

One Team Success Story

For many years, Priorswood Community Centre, Lyngford Park, have organised Family Activity Days in the school summer holidays.

For the last three years the families visiting have been able to enjoy free hot food delivered by SASP through the Happy Healthy Holidays Fund, which is funded under the Connect Somerset umbrella within Children's Social Care. Many of the children participating in the activities are entitled to Free School Meals, however food is available to all.

A popular choice amongst both children and adults are the jacket potatoes with a range of fillings – with at least 90 being served each day!

The food is prepared by local nursery, Brook Green Early Years, who overlook Lyngford Park. Manager Alison and her staff are always happy to support the local community and do so in any free time they have during the holidays.

Angela Bolitho, North Taunton One Team Coordinator, has worked with partners in the community for many years and is proud of how those working in the area pull out all the stops to engage with their community. Angela said; "The 'Pride in Priorswood Family Activity Days' are the highlight of the year. By bringing everyone together, identifying what needs doing and introducing people to each other The North Taunton One Team can achieve great things. Summer 2024 will see it all happening again in North Taunton!"

Since 2013, 'One Teams' have been working together to offer coordinated, multi-agency support to Somerset residents of all ages and reduce demand on the public sector.

