



Issue 22



Connecting people with
learning disabilities in Dorset



Who are People First Dorset?

We are a charity led and run by people with learning disabilities, with support from staff and volunteers.

We want to be independent, to have our voices heard and be included in community life.

How to contact us



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Welcome to the Connect Dorset Newsletter!



Inside you will find information about our meetings and events for October.



We usually send the newsletter every 2 months, but we will be sending it monthly over the winter.



This is because the number of Covid 19 infections is increasing.



So we need to be able to check the infection numbers and new guidance more frequently throughout the winter.



Then we can organise events that try to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Events Diary



Don't forget to fill up your diary with People First Dorset events!

Please book your place in advance.
See page 8 for information on
booking events.

Friendship Club

Community Events

Come and meet up with friends at local venues like pubs and cafes.



Event	Date and Time	Where
<i>Pub and Quiz</i>	Tuesday 4 th October 6pm to 8pm	<i>Dorchester</i> The Brewhouse
<i>Pub and Quiz</i>	Tuesday 4 th October 6pm to 8pm	<i>Sturminster Newton</i> The Bull Inn
<i>Meal and Quiz</i>	Tuesday 11 th October 6pm to 8pm	<i>Weymouth</i> The Gurkha Restaurant

Friendship Club

Event	Date and Time	Where
Bingo Night	Tuesday 18 th October 6pm to 8pm	Dorchester Hendover Café
Pub and Games	Tuesday 18 th October 6pm to 8pm	Sturminster Newton The White Hart
Visit to Museum	Tuesday 25 th October 6pm to 8pm	Weymouth Weymouth Museum
Halloween Disco	Thursday 27 th October 7pm to 9pm	Weymouth Centenary Club

Friendship Club

Singing Session

Come and sing along to familiar songs. No auditions, anyone can join in.



Date and Time	Where
Thursday 6 th October and Thursday 20 th October 6pm to 7.30pm	Dorchester United Reformed Church

Online Event

Have fun from home with our online quizzes and games.



Date and Time	Where
Monday 17 th October 6pm to 7pm	On Zoom

Speaking Up

Speaking Up are meetings where we come together and talk about what is important to us.



Area	Date and Time	Where
Bridport	Thursday 20 th October 2pm - 3.30pm	Bridport Youth Centre
Dorchester	Wednesday 5 th October 6pm - 7.30pm	The Dorford Centre
Swanage	Monday 24 th October 11am - 12.30pm	Learning Centre Durlston Park
Verwood	Thursday 27 th October 11am - 12.30pm	Verwood Hub
Weymouth	Wednesday 26 th October 6pm - 7.30pm	Hope United Reformed Church

Event Booking

Please let us know you are coming to our events!

There are lots of ways you can tell us which events you are coming to, you can:



Telephone the office.



Email the office.



Fill out the form on the next page.

Put a tick by the events you would like to come to, then post it back to us.



Fill out the form on our website. You will find the form on our homepage.

Booking Form

Name

Email

Telephone

Friendship Club



Tuesday 4th October Dorchester

Tuesday 18th October Dorchester

Tuesday 4th October Sturminster

Tuesday 18th October Sturminster

Tuesday 11th October Weymouth

Tuesday 25th October Weymouth

Tuesday 27th October Weymouth

Singing Sessions

Thursday 6th October Dorchester

Thursday 20th October Dorchester

Online Event



Monday 17th October

Zoom

Speaking Up

Thursday 20th October

Bridport

Wednesday 5th October

Dorchester

Monday 24th October

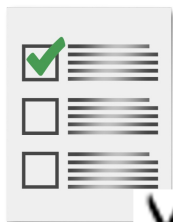
Swanage

Thursday 27th October

Verwood

Wednesday 26th October

Weymouth



Please cut out the form, put it in an envelope and post to:

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You don't need a stamp.

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