

#### **ONGOING**

Tuesday to Thursday	Drop-In
9:30 – 12:00	There's no better way to start your day! Join us for free tea,
	coffee, toast, biccies and a chat #Connections
Tuesday to Friday	One to One support
9:30 – 5:00 by arrangement	Scheduled sessions with staff for those requiring solution-
	focused support and/or advice #Wellbeing
Tuesday to Friday	Community Fridge
10:00 – 2:00 by arrangement	We continue to operate a limited free food/essentials collection service from the Project. Please call us to arrange a time slot.
	Appointment only #FoodInsecurity #CostOfLiving
Tuesday	Pantry Plus
12:30 – 6:00	Pantry Plus is an affordable way to eat well for at least 40% less
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday	(than the cheapest supermarket). You can purchase special
10:00 – 2:00	themed Tea Bags (yer tea in a bag). Every penny spent supports
	our free food provision. #Sustainable #ZeroFoodWaste
	#Resilience
Tuesday	Paisley Men's Shed
11:00 – 1:00	The shedders welcome any men over 18 interested in sharing
Thursday	practical skills & getting more involved within their community.
12:00 – 3:00	#Shedders #SMSA #Connections
Wednesdays (fortnightly)	Fairer Renfrewshire Lived Experience Panel
12:30 – 2:30	We're continuing our partnership with Renfrewshire Council,
	working towards a Fairer Renfrewshire. Our Lived experience
	panel are working with the Fairer Renfrewshire Sub-Committee
	to recommend the changes that matter to us as a community.
	#CostOfLiving #Wellbeing
Fridays (term time only)	Wee STARs Toddler Group
10:00 - 12:00	Come and twinkle at Wee STARs as we make memories
	together with our fun, creative and educational activities
	#BookBug #Exertots
Tuesday to Friday	Money Matters
9:30 – 4:00 by arrangement	We are pleased to offer appointments in the Project with the Renfrewshire Citizen's Advice Bureau. Advice Works, DWP &
	Social Security Scotland appointments can also be arranged;
	just ask the staff. #Wellbeing #CostOfLiving
Fortnightly (dates TBD)	Shortroods Young Men's Group
	A local men's group that meets to support positive mental
	health in the community. If you would like to join them, please
	get in touch. Age range 17 to 25 #MensMentalHealth #Wellbeing
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## MAY

Saturday 2rd May	World Laburinth Day
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 12:30 – 2:00	World Labyrinth Day The 1st Saturday of every May is World Labyrinth Day, and people worldwide "Walk as One at 1" in their local time to create a wave of peace and celebrate the labyrinth experience. So, meet us at your community labyrinth in Fountain Gardens and participate in this global movement. #Wellbeing #FountainGardens #WalkAsOneAtOne
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May 12:00 – 2:00	Waste Not Want Not Workshop It's International Compost Awareness Week (ICAW), so we're taking our next step towards tackling food waste & learning about our new Compost Corner at STAR. Join us for this creative workshop, where we'll learn more about the benefits of community composting, how it can save money & the planet. #ICAW2025 #Creativity
Monday the 12 <sup>th</sup> May 11:00 – 1:00	STAR @ UWS We're excited to be joining our friends at the Hub at the University of the West of Scotland to talk about our work at STAR. Why not stop by to say hello and find out more about what we do? #Connections
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> and 21 <sup>st</sup> May 10:00 - 2:30	Tree Planting Fancy getting outdoors, having some fun, and saving the planet? Join us as we plant trees with LEAP and Eadha as part of the Renfrewshire Climate Action Network. They'll supply us with the equipment (including waterproofs), lunch, transport and guidance - you just need to be ready, willing and able to make a positive difference to the environment.  #Creativity #Environment #MakeADifference #SaveThePlanet
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> May 10:00 – 12:00	Groundbreaking Building Update Raise the roof—it's time for us to update you about our plans to renovate our building! We're excited that builders will start working on the Project over the summer, so it's time to invite our architects back to share their updates with us. Join us during Drop-In to hear about what to expect over the coming months and ask any questions you may have about the building transformation! #Building
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 12:00 – 4:00 @Fountain Gardens	RASA: Wellbeing in the Park For Mental Health Awareness week, RASA will be hosting a fun day in Fountain Gardens. Take a walk down Wellness Way to learn about local organisations with mental health support. Enjoy entertainment, such as a bouncy castle, labyrinth walks, and much more! #MentalHealthAwareness #Connections



Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Summer Lovin' and Tree Huggin'
10:00 – 12:00	Summer is in full swing, and our tree needs refreshed! Let's
	add some colour and life into it. Leaves, flowers, animals,
	summer fun! 🧐 #Creativity #DropInTree

