

# Topaz Community Calendar

## November to December 2011



**Gems Night Club**  
**Chicago Rock Café**  
**High Street**  
**Maidstone**



**Parking Blue Bays at Rear entry**  
**off Mill Street**  
**Tuesday 15th November and**  
**Tuesday 20th December**  
**Christmas Party**  
**Start at 6.30 to 10.30**  
**More information contact**  
**01622 609284**

**Topaz Film Club**  
**MCSC Maidstone**

Topaz Community are starting a new Film Club at Maidstone Community Support \Centre Marsham Street, Maidstone 6.15 to 8.45 Thursday 24th November 22nd December Refreshments Please bring support if required For more information call 01622 609284



**Young Person Disco**  
**At JJ's Night club Maidstone**

Topaz Community are planning a young person disco for the ages of 14 to 21yrs which will be held at JJ's Nightclub, Lockmeadow, Maidstone on the last Tuesday in the month from 6pm to 10pm.

Topaz apoligises for the delay in this event but we are still working hard on trying to bring this event to Maidstone—hopefully in the Spring when the weather improves. We do however need Schools and Youth Clubs to help us organise and plan this event. Everyone who attends will have to have a Topaz Passport and we will let you know when you can apply for a Passport—This will include family carers and support workers . It is part of our risk assessment

**No Limits 2**  
**JJ's Nightclub**  
**Lock Meadow**  
**Maidstone**  
**Free Parking after 6.30**  
**7pm to 11pm**  
**Tuesday 6th December and**  
**Tuesday 3rd January—New**  
**Years Party**  
**For more infor-**  
**mation contact To-**  
**paz Community on**  
**01622 609284**



# Topaz Community Code for Calendar

There has been a number of changes in the management of the District Partnership Groups and the Kent Partnership Board. We will not have funding available to continue the Pop In Group on a Monday afternoon. Hopefully we will find a way to continue through Topaz to run some Speaking Up Groups and Family Carer Networks. Topaz is considering doing some outreach work with Family Carers through the Carers Friendship Map, Speaking Up Groups and Sessions for Person Centred Planning – for some of these activities there will be a nominal charge. If you are interested please contact 01622 609284 and leave a message.



**Speaking Up Group - Topaz Office Maidstone Community Support Centre Marsham Street Maidstone ME14 1HH 1pm to 3pm**  
01622 609284



**Maidstone Library Volunteering/ At the Library—Topaz Supporting 1-3pm**



**Topaz Family Carer Network various times Plus Last Wednesday in month 7.30 –9pm**



**Butterfly Club meets every Wednesday, Maidstone Community Support Centre, Maidstone ME14 1HH where we have a café with table games/ pool/ wii / music/ and a extra activity each week such as looking good/computers/ dance exercise 7-9pm at 1st Wednesday—Craft and Card Making**

**2nd Wednesday—Dance Exercise**

**3rd Wednesday—New Art Group**

**4th Wednesday—Free Choice—Disco—**

## Topaz Social Network



**Bowling , Maidstone Bowl , King Street , Maidstone. 5.30-9pm**

Bowling first then eat and chat with a game of pool or dominoes afterwards



**Gems Nightclub, Chicago Rock, High Street, Maidstone. 5.30to 11pm Free Parking off Mill Street opp Peugeot Garage (blue bays only and display Gems Parking Permit)**



**Frankie and Bennys, Lockmeadow, Maidstone— We meet there and people can go to the cinema or stay have a meal and chat ( 6pm to 9pm)**



**Social at the Society Rooms, Week Street, Maidstone 6pm to 9pm come along meet your friends, chat , play cards or dominoes**



**No Limits 2 Nightclub at JJ's Lockmeadow, Maidstone, 7pm to 11pm Free parking after 6.30pm**



**Ladies Lunch—Society Rooms 1-3pm**



**Saturday activities—Picnics—trips- information call 01622 609284**



**Sunday lunch club (Morrisons Sutton Rd) 1pm— 3pm call 01622 609284**



**Film Club— Thursday 6-9pm Maidstone Community Support Centre**



**YP Disco— JJ's Nightclub—6-10pm— call 01622 609284**

# Other organisations Code for Calendar

Gateway Club , Cobtee Hall, Mote Park, School Lane, Maidstone, .8-10pm More information Jean Proud 01622 209669 Juniors meet Sat morn 10-12



