo's Play Scheme 5 to 12 years	Full day activities run in local community centres. Play scheme providing high adult ratios and sensory activities.	School Holidays Access via referral and assessment Contact Sue Egerton for referral information.	

Mighty Gems Stony Stratford Hobbyhorse Pre School 9 to 12 years	Youth Club Alternate Saturday Mornings 10am -12 noon Transitions	Referrals from primary schools or parents
Barnardo's Play Scheme 10 to 14 years	Full day activities run in local community centres. Play scheme providing high adult ratios and sensory activities.	School Holidays Access via referral and assessment. Contact Sue Egerton for referral information
Saturday Youth Club Stony Stratford 10 to 14 years	Alternate Saturdays 12-30 to 4-30 For young people with additional support needs. High adult ratios, traditional and sensory activities.	Access vis referral and assessment. Contact Sue Egerton for referral information.
Caldecotte Saturday Club 6 – 19 years	Mornings activities at Caldecotte, 2 fun filled activities to learn new skills, build confidence and socialize.	Saturday mornings periodically throughout the year check flyers and E-mail alerts for dates.
<p>Barnardo's Short Breaks welcome your feedback to help in planning future sessions. If you require a specific service or level of support please contact Sue or the Team Manager and share your voice. For further information, please telephone 01908 232006 or email Sue Egerton at shortbreaksmiltonkeynes@barnardos.org.uk</p>		


Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Bletchley Park BLETCHLEY PARK	Sherwood Drive Bletchley MK3 6EB	01908 640404	W: www.bletchleypark.org.uk E: enquiries@bletchleypark.org.uk

Bletchley Park, once the top secret home of the World War Two Codebreakers, is now a vibrant heritage attraction, open daily to visitors. A visit to Bletchley Park is to step back in time to experience the stories of the breathtaking achievements of the extraordinary men and women who worked there. Bletchley Park boasts restored Codebreaking Huts, with their WW2 ambience faithfully recreated, and a stunning new Visitor Centre with a state-of-the art introductory exhibition. Visitors can explore the grounds and buildings with an interactive Multimedia Guide and enjoy atmospheric soundscapes, galleries and exhibitions.

Bletchley Park Information:

Voucher (s) can be used in full or part payment for admission only
Voucher (s) may not be used in the catering and retail outlets
All children must be accompanied by an adult

Please visit the website for opening times and special events or activities
www.bletchleypark.org.uk

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
<p>Caldecotte Xperience</p> 	Simpson	Tel: 0300 0030998	<p>W: www.caldecottexperience.org .uk E: caldecotte@action4youth.org</p>

Caldecotte Xperience accepts vouchers for payment where young people have **registered** for one of the following clubs:

Monday adventure Club 18:00hrs-20:00hrs every week except bank holidays

April - October water sports including kayaking, canoeing, rafted canoeing, raft building, sailing, windsurfing.

November - March land based sports including climbing, high ropes, abseiling, bush craft, caving, archery, orienteering, fencing, team dynamics.

Saturday adventure Club 09:30hrs-11:30hrs

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November - March land based sports including climbing, high ropes, abseiling, bush craft, caving, archery, orienteering, fencing, team dynamics.

Climbing Club Wednesday 17:30hrs-19:30hrs alternating venues

This club is for 10+ years only and for those with good mobility.


Sailing Club Friday 18:00hrs-20:00hrs £10 per person, per week

New sailing club for those with additional needs including wheelchair users, starts 26 April 2019 and every week thereafter, contact Caldecotte Xperience to register.

Participants who require 1:1 support with our regular clubs should telephone 0300 003 0998 before joining.

Currently Barnardo's are running a Saturday club in which have places. Contact Barnardo's 01908 232006 for more details.

For further information on courses please either telephone 0300 003 0998 or check the website www.caldecottexperience.org.uk.


Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Community Learning MK – Music Faculty  <small>Community Learning MK Music Faculty</small>	MK Music Faculty River Centre Humber Way West Bletchley	01908 253520	W: www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/musicmk E: music@milton-keynes.gov.uk

“Love Music? Discover your potential at MK Music Centre. Musical groups from age 2+ on Saturday mornings and afterschool. Please visit the website for details.”

