

Lincolnshire Learning Disability Partnership Newsletter March 2026



Speak Out Leaders David and Michelle role playing at the last Voices For All meeting.

Promoting awareness around Scams.

Links and information within.

Useful links and information around Scams

Scam Prevention referrals:



ScamsPrevention@lincolnshire.gov.uk

(Referrals require consent from the individual – please send name, contact details and details of the scam/concerns to this email address. Support provided by LCC Scams Intervention and Prevention Officer)



Order Awareness Packs & Door Stickers:

<https://lincolnshire-pcc.gov.uk/our-initiatives/campaigns-and-resources/fraud-and-scams-prevention-pack/>

Fraud awareness resources:

Local training and awareness delivered by local officers – Teams or face to face – contact ScamsPrevention@lincolnshire.gov.uk to make arrangements



Useful links and information around Scams

Alternatives:

[Friends Against Scams - Resources & Materials](#)

[Friends Against Scams - Initial training 30 mins](#)

[Friends Against Scams - Video](#)

Easy Read:

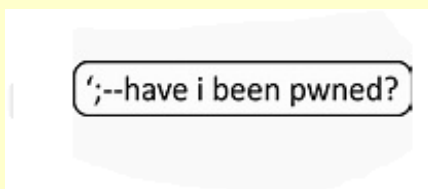
[Friends Against Scams - Accessible Training & Easy Read Resources](#)

[Accessibility toolkit | Take Five – Mencap](#)

[Friends Against Scams - British Sign Language](#)

[Friends Against Scams - Accessible Version](#)

[Audio version of The Little Book Of Big Scams from Metropolitan Police](#)



Useful links and information around Scams

CrimeStoppers.
Speak up. Stay safe.

Financial Abuse

[Coercion and Control in Financial Abuse report Oct 2022](#)

[Friends Against Scams - #NoBlameNoShame](#)

[Accessibility Toolkit | Take Five to Stop Fraud](#)

[Fraud - Victim Support](#)

[Cybercrime and online fraud - Victim Support](#)

Practical tools and resources

[Reimbursement Toolkit](#) – how to get your money back

[Fraud Pack Request for Lincolnshire Residents](#)

[Mini guides to... preventing fraud and cyber crime | Metropolitan Police](#)

[Little Guide to ACTION FRAUD \(subtitles & sign\).mp4 on Vimeo](#)



Useful links and information around Scams



General advice

[What to do if you've been scammed - Citizens Advice](#)

[Stop! Think Fraud - How to stay safe from scams](#)

[Staying Safe Online | Connect to Support Lincolnshire](#)



Reporting

[Action Fraud](#)

[Other languages | Action Fraud](#)

[Report a scam - Citizens Advice](#)



Awareness

[Council warning over roof repair scams in Shirebrook - BBC News](#)

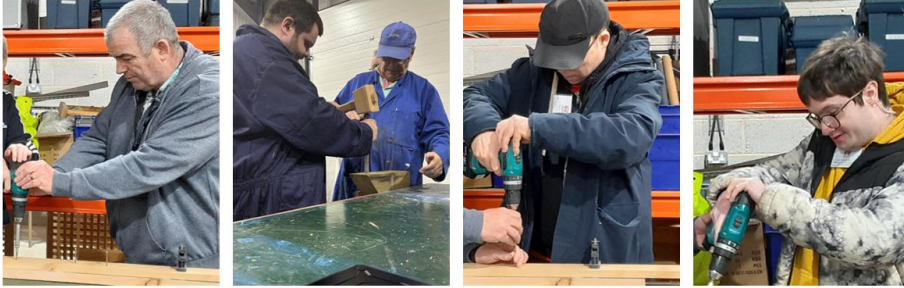
[Fake council workers scam Brighton tenants over repairs - BBC News](#)



Lots of great things going on at Hastings Day Service

Wood working at the men's shed

The Wood workers are part of The men's shed.
We have been making bird houses planters and have been working on custom orders.



Skills for Voluntary work Course

For 10 weeks over winter, we did a skills for voluntary jobs course through the venue at roses.
We covered communication in the workplace, problem solving and everyone one is working towards or have their level 1 food Hygiene certificate.



Lantern Making for Gainsborough Illuminate 2026

Nadia and Lou from the Usher art gallery in Lincoln have been working with us to make lanterns for the Gainsborough illuminate Parade.



Hastings Day Service

Calvert 2026



Mark and Neil came on a supported holiday with the funds we raised. Over the weekend we had at Calvert we did Ziplining, Archery, Canoeing, roasting marshmallows, swimming and a nighttime walk.



Cycling

We were donated some old Borriss bikes and have been learning how to ride bike.



Gainsborough illuminate 2026

The lanterns we made with Nadi and Lou were used as part of the Gainsborough illuminate Parade





Hello, my name is Michelle
I am a Speak Out Leader
for VoiceAbility and an
Ambassador for Mencap.

Mencap have a
campaign called 'I'm In'.



This is to get the message
out about how important
it is for people with a
learning disability to sign
up to the learning
disability register.

This will help them get the
right support and help
with any health needs.



We will share the Mencap
easy read information
about this campaign.



I'm In campaign



What is the I'm In campaign?

The I'm In campaign tells people about the learning disability register .



The learning disability register is a list of people who have a learning disability.



The learning disability register helps people with a learning disability get better help with their health.



It helps people with a learning disability get a free health check every year.



We want people with a learning disability to join the learning disability register and say "I'm In."



Why is the I'm In campaign important?

The I'm In campaign is important because people with a learning disability are about 20 years younger than people without a learning disability when they die.



And about 2 out of 5 people with a learning disability would not have died if they had the right help with their health.



How do I join the learning disability register?

