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Dance Lessons (Modern Jive) at Alvaston

Alvaston, Derby, DE24 8QP

11th Jan 2007 - 31st Dec 2012 19:30 - 22:00

Contact: Derby Jive Tel: 01332 755538 Email: info@derbyjive.co.uk

Modern Jive lessons (Beginners) taught by Qualified UKA teachers through the LeRoc Federation.



The Victorians at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

28th Apr 2007 - 1st Jan 2010

Contact: Pickford's House Museum Tel: 01332 255363 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

This is an overview of fashion from the reign of Queen Victoria (1837 - 1901).



Dance Lessons (Modern Jive) at Alvaston Methodist Church

Alvaston Methodist Church, Brighton Road, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 8SY

11th Oct 2007 - 31st Dec 2012 19:30

Contact: Mark Tel: 01332 755538 Email: info@derbyjive.co.uk

Modern Jive lessons (Beginners) taught by Qualified UKA teachers through the LeRoc Federation.



The Inland Waterways Scene at Ilkeston

Ilkeston, Derbyshire, DE7 5HF

1st Jan 2008 - 1st Jan 2010

Contact: Wallace Spence Tel: 01332 557858 Email: wallacespence@btopenworld.com Web: www.artsderbyshireorg.uk

Prints from Original Watercolours supporting the Ilkeston Community Hospital Charitable Fund.



Derby Concert Band Rehearsal at The Engineers' Club

The Engineers' Club, 214 Osmaston Road, Derby, DE23 8JX

19th Mar 2008 - 21st Dec 2013 19:30 - 21:30

Contact: Deena Draycott (Membership Secretary) Tel: 07966 488146 Email: deena.d@ntlworld.com

Rehearsal of Derby Concert Band, Derby's Premier Concert Band.



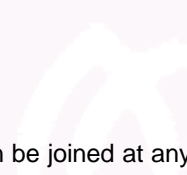
Wood-Carving Course at Ilkeston

Ilkeston, Derbyshire, DE7 5HF

22nd Sep 2008 - 21st Dec 2012 18:30 - 20:30

Contact: Valerie Email: thistlemartha@hotmail.com

Learn to carve then take home your chisels and enjoy creating your own pieces. These workshops are on going and can be joined at any time.



Long Crawlies and Little Crawlies at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

1st Jan 2009 - 1st Jan 2011

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Permanent installation by Carl Clerkin.

Arthur Keily - Derby's Marathon Legend at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

1st Jan 2009 - 1st Jan 2011

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Ongoing exhibition: Follow in the footsteps of one of the City's sporting heroes - the local man who smashed the world record for long-distance running in the 1950s

Butterflies and Moths at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

1st Jan 2009 - 1st Jan 2011

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Ongoing exhibition: With the aid of a staggering array of specimens from Britain and from all over the world.

KNIT sQUAD at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

5th Jan 2009 - 7th Dec 2009 16:30 - 20:30

Contact: QUAD Bix Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Are you into knitting, crocheting or making anything with yarn? Or want to learn how? Join our regular friendly group at QUAD. Come to KNIT sQUAD on the 1st Monday of every month.

City Centre Ghost Walks at Derby Gaol

Derby Gaol, 50/51 Friar Gate (Basement), Derby, DE1 1DF

25th Jan 2009 - 31st Dec 2009 19:00

Contact: Information Tel: 08000 277928 Email: edd.derbygaol@yahoo.co.uk Web: www.derbygaol.com

Adult: £21 per person. Child: £18 per person for under 16's. Concessions: £18 per person for senior citizens.

Ghost Walks running Monday- Thursday throughout the year. 3 hours long. Starts at 7pm includes a candlelit super. Now offering Ghost Walks on the first Saturday of every month.

Dinky Toys- Diecast Delights at Silk Mill Museum

Silk Mill Museum, The Silk Mill, Silk Mill Lane, Derby, DE1 3AF

7th Mar 2009 - 18th Sep 2009

Contact: The Silk Mill Tel: 01332 255308 Web: derby.gov.uk/museums

A 75th Birthday Celebration. Meccano's range of Dinky model cars, planes, ships and railway accessories revolutionised the world of play when they first appeared under the famous brand name in 1934.

Piano Lessons at Alice Letts Piano Studio

Alice Letts Piano Studio, Derby, DE1 3AS

15th Mar 2009 - 18th Dec 2009 17:00 and 20:00

Contact: Alice Letts Tel: 02032 863 748 Email: music@aliceletts.co.uk Web: <http://letts.musicteachershelper.com>

£7 for half an hour (beginners); £10.50 for 45 minutes (intermediate levels)

Tuition in piano playing and music theory for both children and adults.

National Stone Centre Site Trails at National Stone Centre

National Stone Centre, Porter Lane, Wirksworth, Matlock, Derbyshire, DE4 4LS

1st Apr 2009 - 1st Oct 2009 10:00 - 17:00

Contact: Jerry Climpson Tel: 01629 824833 Email: jerry@nationalstonecentre.org.uk Web: www.nationalstonecentre.org.uk

Enjoy a walk around our site and discover ancient fossils and tropical reefs in our quarries. Find out about the industrial history of quarrying and lead mining.

QUAD Monthly Film Quiz at Coors Cafe Bar

Coors Cafe Bar, QUAD, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

2nd Apr 2009 - 31st Dec 2009 20:00 - 22:30

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Entrance to the quiz is £1.

QUAD will be holding an all new monthly film quiz in the Coors Café Bar at QUAD.

Chapel of St Mary on the Bridge at St Mary's Bridge Chapel

St Mary's Bridge Chapel, Derby Cathedral Centre, 18-19 Irongate, Derby, DE1 3GP

28th Apr 2009 - 26th Sep 2009

Contact: .

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Fragments of Memory at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

13th Jun 2009 - 23rd Aug 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 716650 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

An intervention around the museum by Louise Caul. Louise's work concerns the impact of memory on psychological and emotional states of being.

The Lavender Patch

The Lavender Patch, Hall Croft Farm, Uttoxeter Road, Hilton, Derby, DE65 5FZ

17th Jun 2009 - 30th Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 07815 956626 Email: info@thelavenderpatch.com Web: www.thelavenderpatch.com

Unique lavender garden situated on an arable farm. Half an acre of purple, pink and white lavender where you can come and pick your own.

RAM FM & Derby LIVE's Fame Factor at Assembly Rooms

Assembly Rooms, Market Place, Derby, DE1 3AH

19th Jun 2009 - 11th Sep 2009

Contact: Box Office Tel: 01332 255800 Web: www.derbylive.co.uk

RAM FM & Derby LIVE's Fame Factor is free to enter.

RAM FM and Derby LIVE's Fame Factor is a regional search-for-a-star competition that will showcase some of the finest talent that Derby has to offer.

Exhibition by Kathy Spall at Sharpe's Pottery Museum

Sharpe's Pottery Museum, West Street, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9DG

1st Jul 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 16:30

Contact: Sharpe's Pottery Museum Tel: 01283 222600 Web: www.sharpes.org.uk

Exhibition of 3D Glass and ceramic painting by Kathy Spall in the Museum Shop.

Chinese Artist Zheng Li - Artist In Residence at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

3rd Jul 2009 - 6th Sep 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Zheng Li, a contemporary painter from China is the first 'Artist in Residence' at QUAD in Derby.

Exhibition of drawings on paper by Xiaohui Liu at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

4th Jul 2009 - 6th Sep 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Xiaohui works exclusively using the forms of painting and drawing. He has unwavering faith in the power of these styles.

QUAD Digital Screens at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

4th Jul 2009 - 6th Sep 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

New beautiful and thought provoking contemporary hand drawn animation and moving image from artists based in Chongqing, China.

Women on Wednesdays Creative Workshop at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

8th Jul 2009 - 9th Dec 2009 12:00 - 16:00

Contact: Charlotte Tel: 01332 285426 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Please contact Charlotte.

New creative arts activities. We are a relaxed, safe space for HIV +ve women, their friends and family to laugh, learn, share experiences and to feel good about themselves.

Silver Bells and Cockle Shells at Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood

Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood, Sudbury, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 5HT

8th Jul 2009 - 1st Nov 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: Information Tel: 01283 585305 Email: museumofchildhood@nationaltrust.org.uk Web:

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/museumofchildhood

Normal admission applies

Silver Bells and Cockle Shells - An exhibition about nursery rhymes and the history behind them. Come along and put Humpty together again.

Collection: Dress Exhibition at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

11th Jul 2009 - 18th Oct 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 255363 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Collection: Dress exhibition - more information to follow.

21 Anniversary Exhibition at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

11th Jul 2009 - 18th Oct 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 255363 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

More information to follow.

Peter Cartwright Retrospective at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

11th Jul 2009 - 20th Sep 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

A retrospective of Derby-born artist Peter Cartwright's drawings and paintings as he celebrates his 70 birthday

Devotion - Objects from the Museums' Collection at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

18th Jul 2009 - 20th Sep 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

An exhibition that explores objects of devotion from the museums' collection.

