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October Half Term Fun Activities

Dear Parents and Carers,

At Eastway we want to create memories to last a lifetime. Half term can be an expensive time with Christmas just around the corner.

I have sourced some exciting free and low priced ideas for days out in Liverpool and the Wirral for you all to experience and enjoy. I have attached details of these which I hope you find useful.

This half term, Mersey Rail are offering a Family Ticket for £13.00 for a family of up to five. You hop on and off the train as much as you like (anytime except between the hours 06.31am - 09.29am on weekdays).

Please remember to tag us in on Twitter @EastwayPrimary whatever lovely family activities you get up to this half term. It would be great to see what everyone has been up to.

Wishing you all a great half term. Stay safe and have fun!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Brown
Class Teacher

Museum of Liverpool



From its Little Liverpool gallery to a hands-on LEGO workshop, there's so much to do at the Museum of Liverpool.

Join Steve Guinness (aka The Brick Consultant) in making a mosaic of the Beatles Abbey Road album cover.

Sessions run 10am to 12pm and 1pm to 4pm between Wednesday, October 27 and Friday, October 29. (Not suitable for children under three). The completed build will contain more than 16,500 LEGO bricks.

Little Liverpool gallery is crammed with fun activities for children 6 and under (between 11am and 2.45pm daily).

There are two family concerts you can play, sing and dance along to on Tuesday, October 26.

Visitors can also write messages to add to the 'rainbow bridge', to celebrate the River of Light festival, on Saturday, October 23 (11am to 12.30pm) and October 26 (1.30pm to 4pm).

For full listings visit www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk

Nearest station: James Street (Wirral line services) or Moorfields (Northern line).

Walking time: 5 minutes (James Street) or 12 minutes (Moorfields).

New Brighton



There's plenty to do in New Brighton, whatever the weather!

Start off with a walk around Vale Park and explore the mini fairy village. Walk along the coastline towards Marine Point to grab an award-winning ice cream from Caffe Cream, or a spot of lunch from one of the several restaurants and cafes along the waterfront.

If the weather allows, why not take your own picnic onto the beach and enjoy the views?

Older kids will be impressed by the murals in New Brighton's Victoria Quarter, which showcase the amazing work of both local and international artists. See how many you can spot and take some time to soak up the atmosphere of this up-and-coming part of the town. Whilst you're there, don't forget to look out for the five

Royal Albert Dock Circus Skills



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The finale will see the dock's Anchor Courtyard transform into a circus school, with 160 sessions of free circus skills on offer. From Monday, October 25 and Friday, October 29, children aged six to 14 can try juggling, spinning plates, and the trapeze.

Visit www.albertdock.com

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Nearest station: James Street (Wirral line services).

Liverpool Central (Northern and Wirral lines).

Walking time: 11 minutes (James Street); 15 minutes (Liverpool Central).

	<p>identical mermaids on the New Brighton Mermaid Trail.</p> <p>For those wetter days, New Brighton offers plenty of indoor fun; from bowling and arcade entertainment, through to family-friendly screenings at the Light Cinema.</p>	
<p>Lady Lever Art Gallery</p>  <p>Craft-loving kids can get creative with map making and autumn crafts at the Lady Lever Art Gallery.</p> <p>Children aged 11 and over will learn about the maps of 12th Century Arab explorer Muhammad Al-Idrisi.</p> <p>The workshops with artist Jessica El Mal take place 10am to 11.30am; 12.30pm to 2pm on Tuesday, October 26 and Wednesday, October 27.</p> <p>It is part of the Liverpool Arab Arts Festival cultural education programme. (See the website to book free tickets).</p> <p>Younger visitors can create autumnal paper</p>	<p>Katumba Halloween Carnival</p>  <p>Liverpool's annual Katumba Halloween Carnival will return to the city centre on Sunday, October 31.</p> <p>The carnival, which was cancelled last year due to the pandemic, will take place between 4.30pm and 9pm. There will be drums, dance, and fire, as well as spooky pop-up performances.</p> <p>It is part of Routes & Roots - Festival of the African Diaspora during Black History Month.</p>	<p>Liverpool ONE</p>  <p>Liverpool ONE will welcome everything from wicked witches to ghosts and ghouls this Halloween.</p> <p>In Demand Radio will host a spooky party between 12 and 5pm on Saturday, October 30.</p> <p>This will include a fancy dress competition, and a Halloween parade at 4pm. To enter, bring your little ones to the first floor of South John Street from 1pm to 3pm.</p> <p>There's a photo competition at Hamleys, a spin-the-trick-or-treat-wheel at Cass Art and the chance to win a trip to Transylvania at Chopstix.</p>

<p>wreaths on October 26 and a spooktacular house on October 27, from 1pm to 4pm.</p> <p>More information at www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk/lady-lever-art-gallery</p> <p>Nearest station: Bebington Walking time: 6 minutes</p>	<p>The festival offers two weeks of free family-friendly activities, such as lantern making and family drumming.</p> <p>For more information go to www.katumba.co.uk</p> <p>Nearest station: Liverpool Central is a short walk away from Liverpool ONE, Church Street and St Luke's 'bombed out' church</p>	<p>More details at www.liverpool-one.com.</p> <p>Nearest stations: James Street station (Wirral line services). Liverpool Central (for Northern line). Walking time: 5 mins (James Street) or 7 minutes (Central).</p>
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