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Charlotte Worthington (BMX freestyle Olympic gold medallist) and Declan Brooks (BMX freestyle Olympic bronze medallist) hail Adrenaline Alley as playing a major role in their Olympic successes and continue to train at the Corby-based facility on a regular basis. Since their Olympic debut, it has been wonderful to see an influx of people getting back on the ramps or giving these exciting sports a try for the first time.

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Most infections with Covid make people feel unwell for less than 10 days and you get back to normal within the first 4 weeks. "Long Covid" is an informal term that is commonly used to GP Chair Northamptonshire CCG & Great Oakley Medical Centre describe signs and symptoms that continue or develop after an acute infection of Covid. If you have been unwell with Covid for longer than 12 weeks it can also be called Post-Covid syndrome.

If you are concerned about any of your symptoms and it has been 4 weeks or more since you became unwell with Covid, contact your GP practice and ask them about "Long Covid"- they should offer you an initial consultation, provide access to any further assessments or care, and advise you on sources of further support. They might refer you to a specialist Post Covid clinic, a specialist with expertise for your specific problem, or a rehabilitation service. You may wish to visit the websites below and also

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recommend them to friends, family and employers to help them to understand what you are going through.

www.yourcovidrecovery.nhs.uk || www.northamptonshireccg.nhs.uk/COVID-19-advice.htm

Here are some of the common Long Covid symptoms and tips for dealing with them after diagnosis:

Symptom	How you can help your recovery
Breathlessness may make it difficult to walk or go up/down stairs. You may have a cough that continues too.	It's not harmful to get out of breath when you are physically active, this is normal. Try to increase your activity levels slowly and take breaks. If you are too breathless to speak, slow down until your breathing improves. Try the breathing exercises on www.yourcovidrecovery.nhs.uk
Fatigue and energy levels that may vary from day to day. You may also have aches and pains.	Being ill in hospital or at home with Covid can lead to lower muscle strength, particularly in your legs and is mainly due to inactivity. You need to gradually increase your levels of activity. Yoga and Tai Chi are good ways to increase your flexibility and can also help with relaxation. Try to increase your strength by walking or climbing stairs. Use simple pain relief and discuss your medication options with a pharmacist. If you are finding it difficult at work talk to your line manager who may be able to help you to adapt your role. If your pains keep you awake, if they get worse or if you have a hot/swollen joint please contact your GP surgery since there may be something else going on.
Managing your Oxygen levels	If you have had oxygen equipment supplied make sure you know how it works and who to call if you have a problem with it. Check what level of saturation you are aiming for and when to call for help. Do not smoke if you have oxygen in your house since due to risk of fire.
Headache	Try to avoid triggers for your headache and avoid alcohol which may make it worse. Talk to your pharmacist about pain relief and try to avoid taking painkillers every day.
Taste and Smell, and difficulty eating	You may find your taste changes during and following Covid. However it is important to eat and remain well-hydrated. Keep your mouth clean and healthy by brushing your teeth twice a day. Try different flavours, textures and temperatures of food, you may find stronger/sharp flavours and spices make food taste better.
Chest pain can be caused by muscles or the other organs in the chest such as heart/lungs.	Get chest pains checked to make sure they are not due to serious problems with your heart or lungs. Once you have been checked call 999 if you have any new chest pain lasting longer than 15 minutes. Discuss any changes in ongoing chest pains with your GP.
Dry skin and tender swellings in fingers/toes	Use a moisturiser to keep skin healthy, swellings in your fingers and toes will go with time.
Fear and Anxiety, mood changes and sleep disturbance Chest pain can be caused by muscles or the other organs in the chest such as heart/lungs.	Feeling anxious or low in mood is very normal when recovering from Covid. You can discuss this with your family and friends and call the mental health hub on 0800 448 0828. This help is also available for your family or carers, who may have anxiety, depression or acute stress reactions following your diagnosis and recovery of Covid. Avoid watching too much news or social media if it is making you feel anxious, try limiting yourself to looking at the news once a day. Try to do activities that you find enjoyable and relaxing. Don't be too hard on yourself if there are some things that you are finding harder to do, remind yourself that recovery takes time.
Memory and concentration	When you've been seriously ill, you may not want to do things you used to enjoy. Try to reduce distractions and take regular breaks, and vary the tasks that you need to do. Use a diary or calendar to write things down that you need to do or have already done. Try to keep a regular routine and break down problems into small and easy steps. Your concentration will get better and your memory will usually improve with time.
Palpitations (being aware of your heart beating)	Try to avoid caffeine and try to relax. Contact your GP surgery if they are getting worse, if you have dizziness/blackouts or if you have a history of heart problems
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A festival that is touring the UK will pop-up in Corby town centre, on Saturday 19th February, for one day only. The Liberty UK Festival will offer a full day of free street shows, powerful performances, art installations and interactive workshops for all the family. ArtReach, producers of the festival, have previously worked on Corby Mardi Gras and Grow Festival and are partnering with the team from Made With Many and The Core at Corby Cube to bring another excellent series of free events and performances to the town centre.