Schools' Summer Showcase at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

18th Jul 2009 - 13th Sep 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 716650 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

In the Community Gallery. A chance to see work produced in our summer workshops with schools. This year we will take inspiration from Landscape paintings in the museum.

HENRO 2009 Exhibition at Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood

Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood, Sudbury, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 5HT

22nd Jul 2009 - 9th Aug 2009 13:00 - 17:00

Contact: Information Tel: 01283 585305 Email: museumofchildhood@nationaltrust.org.uk Web:

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/museumofchildhood

HENRO 2009 Exhibition - Exhibiting Takumasa Ono's artworks based on sketches made at National Trust properties (including silkscreen prints, sketches and sumie, the traditional Japanese black and white ink painting). (Excluding Mon & Tue)

Yeoman's Camping Exhibition Duffield at Duffield

Duffield, Derbyshire, DE5

22nd Jul 2009 - 10th Aug 2009 08:00 - 22:00

Contact: Jon Gilderdale Tel: 01246 571270 Web: www.yeomansoutdoors.co.uk

If you're wanting that personal hands-on touch to your new tent or camping accessory purchase then why not pay a visit to one of our 17 scheduled show locations.

Bonsall Carnival Week at Bonsall

Bonsall, Derbyshire, DE4 2AY

25th Jul 2009 - 1st Aug 2009

Contact: Hazel Baldwin Tel: 01629 824724

Carnival opens on Sat 25 July at 1pm. Marching Band, floats, stalls, childrens amusements and entertainment. Live band in the evening. On the Sunday; brass band in park, cream teas, Mon eve Fun run, Tues eve Football, Wed childrens sports

Kids Fun Activity Days at Swadlincote Ski and Snowboard Centre

Swadlincote Ski and Snowboard Centre, Sir Herbert Wragg Way, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 8LP

27th Jul 2009 - 4th Sep 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: Further Information and Booking Tel: 01283 217200 Email: ski-swadlincote@nikegroup.co.uk Web:

www.swadlincoteskislope.co.uk

£25.50 per person

Skiing or Snobboarding combining lessons with Tobogganning and Sno-tubing activities. Lunch included.

Cine Kids: Ice Age 3 Dawn Of The Dinosaurs (U) at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

31st Jul 2009 - 6th Aug 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Please contact QUAD Box Office.

A third trip for our prehistoric heroes, picks up after the events of Ice Age 2: The Meltdown.

Coco Avant Chanel (12A) S at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

31st Jul 2009 - 6th Aug 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Please contact QUAD Box Office.

The epitome of style and fashion is played by one of the most stylish and fashionable actress of our times.

Moon (15) at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

31st Jul 2009 - 6th Aug 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Please contact QUAD Box Office.

Starring the ever watchable Sam Rockwell, Moon is the thinking man's science fiction film. Sam Bell is an astronaut nearing the end of his three year stint on the moon.

35 Shots of Rum (12A) S at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

31st Jul 2009 - 6th Aug 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Please contact QUAD Box Office.

Claire Denis (Beau Travail, Trouble Every Day) returns to the UK with her latest feature, a sensitive character study of a father and daughter.

Guided Walking Weekend in the Peak District at Skylark Holidays

Skylark Holidays, Windlehill Farm, Sutton on the Hill, Derbyshire, DE6 5JH

31st Jul 2009 - 2nd Aug 2009

Contact: Paul Hunt Tel: 01283 701729 Email: paulhunt@skylarkholidays.co.uk Web: www.skylarkholidays.co.uk

B&B £165, Self Catering (own room) £151, Self Catering (shared room) £117.

Join Skylark Holidays for a weekend of guided walks around the Peak District. Prices include lunch and refreshments during the day.

Cromford Steam Rally at High Acres Farm

High Acres Farm, Dewey Lane, Brackenfield, ALFRETON, Derbyshire, DE55 6DB

1st Aug 2009 - 2nd Aug 2009 09:00 - 17:00

Contact: Enquiries Tel: 01629 55731 Web: www.cromford-steam.co.uk

Adult £7.00, Child (aged 10 and over) £5.00, Senior Citizens £5.00

In its 39th year, the Cromford Steam Rally is the largest steam traction rally in the Midlands, attracting exhibits from all over England.

Wirksworth Farmers Market at Wirksworth

Wirksworth, Derbyshire, DE4 4EU

1st Aug 2009 09:00 - 14:00

Contact: Shirley Mann Tel: 07875 537 373 Email: NOW@w3z.co.uk

The stalls, with bright green and white awnings, stand outside the Memorial Hall on St John Street, Wirksworth. A wide range of local, healthy and organic produce is on sale, plus several interesting craft stalls. Free entertainment also.

Craft Fairs at Tissington

Tissington, Derbyshire, DE6 1RA

1st Aug 2009 - 2nd Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

8th Aug 2009 - 9th Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

15th Aug 2009 - 16th Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

22nd Aug 2009 - 23rd Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

29th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: Denise Broadhurst Email: denisebroadhurst@yahoo.co.uk

Adults 50p Children Free

Quality craft fairs held in the beautiful and popular Tissington Village near Ashbourne. A selection of craft workers will be selling their hand made crafts. Some will be demonstrating.

Introduction to Fishing with a Fly at Carsington Sports and Leisure

Carsington Sports and Leisure, Carsington Water, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 1ST

1st Aug 2009 09:30 - 12:30 and 14:00 - 17:00

15th Aug 2009 09:30 - 12:30 and 14:00 - 17:00

Contact: Carsington Sports & Leisure Tel: 01629 540478

An opportunity to learn the basics of fly fishing. The course covers basic casting, knots and entomology. All equipment and a qualified instructor will be provided. After you have learned how to throw a line, you can fish for the rest of

Anything Goes Weekend at Midland Railway - Butterley

Midland Railway - Butterley, Butterley Station, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE53QZ

1st Aug 2009 - 2nd Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:30

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 570140 Web: www.midlandrailwaycentre.co.uk

Check website or ring for details.

Come and see the special events lined up for this weekend at the Midland Railway-Butterley including an unusual combination of rolling stock and locomotives.

E'Scapes at Wirksworth Heritage Centre

Wirksworth Heritage Centre, Crown Yard, Wirksworth, Matlock, Derbyshire, DE4 4ET

1st Aug 2009 - 30th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:30

Contact: Information Tel: 01629 825225 Email: storyofwirksworth@w3z.co.uk Web: www.storyofwirksworth.co.uk

E'Scapes' Ruby Hicknott - Mixed media Paintings based on local scenes like Carsington Water.

Calke Live - Archaeology Week at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

1st Aug 2009 - 2nd Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

Contact: Further Information and Booking Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply.

Calke celebrates the Festival of Archaeology. A range of archaeological activities will take place, for ages, during this exciting week.

Georgian Gentlemen and Regency Rogues Weekend at Kedleston Hall

Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, Derbyshire, DE22 5JH

1st Aug 2009 10:00 - 18:00

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01332 842191 Email: kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk

No Additional Charges.

Stroll around the pleasure grounds in the company of Lace Wars' newest costumed characters.

NGS Open Gardens - 19 Portland Street at Etwall

Etwall, Derby, Derbyshire, DE65 6LU

1st Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

2nd Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: Paul & Fran Harvey Tel: 01283 734360 Web: www.ngs.org.uk

Adults £2.50, Children Free

19 Portland Street, Etwall, Derbyshire, DE65 6JF. Open Gardens for charity. Our tranquil garden is packed with plants for year round interest.

Family Bushcraft at Woodland Survival Crafts

Woodland Survival Crafts, Spring Wood, B587, Melbourne, Derbyshire, DE73 8BJ

1st Aug 2009 - 2nd Aug 2009

29th Aug 2009 - 30th Aug 2009

Contact: Dave Watson Tel: 01283 730851 Email: dave@woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com Web: www.woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com

Adults £95, Under 16 £55

Construct a home-from-home out of natural materials, make a fire by friction, use your ingenuity to help create those important things that make life comfortable, discover what wonders are sharing the woods with us.

Saturday Half Day Walks at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

1st Aug 2009

8th Aug 2009

15th Aug 2009

22nd Aug 2009

29th Aug 2009

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/half.aspx

Published price £20 per adult. 2009 special offer - 2 people for the price of 1. A deposit is usually required upon booking to secure you place.

Peak Walking Adventures specialises in taking small groups out into the beautiful Peak District hills and countryside. This walk is guided by one of our friendly, professional leaders who will share their local knowledge with you. On Wednesdays and Saturdays we offer shorter walks to our usual programme. Our half day walks are around 4 - 5 miles and at varying locations around the Peak District. Contact us for details of the options on the date you require. Enquiries welcome from singles, couples, friends, and small groups of adults. We regret we do not take children under the age of 13. Young people under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who will be responsible for them. No dogs please. Advance booking is essential.