Activities take place at Shenley Brook End School

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Crazy Kids	Walnut Tree	01908 267265 07952 242304	E: crazykidsclub@hotmail.co.uk

School holiday activities for children aged 4 to 11 years old. For further information, please either telephone or email.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Emberton Country Park 	Emberton Nr Olney	01234 711575	W: www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/embertoncountrypark/ E: Emberton.park@milton-keynes.gov.uk


- Park opening times April – October 2019 are 9.00am to 4.45pm
- Vehicle entrance to Park £4.50
- Angling: if the Gatehouse is not attended, Bailiff will collect voucher “on the bank”

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Middleton Pool and Fitness Centre (PFP Leisure) 	Tickford Street Newport Pagnell MK16 9BG	01908 610477	W: www.placesleisure.org/centres/middleton-pool/ E: middletonpoolandfitnesscentre@pfpleisure.org

For information on Term Time Swimming and School Holiday Swimming sessions, please refer to Middleton Swimming Pool website or telephone Reception for session details.

Important Information:

- Lockers take a refundable £1.00 coin
- Prior contact will need to be made with Middleton Swimming Pool for details of the swimming sessions for disabled users
- Hoists are available for disabled users along with accessible shower and toilet facilities
- Admissions Policy applies, please check website for details.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Milton Keynes Gymnastics Ltd  <small>Milton Keynes Gymnastics Fun for All • Developing Champions</small>	15 Winchester Circle, Kingston, MK10 0BA	01908 586500	W: www.mkgym.com E: parents@mkgym.co.uk

Age 4 to 16 years
Carer to remain at Gym

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
MK Dons Sport and Education Trust (SET) 	See below	01908 622888	W: www.mkdonsset.com E: Dean.Dixon@mkdonsset.com
A range of Football Sessions – for all ages, genders and levels of ability and mobility	Woughton on the Green – In the dome	07595 409957 07880 384971	Dean Dixon or Jordan Noon – Project Coordinators
Wheelchair Football: Saturdays	Bletchley Leisure Centre	07595 409957 07880 384971	Dean Dixon or Jordan Noon – Project Coordinators
Power Chair Football: Saturdays	Bletchley Leisure Centre	07595 409957 07880 384971	Dean Dixon or Jordan Noon – Project Coordinators
Walking Football: Friday Evening			
Walking Football Sessions – for ages and genders, no experience necessary	Sir Herbert Leon Academy	07595 409957 07880 384971	Dean Dixon or Jordan Noon – Project Coordinators
Mental Health specific Football sessions: Thursdays			
Over 16's	Woughton on the Green	07595 409957 07880 384971	Dean Dixon or Jordan Noon – Project Coordinators

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Milton Keynes Libraries 	Bletchley Central Kingston Newport Pagnell Olney Stony Stratford Westcroft Woburn Sands Wolverton	01908 254067	W: www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/libraries/library-news-and-events E: Michelle.Herriman@milton-keynes.gov.uk


Activities:

Arts, crafts and story time activities throughout the summer and school holidays


For full information about activities being held in Libraries, please visit the Milton Keynes Libraries website www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/libraryevents or telephone 01908 254067

Booking: All activities must be booked in advance including free activities

Parent/carers to remain at activity

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Milton Keynes Museum 	McConnell Drive Wolverton MK12 5EL	01908 316222	W: www.mkmuseum.org.uk E: info@mkmuseum.org.uk

One of the area's most interactive museums, a chance to see, smell taste and touch the history of the Milton Keynes area, an experience for the whole family.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
MK Springers 	16-17 Carters Lane Kiln Farm MK11 3ES	01908 217788 07801 836137	W: www.mkspringers.com E: enquiries@mkspringers.com

- Ofsted registered

- Age 3 to 16+, all abilities catered for. Parent/carer may remain for the first session. Open 7 days a week.


