

What's On in Warwick

A long-term calendar of events for residents and visitors compiled by
Warwick Visitor Information Centre



May 2025 onwards
www.visitwarwick.co.uk

2025

May	
2 nd to 5 th	Royal Pump Rooms & All Saints' Church Leamington Spa, Leamington Music Festival , www.leamingtonmusic.org
5 th	Warwick Racecourse Family Fun Day www.thejockeyclub.co.uk
7 th	Warwick Library, Talk by Rick Thompson on his book A Year on the Fosse , 10:15am No need to book. Refreshments
8 th VE Day 80 – Warwick Remembers *Please note that the town crier is now confirmed at 9am to read the proclamation	Warwick Market Place 9am, the Town Crier will read The VE Day 80 Proclamation . A commemorative 'VE Day 80' flag will be raised at 9am at the Town Hall in Leamington Spa, by the Chairman of Warwick District Council, Councillor Rob Margrave, and representatives from the towns and Royal British Legion. There will be a short service at the War Memorial on Euston Place at 6.30pm, with a reading by Father Christopher Wilson from All Saints Church. The district will join the nation in lighting the beacon at Newbold Comyn from 7:30pm Refreshments will be available to purchase, with music by Royal Spa Brass starting at 8.30pm. The 'VE Day 80 Tribute' will be read by the Mayor of Royal Leamington Spa, Councillor Judith Clarke, followed by a short speech by the Chairman of Warwick District Council when the beacon is lit at 9.30pm
8 th	Lord Leycester, 11am to 3pm, hear the stories of the Masters & Brethren involved in WWII .
8 th	Queen's Royal Hussars Museum, Talk on D-Day +3 to VE day, 6:30pm £15 including wine & nibbles. Tickets from the Visitor Information Centre, at the museum, or via Eventbrite.

9 th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Fumi Otsuki violin with Natalie Bleicher piano, 1:15-2pm, admission free, collection on exit
9 th	The Court House, 1940s Fish & Chip supper in the ballroom with 1940s band. 7pm Tickets from the Visitor Information Centre in person or via 01926 492212
10 th	County Records Office, Priory Park CV34 4JS, Warwick Castle Household Vouchers and the Decorative Headers found on the bills from Warwick traders in the 19th Century . 2pm. Free to members of FWCRO or £3 on the door.
10 th	The Courthouse, VE80 – The Royal Warwickshire Regiment & the end of War in Europe 11am – 3pm £27 including a buffet lunch and entrance to the Fusilier Museum & Victory 80 Exhibition. Speakers include Henry, third Viscount Montgomery of Alamein & author and former Imperial War Museum curator Peter Hart. Book via https://fusiliermuseumwarwick.com/explore/whats-on
10 th	Bridgehouse Theatre, 25th Anniversary Showcase , 7pm. Free. Please complete this form to secure your tickets: BHT 25
10 th	All Saints Church Leamington Spa, Coventry & Warwickshire Youth Orchestra Last Night of the Proms, 7pm £15/£7.50 from tickets@coventrycathedralchorus.com or 0844 4771000.
10 th	Warwick Racecourse Music Night and Evening Race Meeting www.thejockeyclub.co.uk
11 th	Warwick Hall, Toddle About Baby Show , 10am to 3pm. Raffle proceeds to benefit <i>The Ups of Downs</i> , a local charity supporting families with a child or young person with Down Syndrome in Warwickshire and surrounding areas. Book a free ticket via toddle.fun/babyshowwarks or £2 on the door
12 th	Lord Leycester Hospital, FREE research workshop: Ecclesiastical Sources & Wills , Book online Buy Research Workshops Tickets online - Lord Leycester
14 th	The Court House In the Ballroom: Lost Lines (a reflection on 2500 closed railway stations) , A social get-together with a guest speaker & refreshments. 2pm – 4pm, £3 cash on the day. Drop into the Visitor Information Centre or call 01926 492212 to sign up
15 th	Lord Leycester Hospital, Talk on Robert Dudley and Nicholas Hilliard 6-7.30pm, £30. Book at https://www.lordleycester.com/lord-leycester-events/smart-talks/
15 th	St Mary's Church, Country by Candlelight, 6:15pm or 8:30pm. Standard ticket £30. Buy tickets – Country by Candlelight at St Mary's Church, Warwick – St Mary's Church, Warwick
16 th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , David Thomas organ, 1:15-2pm, admission free, collection on exit
17 th	St John's House Beer, Gin & Cider Festival ,. Noon to 7pm. An afternoon in the historic house and garden celebrating local brewers & distillers. Including live music, free family fun area, lawn games and the chance for a free tour of St John's House & schoolroom. Tickets £5 per adult, children free. Book at www.warwickshire.gov.uk/heritageboxoffice
17 th	Guy's Cliffe Walled Garden, World Bee Day – Learn about pollinators & how to encourage them
17 th	Warwick Hall, Warwick School Orchestra For An Occasion , Music From Stage And Screen In Aid of Myton Hospice 2:30pm, Gallery (No lift) £21, Ground floor £16, accompanying children £11, All seats unreserved, Tickets on sale at www.mytonhospice.org/orchestra
19 th	Market Hall Museum, Home Educators Workshop: Jurassic Fossils 10am Book Heritage and Culture Warwickshire Events - 15 Upcoming Activities and Tickets Eventbrite
19 th	Lord Leycester Hospital, Research Workshop: Folklore & Family Archives , Free, Book at Research Workshops lordleycester.com
21 st	Warwick Racecourse Race Meeting www.thejockeyclub.co.uk
23 rd	The Court House, Jury Street, Meet the guide dogs – a coffee morning in aid of guide dogs Just drop in, coffee & cake available and a stall of merchandise, along with several of the guide dogs for you to meet.
23 rd	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Katherine Cooper <i>mezzo soprano</i> and Mark Swinton <i>organ</i> , 1:15-2pm, admission free, collection on exit