Foremark Walk at Ticknall

Ticknall, South Derbyshire, DE73 7JU

2nd Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: East Staffordshire Ramblers Tel: 01283 225031 Web: www.ramblers.co.uk

Please contact for further details.

Join East Staffordshire Ramblers for this 10 mile walk around Foremark. Meet at Ticknall Village Hall Car Park SK353241

Summer Sundays Band Concert at Belper

Belper, Derbyshire, -

2nd Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: 01773 8414885

Summer Sundays Band Concert 2.00pm with Belper Town Wind Band.

Ecstatic about Edges at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

2nd Aug 2009 09:30

30th Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Explore three of the best gritstone edges in the Peak District, above Grindleford and Froggatt where you should experience stunning views, before returning along the Derwent Valley Way.

Emergency Vehicles Day at Crich Tramway Village

Crich Tramway Village, Crich, Derbyshire, DE4 5DP

2nd Aug 2009

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 854321 Email: enquiry@tramway.co.uk

Adult £10.50, senior citizens £9.50, child £5.50 (3-15), family £29.50.

Emergency Vehicles Day at Crich Tramway Village. Ambulances, fire engines and Police cars from days gone by gather for a nostalgic parade.

Accident (12A) at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

2nd Aug 2009

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Please contact QUAD Box Office.

It is a hot summer in Oxford where Dirk Bogarde and Stanley Baker, play contrasted dons whose relationship is brought to a critical point by an enigmatic Austrian princess.

Birdwatching for Beginners Walk at Carsington Water Visitor Centre

Carsington Water Visitor Centre, Carsington Water, Carsington, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 1ST

2nd Aug 2009 10:00 - 12:00

Contact: Carsington Water Visitor Centre Tel: 01629 540696

Join a Volunteer Ranger for an introduction into watching & identifying birds. Bring walking boots & suitable clothing, binoculars & a notebook. Children 13+ welcome. Sorry, no dogs. BOOKING ADVISABLE. Car park charge payable.

Aren't Birds Brilliant at Carsington Water Visitor Centre

Carsington Water Visitor Centre, Carsington Water, Carsington, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 1ST

2nd Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

9th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

16th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

23rd Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

30th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

Contact: Carsington Water Visitor Centre Tel: 01629 540696

Join STW and the RSPB at Carsington Water Visitor Centre in learning about the wildlife on site and its conservation. Binoculars and top of the range telescopes on hand for your use, live wildlife cameras, Animal Antics quiz and info given.

The Big 1 @ Chaddesden Park at Chaddesden

Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 6LN

2nd Aug 2009

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 255447

The Big 1 @ Chaddesden Park will be a fun-packed day of family entertainment, beginning with a parade of people of all ages in fancy dress.

Sussed Out for Summer at Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood

Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood, Sudbury, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 5HT

3rd Aug 2009 - 28th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

Contact: 01283 585337

Child - £1 per activity.

Sussed Out for Summer - Family activities involving fun, energy and dexterity. Full programme can be obtained by e-mailing sudburyhall@nationaltrust.org.uk (Excluding weekends)

Kids Fun Activity Days at Swadlincote Ski and Snowboard Centre

Swadlincote Ski and Snowboard Centre, Sir Herbert Wragg Way, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 8LP

3rd Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01283 217200 Web: www.swadlincoteskislope.co.uk

£25.50

Skiing or Snowboarding days combining lessons with Tobogganing and Sno-Tubing activities. Lunch is included as well as a certificate and badge. Aged 8+ for ski days, aged 10+ for Snowboard days.

Exhibition by Jo Sheppard at Sharpe's Pottery Museum

Sharpe's Pottery Museum, West Street, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9DG

3rd Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 16:30

Contact: Sharpe's Pottery Museum Tel: 01283 222600 Web: www.sharpes.org.uk

Exhibition of drawings and prints in the Cornishware Coffee Shop.

Designs on Pickford House at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

3rd Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

10th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

17th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

24th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

Contact: Pickford's House Museum Tel: 01332 255363 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

A series of art and craft activities taking Pickford's House and gardens for inspiration. No need to book, just drop in.

Laser Combat Drop In at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

3rd Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

7th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

10th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

14th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

17th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

21st Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

24th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

28th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563483 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£2.50 per person.

Laser Combat Drop In (20 minute sessions)

Out and Active at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

3rd Aug 2009 - 7th Aug 2009 09:00 - 17:00

24th Aug 2009 - 29th Aug 2009 09:00 - 17:00

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563483 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£15 per child per day.

Enjoy a week of fun packed activities including archery, laser combat and climbing. Ages 8-14.

Bat Walks at Kedleston Hall

Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, Derbyshire, DE22 5JH

3rd Aug 2009 20:00 - 22:00

10th Aug 2009 20:00 - 22:00

17th Aug 2009 20:00 - 22:00

Contact: Enquiries Tel: 01332 842191 Email: kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/kedleston

Adult £7.00, Child £3.50

Hunt out some of the parks nocturnal residents using bat detectors and the expert knowledge of our wardens and Derbyshire Bat Conservation Group.

The Big One 2 (Kinder Scout) at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

3rd Aug 2009 09:30

31st Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

A challenging ascent following the route of a tumbling stream onto the North East edge of Kinder Scout. You should be rewarded by stunning vistas as we follow the edge before descending to a lower path through countryside and woodland.

Woodland Survival Skills (OCN) at Woodland Survival Crafts

Woodland Survival Crafts, Spring Wood, B587, Melbourne, Derbyshire, DE73 8BJ

3rd Aug 2009 - 7th Aug 2009

Contact: Dave Watson Tel: 01283 730851 Email: dave@woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com Web: www.woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com

£395

A longer course designed by Woodland Survival Crafts and accredited by OCN. Taking the core subjects from the Introductory Bushcraft course.

Ranger Event - Nature Play Day at Ilam

Ilam, Village Centre, Ilam, Nr Ashbourne, Derbyshire, .

4th Aug 2009 10:30 - 15:00

Contact: Ranger Service - 01629 816290

Meet Ilam Hall, Ilam (GR:SK131506) Lots of fun environmental activities for children aged 2 ½ -7 years. Wear old clothes and bring a picnic. Booking essential from 1st July. Charge for materials. In partnership with the National Trust. Su

The Great Ridge at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

4th Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Arguably the finest ridge walk in the Peak District, taking in Rushup Edge, Mam Tor, Hollins Cross and Lose Hill, before returning through the Vale of Edale.

Rosliston & Beehive Farm Walk at Church Gresley Indoor Bowling Centre

Church Gresley Indoor Bowling Centre, Gresley Old Hall, Gresley Wood Road, Church Gresley, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9QW

4th Aug 2009 10:30

Contact: Colin or Joyce. Phyl & Kieth Tel: 221033 - 761088

Join us for one of the walks and feel free to invite along your friends. We usually meet on the church car park on the day of the Walk.

Please let us know if you are coming as - if necessary we may be able to help with transport.

Games Then and Now at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

4th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

24th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply.

Join our family Fun Day and play some games from the past and present.

Calke Park Lime Kilns at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

4th Aug 2009 19:00

Contact: East Staffordshire Ramblers Tel: 01530 415223 Web: www.ramblers.co.uk

Please contact for further details

Join East Staffordshire Ramblers for this 4 mile walk around Calke Park. Meet at Ticknall Village Hall Car Park SK353241

Wildlife Watch - Pond Dipping at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

4th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

18th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: Environmental Education Tel: 01283 535039 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£2.00 per person

Kids drop in holiday activity. Discover what lies beneath the surface of the Flight Pond. We provide all the equipment but please be prepared to share within family groups. Meet at the Flight Pond.

Creating Theatre with Wild Orchid Theatre at Sharpe's Pottery Museum

Sharpe's Pottery Museum, West Street, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9DG

4th Aug 2009 10:00 - 12:00

Contact: Booking Tel: 01283 222600 Web: www.sharpes.org.uk

£5

In this fun and interactive workshop Catherine Roth will show children how to build a mini theatre, write a play and then perform the show.

Listen Love Learn - Creative Workshop at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

4th Aug 2009 13:00 - 16:00

Contact: Charlotte Tel: 01332 285426 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

Free creative workshops for new and expectant young parents.

Camouflage Kids at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

4th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:00

20th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:00

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Find out how not only people but also animals use camouflage to blend in with their surroundings. This event is linked to our Soldier's Story and Nature Galleries. No need to book, just drop in.

Wild Derby Big Day Out at Chaddesden

Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 6LN

4th Aug 2009 10:30 - 15:30

Contact: for booking Tel: 01332 255021

Free outdoor activities for children (up to 12 years old) at wildlife sites in Derby. Places limited. Bring a picnic.

