

Information &
support for
families of children
with
additional support
needs



Signpost news

May 2019

Welcome.....

Hello everyone, welcome to our latest newsletter, with all the latest information about what's going on for families and professionals.

Signpost Summer Lego Club

Great News!!

Signpost are hosting a **Summer Lego Club** on Tuesdays from 2 July - 13 August, 1:30pm – 3:00pm.

The club is for children with a diagnosis of Autism aged 7-12 and their siblings. **Cost: £20 per child**

If you would like to apply for a place for your child please download and complete an application form from :

<http://signpost-online.co.uk/about-signpost/vacancies/>

Alternatively, if you would like a paper copy please call our office on 01506 431123.

Please note: Places cannot be guaranteed. Closing date for child applications is Friday 7th June. We expect to notify successful applicants by Friday 21st June, please do not contact us before that date.

Parents/carers will have to remain on site for the duration of the Club

Signpost Summer Vacancies

For a rewarding experience this summer, join the Signpost Team to support children with autism and their siblings while they have 'fun with lego'.

LEGO Summer Club – Play Leader

Salary: £10/hour
Status: Seasonal Work 2.5 hrs/week July/August 2019
Closing Date: Friday, 24th May 2019
Location: Beatlie School Campus, Livingston, West Lothian

LEGO Summer Club - Seasonal Worker

Salary: £8.50/hour
Status: Seasonal work 2.5 hrs/week July-August 2019
Closing Date: Friday, 24th May 2019
Location: Beatlie School Campus, Livingston, West Lothian

LEGO Summer Club – Volunteer Opportunity

Status: Volunteer work 2.5 hrs/week July-August 2019
Closing Date: Friday, 24th May 2019
Location: Beatlie School Campus, Livingston, West Lothian

For further details and application forms see our website:

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Special Thanks



Thank you to Lucy MacMillan who walked a magnificent 7km and raised an incredible amount of money for Signpost.

Lucy said "I am doing a walk to raise money for Signpost because they are an amazing charity who give great support"

Well Done Lucy!!

Can you Help with Fundraising?- Kiltwalk 2019



The Kiltwalks are organised sponsored walking events across Scotland. Participants raise money for Scotland's children's charities and local causes of their choice.

So, whether you are a wee wanderer, a big stroller or a mighty strider, every step helps our UK charities, do 1 Kiltwalk or all 4 - it's up to you!

If you want to take part, to raise tons of cash for Signpost and your favourite charities and be in with a **chance to win a car**, here are the dates for **Kiltwalk 2019**:

Glasgow 28th April, Aberdeen 2nd June, Dundee 18th August, Edinburgh 15th September

Independent Living Fund Scotland - Transition Fund

Are you aged 16-21, and living with a disability in Scotland?

Would you like to enhance your independence and confidence?

The Transition Fund can support you to try new activities and experiences.

You could be eligible for up to £7,500 in funding, for 1 year!



For more information and to complete your online application form visit: <https://ilf.scot/>

New Website

New website coming soon!

Signpost is planning a shiny new website, and we'd like to hear from you about what you'd like to see on it.

Here are a few questions to get you started, but please tell us anything that comes to mind about what makes a good website (and what to avoid!)



- Do you use our website currently?
- What should we put on the new site? Give us your wishlist!
- What's the single most important thing we should put on our website?
- How easy is it to use our website?
- How likely are you to recommend our website?

Did you know Signpost is a registered charity, and we have to raise all our funds ourselves each year?

All donations are gratefully received, and go towards supporting families to have the same choices and chances as any other.

Signpost - Support for families of young people with additional needs in West Lothian

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