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## Open day event supports bereaved children

**ST ALBANS:** Rain failed to spoil a bereavement network's first ever open day event for children at Butterfly World in Chiswell Green earlier this month.

Recently bereaved children and their families were invited to the popular tourist attraction by the St Albans and District Bereavement Network.

The day proved to be a huge success with a range of activities that included a treasure hunt and craft activities.

A spokesperson for the network said friendships had been forged and the day had allowed those who had recently lost a loved one to share their experiences.

Funding from the Hertfordshire Community foundation had made the day possible.

To find out more about the network, call 01727 841914.



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**BUTTERFLY VISIT:** The St Albans and District Bereavement Network has held its first open day for children at Butterfly World. The organisation invited families who have recently suffered the loss of a loved one to the attraction on Saturday, July 14, where they took part in craft activities including biscuit decorating. There was also a treasure hunt in the Spangle Gall Garden, the enchanted garden and the theatre of insects. The bereavement network runs individual programmes of support to about 60 children every year.