

Play Alloa Sessions

Play Alloa provides a number of grant funded or self supported groups and sessions. Additional activities occur from time to time, as funding allows and as requested by our members. We aim to provide a lifelong service which is adaptable and flexible to the needs of our service users and families. The following list of sessions, therefore, may change.

Day/Session	Hours
Monday	
Wee Play Alloa (pre5s)	Weekly, 10am-12pm
Adult Social Group	Weekly termtime, 7-9pm
Tuesday	
Adult Drop In	Weekly termtime, 10am-12pm
Moving On Group	Weekly termtime , 12.30-2.30pm
Youth Club	Weekly termtime, 6.30-8.30pm
Wednesday	
Youth Lifeskills Group	Weekly termtime, 10am-2pm
Buddies Group	Weekly termtime, 6.30-8.30pm
Thursday	
Adult Drop In	Weekly, 10am-12pm
Moving On Group	Weekly termtime, 12.30-2.30pm
Youth Club	Weekly termtime, 6.30-8.30pm
Friday	
Clacks Families: Parent / Carer Support Group	Monthly termtime, 10am-12pm
Saturday	
Play Session (Alloa)	Weekly termtime, 10.30am-1.30pm
Play Session (Hillfoots)	Weekly termtime, 10am-12.30pm
Summer Sessions	
Play Sessions	Various during School Holidays
Youth Activities	Various during School Holidays

Contact us more more information.

www.playalloa.co.uk

Play Alloa aims to:

1. Extend the choice and control that children, young people and adults have over their play/ social experiences, the freedom they enjoy and the satisfaction they gain
2. Recognise everyone's need to test boundaries and respond positively to that need.
3. Manage the balance between the need to offer risk and the need to keep people safe from harm.
4. Maximise the range of play and social opportunities.
5. Foster independence and self esteem.
6. Foster people's respect for others and offer opportunities for social interaction.
7. Foster an individual's well being, healthy growth and development, knowledge and understanding, creativity and capacity to learn.



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Providing a range of play and social opportunities for children, young people and adults with disabilities and additional support needs from across Clackmannanshire.



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Play Alloa aims to create a varied and interesting environment that stimulates social, physical, creative, emotional and intellectual play for everyone especially those with disabilities and additional support needs.

Our 4 main aims are:

1. To provide a range of services for children, young people and adults with disabilities and additional support needs
2. To provide respite for families and carers
3. To promote inclusion in the community
4. To support the carers of tomorrow via our volunteering/work experience programme

Our setting includes the provision of open space, music, art and craft and a range of objects and materials (loose parts) that can be selected to develop ones own play/social experience.



Play Alloa offers services for all ages, from birth to adulthood and adopts a supportive family environment where there is mutual respect and real motivation to encourage opportunities for all.

Play Alloa provides resources and activities based on individual interests, abilities and needs.

- Our resources and environment are continually assessed, evaluated and adapted.
- Staff in the setting recognise the importance of free play/social experiences with minimal intervention whilst keeping service users safe from harm.
- The setting will provide staffing at a 1:1, 1:2 or 1:3 ratio, depending on individual needs.
- Volunteers will support staff in play/social sessions and may count towards any ratio

Accessing our Service

In order to secure a place within the Play Alloa, service self referrals can be made by any parent/ carer, or individual, who feels that their son/ daughter, or they, would benefit from a supported environment in which to develop safe and social connections within their own community.

Parents/carers and individuals should contact the office in the first instance. A registration form will be issued and is required to be completed. Once a session place has been identified parents/ carers/individuals are invited to attend the group in question for a short 1hr accompanied (if required) visit. After this a session start date will be issued.

Referrals can also be made by Education, Health or Social Services with the permission of families.

Once a referral form has been received we will contact the family/individual directly.

Costs

As Play Alloa is funded by a number of 1 to 3 year grants, we rely heavily on local fundraising and session fees to ensure the continuity of our service.

We, therefore, ask for a £5 donation for each session.

We would ask you to complete a Gift Aid Form (in each parent pack) if you are a tax payer as we can recover the tax on any donation you make in the future.

Your support for ongoing fundraising activities is also greatly appreciated.