## JUNE

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 12:00 – 2:00	Volunteer Fair For Volunteer Week this year, Engage Renfrewshire are holding a Volunteer Recruitment Fair at the Tannahill Centre! We'll be there along with some other wonderful local and national organisations, so if you're interested in learning more about volunteering in Renfrewshire, come on down and say hello! #Volunteering #Connections
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup> & 19 <sup>th</sup> June 1:00 – 3:00	Summer Solstice Wellbeing Workshops Let's return to nature and our heritage by celebrating the Summer Solstice this year! We'll learn about the Paisley Witches and some local history, how to make your own tea and herbal remedies from herbs and walk the labyrinth together to celebrate community at this special time of year. #Creativity #Connections
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June 10:00 – 12:00	Eid al-Adha Drop-In Tree Join us to celebrate Eid al-Adha as we decorate our Drop-In Tree! #Creativity #DropInTree
Wednesday to Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup> June 10:00 – 2:00	Father's Day @ Pantry Plus Pop into Pantry Plus to buy a 'bake your own cookies' jar to make with the father figure in your life! #Wellbeing #FathersDay
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 10:00 – 12:00	Summer Solstice Crafts Summer is here, so let's celebrate with some arts & crafts! We'll be making some dried flower suncatchers to take away, and a big, beautiful sun for the Drop-In Tree! #Creativity #DropInTree
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> , 24 <sup>th</sup> June & 1 <sup>st</sup> July (additional workshops will be added to this) 10:00 – 12:00	Sma' Shot Day Prep Please help us get prepared for the Sma' Shot Day Parade! We're looking forward to working with a local artist on our resources for the parade, and last year, you told us you'd like to make a banner, so we've added some extra workshops to ensure we're looking our best in the parade! #Creativity #SmaShot



# JULY

Tuesdays & Wednesdays until 31 <sup>st</sup> July 10:00 – 11:00	Breakfast Club  We know we have a jam-packed (see what we did there?) programme for you during the school holidays, so we better make sure we keep our tummies filled! In addition to our usual toast and biscuits, we'll have fruit and cereal to help start the day the right way! #Wellbeing #DignifiedFood
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> and 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 10:00 – 12:00	STAR Snack Attack Come along and create some lunch-box staples to add to your packed lunches for our summer trips! Everything will be no-bake, so no previous cooking experience is required. This will be great fun for children and adults alike! #Creativity #DignifiedFood
Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00 – 12:45	Sma' Shot Day Parade What better way to start the summer than joining the STAR gang at the Sma' Shot Parade? There's plenty to do on the day! #Connections #SmaShotDay #Community
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Trip 1: TBD
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup> & 29 <sup>th</sup> July 10:00 – 12:00	Getting' Crafty With It Feeling inspired by the summer trips? Then let's create summer memories together by getting crafty! We'll be collecting materials on each trip for this (info will be given on the day) #Creativity
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Trip 2: TBD
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July 4:00 – 6:00	It's time for our Annual General Meeting! Your opportunity to hear about what we've been doing over our 25 <sup>th</sup> year & for us to unveil the commissioned artwork by Garry Byars. It's open to all STAR Project members, so fill out our membership form beforehand! Don't worry, there's food too! #Connections
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Trip 3: TBD
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July TBD	Team Up to Clean Up Ahead of our 25 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Summer Fun Day on July 25th, we'll be doing a litter pick in Fountain Gardens. Come along and show some love to this local green space! #Connections
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Trip 4: TBD
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00 – 3:00	Summer Fun Day The celebrations continue for our 25th Birthday! You wanted a community fun day and that's exactly what we're doing! Expect inflatables, a barbeque, face painting, arts and crafts and much more! #25YearsOfSTAR #Connections



Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> July	Consultation
10:00 – 1:00	Okay, summer's not even over yet, but we can't wait to hear what you thought of our summer programme and what's impacting you and your community. Come for the chat, stay for the lunch! #Wellbeing #HaveYourSay

#### **AUGUST**

Please note: We will be closed from Friday 1st until Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> August, so we can have a summer holiday and start putting together our next programme based on all your input at the consultation.		
Tuesday 19th August	Back to School Breakfast	
10:00 – 12:00	We'd like to welcome you all back after our break with a tasty selection of fruit and pastries! The kids are back at school and Drop–In is back on—bliss! #Wellbeing #BackToSchool	
Wednesday 20th August	Welcome Back Crafts	
10:00 – 12:00	To celebrate the schools and STAR being back on, why not come down and do some self-care activities with us? We'll have zen colouring, aroma dough, and crafts to help your worries fly away. #Creativity	
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> August 10:00 – 12:00	End of Summer Drop-in Tree The holidays are over, the kids are back at school, so let's look back and appreciate what we loved about our summer by getting crafty with the Drop-In Tree! #Creativity #DropInTree	
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> August 7:00 – 10:00 @ Caledonia Bowling Club	Jam Jar Movies: Summer Lovin' It's the end of summer, so let's get in the mood by going back to school with a Grease Sing-A-Long! Come dressed as a character or in your best 1950s garb, we'll have some fairground games, a raffle and, of course, a chance to belt out all your favourites from this fun musical! We'll bring the movie and popcorn; you bring a donation for our free food provision! No fee, just a jar or tin of something to help with our free food provision. #Wellbeing #JamJarMovies #FoodInsecurity	

Keep an eye on our social media for more, or call 0141 889 5850