Enjoying Derby: Walking for Wellbeing at Derby

Derby, City Centre, Derby, DE1 3AH

4th Aug 2009 12:45

11th Aug 2009 12:45

18th Aug 2009 12:45

Contact: For information and Booking Tel: 01332 345966 Email: caron.kirkham@derbyshiremind.org.uk

All walks start from outside the Tourist Information Centre, Derby Market Place (under the big screen). They last 1 hour except where specified. Suitable for wheelchairs and buggies except where specified.

Aren't Birds Brilliant at Carsington Water Visitor Centre

Carsington Water Visitor Centre, Carsington Water, Carsington, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 1ST

4th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

11th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

18th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

25th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

Contact: Carsington Water Tel: 01629 540696

Join STW and the RSPB at Carsington Water Visitor Centre in learning about the wildlife on site and its conservation. Binoculars and top of the range telescopes on hand for your use, live wildlife cameras, Animal Antics quiz and info given.

QUAD Curator's Tour at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

5th Aug 2009 12:30 - 13:30

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

QUAD curators will be leading tours of the exhibitions around the QUAD building. The tours offer an opportunity to hear more about the artists ideas, and a chance to ask questions.

Summer Organ Recitals at Derby Cathedral

Derby Cathedral, Iron Gate, Derby, DE1 3DY

5th Aug 2009 19:45

Contact: Derby Cathedral

Admission £5 (£10 for 1 July). Season tickets (£35) available in advance.

On the famous Compton organ (70 years old this year) and featuring the music of Mendelssohn). Peter Gould (Derby Cathedral).

Days Out With Thomas at Midland Railway - Butterley

Midland Railway - Butterley, Butterley Station, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE53QZ

5th Aug 2009 - 9th Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:30

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 570140 Web: www.midlandrailwaycentre.co.uk

Children over 5 £5.50, Adult £10.90, Family (2 Adults & 3 Children over 5) £30.00

Come and visit the centre on the days when Thomas the Tank is there with all his friends including Sir Topham Hat.

Mini Beast Homes at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

5th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

12th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

19th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

26th Aug 2009 14:30 - 15:30

Contact: Pickford's House Tel: 01332 255363 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Join us for this hour long activity. Make yourself a mini-beast viewer and explore Pickford's House garden to discover the different kinds of places that our creepy crawly friends live.

Archery Drop In at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

5th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

6th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

12th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

13th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

19th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

20th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

26th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

27th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563843 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£2.50 for 9 arrows.

Archery Drop In (9 arrows). No booking required. Pay in Barn reception.

Discover Nature's Playground at Derby Arboretum

Derby Arboretum, Arboretum Square, Derby, DE23 8FZ

5th Aug 2009 14:00 - 18:00

Contact: to reserve a place Tel: 01773 539433

Come and enjoy "nature's play".

Calke Alive at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

5th Aug 2009 12:30 - 16:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Email: calkeabbey@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

House ticket required

Meet characters who lived and worked at Calke in the 19th century. From scullery maids to squires, boot boys to baronets - they all have a tale to tell.

Ingleby Walk at Ingleby

Ingleby, Nr Melbourne, Derby, DE73 7HW

5th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: East Staffordshire Ramblers Tel: 01283 548186 Web: www.ramblers.co.uk

Please contact for further details

Join East Staffordshire Ramblers for this 5 mile walk around Ingleby. Meet at John Thompson Inn and Brewery Car Park SK 352268.

Wednesday Half Day Walks at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

5th Aug 2009

12th Aug 2009

19th Aug 2009

26th Aug 2009

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/half.aspx

Published price £20 per adult. 2009 special offer - 2 people for the price of 1. A deposit is usually required upon booking to secure you place.

Peak Walking Adventures specialises in taking small groups out into the beautiful Peak District hills and countryside. This walk is guided by one of our friendly, professional leaders who will share their local knowledge with you. On Wednesdays and Saturdays we offer shorter walks to our usual programme. Our half day walks are around 4 - 5 miles and at varying locations around the Peak District. Contact us for details of the options on the date you require. Enquiries welcome from singles, couples, friends, and small groups of adults. We regret we do not take children under the age of 13. Young people under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who will be responsible for them. No dogs please. Advance booking is essential.

Lathkill Dale & Limestone Delights at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

6th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Follow the River Bradford to the pretty village of Youlgreave, then take part of the long distance path of the Limestone Way, before enjoying the charms of Lathkill Dale.

Balloon Hovercrafts at Silk Mill Museum

Silk Mill Museum, The Silk Mill, Silk Mill Lane, Derby, DE1 3AF

6th Aug 2009 10:00 - 16:00

7th Aug 2009 10:00 - 16:00

Contact: The Silk Mill Tel: 01332 255308 Web: derby.gov.uk/museums

Back by popular demand, this balloon hovercrafts event is fun for everyone. Construct your very own balloon hovercraft from a balloon, bottle cap and old CD and then test it in water. No need to book, just drop in.

Wild Derby Big Day Out at Derby Arboretum

Derby Arboretum, Arboretum Square, Derby, DE23 8FZ

6th Aug 2009 10:30 - 15:30

Contact: for booking Tel: 01332 255021

Free outdoor activities for children (up to 12 years old) at wildlife sites in Derby. Places limited. Bring a picnic.

Family Wildlife Wander at Kedleston Hall

Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, Derbyshire, DE22 5JH

6th Aug 2009 14:00 - 15:00

13th Aug 2009 14:00 - 15:00

20th Aug 2009 14:00 - 15:00

27th Aug 2009 14:00 - 15:00

Contact: Enquiries Tel: 01332 842191 Email: kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/kedleston

All tickets £1.00

A guided walk along the short walk with one of our wardens looking at either birds, bugs, beasties or mammals.

QUAD Film Quiz at Quad

Quad, Market Place, Cathedral Quarter, Derby, DE1 3AS

6th Aug 2009 20:00 - 22:30

Contact: QUAD Box Office Tel: 01332 290606 Web: www.derbyquad.co.uk

£1 per person entry, maximum 6 people in a team.

A new monthly film quiz hosted alternately by Film Lecturer David Leicester or Cult Film Historian Darrell Buxton.

A Night of Cabaret at The Venue

The Venue, 47-49 Abbey Street, Derby, DE22 3SJ

6th Aug 2009 19:00

Contact: For booking Tel: 0870 264 3333 Web: www.seetickets.com

Adult £5 advance £8 on door

A night of Cabaret. Steph J, The Underlimes, Danielson, JP th Quirky Magician.

Family Activity Fridays at Kedleston Hall

Kedleston Hall , Kedleston, Derby, Derbyshire, DE22 5JH

7th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:00

14th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:00

21st Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:00

28th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:00

Contact: Enquiries Tel: 01332 842191 Email: kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/kedleston

Children £1.00

Outdoor trails and activities for all the family taking inspiration from the man made and natural environments of Kedleston Hall.

The Secret Garden at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

7th Aug 2009

8th Aug 2009

10th Aug 2009

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply.

Enter the Secret Garden at Calke and follow the story of Mary Lennox as she uncovers the garden. Explore and enjoy games and activities in this magical garden.

Bleaklow Stones at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

7th Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

This is a challenging walk from the end of Howden Reservoir. You will follow the River Derwent almost to its source, then venture into the rugged wilderness of the moors for a strenuous walk to the remotely sited Bleaklow Stones.

Father and Son at Woodland Survival Crafts

Woodland Survival Crafts, Spring Wood, B587, Melbourne, Derbyshire, DE73 8BJ

7th Aug 2009 - 9th Aug 2009

Contact: Dave Watson Tel: 01283 730851 Email: dave@woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com Web: www.woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com

£180

A superb opportunity for fathers and their teenage sons to share fun and learning together.

Manifold Valley Agricultural Show at Ilam

Ilam, Village Centre, Ilam, Nr Ashbourne, Derbyshire, .

8th Aug 2009 09:30 - 17:00

Contact: Ken Warrilow Tel: 01298 83423 Email: ken@littlefernyford.myzen.co.uk

Adults £5.00, Children/OAPs £3.00, (under 12's free) FREE parking on the showground.

The 30th Manifold Valley show will take place on the 8th August at Castern Hall, Ilam. The showground is situated in a beautiful part of the Staffordshire Moorlands, close to picturesque Dovedale on the Staffordshire/Derbyshire border.

Big Fun Run Derby at Darley Park

Darley Park, Duffield Road, Derby, DE22 1DR

8th Aug 2009 11:00

Contact: Cancer Research UK Web: www.bigfunrun.com

Sponsored event.

The run starts and finishes alongside the River Derwent not far from the Rowing Club.

1940's Weekend at Crich Tramway Village

Crich Tramway Village, Crich, Derbyshire, DE4 5DP

8th Aug 2009 - 9th Aug 2009

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 854321 Email: enquiry@tramway.co.uk

Adult £12.50, senior citizens £11.50, child £6.50 (3-15), family £35.00.

