

THE HIVE'S CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY CLUB

SPRING (2) 2023

NATURE & ART

CU Learning Provider:
New Forest Heritage Centre

EASTER HOLIDAY EVENTS TO CELEBRATE THE WILD ESCAPE.



Free craft workshops.

Enjoy an hour to make and take a woodland-inspired paper craft.

There's no need to book – just drop in at any of the times below:

Tuesday 4th April 11am to 12pm

Tuesday 4th April 2pm to 3pm

Tuesday 11th April 11am to 12pm

Tuesday 11th April 2pm to 3pm

Poly-printing workshops

create a print in ink, inspired by our wonderful New Forest Embroidery.

Wednesday 5th April 11am to 12pm

Wednesday 5th April 2pm to 3pm

Wednesday 12th April 11am to 12pm

Wednesday 12th April 2pm to 3pm

It is essential to book these sessions and there is a **charge of £3 per child.**

Please email education@newforestheritage.org.uk to check availability and to book your space(s).

EASTER FUN

CU Learning Provider:
Lepe Country Park

LEPE, HOP & HUNT WITH HAZEL

Hop along to Lepe Country Park between Saturday 1st and Sunday 16th April 2023 and take part in our eggcellent Easter trail.

Help Hazel the rabbit find her friends. Can you unscramble all the clues on the bunny doors hidden around the Country Park?

Trail packs are available from Visitor Services between 10am and 3pm daily at **£3 each.**

Easter egg hunt at Mottisfont

Mottisfont, National Trust, Mottisfont Lane, Romsey, Hampshire, SO51 0LP

Enjoy a world of adventure at Mottisfont on an Easter trail inspired by the classic village fete. Mottisfont's adventure trail is packed with traditional springtime activities for the whole family. Look out for egg rolling, bean bag throwing and other energetic outdoor games, plus spring-themed crafts including daffodil pinwheel-making. You'll find a spring 'art gallery' too, where kids can display their drawings for everyone to enjoy.

The trail takes place between 1-16 April, from 10am to 5pm, with last entry at 4.30pm. Normal admission plus £3 per trail, includes a trail map, pencil and a chocolate or vegan and free from Rainforest Alliance Easter egg.



1 CU CREDIT PER ACTIVITY
SKILLS: LISTENING AND PROBLEM SOLVING

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EASTER CRAFTS

GET CRAFTY

Pysanka is the traditional art of egg painting. Try blowing an egg and decorating the shell with paint.

If you don't want to blow eggs and use paint then simply use some highlighters and markers for a quick and easy way to add some colour to your eggs!

You can boil the eggs, allow to cool and simply decorate with any pattern that takes your fancy.

Think about different recycled things you could make an **Easter basket** from. Here are some ideas to start you off:

<https://www.redtedart.com/easter-basket-crafts/>

CU Credits 1 per completed challenge
Skills: Creativity and Teamwork



1 CU CREDIT PER ACTIVITY
SKILLS: CREATIVITY



EASTER COOKING

Baking seasonal treats can make great gifts for friends and family. You could fill one of your baskets and surprise someone who may be feeling lonely this Easter.

Easter Biscuits

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/iced-easter-biscuits>

Healthy Easter Bunny Pancakes.



<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/healthy-easter-bunny-pancakes>

Hot Cross Scones

Simpler than bread-based hot cross buns, these basic scones are an easy win for teatime with kids.

They work just as well without the currants, if you prefer

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/hot-cross-scones>

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MORE EASTER FUN

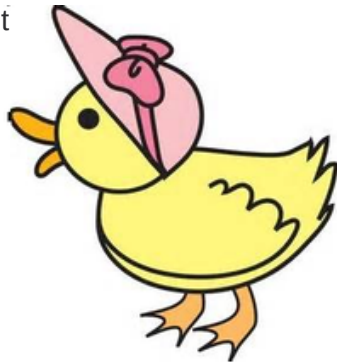
Hobbycraft Workshops for kids

This Easter, Hobby craft stores are running a number of kids workshops with an Easter Theme. Including:

- Easter Clay Making £5
- Easter Bonnet Making £8
- Easter Treat Bucket £8
- Kids Easter Sign £8

All materials are included in the cost, children must be accompanied by an adult

[More Information](#)



Itchen Valley Country Park Easter Bunny Trail

Allington Lane, Eastleigh, SO30 3HG

Dates: 1st – 16th April 2023

Search for the Easter Bunnies around the park. Each bunny holds an egg with a code on it. Your task is to decode the message to earn a prize. Some of our boards have QR codes on them revealing some cracking jokes!