Now running sessions for children and young adults with Special Educational Needs (SEN) 2 Sundays a month, 12.30pm to 1.30pm. Coach led activities or free play. Please check our website for further details and dates of sessions.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
ODEON Milton Keynes Stadium 	Stadium Way West Milton Keynes MK1 1ST	Film Times & Availability: Please check website for details	W: www.odeon.co.uk

ODEON Milton Keynes Stadium - Terms & Conditions

1. Voucher(s) only valid at ODEON Milton Keynes Stadium.
2. Voucher(s) can only be redeemed at the cinema tills and cannot be used via the ODEON website, APP or FTM. Voucher(s) must be presented at time of purchase.
3. Voucher(s) can only be redeemed against each full £1, £2 or £5 of the ticket transaction value. The difference must be paid for separately. Eg For tickets costing £20.50, vouchers to the value of £20.00 can be used with the remaining balance to be paid in cash.
4. Voucher(s) may not be applied to purchases of gift cards, food, drink, merchandise or any other ODEON goods or services including school bookings and corporate or private hires.
5. Tickets remain subject to booking availability, normal age restrictions, and any other relevant standard terms and conditions including ODEON's general admission terms. Voucher(s) does not give preferential rights of access.
6. ODEON's general admission terms apply. Cinema manager's decision is final.
7. Tickets paid for with Short Breaks Vouchers are strictly non-refundable, but at the cinema managers discretion may be exchanged for an alternative performance time/date.

Valid for any rated film.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Safari MK Soft Play & Party Venue 	Kiln Farm Milton Keynes	Enquiries: 01908 565165	W: www.safarimk.co.uk E: reception@safarimk.co.uk

As a national multi award-winning children's soft play and party venue, in Milton Keynes, our aim is to provide something unique for the families of the city. In simple terms, to create a play and educational venue where families relax and enjoy spending time and playing together.

Safari MK has 3 levels of soft play, 5 role play rooms, sports arena and Didi car track designed specifically for kids up to 12 years.

Short Break vouchers are valid

* Monday to Sunday 9.30am to 6.00pm

* Parent/carer must remain on site


* For children Age 0 to 12

* Valid for payment for entry only

Safari MK also holds Special Needs Events usually on the **2nd Thursday of each month**. You are welcome to arrive from 5.30pm when the centre begins to get quieter with exclusive access from 6.00pm to 8.00pm. Short break vouchers are accepted for entry only. Under 1's and Adults are free and Children under 16 are a discounted rate of £5.00. Dates available are – 11 April 2019 and 9 May 2019

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
SNUGS	Woughton Campus	07719 093798	W: www.snugs94.org

SNUGS (Special Needs Unit Gymnasts), is a registered charity, providing specialised gymnastics training for children and young people with physical, sensory and learning disabilities. SNUGS also provide a Special Olympics Club session, please telephone for further details.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Spectrum Community Arts 	Oxley Park Community Centre	07741 280382	W: www.spectrumca.co.uk E: Jade@spectrumca.co.uk


Performing arts, dance, drama, singing and craft!

Age range: 7 years to 14 years

When: Every Thursday 5:00pm – 6:00pm

Additional information

- Please wear clothing and shoes that your child can move in
- Bring a bottle of water
- Parent/Carer to remain on site if child requires extra help/has behaviour needs
- Booking in advance is essential
- £5 per session. Either pay as you go or pay for the term in advance
- Blooming creativity and imaginations whilst building self-esteem!



Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
The Parks Trust 	Throughout Milton Keynes	01908 233600	W: www.theparkstrust.com E: info@theparkstrust.com

Activities:

There are a variety of Park activities and events which The Parks Trust organise at locations in Milton Keynes. For more details, please refer to The Parks Trust website or telephone for full information.


