

Peasedown Community Hub Group Picnic



Southside's Community Hub Group Summer Picnic at Beacon Hall on 6th August 2021 brought local children and families together safely for outdoor play activities, to connect with each other, enjoy nutritious food and access support.

The grant from Peasedown St. John Parish Council and use of Beacon Hall enabled Southside to provide a community event for families, with nutritious picnic food prepared by Dan, our professional chef, who has been working in the Southside Family Food Hub Groups since Summer 2020.

Outdoor play activities were run by an experienced practitioner, and we used the indoor space for more play, the picnic buffet, and space for families to catch up and spend time together.



Outdoor play included a climbing frame built from materials at the event so children were involved safely throughout the construction and could then enjoy playing together on the structure they had helped to create.

One parent told us: *“The children loved the climbing frame, and we all loved the picnic, so good to get out and do something fun”*. Another parent, who has been struggling with anxiety, said that *“the best bit was that the whole family had a reason to go out and spend time all together doing something different”*.