Pick up a trail pack and prize from the Woodland Café for just £3!

EASTER AT FORT NELSON

Dates: 1st – 16th April 2023

Portsdown Hill Road PO17 6AN Fareham

<https://royalarmouries.org/event/easter-at-fort-nelson/>

Entry to Fort Nelson is FREE and there are also some additional FREE activities happening through the Easter holidays in Hampshire.

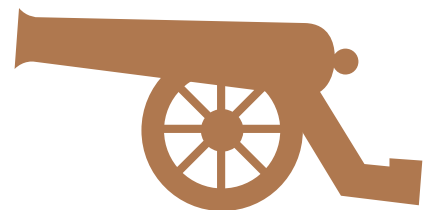
Falconry Flying Displays is a FREE activity taking place on 1st, 2nd, 15th and 16th April 2023.

Make & Take Crafts is a chargeable activity taking place on 4th, 5th, 11th and 12th April 2023

The Easter Bunny Hunt Trail is a FREE activity taking place between 1st and 16th April 2023.

CU Credit 1

Skills: Problem Solving and Teamwork



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EASTER STEM CHALLENGES

Science Sparks EASTER STEM CHALLENGES EGGY ZIP WIRE

Can you build a harness to transport an [egg down a zip wire](#)? This is a great activity for learning about friction. Try changing the type of string used to see what types of string make your egg travel faster.

EGGY TOWERS

Use toothpicks or straws to build a tower strong enough to support the weight of an egg.

Plasticine, jelly sweets or even marshmallows are great for sticking everything together!



DOWN THE EGG CHUTE

Find a large tube big enough to drop an egg down.

Investigate to find the best material to wrap the egg in to stop it breaking as it hits the ground.

Another idea is to build a landing pad at the bottom of the tube to break the fall of the egg!



WHAT DO THEY WEIGH?

Find out how many eggs weigh the same as a chocolate egg?

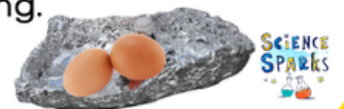
Which is the heaviest? A real egg or chocolate egg?



EGG SAILING

Build a boat from recycled materials such as foil, cardboard boxes, egg cartons or a plastic container.

Check the boat floats and test to see how many eggs it can hold without sinking.



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CU CREDITS 1 PER ACTIVITY
SKILLS: PROBLEM SOLVING & CREATIVITY



When you have completed an activity, don't forget to tick it off on this record sheet and tell us what evidence you are going to send us.

Email this to us and we will send you your CU Codes to upload:
newforestcu@gmail.com

We hope you have fun!



| Hive CU Club Spring (2) 2023 | | |
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| Nature | Date | Evidence |
| | Completed | attached |
| 1. The Wild Escape Craft | | |
| 2. The Wild Escape Poly Printing | | |
| Easter Fun | | |
| 3. Lepe, Hop and Hunt with Hazel | | |
| 4. Mottisfont Egg Hunt | | |
| Get Crafty | | |
| 5. Pysanka | | |
| 6. Easter Basket | | |
| Easter Cooking | | |
| 7. Biscuits | | |
| 8. Pancakes | | |
| 9. Scones | | |
| More Easter Fun | | |
| 10. Hobby Craft workshops (4) | | |
| 11. Itchen Valley Bunny Trail | | |
| 12. Fort Nelson activities (3) | | |
| Easter Stem Challenges | | |
| 13. Eggy Zip Wire | | |
| 14. Eggy Towers | | |
| 15. Egg Chute | | |
| 16. What Do They Weigh | | |
| 17. Egg Sailing | | |