

## Pumpkin Patches in Shropshire



It's that spooky time of year and pumpkins across the county are now ready to pick! The Shropshire Family Info service have put together a list of local pick your own pumpkin patches. From pumpkins and alpacas, spooky mazes, witches villages and other kids activities, pumpkin patches make a great family day out.

<https://orlo.uk/ZkorP>

WATCH OUT!!  
IT'S ALMOST HALLOWEEN!

VISIT OUR DIRECTORY  
TO LEARN MORE ABOUT  
WHAT'S ON DURING THE  
HALF TERM...



Trick or treat? Make sure you know what's on this half term, with the Shropshire Family Info Service's directory full of treats! There are plenty of family friendly activities across Shropshire. 🧛🎃

Visit 👉 <https://orlo.uk/1OHku>

## Looking for holiday clubs?



If you are looking for holiday clubs or childcare for October half term, check out the Shropshire Family Info Service's Directory. From arts and crafts, to animal care, to football, there is something for everyone! [https://shropshire-fid.directory-platform.com/kb5/shropshire/fid/family\\_results.action?familychannel=247](https://shropshire-fid.directory-platform.com/kb5/shropshire/fid/family_results.action?familychannel=247)

## About to become parents?



Family Foundations is a brand new FREE group which can help you prepare for becoming parents. Find out how Family Foundations could benefit your family, through a free, online, info sessions. Sessions will last 45 minutes with time for questions afterwards. Info sessions are running on:

- Wed 6 Nov 2024, 5pm
- Mon 11 Nov 2024, 1pm
- Wed 13 Nov 2024, 9.30am
- Mon 9 Dec 2024, 1pm
- Fri 13 Dec 2024, 9.30am
- Wed 18 Dec 2024, 5pm

Book your place by emailing [parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk) or calling 01743250950



The Family Info Service's spooky October newsletter is out now. This bumper edition includes things to do at half-term, local bonfire and firework displays, free scavenger hunts and lots more! You can read it here: <https://orlo.uk/Z2HwP>

Like what you see? Subscribe to future editions here: <https://orlo.uk/5RvZN>

### **New Family Information Service video**

We have created a brand new short video to explain who we are and what we do. You can view it here on YouTube [https://youtu.be/7t1jBqJJI8?si=LeOiNag8\\_LeSPzX0](https://youtu.be/7t1jBqJJI8?si=LeOiNag8_LeSPzX0)  
Alternatively you can share the video from our Facebook [https://fb.watch/vl\\_c7n65P4/](https://fb.watch/vl_c7n65P4/) or Twitter <https://x.com/ShropFamilyInfo/status/1838524628873986453>

### **Help us spread the word about the Family Information Service**

The Shropshire Family Information Service (FIS) is a brilliant universal service, which families may not know about.

The FIS brings together loads of useful, local information for families, to help take the stress out of things like finding:

- Childcare or baby and toddler groups
- Holiday clubs, events and things to do as a family
- Parenting, relationships, and emotional health and wellbeing support
- Cost of Living info and advice

We use our social media channels to bring families news, events and handy information, which links through to our [Family Information Directory](#). Families are welcome to contact us directly for help with anything to do with family life.

### **What we would love you to do:**

Please subscribe to our newsletter <https://orlo.uk/5RvZN>

**Thank you! We hope you have a fantastic half term break 😊**

Shropshire Family Information Service Team