You can join the learning disability register at your GP surgery.



Our easy read page

<https://www.mencap.org.uk/easyread/join-the-learning-disability-register> tells you more about how to join the learning disability register.



How can I take part in the I'm In campaign?

- join the learning disability register



You can [use our website to make an easy read letter to take to your GP surgery to tell them you want to join the learning disability register.](#)



[sign up to the I'm In campaign](#)



If you are part of a group that wants to sign up to the campaign, we have a [form for groups to sign up to the I'm In campaign.](#)

When you sign up to the I'm In campaign, we will send you a free badge.



- tell people about the I'm In campaign on social media



Help us to tell everyone about the learning disability register and why it is important. You can make your own post or share one of ours.



- tell your friends about the I'm In campaign



Talk to your friends, family and people at groups you go to about the learning disability register and why it is important.

- wear your I'm In badge to help you let other people know about the learning disability register.



Mencap are using money from OmazeUK to get more people on the learning disability register so they can get better help with their health and have a health check. Thank you OmazeUK.



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Lincoln City Football



David Sheardown,
football fanatic

I might not have managed to get myself to a game this year yet, but I can feel the buzz from Lincoln City football.



They have not lost a match in 22 games.



They are currently at the top of the league.



It is looking good and I am hopeful they will get a promotion into the Championship league.



Come on you Imps

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Busydays Daycare Newsletter

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Busydays Daycare



Pancake Day

Pancake Day at Busydays... Making pancakes, eating pancakes and racing pancakes! Some pancakes may have been harmed while taking part in the racing.



Valentine's Day

Busydays was filled with laughter and love in the days leading up to Valentine's Day, as the clients took part in a range of Valentine's themed activities.

And, of course, we topped it all off with our brilliant Valentine's Disco; with music, drinks and plenty of incredible dance moves on display!

We spent time crafting roses and baking love heart-shaped biscuits to get into the Valentine's Day spirit.

Love was definitely in the air and everyone at Busydays had a great time celebrating Valentine's Day together.

Upcoming Events

St Patrick's Day Disco

17th March - 17:00-19:00

Prepare to hit the dance floor at our St Patrick's Day Disco party!

Easter Fair

23rd March - 10:00-12:00

Raffle, refreshments, face painting, games and more! All welcome.

Family & Friends Forum

26th March - 10:30

Open discussion with Michael & Lauren. All family and friends of Busydays Daycare welcome.

Joke of the Month

This month's joke comes from Dena:

Why did the astronaut break up with his girlfriend? He needed some space!



February 2026

This Month in Pictures



Life Skills & Helping in the Community

While having fun is what we're all about at Busydays Daycare, it's also important to us that we empower our clients to improve their life skills and take part in their community.

This month we have focused on this by cooking and using the dishwasher in the kitchen, tidying our garden and litter picking in the areas around our hub.




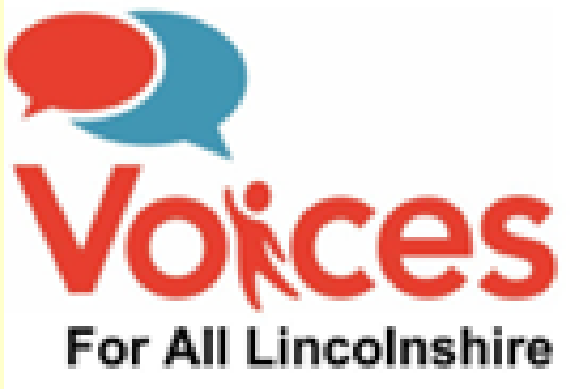
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If you would like to learn more about the stories in this newsletter, or if you have any suggestions for future issues, please feel free to get in touch.

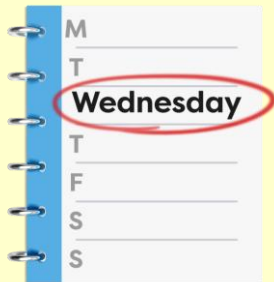
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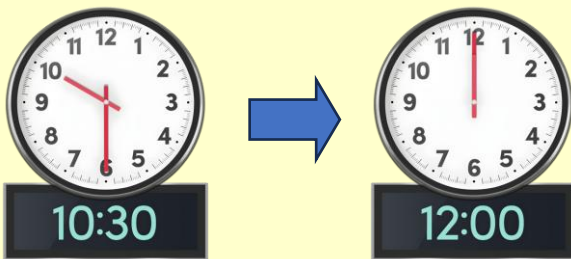
 Busydays Daycare



Our next Voices For All meeting will be a Celebration Event. Come along and join us on:



- Wednesday
- 10th June
- 10.30-12



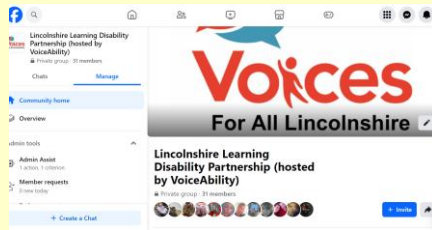
It will be at:

Boundary Hub,
Boundary Street,
Lincoln
LN5 8NJ



We look forward to seeing you there.

Lincolnshire Learning Disability Partnership, Facebook.



[Lincolnshire Learning Disability Partnership \(hosted by VoiceAbility\) | Facebook](#)

Our Facebook group for Lincolnshire Learning Disability Partnership.

Please click the link above and share with anyone who may be interested in sharing information and linking up with different groups for people with a learning disability in Lincolnshire.

Click the link below to view the **Lincolnshire Learning Disability Partnership website**:

www.voiceability.org/speakoutlincs

- To get involved with Lincolnshire Learning Disability Partnership
- Find out information
- Share information
- Be added to our contact list

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