

This is durham

A county with breathtaking dales, a dramatic coastline,
a vale steeped in history and a vibrant city at its heart.

21/3/2025 till 21/3/2025

Looking for Me Friend: The Music of Victoria Wood (10+)

Featuring the star of BBC1's 'All Together Now', Paulus The Cabaret Geek, "King of Cabaret" (The Stage) with Michael Roulston (Fascinating Aida) on piano, it is an evening of pure joy filled with Victoria's best-loved songs, including the iconic 'Ballad of Barry & Freda' (Let's Do It) and the classic 'It Would Never Have Worked'.

info@thewitham.org.uk

<https://thewitham.org.uk/event/looking-for-me-friend-the-music-of-victoria-wood-10/>

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The Witham, 3 Horse Market, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8LY

21/3/2025 till 21/3/2025

Peterlee Food & Drink Market

We're thrilled to announce Peterlee is hosting an outdoor Food & Drink Market introducing a fab line-up of unique food stalls that promise to tantalise the taste buds in every food lover.

<https://baccanalia.ssboxoffice.com/events/peterlee-food-drink-market/>

Castledene Shopping Centre, Peterlee, County Durham , SR8 1AL

21/3/2025 till 22/3/2025
26/3/2025 till 26/3/2025

Dark Sky Astronomy and Stargazing - Grassholme Observatory

Tonight's event promises to be a spectacular evening of astronomy.

info@watersideparksuk.com

<https://bookwhen.com/grassholmeobservatory?tags=observatory#focus=ev-svda-20250122200000>

Grassholme Observatory, West Pasture, Nr Mickleton , County Durham, DL12 0PW

+44 0345 155 0236

22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Dragons Arise! - Brancepeth Castle

With the arrival of Spring, the dragons awaken! Join us for an exciting family event at Brancepeth Castle

information@brancepethcastle.uk

<https://brancepethcastle.uk/>

Brancepeth Castle, Brancepeth, County Durham, DH7 8DE

+44 0191 3789670

22/2/2025 till 22/3/2025

Hamsterley Forest Sauna and Wild Swims

Come join us for a relaxing and rejuvenating experience in the heart of the forest. Our sauna sessions are the perfect way to unwind and detox after a long week. Breathe in the fresh air, feel the warmth on your skin, and let your worries melt away.

Hamsterley Forest Sauna & Wild Swims Saturdays & Sundays (2025), Woodland, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL13 5NJ

[https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/hamsterley-forest-sauna-wild-swims-saturdays-sundays-2025-tickets-1250676289449#:~:text=Hamsterley%20Forest%20Sauna%20%26%E2%80%8D%20Wild%20Swims%20Saturdays%20%26%20Sundays%20\(2025\),-Ages%2018%2B&text=Join%20us%20for](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/hamsterley-forest-sauna-wild-swims-saturdays-sundays-2025-tickets-1250676289449#:~:text=Hamsterley%20Forest%20Sauna%20%26%E2%80%8D%20Wild%20Swims%20Saturdays%20%26%20Sundays%20(2025),-Ages%2018%2B&text=Join%20us%20for)

21/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Nerina Pallot in Concert at The Bowes Museum

The Bowes Museum concert series kicks off with a solo concert by Nerina Pallot on 21 and 22 March 2025.

The Bowes Museum, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP

hello@thebowesmuseum.org.uk

<https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/nerina-pallot-live-at-the-bowes-museum/>

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22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Seaham Food & Drink Market

Join us as we offer an array of mouth-watering food stalls, locally brewed beers, and free entertainment that's sure to keep the vibes lively and fun.

Terrace Green, Seaham, County Durham , SR7 7EU

<https://baccanalia.ssboxoffice.com/events/seaham-food-drink-market/>

22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Sergio Díaz De Rojas

Sergio Díaz De Rojas is a Peruvian pianist and composer based in Düsseldorf, Germany.

The Witham, 3 Horse Market, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8LY

info@thewitham.org.uk

<https://thewitham.org.uk/whats-on/>

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22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025
29/3/2025 till 29/3/2025

Stargazing at Raby Castle

This exciting event offers a rare opportunity to explore the night sky at Raby Castle, under the expert guidance of a professional astronomer.

admin@raby.co.uk

<https://www.raby.co.uk/raby-castle/whats-on/>

Raby Castle, Park and Gardens, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

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22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Stone Carving Workshop - Durham Cathedral

Under expert tuition, try your hand at stone carving and learn more about this centuries old heritage skill.

visitor.desk@durhamcathedral.co.uk

<https://durhamcathedral.ticketsolve.com/ticketbooth/shows/1173633650>

Durham Cathedral , Durham, County Durham, DH1 3EH

+44 0191 338 7178

20/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Sue Townsend's The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole (aged 13 3/4): The Musical

Based on the classic bestselling novel by Sue Townsend, this critically acclaimed West End musical brings Britain's best-loved spotty teenager's story to life for a new generation of theatergoers.

theatre.manager@durham.ac.uk

<https://www.theassemblyroomstheatre.org/whats-on/>

Sir Thomas Allen Assembly Rooms Theatre, 40 North Bailey, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3ET

+44 0191 334 1419

22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

The Ancient Persians - Durham University Oriental Museum

Learn about the Ancient Persians, spot a 2500 year old silver bowl and try simple foil embossing.

oriental.museum@durham.ac.uk

<https://www.durham.ac.uk/things-to-do/whats-on/events-calendar/2025/03/the-ancient-persians/>

Durham University Oriental Museum , Elvet Hill, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3TH

+44 0191 334 5691

22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Wedding Open Day - Black Horse Beamish

Join us for our wedding open day on Saturday 22 March 11am - 3pm.

events@blackhorsebeamish.co.uk

<https://www.blackhorsebeamish.co.uk/upcoming-events>

Black Horse Beamish , Red Row, Beamish, Stanley, County Durham, DH9 0RW

+44 01207 232 569

22/3/2025 till 22/3/2025

Women of Raby Tour

This exclusive event at Raby Castle highlights stories of some of the fascinating

admin@raby.co.uk

women who once walked our halls.