24th	The Court House, Repair Café 10am – 2pm, bring along your broken items and see if our knowledgeable volunteers can repair them for you. No charge for repairs. Refreshments available.
24th – 31st	Market Hall Museum, Family Fossil Trail , pick up your free activity trail on arrival
27th	Court House Ballroom Board Games 2pm , £2 per person incl tea & cake. Sign up at the Visitor information centre or by calling 01926 492212
29th	Cross Hands Quarry, Family fossil hunt £10.22 Heritage and Culture Warwickshire Events - 15 Upcoming Activities and Tickets Eventbrite
30th	Warwick Racecourse, Outdoor cinema – Dirty Dancing , Open 6pm with film at 7:30pm. Book at Outdoor Cinema Warwick Open Air Cinema
31st	The Court House, Jury Street, Free Court House Tour 10:30am , discover 300 years of the building's history & hear about some of the big personalities that shaped Warwick. Book via the Visitor Centre on 01926 492212.
31st	Warwick Racecourse, Outdoor cinema – Shrek , Open 11:30am with film 12:30pm. Book at Outdoor Cinema Warwick Open Air Cinema
31st	Warwick Racecourse, Outdoor cinema – Wicked , Open 3pm with film at 4pm. Book at Outdoor Cinema Warwick Open Air Cinema
31st	Warwick Racecourse, Outdoor cinema – Top Gun (1986) , Open 7:30pm with film at 8:30pm. Book at Outdoor Cinema Warwick Open Air Cinema
June	
6th	Opportunity to volunteer as a driver with Leamington Music, transporting young musicians to a workshop with Royal Birmingham Conservatoire – Second City Brass . Contact education@leamingtonmusic.org , or call 01926 774395
6th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Hannah Maxwell <i>voice</i> , 1:15-2pm, admission free, collection on exit
7th	Fusilier Museum Talk: The Royal Warwickshire Regiment & D-Day , 1:30 – 3:30pm £12 including light refreshments Book via https://fusiliermuseumwarwick.com/explore/whats-on
8th	Victoria Park Leamington Spa, Arts, Eats and Treats 11am – 5pm A vibrant celebration of creativity, flavour & fun.
11th	The Court House In the Ballroom: Gardens through the ages , A social get-together with a guest speaker & refreshments. 2pm – 4pm, £3 cash on the day. Drop into the Visitor Information Centre or call 01926 492212 to sign up
13th	Opportunity to volunteer as a driver with Leamington Music, transporting young musicians to a workshop with Ethel String Quartet . Contact education@leamingtonmusic.org , or call 01926 774395
13th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Parmetto trio, 1:15-2pm, admission free, collection on exit
14th	Guy's Cliffe Walled Garden, Volunteer Recruitment Day , just pop in! Guy's Cliffe Walled Garden, Butterflies & Moths – their importance as pollinators
14th	Hill Close Gardens, Bee Wild 11am to 4pm Learn about bats, bees, butterflies, hedgehogs and all our local biodiversity along with how you can help it to thrive.
14th	Warwick Hall Jive Talkin' (tribute) £27.50 Book via Box Office - Bridge House Theatre
14th	Lord Leycester Hospital, An In Conversation Dinner with historian Peter Caddick-Adams discussing the end of WW2 and it's legacy. 7pm £55 per head. Use the link to book: https://bit.ly/3YbcDw4
19th	Warwick Hall, Warwick School, Myton Road. 7.30pm. Interstellar with Orchestra of the Swan and Anton Lesser . Gustav Holst's epic and influential <i>Planets</i> suite is presented alongside stunning images captured by the Hubble Space Telescope. With narration by acclaimed actor Anton Lesser (<i>Wolf Hall</i> , <i>Game of Thrones</i>) Tickets £25, £10 under 35s available from bridgehousetheatre.co.uk
20th	Lord Leycester Hospital, Cyanotype Blues painting Workshop , 11am to 1pm, Using the local flora to create cyanotype prints £40pp

