**April 2024** 

**Please contact us before attending a meeting to check current details**

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| **Day** | **Time** | **Group** | **Location** |
| Tues 2nd  | 1pm -3pm | **Wilmslow Support group:** Wilmslow’s MP, Esther McVey will meet the group | **Wilmslow Library** |
| Wed 3rd  | 10am - 12 noon | **Crown Green Bowling for people with Visual Impairments:** No experience needed | **Packhorse Bowling Club, Macclesfield** |
| Wed 3rd  | 2pm - 4pm | **Congleton Support Group:** Giant knitting for bags and more | **New Life Church,** **CW12 4EY** |
| Fri 5th  | 10am -12 noon | **Poynton VIP Outdoor Bowling Group:** Contact Vic Taylor 01625 521511 | **Poynton Sports Club**This group is not organised by ECES |
| Fri 5th  | 1pm – 3pm | **Macclesfield Support Group:** Clover, the trained Pets as Therapy dog will visit with owner Kate | **Townley Hall,** **SK11 6HZ** |
| Mon 8th  | 2pm – 4pm | **Poynton Support Group:** An afternoon of games, traditional and new, that everyone affected by VI (or not) can enjoy – family and friends welcome | **Poynton Methodist Church** |
| Wed 10th  | 10am – 12 noon | **Crown Green Bowling for people with Visual Impairments:** No experience needed | **Packhorse Bowling Club, Macclesfield** |
| Thurs 11th  | 2pm – 3.30pm | **Congleton Café Coffee Club**Drop in and meet hosts Dianne and the team | **Lion and Swan,****Congleton** |
| Fri 12th  | 10am -12 noon | **Poynton VIP Outdoor Bowling Group:** Contact Vic Taylor 01625 521511 | **Poynton Sports Club**This group is not organised by ECES |
| Tues 16th  | Minibus trip | **Etherow Park, Spring Walk and cafe** | **Booking essential** |
| Wed 17th  | 10am - 12 noon | **Crown Green Bowling for people with Visual Impairments:** No experience needed | **Packhorse Bowling Club, Macclesfield** |
| Wed 17th  | 2pm - 4pm | **Congleton Support Group:** Hidden Stories of Lyme Park, with Judy | **New Life Church,** **CW12 4EY** |
| Thurs 18th  | 2pm – 3.30pm | **Congleton Café Coffee Club**Drop in and meet hosts Dianne and the team | **Lion and Swan,****Congleton** |
| Fri 19th  | 10am -12 noon | **Poynton VIP Outdoor Bowling Group:** Contact Vic Taylor 01625 521511 | **Poynton Sports Club**This group is not organised by ECES |
| Sat 20th  | 5.30pm  | **Mayor of Macclesfield’s Organ and Piano Recital**All money raised goes to East Cheshire Eye Society and East Cheshire Hospice | **St Michael’s Church**Contact: civic@macclesfield-tc.gov.uk or phone 01625 374142 |
| Tues 23rd  | 1pm – 3pm | **Tea and Tech with Digital Skills Advisor Kate Benn** – have a cuppa and learn how make the most of your smartphone or tablet | **ECES Office: Booking essential** |
| Wed 24th  | 10am - 12 noon | **Crown Green Bowling for people with Visual Impairments:** No experience needed | **Packhorse Bowling Club, Macclesfield** |
| Thurs 25th  | 10am -12 noon | **Macclesfield Café Coffee Club:** Drop in and meet hosts Judy and Craig.  | **Café Mustard, Macclesfield** |
| Fri 26th  | 10am -12 noon | **Poynton VIP Outdoor Bowling Group:** Contact Vic Taylor 01625 521511 | **Poynton Sports Club**This group is not organised by ECES |
| Sat 27th  | 10am | **ECES Sponsored Walk:** 10Km exploring the Middlewood Way and the Macclesfield Canal | **Contact us for more details** |
| Tues 30th  | 10am - 12 noon | **Introduction to Braille Group:** All welcome | **Booking essential** |
| Tues 30th  | 7.30pm | **Meet us at the Congleton Lions Diabetic Support Group** | **Contact Congleton Lions Club for more information** 0345 833 8054congletonlions@gmail.com |

**Coming Soon:**

* **Sun 5th May: Mayor of Macclesfield’s Family Bingo at the Broken Cross Club:** All money raised goes to East Cheshire Eye Society and East Cheshire Hospice

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* **Tues 14th May: Minibus to National Memorial Arboretum**
* **Tues 11th June: Minibus to Trentham Gardens**
* **Tues 16th July: Minibus to Lovell Quinta Arboretum and pub lunch at the Swettenham Arms**

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