- Age: 3 to 18 years old
- Suitable clothing for outdoor activities
- Equipment is provided
- Parent/carer to remain at activity/event
- Please note: Short Breaks Vouchers are not accepted for online bookings

There are a wide range of activities for people to access, depending on specific needs so please do ring the Trust to discuss what is available and they will endeavour to accommodate you on activities you may be interested in.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Thomley 	Worminghall Buckinghamshire	01844 338380	W: www.thomley.org.uk E: bookings@thomley.org.uk 

Thomley is a place for people of all abilities and disabilities, bringing disabled people, their families, carers and friends together with experienced staff that understand their needs. The centre is just outside the village of Worminghall between Oxford and Aylesbury.

For further information on events, activities and opening times, please visit www.thomley.org.uk.

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Whitecap Leisure 	Willen Lake V10 Brickhill Street Milton Keynes MK15 0DS	01908 246599	W: www.willenlake.org.uk E: willenlake@theparkstrust.com

Activities: Watersports, Hire, Wakeboarding, Treetop Extreme, Holiday Clubs,

Includes:

- Pedalo's
- Kayaks
- Katakana's
- Treetop Extreme
- Turbo Paddlers
- Sailing
- Archery
- Windsurfing
- Canoes
- Stand Up Paddle Boards
- Water-skiing
- Wakeboarding
- Kneeboarding

Discover Watersports Sessions
Discover Wakeboarding Sessions
Treetop Extreme Highropes Sessions


For more information on Watersports, Wakeboarding or Treetop Extreme Highropes Sessions please refer to the website: www.willenlake.org.uk

For more details on these activities please telephone Willen Lake for full information.
01908 246599

Holiday Clubs:

For more information on School Holiday Clubs please refer to website:
www.willenlake.org.uk

- Age: 8 to 16 years old for holiday clubs
- Height restrictions apply for Treetop Extreme
- Equipment is provided
- No previous experience required
- Parent/Carer to remain at activity (not applicable to Holiday Clubs)

Organisation	Location	Telephone	Website and/or email
Windmill Hill Golf Centre 	Bletchley	01908 631113	W: http://www.1life.co.uk/milton-keynes-council/windmill-hill-golf-centre/home/ E: windmillhillgc@1life.co.uk

Activities:

Driving Range Golf Course Golf Lessons Putting

- Driving range open all day, no need to book (vouchers available from reception)
- Golf Course, please telephone to book a Tee Time
- Golf Lessons, please telephone for availability
- Children under 12 years must be accompanied by parent/carer
- Carers for children and young people with additional needs go free on certain activities

Wolverton Leisure Trust - Wolverton Swimming & Fitness Centre 	Addington Avenue Wolverton MK12 5GH	01908 227752	W: www.wolvertonpool.com E: mail@wolvertonpool.com
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Wolverton Swimming and Fitness Centre boast a wide choice of prestigious leisure and fitness facilities which include a 6 lane 25m main pool and a 13m by 7.5m learner pool which has a fantastic selection of fun water features and a large spacious changing village. Short Break Vouchers are accepted as full or part payment for any of the General Swim Sessions.

- Please see Wolverton Swimming and Fitness Centre website for General Swim Session times.

If your child attends: The Walnuts School, The Redway School, White Spire School or Slated Row School, please ask at the School about their activity schemes.

The Milton Keynes Local Offer

The place to find local services for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities

Created for

- Children and young people
- Their families
- The professionals that work with them

Contact Details

- E: local.offer.feedback@milton-keynes.gov.uk
- W: www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/sendlocaloffer
- Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/mksend

Disclaimer: Milton Keynes Council accepts no responsibility for the accuracy of the information given by providers in the Short Breaks Voucher Scheme. It is recommended that you always check details with providers to ensure their service meets your requirements. In no event shall Milton Keynes Council be liable for any damage, howsoever caused, arising out of or in connection with the use or performance of this information. Milton Keynes Council cannot recommend or endorse any of the providers listed in the information provided. Parents and carers should check the suitability of any activity for the child or young person, with a medical professional, if necessary, before booking or participating in any activity.

Disclaimer:



*The PACA Mark is concerned primarily with the recognition of services offered by a business which may be of interest to Parent Carers of disabled children, young people and their families. It should not be considered an assurance of any aspect of the organisation's business.

www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/short-breaks



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