20th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Oliver Hancock, <i>organ</i> (St Mary's, Warwick) admission free, collection on exit
21st	Guy's Cliffe Garden, Photography Workshop – how to take better portraits. Also Cream Teas in the garden or Peach House. Contact trustees@guyscliffewalledgarden.org.uk for more details
24th	Court House Ballroom Board Games 2pm , £2 per person incl tea & cake. Sign up at the Visitor information centre or by calling 01926 492212
24th	Guy's Cliffe Walled Garden, Flower Arranging Demonstration. See www.guyscliffewalledgarden.org.uk
27th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Davide Paleari, <i>organ</i> (Basilica San Vittore, Varese Italy) admission free, collection on exit
28th	The Court House, Repair Café 10am – 2pm, bring along your broken items and see if our knowledgeable volunteers can repair them for you. No charge for repairs. Refreshments available.
28th	Victoria Park, Leamington Spa Fake Festival, 11:45 to 23:00 , Lose yourself in the epic soundscape of SIX unbelievable Fake Bands that rock like the legends themselves! £40pp https://www.fakefestivals.co.uk/events/2025
28th – 29th	Warwick Racecourse, Warwick Thai Festival 10am – 6pm each day, Adult: £6 per day; Under 15's free. The festival starts with a traditional Buddhist monk blessings, followed by entertainment throughout the day, including traditional music and dancing, Muay Thai boxing, Ladyboy show, Thai beer and cocktails garden, Thai food, crafts, clothing and produce stalls and children's play area. * Dogs on leads are welcome. * Website: www.magicofthailand.co.uk
28th	St Mary's Church, Concert by the Choirs of the Collegiate Church of St Mary with orchestra Vivaldi <i>Gloria</i> Handel <i>Zadok the Priest</i> J S Bach <i>Magnificat</i> Tickets: adults £20, under 18s £2 available from 7th April: https://tinyurl.com/choirconcert25
July	
2nd	St Nicholas Park – The Warwick Sessions featuring Train with special guests Squeeze. https://www.thewarwicksessions.co.uk/
3rd	St Nicholas Park – The Warwick Sessions featuring Beverley Knight and Will Young. https://www.thewarwicksessions.co.uk/
4th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Stefan Donner, <i>organ</i> (St Mary's, Warwick) admission free, collection on exit
4th	St Nicholas Park – The Warwick Sessions featuring The Stranglers with special guests Buzzcocks & Skids. https://www.thewarwicksessions.co.uk/
5th	The Court House, Jury Street, Free Court House Tour 10:30am , discover 300 years of the building's history & hear about some of the big personalities that shaped Warwick. Book via the Visitor Centre on 01926 492212.
5th	St Nicholas Park – The Warwick Sessions featuring Craig David. https://www.thewarwicksessions.co.uk/
6th	St Nicholas Park – The Warwick Sessions featuring Elbow with special guests Baxter Dury & Hamish Hawk https://www.thewarwicksessions.co.uk/
9th	The Court House In the Ballroom: Discovering Marton Museum's Countryside Bygones A social get-together with a guest speaker & refreshments. 2pm – 4pm, £3 cash on the day. Drop into the Visitor Information Centre or call 01926 492212 to sign up
11th	St Mary's Church lunchtime recital , Harry Sullivan, <i>organ</i> (St Mary's, Warwick) admission free, collection on exit