1940's Weekend at Crich Tramway Village, experience the real atmosphere of wartime with air raid warnings, rationing and the blackout.

A variety of period military and civilian vehicles on show, re-enactors in period costume.

Craft Fairs at Sir Richard Arkwright's Masson Mills

Sir Richard Arkwright's Masson Mills, Masson Mill, Derby Road, Matlock Bath, Derbyshire, DE4 3PY

9th Aug 2009 11:00 - 14:00 and 00:00 - 00:00

Contact: Jennie Sims Tel: 01629 760208 Email: massmm287@ewm.co.uk

Free admission to customers

Held at the Tea Rooms Masson Mill Anyone wishing to book a stall, the cost is £15.00

Have A Go With a Bow at Kedleston Hall

Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, Derbyshire, DE22 5JH

9th Aug 2009 14:00 - 17:00

30th Aug 2009 14:00 - 17:00

Contact: Enquiries Tel: 01332 842191 Email: kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk

All Tickets £1

Try your hand at archery on the south lawn with Derbyshire Archery Club.

NGS Open Gardens - 10 Chestnut Way at Repton

Repton, South Derbyshire, DE65 6FH

9th Aug 2009 13:00 - 18:00

Contact: Robert & Pauline Little Tel: 01283 702267 Web: www.ngs.org.uk

Adults £2.50, Children Free

10 Chestnut Way, Repton, Derbyshire, DE65 6FQ. Open Gardens for charity. Meander through an acre of natural borders, spring bulbs, mature trees to a stunning butterfly bed and flower meadow.

NGS Open Gardens - Woodend Cottage at Repton

Repton, South Derbyshire, DE65 6FH

9th Aug 2009 13:00 - 18:00

Contact: Wendy & Stephen Longden Tel: 01283 703259 Web: www.ngs.org.uk

Adults £2.50, Children Free

Woodend Cottage, Repton, Derbyshire, DE65 6FB. Open Gardens for charity. Plant lover's garden with glorious views on sloping 2 1/2 acre site developed organically for year round interest.

NGS Open Gardens - 22 Pinfold Close at Repton

Repton, South Derbyshire, DE65 6FH

9th Aug 2009 13:00 - 18:00

Contact: Mr O Jowett Web: www.ngs.org.uk

£5, Children Free

22 Pinfold Close, Repton, Derbyshire, DE65 6FR. Small garden with an interest in tropical plants. Palms, ginger, tree ferns, canna's, bananas. Mainly foliage plants.

NGS Open Gardens - Clovermead at Findern

Findern, Derby, Derbyshire, DE65 6AG

9th Aug 2009 14:00 - 17:30

Contact: David and Rosemary Noblet Tel: 01283 702237 Web: www.ngs.org.uk

£2.50, Child Free

Clovermead, Commonpiece Lane, Findern, Derby, DE65 6AF. Cottage garden set in approx 3/4 acre. Garden rooms full of perennial flowers. Honeysuckle, roses, jasmine and sweet peas scent the air.

Bamford Edge at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

9th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Walk up to the splendid heather covered Bamford Moor and to enjoy the views from Bamford Edge over the reservoirs and beyond. Return to Bamford by taking a relaxing stroll along part of the Derwent Valley Way.

Dales of Derbyshire at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

10th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Explore the pretty valleys of Cheedale and Monksdale, including part of the Derbyshire Dales Nature Reserve. You will also follow a section of the long distance Pennine Bridleway path.

Discover Nature's Playground at Littleover

Littleover, Derby, DE23 6GF

10th Aug 2009 13:30 - 15:30

Contact: to reserve a place : Tel: 01773 539433

At Sunnydale Park. Come and enjoy "nature's play".

Most Haunted style ghost walk at Ye Olde Dolphin Inn

Ye Olde Dolphin Inn, 6-7 Queens Street, Derby, DE1 3DL

10th Aug 2009 19:00 - 23:00

Contact: for information and booking Tel: 01332 267711

£25

Hosted by Richard Felix a Ghostwalk around Derby's many haunted locations, price includes main course meal served at the Dolphin. To book ask at the bar.

Cycling Skills 'Go Ride' at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

10th Aug 2009 - 11th Aug 2009 10:00 - 15:00

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563483 Email: enquiries@sharpepottery.org.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£30 per child.

Fun cycling skills and activity programme. Suitable for children aged 8-14. Booking essential.

Wildlife Watch - Minibeast Magic at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

11th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: Environmental Education Tel: 01283 535039 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£2 per person

Kids drop in holiday activity. A fun session to make a mini beast and then explore outside for mini beasts. Which creature lives where, and why? Come along to the sensory garden any time.

Calke Alive - 20th Century at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

11th Aug 2009 12:30 - 16:00

17th Aug 2009 12:30 - 16:00

29th Aug 2009 12:30 - 16:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply.

What were the soldiers doing at Calke Abbey in 1940? Who lived in 1940? Who lived in the house? Come and meet some of the characters from this period and help the war effort with a bit of make do and mend.

Bleaklow Adventure at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

11th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Venture onto the wild and rugged peakland plateau of Bleaklow. Visit the site of an old aircraft wreck, and follow part of the famous Pennine Way footpath. You must be prepared to cross rough and uneven ground.

NGS Open Gardens at Bluebell Arboretum

Bluebell Arboretum, Annwell Lane, Smisby, ASHBY-DE-LA-ZOUCH, Leicestershire, LE65 2TA

12th Aug 2009 09:00 - 17:00

30th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

Contact: Robert & Suzette Vernon Tel: 01530 413700 Web: www.ngs.org.uk

Adults £3, Children Free

Open Gardens for Charity. Beautiful 9-acre arboretum planted in last 17 years, including specimens of rare trees and shrubs. Bring wellingtons in wet weather.

The Mickleover Art Group Exhibition at Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood

Sudbury Hall & Museum of Childhood, Sudbury, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 5HT

12th Aug 2009 - 23rd Aug 2009 13:00 - 17:00

Contact: 01283 585337

The Mickleover Art Group Exhibition - An exhibition in the Hall of water colours and pastels available for sale. These are by local artists and a member of the Art Group will be attending each day to answer questions. (Excludes Mondays & Tu)

Summer Organ Recitals at Derby Cathedral

Derby Cathedral, Iron Gate, Derby, DE1 3DY

12th Aug 2009 19:45

Contact: Derby Cathedral

Admission £5 (£10 for 1 July). Season tickets (£35) available in advance.

On the famous Compton organ (70 years old this year) and featuring the music of Mendelssohn). Tom Corfield (assistant, Derby Cathedral).

Wild Derby Big day Out at Sinfin

Sinfin, Derby, DE24 9GR

12th Aug 2009 10:30 - 15:30

Contact: For booking Tel: 01332 255021

Free outdoor activities for children (up to 12 years old) at wildlife sites in Derby. Places limited. Bring a picnic.

Secrets of the Mummies at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

13th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

27th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Travel back to Ancient Egypt this summer! Join us for a host of themed activities including performances by professional storytellers Annamation, mask making, clay workshops, object handling and face painting.

Explore and Draw at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

13th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:30

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply

Explore the gardens at Calke and try some sketching or painting. We will provide materials for all the family to come along and have fun.

Charms of Chatsworth at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

13th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Meander through the famous Chatsworth Estate, visiting the pretty villages of Beeley and Edensor. Follow woodland woodland trails and stroll through classic English parkland.

Froggatt & Curbar Edges at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

14th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Walk along the stunning gritstone edges of Froggatt and Curbar, high above the peakland villages of Grindleford and Froggatt. The return route follows part of the long distance Derwent Valley Way.

Calke Party Night at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

14th Aug 2009 18:15 - 22:30

Contact: Box office Tel: 01909 511061 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Please contact Box Office.

Dance the night away at this open air at this open air concert ending with a spectacular firework finale.

Explore and Draw in NGS Open Day at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

14th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:30

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Please phone for further details.

Explore the gardens at Calke in support of the National Garden Scheme charity. Have a go at some sketching and painting. Materials will be provided for all the family to come along and have fun.

Discover Nature's Playground at Moorways Sports Centre and Swimming Pool

Moorways Sports Centre and Swimming Pool, Moor Lane, Allenton, DERBY, DE24 9HY

14th Aug 2009 13:30 - 15:30

Contact: to reserve a place : Tel: 01773 539433

Elm Wood at Moorways. Come and enjoy "nature's play".

Back to the 80's at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

14th Aug 2009 19:30

Contact: Box Office Tel: 01332 255800 Web: www.derbylive.co.uk

Tickets: £30. Concessions: under 16s £15, under 5s go free with no ticket required.

Back to the 80s is coming to picturesque Calke Abbey with a show packed with all time favourite songs from headline names which will capture the spirit of the decade.