Liberty UK Festival, the pop-up festival that explores the themes of freedom and democracy, will feature local people in two of the key performances, one of which will be performed at The Core at Corby Cube and another will be performed at the Willow Place Shopping Centre during the evening of the festival.

SUPERMOMENTS, which you will be able to see at Willow Place is by Ling Tan and uses wearable technology as part of the performance. In these interactive shows the performers and selected audience members listen together and perform to stories told by people from Corby, while engaging with each other through interactive wearable technology. The festival uses performances, art installations and interactive workshops to explore themes of freedom and democracy which invites people to slow down and think about our collective power to make change.

Creative arts workshops, some of which will occur in the run-up to the festival day, will feature seed planting, pot decoration, creative collages using materials found in nature followed by cape and mask making for your environmental superheroes.

A giant tortoise will be roaming the streets sharing her eternal wisdom with young audience members alongside Britain's liveliest 'Keep Britain Tidy' campaigners, The Disco Litter Queens, who bring a new level of funk to tidying up your junk. Be sure to keep your eves out for the Slow Down/Liberty Lollipops team who will be handing out lollipops and chatting with people about the things we pay attention to and how we can make a change in society.

The Write to Rave, is an immersive live performance reflecting about the political power of rave culture, by Debris Stevenson whose work has toured to over 30 countries across the world. Working with a group of young people. Debris has co-created a performance exploring the journeys of people trying their best to rave whilst the world tries its best to stop them. Ahead of this finale performance at the Core at Corby Cube on 19th February a team of local youngsters from the Core Creates performance company will perform their latest work where they share their hopes and dreams for the future.

Lorna Fulton, Creative Director at ArtReach, producers of the festival said, "ArtReach has helped to deliver many events in Corby before, including Mardi Gras and Corby Grow Festival, and the town always shows great support with fantastic audiences. Working in partnership with Made with Many is allowing us to bring a great festival line-up to town for the Liberty UK Festival this February and we will be supporting some brilliant local projects too. The festival will host-all for free!- incredible street theatre, new contemporary performances, family arts workshops and virtual reality experiences, it's aoina to be a areat day to celebrate in Corby."

From Mardi Gras to Corby Grow Festival, previous events delivered by this partnership have never failed to amaze and delight local audiences with fantastic free activities and special street shows, this year, the Liberty UK Festival looks set to be one of the best events yet.

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The Write to Rave -Jessie Morgan

To explore the festival more, visit www.libertyukfestival.com or use Instagram and search @libertyfestivaluk

LIBERTY UK FESTIVAL IN CORBY TOWN CENTRE

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Slow Down with the Liberty Lollipop people and take a moment to think about the change you want to see in the world. Better yet, join us for a SUPERMOMENT of outdoor performance featuring wearable technology or be inspired to find your voice with The Write to Rave at the Core at Corby Cube.

Whatever you're interested in, we invite you to get ready for a day full of free activity and performances across Corby town centre. Made with Many, The Core at Corby Cube and ArtReach brings you Liberty UK Festival, for one day only, on Saturday 19 February!

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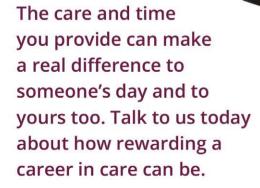


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Each section is completed by the parent and is their understanding what has been agreed. They can note changes to treatments and medication. Parents can document any concerns they have raised with medical staff, and more essentially what the responses and action to these concerns are.