11th - 12th	Warwick Racecourse Beer, Cider & Music festival , Friday 4pm-10pm Saturday 12 noon-10pm tickets and more information available from may 1 st at https://warwickbeerfestival.com/
19th	The Court House, Repair Café 10am – 2pm, bring along your broken items and see if our knowledgeable volunteers can repair them for you. No charge for repairs. Refreshments available. Normally the 4 th Saturday of the month but moved due to a diary clash.
22nd	Court House Ballroom Board Games 2pm , £2 per person incl tea & cake. Sign up at the Visitor information centre or by calling 01926 492212
24th – 27th	Castle Park, Folk Festival, Tickets now on sale Tickets - Warwick Folk Festival 24 - 27th July 2025
26th	The Court House, Jury Street, Free Court House Tour 10:30am , discover 300 years of the building's history & hear about some of the big personalities that shaped Warwick. Book via the Visitor Centre on 01926 492212.
August	
13th	The Court House In the Ballroom: The Home Guard . A social get-together with a guest speaker & refreshments. 2pm – 4pm, £3 cash on the day. Drop into the Visitor Information Centre or call 01926 492212 to sign up
29th	Warwick Castle, Texas in concert featuring 5 decades of their back catalogue. Texas Warwick Castle
30th	Warwick Castle, Pet Shop Boys greatest hits tour: Dreamworld Pet Shop Boys - With support from Dave Pearce's Dance Anthems Warwick Castle

Please check events with the organisers. Warwick Visitor Information Centre cannot take any responsibility for any errors or changes. To alert us to forthcoming events in Warwick, or send news of cancellations, email info@visitwarwick.co.uk

Warwick Market is every Saturday from 9am, with a Farmers' Markets when there is a 5th Saturday of the month. A new Wednesday market is popping up at the Lord Leycester on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month, offering traditional produce.

- **The Visitor Information Centre** is open 7 days a week (6 days December to March) in the Court House on Jury Street. There are free maps and guides, a gift shop and tickets for the castle are available here at a discounted price. www.visitwarwick.co.uk
- **Court House Café – Monday Coffee Morning**. 10am-12.30pm. Coffee and cake! Only £3 per person and no need to book.
- **Warwick Town Council – Warm Hubs**. Here is a link to Warm Hubs available this winter. https://www.warwickdc.gov.uk/directory/23/warm_hubs_in_warwick_district/category/337
- **The Lord Leycester** –Summer (April-Sept) Tuesday to Sunday 10am-5pm (last admission 4pm). Winter (Oct-Mar) See website (last admission 3pm); Nine hundred years ago the Lord Leycester Chapel was built. In the 1300s the Guilds built the half-timbered buildings you see today – some of the most important examples of intact medieval architecture in Britain. Guided Tours from the Brethren take place every Wednesday and Saturday 11am-12pm & there is a family tour each Saturday at 2pm. See website for ticket prices: www.lordleycester.com
- **The Collegiate Church of St. Mary** - Opening hours: Monday to Saturday 11am – 4pm and Sunday 12pm – 4pm. This is subject to change due to graduation ceremonies/weddings etc. [St Mary's Church, Warwick - Home Page \(stmaryswarwick.org.uk\)](http://stmaryswarwick.org.uk)
- **Warwick - a Singing town** Free quality singing and choral opportunities www.warwicksingingtown.co.uk

Come and have fun at **Tiny Sing's FREE singing workshops** for under 4s and their parents/carers. Meet, sing,

Singing for Mums: Free singing for mums and babies to promote wellbeing. St Mary's Church, Wednesdays 10 – 11:30

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- All Saints Church. Weekly Sessions Wednesdays. 1.00pm-2.30pm. **Warwick Memory Singers.** The sessions are open to anyone living with dementia or other neurological condition, but participants need to be accompanied by a carer. The sessions include fun warm-ups, activity songs and a wide variety of familiar tunes. An opportunity to socialise with others and refreshments are served. £5 per week (Carers free). To book a place or for further information contact Sarah Riddell: sriddell@armonico.org.uk or call 07722 632242.
- County Record Office. **Trace Your Ancestors Monthly Club.** Saturday 25th Jan, 22nd Feb, 29th March, 26th April 2025 9.30am - 11.30am.

Get support with your family history research. Different theme each month but all enquiries welcomed. Bring along writing materials and information on your family history. Lead by Genealogist Paul Wilkins. £10 plus booking fees. Spaces are limited, please book in advance at www.warwickshire.gov.uk/heritageboxoffice

- **Live Music** – many of the local pubs have regular live music sessions, eg the Old Post Office on Saturday PM, Ronnie's Bar on Thursday, Friday & Saturday evenings. Warwick also hosts bands in the summer months at several outdoor venues – click on the link [Events from 5 November – 24 July 2025 › Live Music Events › – Visit Warwick](#) or see pub websites for more info