Puppet Theatres at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

14th Aug 2009 10:30 - 12:00 and 13:30 - 15:00

Contact: Pickford's House Tel: 01332 255363

Knights in shining armour saving beautiful princesses from evil dragons! Join us to create a traditional fantasy puppet theatre in the style of those on display in our Toy Theatre Gallery. No need to book, just drop in.

NGS Open Gardens at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

14th Aug 2009 11:00 - 17:00

Contact: The National Trust Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk

House & Garden £9.50, child £4.60, garden only £5.90, Child £2.90.

Extensive late C18 walled gardens. Flower garden with summer bedding and famous auricula theatre. Impressive collection of glasshouses and garden buildings.

Discover Nature's Playground at Sinfin

Sinfin, Derby, DE24 9GR

14th Aug 2009 10:00 - 12:00

Contact: to reserve a place : Tel: 01773 539433

At Sinfin Moor Park. Come and enjoy "nature's play".

Tower Climbs at Derby Cathedral

Derby Cathedral, Iron Gate, Derby, DE1 3DY

15th Aug 2009 10:45 - 15:45

Contact: for information Tel: 01332 341201 Web: www.derbycathedral.org

Adults £3 Children £2

Climb the 189 steps, visit the ringing chamber and Carillon room and enjoy the view over 3 counties from the top. Hourly-first climb 10.45, last climb 3.45.

Visit of Paddington Bear at Midland Railway - Butterley

Midland Railway - Butterley, Butterley Station, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE53QZ

15th Aug 2009 - 16th Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:00

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 570140 Web: www.midlandrailwaycentre.co.uk

Check website of ring for details.

Paddington will be appearing at the Midland Railway Butterley this weekend which will include all of the Trust's normal activities as well as additional children's entertainment.

Trees and Teas at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

15th Aug 2009 14:00

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563483 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£3.50 per person.

Enjoy a Summer Walk around the site followed by a cream tea in The Hub. Meet in the Foyer.

The Pokey Hole - Limehouse Lizzy at Conkers

Conkers, Rawdon Road (B586), Moira, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 6GA

15th Aug 2009 18:30

Contact: The Pokey Hole Tel: 01283 760265 Email: petetheshirt@aol.com Web: www.thepokeyhole.com

£20

The Pokey Hole present Limehouse Lizzy, Atomic Blondie and The Kounterfeit Kinks. Doors open at 6pm.

Spitfire Proms at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

15th Aug 2009 19:30

Contact: Box Office Tel: 01332 255800 Web: www.derbylive.co.uk

Tickets: £27.50. Concessions: under 16s £10, under 5s go free with no ticket required.

Calke Abbey will prove to be a popular choice for all classical music lovers with this concert packed with superb classical music and a stunning WWII Spitfire display.

Collecting Day at Derby Museum & Art Gallery

Derby Museum & Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby, DE1 1BS

15th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

Contact: Information Tel: 01332 641901 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

The research behind Devotion has highlighted certain areas where the museums' collection is less representative of the communities it serves.

Concert - Flying Proms at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

15th Aug 2009 19:30 - 22:30

Contact: Further Information and Booking Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

£30.00

Various details to be confirmed.

Steps Project at Allestree Park at Allestree Park

Allestree Park, Duffield Road, Derby, Derbyshire, DE22 2EU

15th Aug 2009 10:00 - 16:00

Contact: for further information Web: www.friendsofallestreepark.org.uk

Conservation project constructing steps from Big Wood to the Golf Course, to make the path safer and allow regeneration of vegetation. Volunteers needed, please bring outdoor clothing and stout footwear. Tools provided but a bow saw or spade would be useful. All welcome but children **MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT**.

Ashbourne Show at Osmaston

Osmaston, Derbyshire, DE6 1LW

15th Aug 2009 09:00 - 17:00

Contact: Andrea Adams Tel: 01889 507497 Email: enquiries@ashbourneshow.co.uk

£8 adults £4 (5-15yrs) OAPs £6 Family £22 £1 discount pre show (excl. family ticket)

Country and agricultural show - trade stands, craft marquee, food hall, horse and livestock class, dog show, family fun for all ages. Dogs accepted. Show signed off the A52 Ashbourne-Derby road; 2 miles south of Ashbourne.

Summer Sundays Band Concert at Belper

Belper, Derbyshire, -

16th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: 01773 8414885

Summer Sundays Band Concert 2.00pm in Belper with Darley Dale Brass.

Delightful Dales at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

16th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discount available if two or more day walks are booked.

This guided walk from the pretty village of Ashford-in-the-Water follows footpaths to Monsal Head for fine views of the stone viaduct.

Return via Monsal Dale, the Deep Dale nature reserve, and the historic Magpie Mine.

Just for Dogs Charity Dog Show at Darley Park

Darley Park, Duffield Road, Derby, DE22 1DR

16th Aug 2009 12:00 - 16:00

Contact: Margaret Smith Tel: 01335 361363 Web: www.justfordogs.org

Charity Dog show

Coton in the Elms and The National Forest Walk at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

16th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Alan Tel: 01530 413484 Web: www.derbyramblers.org.uk

Please phone for further details.

Join Derby and South Derbyshire Ramblers for this 8 mile walk around Coton in the Elms starting from Rosliston Forestry Centre SK243175.

Alice Through The Looking Glass at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

16th Aug 2009 13:00

Contact: Swadlincote TIC Tel: 01283 222848 Email: tic@sharpepottery.com Web: www.south-derbys.gov.uk

Adult £8.00, Child £4.00, Concession £4.00, Family £20.00

Quantum Theatre presents an open air production of Alice Through the Looking Glass. A brand new, energetic and hilarious adaptation, faithfully retaining the story's particularly British humour and quirkiness.

City Safari at Derby

Derby, City Centre, Derby, DE1 3AH

16th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: for information Tel: 01332 515859 Web: www.dnhs.org.uk

Join Derby Natural History Society for a two-mile (3.2 kilometre) walk to discover the wealth of varied wildlife to be found in the city centre. One flight of steps. Meet at the junction of Ford Street and Brook Walk in Derby, GR SK348366.

Pond Dipping at Alvaston

Alvaston, Derby, DE24 8QP

16th Aug 2009 10:30 - 16:00

Contact: Derby City Pond Wardens Association Tel: 01332 830657 Email: dcywa@aol.com

Join Derby City Pond Wardens Association to discover the creatures which lurk in the pond off Bridlegate Lane (formerly Elvaston Lane), near to the A6 Alvaston by-pass. There will be pond dipping for all members of the family.

Moorlands and Millstones at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

17th Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discount available if two or more day walks are booked.

Explore the dramatic moors and gritstone edges above Hathersage, famous for the many abandoned millstones nestling amongst heather and bracken. You will also visit the site of an ancient hill fort and other interesting features.

Father & Son - Preparation for Adulthood at Woodland Survival Crafts

Woodland Survival Crafts, Spring Wood, B587, Melbourne, Derbyshire, DE73 8BJ

17th Aug 2009 - 21st Aug 2009

Contact: Dave Watson Tel: 01283 730851 Email: dave@woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com Web: www.woodlandssurvivalcrafts.com

£550

Aimed at those who attended Father & Son Part 1 course. Through learning more in-depth bushcrafts skills we aim to explore some key issues surrounding the often awkward move into manhood.

Dovedale Sheep Dog Trials at Ilam

Ilam, Village Centre, Ilam, Nr Ashbourne, Derbyshire, .

18th Aug 2009 13:00 - 17:00

19th Aug 2009 07:00 - 17:00

Contact: Viv Hollick Tel: 01335 372889

£2.50 admission. Under 12s FREE.

Dovedale Sheep dog Trials is the place in which to watch England's finest working sheepdogs and their handlers at work. Set in the renowned beauty spot of Dovedale in Derbyshire. The Trials take place in Blore Pastures, Blore, Ilam.

The Big One 1 (Kinder Scout) at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

18th Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discount available if two or more day walks are booked.

On this walk, you will enjoy an exhilarating climb from the Vale of Edale up to onto Kinder Scout. There should be stunning views around the gritstone edges before you venture through the groughs and hags of the central Kinder Plateau.

Mask Workshop at Sharpe's Pottery Museum

Sharpe's Pottery Museum, West Street, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9DG

18th Aug 2009 - 19th Aug 2009 10:00 - 12:00

Contact: Booking Tel: 01283 222600 Web: www.sharpes.org.uk

£12

Come along to this 2 part workshop. In the first session make a plaster decorative mask, plan your decoration and design your own hand held Venetian mask. In the second session, put both designs into practice by decorating your plaster mask

Murder Mystery Mayhem at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

18th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:30

19th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:30

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply.

Find the clues that lead to the identity of the animal murderer in the park. You will need all your detective skills to identify the culprits and win a small prize.

Summer Organ Recitals at Derby Cathedral

Derby Cathedral, Iron Gate, Derby, DE1 3DY

19th Aug 2009 19:45

Contact: Derby Cathedral

Admission £5 (£10 for 1 July). Season tickets (£35) available in advance.

