

# Barking & Dagenham SEND LOCAL OFFER Quick Updates

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Please reserve the date  
**4<sup>th</sup> December 2023 Monday**  
to support our Young People  
International Day of  
Disabled People (IDDP)

## New SEND Local Offer Website (beta) - What's On

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New resource added:

- International Day of Disabled People (IDDP)
- Creative Events for Young People
- NDTi Video – *Sterre's Creative Journey into Employment*
- BRIC Jobs Fair
- Barking and Dagenham Warm Spaces



### Just Say Open Forum (link)

- Wed 15th Nov 2023
- 10.00am - 1.15pm
- Daggers Football Club

Two topics with guest speakers:

1. MENTAL WELLBEING – new Mental Health Support Team for school age children.
2. GETTING AROUND – Travel and Transport for our children and Young People.

Barking & Dagenham Progress Project presents  
a day of inclusion and celebration  
International Day of Disabled People 2023

# IDDP 2023



Inclusive fashion theme. Come dressed to impress!



When- Monday December 4<sup>th</sup>



Where- Dagenham & Redbridge Football Club,  
Victoria Road, Dagenham, RM10 7XL



Timings- Soft opening and lunch at 1pm,  
Formal opening at 2pm, 8:30pm finish

What to expect.....



Music and speakers



Fashion and talent show



Sport and arts and crafts



Family disco



...and much more

For more details, please email [iddp@bdpp.org.uk](mailto:iddp@bdpp.org.uk)  
or call Simon on 07815535423

## Collaborative:

- Involve parents, children and young people in developing and review the SEND Local Offer

- Cooperate with schools, youth groups and NHS...



## Accessible:

Jargon free

By broad age group

Use of easy read, photos and videos

Embed accessibility tools

More language options



## Comprehensive:

- Support is expected to be available across education, health and social care and how to access it

- Clear where to go for information, advice and support



## Up to date:

- At this testing stage, information updated daily/weekly

- After officially launched, website to be updated monthly



# SEND Local Offer new website improvement



**22  
DAYS**

until

**5<sup>th</sup> December  
2023**

- New SEND Local Offer website officially launches
- 2<sup>nd</sup> SEND Local Offer newsletter issues



SUPPORT and HELP - this week the key information I want to share is our Warm Spaces. With the rise in the cost of living, this winter will be challenging, especially for families with children and young people with SEND. Please share or signpost anyone in need of warmth to our warm spaces to stay, listen, or chat. Times are tough right now, so the Council and community partners are working together to support you.