## COFFEE AND CHAT GROUP

BEAT

Every Wednesday 11am-2pm  
NEW VENUE: Kindly donated by  
Snodland Working Men's Club, 54-56 Holborough Road,  
Snodland More information Nicky Delacey 07824 485167

Quercus Drama Group, Marsham Street Community Centre, Marsham Street, Maidstone . Music Dance and Drama for **more information contact Jenny Fever 01622 814156**



**please make contact before attending.**

KCC Library activity  
Volunteer for the library  
Opportunities for people who have a learning disability. Contact Maidstone DPG 01622 609284



Kent Link . Contact information  
KMN Unit 24 Folkestone Enterprise Centre,  
Shearway Road, Folkestone, Kent  
CT19 4RH



Telephone 01303 297050  
email infor@kmn-ltd.co.uk Monday-Friday 8.30-4pm

Drumming Classes—Bloco Fogo  
Samba Band.  
Meets at Trinity Foyer  
Church Road



Maidstone - Matt Green 07765 883 977  
Wednesday Night 7pm to 9pm  
Email info@blocofogo.com

Walking at Mote Park—meet by the café 10.30 for more information contact



## New YMCA

Some very new and exciting sporting activities will be advertised shortly at the YMCA Cripple Street, Maidstone 07951 156 302  
[www.maidstoneymca.org.uk](http://www.maidstoneymca.org.uk)

Monday—



Tuesday—Trampoline 12.45—1.45



Wednesday Disco Dancing and health 1.30— 2.30



Thursday Fun Footy 1-2pm



Friday Boccia 1.30—2.30

Boccia

Disabled swimming at Maidstone Leisure Centre . 12-1pm If you are interested please call Clive Bradburn 01622 747819—07527 294 662



Carers Meeting Maidstone Community Support Centre , Marsham Street Maidstone. 1.30 to 3pm —


















**activities are for carers only and for details of other activities please contact Christine (Book Group—Walking Group- Card Making—Swimming- Caring with Confidence Training—call Rachel 01622 685276**

Saturn Nightclub, Ashford football Club, Homelands, Kingsnorth, Ashford. 7pm -10.30 pm £4 members and £1 carers . Contact Emma Briggs on 01233 640488—emma.briggs@kent.gov.uk

Children's Film Club, Maidstone Community Support Centre, Marsham Street, Maidstone ME14 1HH - Saturday Morning Contact 01622 690369



# November 2011 Day

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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7  	8    	9  BEAT	10 	11 Boccia	12	13 
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21 	22   	23  BEAT	24 	25 Boccia	26	27 
28	29   	30   BEAT				































# November 2011 Evening

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26 Bank Holiday	27   	28 Topaz 12-4  	29	30	31	



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# *Stephen Tate Celebration of Life*

Stephen's Celebration of Life was on 4th November 2011  
Stephen was well loved member of Topaz Community Social  
Group and Butterfly Club. He was also the Shadow Joint  
Chair of Maidstone District Partnership Group

Tony Faulkner wrote this poem which was read at the  
Service .

## **My Brother My Friend**

**The day you passed away  
I wished you could of held on...**

**So we could talk**

**Smile as two**

**So I could say**

**Thank you to you**

**For being a brother and**

**Being a friend**

**We shared our smiles**

**We shared our tears**

**We shared frustrations and**

**Our fears**

**Underneath all this**

**My brother my friend**

**So few people**

**Had the privilege**

**As I did**

**Of knowing you Stephen**

**I hold and will**

**Carry on holding**

**These treasures in my heart**

**And fun we shared together**

**You will always be in my heart**

**Stephen**

**Love your brother and your friends**





# October 2011 DAY

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