On the famous Compton organ (70 years old this year) and featuring the music of Mendelssohn). Paul Hale (Southwell Minster).

Farmhouses through Time at The Magic Attic Archives

The Magic Attic Archives, West Street, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9DG

19th Aug 2009 19:30

Contact: Magic Attic Tel: 01283 819020 Email: clydemf@gmail.com Web: www.magicattic.org.uk

£2.00

Join the Magic Attic Archives for a talk by speaker Keith Blood on 'Farmhouses through Time'. One in a series of talks in the Magic Attic Talks Programme. Tea/coffee and biscuits provided.

Swadlincote's Open Spaces Guided Walk at Swadlincote

Swadlincote, South Derbyshire, DE11 9DG

20th Aug 2009 19:00

Contact: Environmental Education Tel: 01283 535039 Web: www.south-derbys.gov.uk

£2

Meet in the courtyard of Sharpe's Pottery Museum. One in a series of guided walks finding out more about the environment and heritage of the local area.

A Medley of Moorlands at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

20th Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discount available if two or more day walks are booked.

Explore Shatton Moor, Abney Moor, and the beautiful Eyam Moor with its stunning views over the Hope Valley and beyond before finishing the walk on part of the long distance path of the Derwent Valley Way.

Family Quiz Night at Swadlincote Ski and Snowboard Centre

Swadlincote Ski and Snowboard Centre, Sir Herbert Wragg Way, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 8LP

20th Aug 2009 19:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01283 217200 Email: ski-swadlincote@nikegroup.co.uk Web: www.swadlincoteskislope.co.uk
Family Quiz Night. Teams of up to 6. Register on the night. Loads of great Ski Centre prizes to be won!

Farmers' Market at Derby

Derby, City Centre, Derby, DE1 3AH

20th Aug 2009 09:00 - 15:00

Contact: For information : Web: <http://www.derby.gov.uk/LeisureCulture/markets.htm>

In the Market Place. Derby Farmers' Markets are held on the 3rd Thursday of each month. More than ever, Farmers' Markets are good for farmers, rural communities, market towns, the environment, your health and your taste buds.

Survival Day at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

20th Aug 2009

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563483 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

Please phone for further details

Survival Day at Rosliston Forestry Centre. Details to be confirmed.

Pickford's 21st Birthday Party at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

21st Aug 2009

Contact: Pickford's House Tel: 01332 255363 Web: www.derby.gov.uk/museums

Join us for a celebratory event marking the 21st anniversary of the opening of the Museum.

Dramatic Derwent at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

21st Aug 2009 09:30

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if two or more day walks booked.

A challenging walk up to Derwent Edge to marvel at the gritstone rock formations, including the much photographed Salt Cellar Boulder. Enjoy panoramic vistas of the reservoirs and beyond. Approx 10 miles and 400 metres of ascent.

Stop the Week! at the Tara Centre at Tara Centre

Tara Centre, Tara Buddhist Centre, Ashe Hall, Ash Lane, Etwall, DE65 6HT

21st Aug 2009

Contact: Tara Centre Tel: 01283 732338 Web: www.taracentre.org.uk

£15

A relaxing and enjoyable alternative to your usual Friday night. We start with a short, guided meditation to relax and unwind from the stresses of the week.

Introductory Sewing Course at Tara Centre

Tara Centre, Tara Buddhist Centre, Ashe Hall, Ash Lane, Etwall, DE65 6HT

22nd Aug 2009 - 23rd Aug 2009

Contact: Tara Centre Tel: 01283 732338 Web: www.taracentre.org.uk

£35

This two day course will teach you to the basics of machining and hand finishing, choosing fabrics and following patterns. You will learn how to make simple items like cushions and book covers.

Heritage Tour of Ashe Hall at Tara Centre

Tara Centre, Tara Buddhist Centre, Ashe Hall, Ash Lane, Etwall, DE65 6HT

22nd Aug 2009 10:30

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01283 732338 Email: meditate@taracentre.org.uk Web: www.taracentre.org.uk/tour
£10

An insight into the varied history of this beautiful house. Includes light refreshments in our World Peace Cafe.

Bat Safari at Carsington Water

Carsington Water, Carsington, Ashbourne, DE6 1ST

22nd Aug 2009 19:45 - 22:15

Contact: Carsington Water Visitor Centre Tel: 01629 540696

£2.50 inc free parking

Join Derbyshire Bat Conservation Group and the Rangers for an evening stroll near part of the reservoir. Please bring stout footwear and warm clothing - torches are essential. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Meet at M

Hulland Ward Craft & Gift Fair at Hulland Ward

Hulland Ward, Derbyshire, DE6 3EF

22nd Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:00

Contact: Jim/Jackie Biddulph Tel: 01782 822713

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Craft & Gift Fair in Hulland Ward Village Hall

Digital Film Making at Skylark Holidays

Skylark Holidays, Windlehill Farm, Sutton on the Hill, Derbyshire, DE6 5JH

23rd Aug 2009 - 28th Aug 2009

Contact: Paul Hunt Tel: 01283 701729 Email: paulhunt@skylarkholidays.co.uk Web: www.skylarkholidays.co.uk

B&B £512, Self catering (own room) £477, Self catering (shared room) £392, Non residential £320

Making a Film. Learn and practice with a digital camcorder: Do you have ideas and stories you want to put into film? Do you want to get family and friends in on the act? Do you want to learn how to use your camcorder properly?

Wildlife and Archaeology at Derby

Derby, City Centre, Derby, DE1 3AH

23rd Aug 2009 14:00 - 15:30

Contact: for information Tel: 01332 345548 Web: www.derby.gov.uk

Meet at The Silk Mill - Derby's Museum of Industry and History on Silk Mill Lane, off Full Street, GR SK353365. Join The Friends of Derby Museum and Art Gallery for a one-mile (1.6 kilometre) history and wildlife walk.

Llama Trek at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

23rd Aug 2009

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 563483 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web:

www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£6.50 per person.

Learn about these amazing animals and discover how friendly and inquisitive they can be! Booking essential.

Beautiful Burbage at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

23rd Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Enjoy stunning panoramic vistas of the Burbage Valley from a gritstone edge high above. See abandoned millstones on the moors from an industry long gone by, and visit the Iron Age hill fort of Carl Wark.

White Peak Wonders at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

24th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Meander through the pretty valleys of Cressbrook Dale, Millers Dale, and Tideswell Dale, and enjoy typical limestone countryside. Also visit the peakland village of Tideswell, famous for its church known as The Cathedral of the Peak.

Open Gardens at The Burrows Gardens

The Burrows Gardens, The Burrows Gardens, Burrows Lane, Brailsford, Ashbourne, DE6 3BU

24th Aug 2009

Contact: Mr Craig Dalton Tel: 01335 360745 Email: craig.dalton@burrowsgardens.com Web: www.burrowsgardens.com

Adults £4.00 Children- free

Gardens open for the National Garden Scheme (all proceeds go to charity) Tea / coffee and homemade cakes are available. Lunch can be made available for large group bookings. Please contact us for further details.

The Shivering Mountain at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

25th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

From the Vale of Edale, we take a slow walk towards the summit of Mam Tor and learn why it is known as The Shivering Mountain. We should be rewarded for the climb with panoramic views of the Peak District.

Wildlife Watch - Natures Art at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

25th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: Rosliston Forestry Centre Tel: 01283 535039 Email: enquiries@roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk Web: www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk

£2 per person.

Kids drop in holiday activity doing leaf painting. Let your imagination go wild using natural materials! Drop in to the classroom anytime.

Benjamin Bunny Trail at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

26th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:30

27th Aug 2009 11:00 - 15:30

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01332 863822 Email: calkeabbey@nationaltrust.org.uk Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Normal admission charges apply

Follow the trail of Benjamin Bunny through the gardens. Especially for the under 5's and their adults.

It runs in the Family at Murray Park School

Murray Park School, Murray Road, Mickleover, Derby, DE3 9LL

26th Aug 2009 - 29th Aug 2009 19:15

Contact: for information Tel: 01332 511867

Adult £5 Concessions £4

In this classic farce, Dr Mortimore fends off a paternity suit, a bossy matron, a punkish son and others so that he may deliver the Ponsonby Lecture to an international conference.

Sheepwash Spinners at Carsington Water Visitor Centre

Carsington Water Visitor Centre, Carsington Water, Carsington, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 1ST

26th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

29th Aug 2009 11:00 - 16:00

Contact: Carsington Water Visitor Centre Tel: 016295 540696

Drop in any time between 11.00 am and 4.00 pm to watch local experts demonstrate the art of wool spinning and learn about the importance of this traditional craft in Derbyshire.

