



Galloway's

22 Wright Street, Southport

Programme of events

May 2019 – July 2019

For further details of any of the activities on offer
please contact the centre on

Tel. 01704 534555

or

Email southport@galloways.org.uk

Registered Charity Number 526088

Dates for your Diary.

13th to 17th May – Spring Sale of new and pre-loved equipment and talking books.

Tuesday 18th June-Synaptic and Vision Aid Exhibition

25th and 26th July- 2 day Living with Sight Loss Course

Regular Events

Craft

Every Monday 10.00am to 12.00pm during term time

Craft sessions, come along and be creative and socialise with like-minded people booking essential.

Bingo

Every Wednesday 1.00pm to 14.30pm

Bingo using either large print or tactile boards. Meet others living with sight loss and have a game of bingo, a brew and a chat.

Social meeting

Every Thursday 12.00pm to 14.00pm at Ormskirk Parish Church

Meet others living with sight loss and have a light lunch, a brew and a chat

Braille

Every Friday 10.00am to 11.00am

This is for Sefton residents only and should be arranged through Social Services Rehabilitation Officer.

May 2019

Friday 3rd May

10:30 to 13:00- "Swinging Arts" morning - with our own "in house" music group! If you enjoy singing or play an instrument they would love you to come and join them.

13:00 to 14:00 - Book Club

Monday 6th May

Closed – May Bank Holiday

Wednesday 8th May

14:30 to 15:30- Charles Bonnet Group

West Lancs/Sefton area Walk, A nice level walk from Ainsdale to Southport, contact James on 01772 744 148 for further details

Friday 10th May

10:30 to 14:30 – Tech drop-in day

Monday 13th May

13:30 to 14:30 – Speaker, David Herron from Merseyrail

Tuesday 14th May

10:00 to 12:00 – Southport Visually Impaired Group meet at 22 Wright St. Coffee morning.

Friday 17th May

14:00 to 16:00 – Croquet, cost £5, booking essential.

Monday 20th May

13:30 to 14:30 – Quiz

14:30 to 16:30 – Southport Talking Newspaper AGM,
all are welcome.

Driving Day 3 Sisters Wigan.- Our very popular driving day returns again for 2019. Get your chance to drive around a race track under instruction from a qualified driving instructor and enjoy the thrill of riding passenger in various Porsches and sports cars as they give you some fast laps around the track

Wednesday 22nd May

Water day - Waterpark

Come and have a go at various watersports such as Canoeing sailing and windsurfing if you have wondered what the waterpark residential is like come along on this 1 day event and get a feel for the area

Friday 24rd May

12:30 to 14.00 – Boccia, indoor bowling games for all abilities (done from a seated position). Come along for a fun, social afternoon.

Monday 27th May

Closed – May Bank Holiday

Tuesday 28th May

10:00 to 12:00 – Southport Visually Impaired Group meet at 22 Wright St. Alan Foxhall, Plant sale and talk.

Friday 31st May

10:30 to 14.00 – Woodwork - come and try your hand at making something - tools and wood provided!

June 2019

Monday 3rd June

13:30 to 14:30 – Quiz

Friday 7^h June

10:30 to 14:30 – Tech drop-in day

13:00 to 14:00 –Book Club

Monday 10th June

13:30 to 14:30 – Speaker, Affordable Warmth Team

Tuesday 11th June

10:00 to 12:00 – Southport Visually Impaired Group meet at 22 Wright St. Coffee morning.

Wednesday 13th June

14:30 to 15:30- Charles Bonnet Group

Friday 14th June

14:00 to 16:00 – Croquet, cost £5, booking essential.

Monday 17th June

13:30 to 14:30 – Quiz.

Tuesday 18th June

10:00 to 15:00 -Synapptic and Vision Aid Exhibition

Friday 21st June

12:30 to 14.00 – Boccia, indoor bowling games for all abilities (done from a seated position). Come along for a fun, social afternoon.

Monday 24th June

13:30 to 14:30 – Speaker, Guide Dogs- My Guide

Tuesday 25th June

10:00 to 12:00 – Southport Visually Impaired Group meet at 22 Wright St. Speaker TBC

Friday 28th June

10:30 to 14.00 – Woodwork - come and try your hand at making something - tools and wood provided!

July 2019

Monday 1st July

West Lancs and Sefton Walk – Contact James on 01772 744 148 for further details.

13:00 to 14:00- Quiz

Friday 5th July

10:30 to 14:30 – Tech Drop-In-Day with Andrew

13:00 to 14:00 - Book Club

Monday 8th July

13:00 to 14:00 – Speaker, David Eddy – Sefton Council

Tuesday 9th July

10:00 to 12:00 – Southport Visually Impaired Group meet at 22 Wright St. Coffee Morning.

Wednesday 10th July

14:30 to 15:30 – Charles Bonnet Group

Friday 12th July

10:30 to 12.30 – Woodwork - come and try your hand at making something - tools and wood provided!

13:00 to 14.30 – Boccia, indoor bowling games for all abilities (done from a seated position). Come along for a fun, social afternoon.

Monday 15th July

There is no craft this week

13:30 to 14:30 – Quiz

Friday 19th July

14:00 to 16:00 – Croquet, cost £5, booking essential.

Monday 22nd July

13:00 to 14:00 – Speaker Jill Fielding – Music Therapy

Tuesday 23rd July

10:00 to 12:00 – Southport Visually Impaired Group meet at 22 Wright St. Speaker TBC

Thursday 25th July

10:00 to 15:30 – Living with Sight Loss Course Day 1

Friday 26th July

10:00 to 15:30 – Living with Sight Loss Course Day 2

Monday 29th July

13:30 to 14:30 – Quiz

EVERYONE is welcome to join us on our activities and trips out, so please do ring for further information on anything that interests you in this booklet.

Tel: 01704 534555

Galloway's Society for the Blind is a local charity supporting around 6,500 blind and partially sighted people across Sefton and Lancashire.

Our Southport branch is based in Wright Street where we have a stock of specialist equipment in our Sight Advice centre and serve West Lancashire and Sefton.

We provide specialist training in, Basic computer instruction through to specialist training in Guide and Jaws and also teach Braille (Sefton Residents only, arranged through Social Services, for those who live in Sefton).

We also hold information days, which enables us to bring together national and local service providers to demonstrate some of the latest innovations in technology, resources and services available.

You are welcome to call in:

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:30 am – 4:30 pm
and Tuesday and Thursday by appointment**