

Holiday Food Provision - Summer 2018

Feeding Leicester are delighted to announce a programme of summer fun for 2018, supported by funding from the Department for Education

Leicester City council has been working in partnership with Action Homeless and FareShare East Midlands to enable local community groups and adventure playgrounds to provide summer holiday meals and activities to children across Leicester.

Feeding Leicester, part of the national Feeding Britain network, is a coalition of Leicester City Council, local charities and community organisations working to provide access to good food for all across the city. The summer holiday clubs are part of a national initiative to make holiday food and fun available to children and families around the country.

3 million children in the UK are at risk of going hungry during school holidays. The summer holiday is particularly hard, as low-income families can struggle to cover the additional food costs over six weeks, particularly in the absence of free school meals.

Holiday clubs have a beneficial effect on children's health, physical activity levels, educational progress and social skills.

There are a number of clubs operating across the city. Please find details and contact information below;

Club name and address	Dates/times of operation	Details of planned provision	Contact info
Leicester Community Services Suite 24, 1st Floor, Melbourne Centre, Melbourne Road, Leicester, LE2 0GU	First 3 weeks of summer holidays on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays	Hot and cold food along with arts, crafts and sports activities	Hassan Ali (main contact) 01163192930
St. Peter's Church St. Peter's Rd, Highfields, Leicester, LE2 1DA	Throughout summer holiday's on Mondays and Thursdays	Hot food with arts and crafts activities	Cathryn Parsons (main contact) 0116 2553095
St Matthew's Neighbourhood Centre 10 Malabar Road, Leicester, LE1 2PD	Throughout summer holidays on Mondays and Tuesdays	Cold packed lunch with library based activities	Hiten Patel (main contact) 01162221045
St Matthew's Big Local 25 Kamloops Crescent, Leicester, LE1 2HX	Throughout summer holidays on Wednesdays (food parcel for rest of week will be issued at end of session)	Hot food	Barbara Grant-Bennett Simon Johnson 0116 2518737
Christ the King Foodbank Christ the King, Beaumont Way, Beaumont Leys, Leicester, LE4 1DS	Throughout summer holidays everyday Monday to Friday	Packed lunches and activity on selected days	Katie Wray (main contact) 07584017093

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E2 2-4 Home Farm Square, E2 Training Centre, Beaumont Leys, LE4 0RU	14 July - 18 August, most days	Range of activities including arts and crafts, sports and specialist sessions	Martin Buchanan (main contact) 0116 2359481 / 0116 2128491
Mowmacre Young Peoples Play and Development Bewcastle Grove Leicester, LE4 2JY	23 July - 24 August (5 weeks) 10am- 2pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 235 5668 mowmacreplayground@icloud.com
Northfields Play Association Gypsy Lane Leicester, LE5 0TD	16 July - 24 August (6 weeks) 12noon - 4pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 276 3720 playbarn@btconnect.com
Goldhill Adventure Playground Windley Road Leicester, LE2 6QX	16 July - 10 August (4 weeks) 11am - 4pm Additional needs 11.30am - 4pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 283 6350 dnxgap@aol.com
Highfields Adventure Playground Spinney Hill Park (access from Mere Road) Leicester, LE5 5GQ	16 July - 24 August (6 weeks) 12noon - 4pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 262 4592 hapa@btconnect.com
Braunstone Adventure Playground Cort Crescent, Braunstone, Leicester, LE3 1QZ	16 July - 24 August (6 weeks) Monday: 12noon - 5pm Tuesday and Friday: 12noon - 6pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 291 9700 thevench@btconnect.com
St Andrews Play Association Thirlmere Gardens, Walnut Street, Leicester, LE2 7LA	23 July - 24 August (5 weeks) 12noon - 4pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 291 6006 sapa.playbuilding@hotmail.co.uk
Woodgate Adventure Playground Bonchurch Street, Woodgate Leicester, LE3 5EG	16 July - 24 August (6 weeks) Monday to Friday 12.30pm - 2.30pm and 3pm - 6pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 262 4258 therally@btinternet.com
New Parks Adventure Playground Glenfield Road, New Parks Leicester, LE3 6RN	16 July - 24 August (6 weeks) 12noon-4pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 287 8239 newparks-thevenny@live.co.uk
What Cabin Willow Street, Leicester, LE1 2HP	16 July - 17 August (5 weeks) 3pm - 6pm	Free fun and play with a cold packed lunch	0116 262 6551 whatcabin@yahoo.co.uk

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