Markeaton Brook Walk at Derby Local Studies Library

Derby Local Studies Library, 25B Iron Gate, Derby, Derbyshire, DE1 3GL

27th Aug 2009 19:00

Contact: for tickets and information Tel: 01332 255393

£6.00

A leisurely walk themed on the role of the brook in Derby's history. Speaker Jane James, Local Historian. The walk starts from the Local Studies Library and lasts around an hour, finishing with refreshments the opportunity to ask questions

The Story of Eyam at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

27th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Visit sites around the famous plague village of Eyam and the beautiful Eyam Moor with its stunning views over the Hope Valley beyond.

Ladybower and Lockerbrook at Peak Walking Adventures

Peak Walking Adventures, The High Peak & Derbyshire Dales, -

28th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: Cath Lee Tel: 07870 778585 Email: info@peakwalking.com Web: www.peakwalking.com/daywalks.aspx

£35 per adult. If required, free transport to and from the start of the walk can usually be provided from the Hope Valley and some other areas. Contact us to enquire. A deposit is usually required. Discounts available if walks are booked on two or more days.

Venture into some of the lower hills surrounding the scenic Ladybower Reservoir with the opportunity to learn about the connections with The Dam Busters, and enjoy panoramic views. Return along the waters edge.

Egginton Walk at Egginton

Egginton, Derby, Derbyshire, DE65 6HP

28th Aug 2009 10:00

Contact: East Staffordshire Ramblers Tel: 01283 543483 Web: www.ramblers.co.uk

Please contact for further details

Join East Staffordshire Ramblers for this 2 mile walk around Egginton. Meet at Egginton Church (roadside parking in village) SK268279

Rocketship to Mars at Pickford's House Museum

Pickford's House Museum, 41 Friar Gate, Derby, DE1 1DA

28th Aug 2009 10:30 - 12:00 and 13:30 - 15:00

Contact: Pickford's House Tel: 01332 255363

From Johnny Astro to Major Matt Mason...from Dan Dare to Steve Zodiac...To tie in with a special display of vintage science fiction toys in the Museum shop.

Christ Church Hulland Flower Festival at Hulland Ward

Hulland Ward, Derbyshire, DE6 3EF

28th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 18:00

Contact: 01335 370334

Hulland Flower Festival on the theme of 'Sing to the Lord a new Song!' The Flower Festival is in the Christ Church, Dog Lane, Hulland. Open everyday 10.00am to 6.00pm Refreshments and home produce available in the hall next to the Church.

Horticultural and Craft Show at Hulland Ward

Hulland Ward, Derbyshire, DE6 3EF

29th Aug 2009

Contact: 01335 370334 Tel: 01629 55946

Hulland village Horticultural and Craft Show, held in the Hulland and District Millennium Hall (next to Holy Trinity Church). There will be floral arrangements by various groups in the village. The theme is-Religious Celebrations. T

Anniversary Week. at Midland Railway - Butterley

Midland Railway - Butterley, Butterley Station, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE53QZ

29th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:30

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 570140 Web: www.midlandrailwaycentre.co.uk

Check website or ring for details.

This week will feature a series of specially arranged exhibitions: The Midland Railway Centre - 40 years on, A reflective look back over the years since the formation of the Midland Railway Project Group in 1969

Works Open Day at Midland Railway - Butterley

Midland Railway - Butterley, Butterley Station, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE53QZ

29th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:30

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 570140 Web: www.midlandrailwaycentre.co.uk

Check website or ring for details.

A special gala weekend re-creating the Works Open Days that were popular in the 1950s. The format will be similar to that in 2008 with a wide range of steam and diesel traction operating to an intensive timetable.

Local Live Aid 2009 at Rosliston Forestry Centre

Rosliston Forestry Centre, Burton Road, Rosliston, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE12 8JX

29th Aug 2009

30th Aug 2009

Contact: Swadlincote TIC Tel: 01283 222848 Email: tic@sharpestpottery.com Web: www.south-derbys.gov.uk

FREE!

Live talented local bands, dance and theatre in aid of Touch of Life Children's Dance Troupe and Liberty Rose Trust. Beer festival, wine also available.

Twelfth Night at Calke Abbey

Calke Abbey, Ticknall, Derby, DE73 7LE

29th Aug 2009 19:30 - 22:30

Contact: Box Office Tel: 01909 511061 Web: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/calke

Adult £12.50, Child £6.00, Family £40.00

Enjoy Shakespeare's much loved comedy performed by The Lord Chamberlain's Men in the beautiful grounds of Calke Abbey.

Summer Bank Holiday Event Days at Ecclesbourne Valley Railway

Ecclesbourne Valley Railway, Wirksworth Station, Station Road, Wirksworth, Derbyshire, DE4 4FB

29th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:00

Contact: Anton Shone Tel: 01629 823076 Email: wirksworth_station@wyvernrail.co.uk Web: <http://www.e-v-r.com/>

Adults £7.50 Child £4.00 Con £6.50 Family (2+3) £19.50

Both the Ravenstor and Idridgehay lines will operate over the weekend with a service of diesel railcars and one or both class 03 diesels on the Ravenstor line. Open 10.00 am to 5.00 pm each day.

Antiques and Collectors Fair at Bretby Conference Centre

Bretby Conference Centre, Bretby Business Park, Ashby Road, Burton on Trent, Staffordshire, DE15 0YZ

29th Aug 2009 09:00 - 16:30

30th Aug 2009 10:00 - 16:30

Contact: Gadfly Fairs Tel: 01664 500131 Email: info@gadflyfairs.com Web: www.gadflyfairs.com

Adult £3, Concession £2, Children Free

Antiques and Collectors Fair organised by Gadfly Fairs. The fair will be held in the large Exhibition Hall.

Michael Jackson Tribute Night at The Quality Hotel & Leisure Centre

The Quality Hotel & Leisure Centre, Derby Road, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 1XH

30th Aug 2009 20:00

Contact: Denise Mills Tel: 01335 346666 Web: www.qualityhotelashbourne.co.uk

Tickets £15.00

Come and see a Michael Jackson Live Tribute act at the hotel. This is a ticket only event and price includes a disco before and after the live act.

Steaming at Claymills Victorian Pumping Station. at Claymills Pumping Engines Trust

Claymills Pumping Engines Trust, Meadow Lane, Stretton, Burton upon Trent, Staffordshire, DE13 0DA

30th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:00

Contact: The Organisers Tel: 01283 509929 Web: www.claymills.org

Adults £4.00; Children £2.00; Concessions £3.00; Family Ticket £10.00

See this Outstanding Victorian Industrial Monument which houses 4 Beam Engines by Gimson of Leicester 1885, 5 Lancashire Boilers 1936-1937, and numerous other small engines & novel artefacts!

Transport Extravaganza at Crich Tramway Village

Crich Tramway Village, Crich, Derbyshire, DE4 5DP

30th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 10:00 - 17:30

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 854321 Email: enquiry@tramway.co.uk

Adult £12.50, senior citizens £11.50, child £6.50 (3-15), family £35.00.

Transport Extravaganza at Crich Tramway Village 10.00am - 5.30pm. A true celebration of transport with hundreds of exhibits, stalls and models. Vehicle convoys parade down Tramway Street. Special rates of admission apply to this event.

Summer Sundays Band Concerts at Belper River Gardens

Belper River Gardens, Matlock Road, Belper, Derbyshire, DE56 1BE

30th Aug 2009 14:00 - 16:00

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 841485

Summer Sundays Band Concert 2.00pm in the River Gardens Bandstand with Belper Town Wind Band.

Denby Summer Food & Gift Fayre at Denby Pottery Visitor Centre

Denby Pottery Visitor Centre, Denby, Derbyshire, DE5 8NX

30th Aug 2009 - 31st Aug 2009 09:30 - 17:00

Contact: Enquiries. Tel: 01773 740799 Web: www.denbyvisitorcentre.co.uk

Free admission.

Visit our Summer Food and Gift Fayre to indulge in a wonderful collection of local produce including meats, confectionery, wines and much more.

Hulland - Festival Songs of Praise at Hulland Ward

Hulland Ward, Derbyshire, DE6 3EF

30th Aug 2009 19:00

Contact: 01335 370334

Festival Songs of Praise held in conjunction with the Flower Festival in the Christ Church at 7 p.m.

Model Railway and Grasshopper Steaming at Silk Mill Museum

Silk Mill Museum, The Silk Mill, Silk Mill Lane, Derby, DE1 3AF

31st Aug 2009 13:00 - 15:30

Contact: The Silk Mill Tel: 01332 255308 Web: derby.gov.uk/museums

Come and see the Museum's 7mm scale Midland Railway model in operation and witness the George Fletcher Victorian grasshopper beam engine in steam.

August Bank holiday Monday Show at Holme Farm Equestrian Centre

Holme Farm Equestrian Centre, Watery Lane, Scropton, Derby, DE65 5PL

31st Aug 2009 09:00 - 17:00

Contact: Further Information Tel: 01283 813284

Free to spectate

Annual trophy show with showjumping showing and working hunter classes.