In each section there is a part to name the person responsible for meeting or carrying out any plans agreed.

The Journal had been trialled at Kettering General Skylark ward. The Parent's Journal has been launched recently in Kettering with all children attending the children's services being given a journal for their parents to fill in. All feedback from parents and medical professional has been overwhelmingly positive. find us on:

Following on from the Launch at Kettering, we had a lot of requests from other parents whose child has received a Jorgie's buddies' bear. A lot of children do not attend their local hospitals because of their health conditions. They have to attend specialist hospitals all over the country. Parents saying "why can't we have a journal" Therefore we have been liaising with a number of these specialist hospitals to try and get the Journal rolled out to all parents.

The response from every hospital so far has been encouraging and we will present the Journal where ever we can, hopefully to eventually have the Parents Journal nationally.

Although the Jorgie's Buddies bears remain our focus as Jorgies legacy, it's heart-warming to feel from all our sorrow, **Our Little Sunshine**, a little girl from Corby could have an impact all over the country in supporting parents to prevent serious incidents and possibly even the death of another child.



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10am - 11am	'Number 1's Rewind'
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2pm - 3pm	'Rewind'
3pm - 6pm	'The Big Drive Home' with Des Barber

Meet the Team

Monday Evening

'A Touch Modern Soul' with Des Barber 6pm - 8pm 'SKA, Mod and Reggae Show' with Andy Cox 8pm - 10pm 'The Love Groove' with Terri Meechan 10pm - 11pm

Tuesday Evening

6pm - 8pm	'The Sensational 70's' with Kazzi B
8pm - 10pm	'The Indie and Alternative Show' with Chuck
10pm - 11pm	'The Love Groove' with Terri Meechan

Wednesday Evening

6pm - 8pm	'Early Evening Show'	
8pm - 9pm	'The Country Hour' with Des Barber	2
9pm - 10pm	'The Corby Radio Rock Show' with Darren Jackson	
10pm - 11pm	'The Love Groove' with Terri Meechan	

Thursday Evening

6pm - 8pm	'Early Evening Show'	
8pm - 10pm	'Live and Local' with Barry Addison	
10pm - 11pm	'The Love Groove' with Terri Meechan	-

Friday Evening

Spm - 8pm	'The Real 80s Show'
3pm - 9pm	'The Session' with Darren Jackson
9pm - 10pm	'The Legends Show' with John Headley
10pm - 2am	'Club Corby' with Will Trueman

Saturdays

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- What goes up and down, but remains in the same place?
- What do you call a grandfather clock?

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- Until I am measured, I am not known. Yet how you miss me, When I have flown. What am I??
- What word is pronounced the same if vou take away four of its five letters?

What can fill a room but takes up no space?

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- 1) Nome's home
- 2) Mossy growth
- 3) Certain islander
- 4) A favorite with milk 5) Female monster
- 6) Stretch out
- 7) Overly eager
- 8) Grandchild of Japanese immigrants
- 9) Site for some rites
- 10) Grouch
- 11) Farm butter?
- 12) Skeptic or cynic follower
- 13) "Our Will Come"
- 21) Fly from Africa
- 22) Deposit on teeth
- 26) "Birthplace of Aviation"
- 27) Loft locale
- 28) Quick or slow attachment
- 30) Does not exist 32) Peach
- 35) Like a body in Newton's first law
- 37) Water source
- 38) Vent sound
- 39) Rope fiber
 - 40) City where "The Scream" was stolen
- 41) Inspirational celebrity
- 42) Dandy dresser
- 46) English county known for sheep 48) Port on Commencement Bay
- 49) Shakes an Etch A Sketch
- 50) Show mercy
- 52) Worth
- 53) Land in a lake, e.g.
- 55) Lassos
- 58) Hodgepodge or mishmash 59) Worshipped carving
- 60) Garfunkel or Carney
- 61) AAA specialty
- 62) Birthday number

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Some examples of what a kit might be used for:

- © Car accidents including pedestrians or occupants
- ⊗ Severe Slip/Trip/Fall
- 🛞 Stab Wound / Gun Shot
- Kitchen accident whereby a cut of a major vein or artery is life threatening
- A farming accident

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