

# Carol Singing Challenge



**Ding dong merrily on... say Hi to our Carol Singing Challenge!**

Our singing snowmen, Jack and Jingle, are here to help you spread some Christmas cheer whether you're hitting all the right notes or not!

For even more programme ideas check out our 'Carol Singing' board over on [www.Pinterest.com/PawprintFamily](https://www.Pinterest.com/PawprintFamily)

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# Meet the FAMILY

Hi there! We're Charlotte & Jamie, the husband and wife team behind the Pawprint Family and we believe in #AdventureForAll.

It's our mission to help leaders, teachers and parents save time by providing ideas and opportunities to help them deliver everyday adventure and skills for life. We do this through our family of brands; find out more below and head to the website for your next adventure!



## PAWPRINT BADGES

Pawprint Badges provides thousands of free activity ideas and resources to help leaders, teachers and parents deliver fun and adventure.

Every activity helps you share skills for life and is linked to one of our pawesome embroidered badges. Build your collection and celebrate adventures, new skills and knowledge gained.

## PAWPRINT TRAILS

Pawprint Trails are treasure-hunt style walks around locations in the UK. Solve puzzles, track down the answers and explore everything our great country has to offer.

From historical sights to popular culture discover something new or rediscover a love for where you live then collect the badge to remember your adventures!

Whether you're looking for the perfect addition to your next family holiday or a few hours of fun with friends; each trail can be completed in a few hours or extended with our activity suggestions in to a weekend or a week's worth of fun!

## PAWPRINT TALES

Pawprint Tales are fully illustrated stories that can be enjoyed by the whole family. Join Alfie (our fox-red Labrador) on his adventures around the UK – solving puzzles, turning detective and making new friends. With twists and turns, every tale is an opportunity to discover new places, people and history without needing to leave the comfort of your own home.

Enjoy Pawprint Tales alongside your Pawprint Trails or as a standalone adventure!

## PAWPRINT TRUST

Every brand in the Pawprint Family supports the Pawprint Trust with a percentage of profits from every sale providing grants to young people. We're passionate about enabling young people to access life changing adventures.

Share your adventures and join us over on our social channels for even more adventures and a nosy behind the scenes at Pawprint HQ!



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# PAWPRINT BADGES

## Age 3 - 5



## Age 5 - 7



## Age 7 - 11



## Age 11 - 14



## Age 14 - 18



## Age 18+



## Craft



## Food



## Games



## Other



**Award yourselves a badge for supporting your young adventurers in their activities!**

- Adapt activities as necessary to meet your needs.
- Add your own activity ideas or develop them into projects.
- Use what you have; don't buy in lots of new materials/equipment.
- No need to send us evidence, responsible grown-ups decide when the badge has been earned.
- One challenge badge can take as long as you like; from a few hours to days or even a full term!

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# Craft

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- ★ Create a paper lantern or candle holder for a battery operated t-light.
- ★ Decorate a jam jar or lantern to carry when you go carol singing.
- ★ Make candles or small gifts to give to your neighbours when you go carol singing - after all Christmas is the season of giving.
- ★ Use glass paints to decorate a storm lantern or jam jar lantern.
- ★ Fold origami stars to give to those who come out to hear you carol sing. Why not write a well wish on each piece of paper before you fold it up?
- ★ "Deck the halls" with a garland or wreath made by you using materials of your choice. The carol suggests boughs of holly but you can get creative!
- ★ Create your own Christmas carol song book or miniature folded book containing your favourite festive carols.



# Food

- ★ Make some mince pies to take with you carol singing and share the Christmas spirit with your neighbourhood.
- ★ Bake and share some festive biscuits, why not decorate them with things from carols?
- ★ Cook up your own Figgy Pudding from *We Wish You A Merry Christmas*.
- ★ From the carol *Let it Snow*, grab your own corn for popping and top it with your favourite topping choice or mix it up with some other festive sweet treats including crushed candy cane.
- ★ We've all heard the lyrics, "Chestnuts roasting on an open fire" so learn how to roast your own and give them a try!
- ★ Instead of collecting money when you go carol singing, why not gather tinned and dry foods for your local food bank?



# Games

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- ★ Fill in the missing words in some traditional Christmas carols.
- ★ Name that carol! Can you name the carol correctly just from listening to the opening few seconds?
- ★ Musical charades. Hum a Christmas carol and see if you can get others to guess correctly. Make it harder by munching on a mince pie whilst you hum!
- ★ Play Christmas Carol charades using our free resource. Remember! No speaking.
- ★ Have a game or two of Christmas carol pictionary. Can you draw against the clock whilst others guess the song? Use our charades cards resource.
- ★ Have a trivia quiz about Christmas carols. Did you know there are 364 gifts given in the song 12 days of Christmas, one for each day of the year following Christmas Day!



# Other

- ★ Go carol singing in your local area and raise money for charity.
- ★ Attend a church service over Christmas and sing traditional Christmas carols.
- ★ Visit a local home or a hospice and sing carols for the residents.
- ★ Join a choir and perform some carols at Christmas.
- ★ Sing in a local hospital or children's ward and bring Christmas to the patients.
- ★ Discover who wrote your favourite carol and when it was written.
- ★ Write new words to a popular tune or Christmas carol. Alternatively make up your own tune and words.
- ★ Did you know that carols were banned by Oliver Cromwell between 1647-1660? If you could ban one carol which would it be and why?



## Adventure Complete?

Reward your young adventurers with their Carol Singing Challenge badge to mark their achievements! Head to the website to bag yours, download certificates and discover even more adventures!



## Create a Keepsake!

Experienced adventure? Made memories? Then it's time to create a keepsake! Our Pawprint Family camp blankets are the perfect place to sew your badges and look back on them for years to come.



## Personalise it!

Got your camp blanket? Then it's time to make it yours! Our alphabet badges are **big, bright and bold**...the perfect addition to your camp blanket, hoodies, bags and more. What will you personalise first?



## Even More Rewards!

We're all about added value here at Pawprint Family. In addition to the 1000s of **free activity ideas** and resources you'll find **loyalty stickers** in every order and you can claim Children's University learning hours too!



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