## Upcoming Events at the L6 Centre...



#### Newsletter





#### Liverpool Six Community Association

Finally we can see a light at the End of The tunnel .we will be open again as soon as we are advised It is safe to do so.



# Lets rewind to March 2020...

On March 23rd the unprecedented events of the Pandemic sent the whole

Country into meltdown as we entered Lock Down and the scenes of panic buying will forever be etched within our memories. Fear & frenzy sent shudders through

Communities already living in deprivation & hardship. We knew our support would be needed more than ever before and an emergency meeting was held and contingency plan drawn up. An army of volunteers joined forces to provide a vital service to families, children and older people across the

City of Liverpool. Firstly we bought 25 industrial chest freezers and 15 fridges to ensure we had capacity to store frozen & chilled items and we placed orders as far away as Isle of Wight to keep up with demand of goods needed to distribute. 100's of essential parcels were made up each day containing an assortment of fresh, frozen and dried food goods also toiletries and cleaning products to ensure the physical and mental health and well-being of residents.





New referral system





#### Christmas 2020...





The L6 Centre were aware of the challenges we faced in delivering a christmas to remember for the city. However, even with covid restrictions in place we were able to distribute thousands of toys, pj's and food parcels right across the city. We purchased a sleigh in November 2020 in order to ensure children were able to meet santa. From the 4th of December to the 21st of December our sleigh went through the streets of Liverpool, ensuring thousands of children met santa! Santa also visted twelve primary schools in which each child recieved a present. This was a huge success considering we were in a pandemic and we had limited options. We would like to put our thanks on record to the 100's of people and businesses who made Christmas 2020 possible at the L6.



# L6 Caravan

The L6 Centre purchased a caravan last year, sadly with the lockdowns we have been unable to use it. The aim is to give families the opporunity to go on holiday at an affordable price. Then please contact us on 0151 260 1297 to see if you meet the criteria set out.

### Afternoon Tea

If you would like to purchase an afternoon tea box please contact us.

Please ring before 1pm the day before to place your order.

Slow Cooker classes

If you would be intrested in learning to cook nutritonal meals in a slow cooker.

Please register your interest in one of our classes.

Please keep in cantact with us!

We are so excited to welcome the Community back to our centre! Our older people events, lunch clubs, cabarets, youth clubs and holidays will all be continuing as soon as all government restrictions have been lifted. Please keep an eye out on our Social Media for all of our latest announcements, we will be in touch with all older people who are already signed up at our centre when we can re-open!

## Christmas 2020... a very different experince!





In mid –November our Main Hall was transformed into Santa's workshop and was filled to capacity with 1000's of toys, pairs of pJ's and Clothes ready for Operation Christmas to begin. The Christmas Lights began to shine. Staff and Volunteers had a slight spring in their step as we had managed to pull off the impossible under the most horrendous of circumstances.

The referrals for support began to come in thick and fast via email, phone, website and social media platforms.

We continued to work tirelessly to ensure every

referral could be honored.