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BIG 50 PADDLE



Lucy Briggs aims to raise funds for Eastleigh Borough & Romsey MENCAP this year. She is now in training for her first challenge of the year, this is on April 19th when she will be kayaking from Tower Bridge to Chiswick and back again in the London Kayakathon, this is 26 miles in total.

Lucy is raising funds for our work in by kayaking in three locations this year: up and down the Thames, around Venice and the Isle of Wight. We are really proud that she has chosen to support our work.

Lucy Briggs

“Donations are required to provide continuing services. I've seen how much the charity is valued by the users, and know how much it needs the funds, as I used to be the Treasurer!” Please support Lucy if you can.

If you want to sponsor me, please go to
<https://localgiving.com/fundraising/lucybriggs>

EASTLEIGH HOT SHOTS



We have finally chosen a team name for our Basketball Club and it is Eastleigh Hot Shots! What else could it be?

Here the team are having a Team shout at the end of their session with coach, Alan Cunningham.

Sessions are on alternate Saturdays at Wyvern School. Cost £3 per session.

Football offer for members

COME ON YOU SAINTS!!!!

Our friends at Barclays Bank have given us 25 tickets to attend a Barclays Premier League game at St Mary's Stadium on **Saturday April 11.**

Saints will be playing Hull FC
Kick off 3.00pm

If you would like to attend, you will need to be able to get to and from the stadium and bring any support you need. (One carer per person if needed).

Just call the EBR MENCAP office and leave your name and phone number. We will call you back with details and to confirm you have tickets. There are a limited number of seats so don't delay.

THE DREAMERS

Our Limelight Local drama project for young adults with learning disabilities has officially finished and the group certainly went out on a high.

We were fortunate to have the Mayor and Mayoress of Eastleigh, Councillor and Mrs Tony Noyce in the audience, together with Councillor Maggie Allingham from Hedge End Town Council. They came to see our show "Fred and Ted's Travelling Troupe" for the evening performance on Tuesday March 24.



We hope that The DREAMERS, the integrated Theatre group set up within this project will go on to bigger and better things under the guidance of TreeCreeper, the theatre practitioners who were our partners in the project.

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