



Pastoral Newsletter

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Safeguarding:

What to do if you are worried about the safety of a child:

Contact the school office on 01788 890494 and ask to speak with one of our designated Safeguarding leads:
Mrs Willis head@braunston.pdet.org.uk
Mrs Sawyer n.sawyer@braunston.pdet.org.uk
Mrs Craig r.craig@braunston.pdet.org.uk

Contact NSPCC:
0800 800 5000
help@nspcc.org.uk
[How to Report Child Abuse Without Any Worries | NSPCC](#)

Contact MASH 0300 126 7000

If you believe a child is in immediate danger phone 101 or 999.



Pastoral Support:

If you have any concerns about Mental Health or Wellbeing, please contact Mrs Craig on 01788 890494
Or Email:
r.craig@braunston.pdet.org.uk

Family Support:

Please do get in touch with us if you are experiencing financial difficulties in these uncertain times and require support. We have a large stock of pre-loved uniform available – please contact r.craig@braunston.pdet.org.uk or visit our Facebook page. Pre-loved uniform is available to buy from the school entrance.

In addition, if you are having problems with your food bills, please do get in touch with us, either through the school office or to Mrs Willis directly. Any requests for uniform or food will be treated in the strictest confidence.

Alternatively, local food banks are:
Daventry Food Bank:
18A Benbow Close
Daventry
NN11 4JP
Opening Times:
Mon, Wed, Fri 10.30am – 12.30pm

Braunston Food Share and Care:
Available in the church any time the church is open (apart from when it is being used for services).
This is run as a community larder for people to donate and take items as they need.



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The children's mental health charity Place2Be have just launched a new website called Parent Smart. Offering parenting advice to parents and carers of 4-11 year olds, there are lots of practical tips to support children's wellbeing and behaviour. Created by mental health experts with busy parents in mind, the site has short videos and articles on topics from meltdowns to bullying, sleeping difficulties to encouraging self-confidence.

Learn more at [Place2Be: Parenting Smart: Articles](#)



NDAS offer free and confidential drop-in services throughout Northamptonshire. You will be given a safe space to have a support session from one of their specialist advisors. Their advisors can offer emotional support, practical advice and signposting. Please call or email to confirm an appointment. Telephone: 0300 0120154

Website: [Northamptonshire Domestic Abuse Service \(ndas.co\)](http://www.ndas.org.co.uk)

For any general enquiries: info@ndas-org.co.uk

For advice and support: advice@ndas-org.co.uk

Our local drop-in centre is Daventry Children's Centre,

Staverton

Road, Daventry, NN11 4EY – Fridays 9-12.30



Teen Clinic Daventry is a partnership between health services, education professionals, local community and the young people of Daventry and aims to provide a service focusing on physical and mental health. Available to young people aged 11 – 18 living in Daventry and/or attending a school in Daventry. No appointment is needed – teenagers can drop in anytime between 3.30pm and 6.30pm. The clinic is located at Daventry Mind, Brook Street, Old Gas Works Car Park, Daventry, N11 4GG and is run each month on a Monday. The next clinic is Monday 9th January.

For more information visit:

<https://www.teenclinicdaventry.co.uk>



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Daventry Town Football Club launched their Community Hub on Saturday 3rd December. Run by volunteers, the Hub will be open weekly offering food parcels, sanitary products and clothing that have been donated by community members and local businesses. Opening time are:

Thur & Fri 12-2pm and 5-7pm
Sat 9-11am
Sun 10am – 12noon

For more information visit <https://www.facebook.com/CommunityHubDTFC>

**NEW SUPPORT
GROUP
STARTING IN
DAVENTRY**

SEND Support Group

**Do you have a
child or young
person with
additional needs?**

**Please come along to
our drop-in Support
Group.**

Our first session will focus on ASD and ADHD.

**Do you want to
know more about
ASD and ADHD,
strategies or ideas
from supportive
and knowledgeable
staff?**

**Parents, carers, and
children welcome!**

**Thursday's 1pm – 3pm
from 19th January 2023**

**Daventry Children's Centre
Staverton Road
Daventry
NN11 4EY
01604 362265**

