

Summer
2026



Timetable

July-August



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Elmwood, 37 Burtons Way, B36 0UG

Evergreen, 42 Kingshurst Way, B37 6DX

Hatchford Brook, Old Lode Lane, B92 8JE

Riverside, 289 Bosworth Drive, B37 5DP

Wherever you live in Solihull, we're here to support you

Best Start Family Hubs in Solihull are local centres where children, young people, and families can access support and take part in fun activities! Our friendly staff and service providers work in partnership with you and your community to access the information and support that's needed. Some services offer drop-in sessions, whilst others require booked appointments. The Hubs are a safe space for you and your loved ones.

July

Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays	Fridays
Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 27 July – Career day To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Pre-loved uniform pop-up at Elmwood – 12:00-15:00 27 July Particularly for schools local to the Hub. No booking required.	Movie morning at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 21 July Come and watch Zootropolis 2 (2025)! No booking required. Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 21 July – Pirates 28 July – Harry Potter To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 28 July	Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 22 July – Career day 29 July – Superheroes To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Decorate a planter at Elmwood – 13:00-15:00 29 July Decorate a planter using your favourite colours and designs. Suitable for ages 5-12 years. 14 spaces available. To book, call Elmwood on 0121 779 1700. Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 29 July	Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 23 July – Space To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Super SEN painting bird houses and making bird food at Riverside – 12:00-14:00 23 July To book, email supersencic@gmail.com Teddy-tastic party at Elmwood – 13:30-15:30 23 July FULLY BOOKED Create your own teddy bear! Followed by party games and a disco. 12 spaces available. To book, call Elmwood on 0121 779 1700. Teddy-tastic party at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 30 July FULLY BOOKED Create your own teddy bear! Followed by party games and a disco. 10 spaces available.	Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 24 July – Minecraft 31 July – Fantasy land To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Rock painting at Elmwood – 10:30-12:30 24 July Get creative by decorating some natural stones. No booking required. OVOS summer BBQ at Hatchford – 10:00-16:00 24 July Join Our Voice Our Services (OVOS, Solihull's Children in Care Council, for a summer barbeque! Suitable for care experienced children and young people and their families. To book, call Hatchford on 0121 704 6943. Moo-Fest at Elmwood 31 July All ages – 09:45-10:45 Non-walkers – 11:15-12:15 Songs, crafts, playtime, and refreshments! £3 per child. To book, contact 0795 093 4194 or kally.moo.music@gmail.com. Superhero party at Hatchford – 11:00-13:00 31 July Suit up in your favourite superhero costume for a fun-filled family party with games, music, and activities for children aged 3-12 years. For more info and to book, call Hatchford on 0121 704 6943.

Download the Solihull Family Hubs app!



Discover upcoming events, useful links, Hub details, and more. Now available in 20 languages on the Apple [App Store](#) and Android [Google Play Store](#)

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August

Mondays

Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00

3 August – Up & away
10 August – Minecraft
To book, visit <https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps>.

Under the Same Sky at Elmwood – 10:00-12:00 17 August
Creative workshop.

School uniform swap shop at Elmwood – 10:00-13:00 17 August
New and used uniforms available. Provided by Merstone and Forest Oak schools. No booking required.

Under the Same Sky at Riverside, 10:00-12:00 24 August
Creative workshop.

Tuesdays

Clay workshop at Elmwood – 09:30-11:30 and 13:00-15:00 4 August
Create a clay sculpture to take home, air dry, and decorate! To book, complete the [form](#) or email community.projects@solihull.ac.uk.

Grass heads and wind chimes at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 4 August
Make a grass head to take home and a wind chime to decorate our new garden space. To book, call Riverside on 0121 779 1750.

Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 4 August – Space. **11 August** – Fantasy land. [Book online](#).

MakaTots at Riverside 11 August Toddlers – 09:30. Babies – 10:30. FREE taster session of signing activities. To book, call 0734 894 4317 or [email](#).

Community fun day at Riverside – 12:30-14:30 11 August
Magic, music, and games alongside activities delivered by local services. No booking required.

Movie afternoon at Elmwood – 14:30-16:30 11 August
Come and watch *Toy Story*! No booking required.

Movie morning at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 18 August
Come and watch *Dolittle* (2020)! No booking required.

School uniform swap shop at Elmwood – 10:00-13:00 25 August
New and used uniforms available. Provided by Merstone and Forest Oak schools. No booking required.

Community fun day at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 25 August
Magic, music, and games alongside a SEND session and activities delivered by local services. No booking required.

Scales and Tails at Riverside, 12:00-14:00 25 August **FULLY BOOKED**
Discover fascinating animals and learn interesting facts about them!

Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 4, 11, 18, and 25 August

Wednesdays

Indoor gardening at Elmwood – 10:00-12:00 5 August
Plant your succulents and flowers to take home! Please note this activity will close when at capacity.

Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 5 August – Circus **12 August** – Up & away. To book, visit <https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps>.

Scales and Tails at Elmwood – 13:30-15:30 5 August
Discover fascinating animals and learn interesting facts about them. To book, call Elmwood on 0121 779 1700.

Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 12 August

Clay workshop at:
Riverside – 12 and 19 August, 09:30-11:30
Elmwood – 12 August, 13:00-15:00
Evergreen – 19 August, 13:00-15:00
Create a clay sculpture to take home, air dry, and decorate! To book at Riverside or Elmwood, complete the [form](#). To book at Evergreen, call 0121 779 1724 or email evergreen@colebridge.org.

Education Participation Advisory Service (EPAS) at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 19 August Support and advice to address barriers to education. No booking required.

Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays

Super SEN teddy bear picnic at Riverside – 12:00-14:00 Thurs 6 August To book, email supersencic@gmail.com.

Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 Thurs 6 and 27 August

Mak-a-Moo at Riverside – 09:45-14:15 Thurs 13 August Join us for our first ever collaboration between Moo Music and MakaTots! To book, call 0795 093 4194 or email kally.moo.music@gmail.com.

Alive Wellness at Hatchford – 09:00-13:00 Sat 1, 8, 15, and 22 August Activities, sports, and games for ages 5+.

Super SEN summer fair at Hatchford – 12:00-15:00 Sun 16 August

For children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) and their families.

Blossom and Belong fundraiser at Hatchford – 13:00- 16:00 Sun 23 August

A community fundraising event supporting Blossom and Belong.