

Open for Action Holiday Programmes

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Oldham Sport Development provides a range of free sports activities during each school holiday (except Christmas) at a wide range of locations across the borough.

Most of the sites are open access multi sport sessions, but we also run sport specific camps and disability sessions.

Who is the service for?

For all children and young people between the ages of 8 – 16 years.

Is there a charge?

All of the open access, come and play sessions are free. But, there might be a charge for weeklong sport specific camps. Any costs will be listed clearly on the flyers.

Where are the sessions held?

The sessions are held across the borough at a variety of parks and sports centres. We try to make sure that there is a site open in each area of the borough.

Do I have to book in advance?

All of the multi-sport sessions are run on a come and play basis, so you do not have to book. Just turn up at the site and speak to the Sport Leaders, who will ask you to fill in emergency contact details and you will be ready to take part.

But some of the sport specific sessions might need you to book in advance. This will be made clear on the Holiday Programme flyers.

Who will be leading the sessions?

A Head of Centre and Sport Leaders lead the sessions. The staff at the sites are qualified and completed CRB clearance. They have also received training to achieve the minimum standard set by Sport Development.

Do I have to be good at a sport to attend?

No, the sessions are for everyone. You don't have to be good at a sport or play at any standard to go to the sessions.

Where can I get more information?

Please ring the Open for Action Hotline on 0161 770 4050 for a flyer which will have the specific sites, times and dates for the sessions being run.

Can I get in touch?

For further information please contact

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If you wish to make a comment about our services you can email us on customer.feedback@oldham.gov.uk or you can phone us on 0161 770 4191 or you can write to: Complaints Officer
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