





Big Norfolk Holiday Fun programme is now open – FREE summer holiday activities for children eligible for means tested free school meals

After a successful Easter programme the Big Norfolk Holiday Fun is back for summer. We know at Easter your help was invaluable in reaching families and ensuring they signed up, thank you for your support and we hope that you will be able to help us make the summer a success too.

We have a fantastic range of activities for 5-16 year olds taking place this summer during the holidays, and we're pleased to announce that the full programme is available online to book.

The sessions will include a variety of fun activities, including sports, music, arts and other exciting opportunities to learn and develop skills, alongside a free nutritious meal each day.

This opportunity is provided as part of the government's Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme being delivered across Norfolk by Norfolk County Council in partnership with Active Norfolk.

Please share the information provided with eligible families to encourage parents and carers to book their children onto the activities. We encourage families to do this as soon as possible so they can get their first choice of activity.

To encourage older children to take part we have also provided a digital promo postcard to email directly to them so please support us by sending it to eligible young people. Some families may need support with booking and we would encourage you to work with them to take advantage of this scheme.

Booking can be done in 3 simple steps

- **1)** Parents should visit <u>www.activenorfolk.org/getmycode</u> to register and receive their Big Norfolk Holiday Fun booking code
- **2)** They can check out all the fun activities here <u>www.norfolk.gov.uk/holidayactivities</u> and decide which ones they'd like to book
- **3)** Parents need their booking code to hand and click on the links provided for their chosen activity. Using their booking code will ensure that the activities will be completely free of charge.

Please remember that the free holiday activities are likely to be popular and we really don't want families to miss out! **Securing a code does not guarantee a place on activities and places are booked on a first come first served basis.**

If you have any questions please get in touch at **BNHF@norfolk.gov.uk**

Looking forward to a fun and active summer.

Kind regards

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