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/international-womens-day/>

Raby Castle, Park and Gardens, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

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23/3/2025 till 23/3/2025
30/3/2025 till 30/3/2025
6/4/2025 till 6/4/2025

Lent Talks 2025 - Durham Cathedral

This Lent, you are warmly invited to Durham Cathedral as we host a series of talks.

visitor.desk@durhamcathedral.co.uk

Durham Cathedral, Durham , County Durham, DH13EH

+44 0191 3744069

23/3/2025 till 23/3/2025

Ramside Hall Hotel Holiday & Cruise Show

Join us at the stunning Ramside Hall Hotel on Sunday 23rd of March from 10am till 3pm. This stunning venue will accommodate over 20 of the top travel suppliers who will be attending

https://www.haystravel.co.uk/blog/ramside-holiday-cruise-show/?utm_source=This+is+Durham&utm_medium=Web+Page+&utm_campaign=Ramside+&utm_id=Ramside+e+

Ramside Hall Hotel, Golf & Spa , Carrville , Durham, County Durham, DH1 1TD

23/3/2025 till 23/3/2025

Silver Stacking Rings Workshop & Cream Tea

A jewellery making workshop with Simply Smallholding is an experience to remember.

sales@lanchestergardencentre.co.uk

<https://lanchestergardencentre.co.uk/event/silver-stacking-rings-workshop-cream-tea/>

Lanchester Garden Centre, Bargate Bank, Lanchester, County Durham, DH7 0SS

+44 07740 880402

23/3/2025 till 23/3/2025
27/4/2025 till 27/4/2025
25/5/2025 till 25/5/2025

Skiffle Session & Uke Club - Beamish - The Living Museum of the North

Join us for an afternoon of skiffle music in the 1950s welfare hall! Enjoy our own band, Hop, Skiffle and Jump performing from 12pm until 1pm, followed by our Uke Club from 1.15pm until 2.15pm where you can develop your ukulele skills.

museum@beamish.org.uk

<https://www.beamish.org.uk/whats-on/>

Beamish - The Living Museum of the North , Beamish, County Durham, DH9 0RG

+44 0191 370 4000

24/3/2025 till 24/3/2025

Jane Gulliford Lowes 'The Horsekeeper's Daughter' - Newton Hall Library

Celebrate Women's History Month: Jane Gulliford Lowes, 'The Horsekeeper's Daughter' at Newton Hall Library.

newtonhall.lib@durham.gov.uk

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Newton Hall Library , Alnwick Road, Durham, County Durham, DH1 5NL

24/3/2025 till 24/3/2025
28/3/2025 till 28/3/2025
28/3/2025 till 28/3/2025

Remarkable Women of County Durham

Celebrate Women's History Month this March Remarkable Women of County Durham. Join us to celebrate the remarkable women of County Durham. From authors and photographers to factory workers and football teams. Nurses and steel workers to the colliery wives maintaining the homes.

<http://www.durham.gov.uk/libraries>

Chilton Library, Sacriston Library, Horden Library, Langley Park, , ,

24/3/2025 till 24/3/2025
5/4/2025 till 5/4/2025
3/5/2025 till 3/5/2025

Still Life Workshop with Zoe Allen - The Bowes Museum

Join artist and curator Zoe Allen for a captivating 2-hour still life class held in the magnificent picture galleries. Inspire the artist in you as you experiment with new techniques, refine your skills, and draw inspiration from The Bowes Museum's remarkable art collection.

hello@thebowesmuseum.org.uk

<https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/still-life-workshop-with-zoe-allen/>

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The Bowes Museum, Newgate, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP

25/3/2025 till 25/3/2025

Behind the Blooms: The Making of Raby's Garden Exhibit - Raby Castle

Discover the story behind Raby's garden exhibit, from curating history to conservation in action.

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<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/behind-the-blooms-the-making-of-rabys-gardens/>

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Raby Castle, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

23/2/2025 till 25/3/2025

Children: Join the Victorian Workforce

Families join us this February Half Term and step back in time to the year 1900 and experience life as part of a Victorian workforce at Raby Castle. On this special family tour, join the Butler as he takes you on a fascinating journey through the castle, showcasing the demanding roles of those who served during the Victorian era. From the scullery maid washing pots to the housemaid hauling coals for the fires, you will discover the daily duties and hidden stories of castle life.

admin@raby.co.uk

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/victorian-workforce-activity/>

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Raby Castle, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

26/3/2025 till 26/3/2025
23/4/2025 till 23/4/2025
28/5/2025 till 28/5/2025

Deer Park Safari at Raby Castle

Enjoy a scenic tour of Raby Castle's extensive Deer Park, guided by a knowledgeable ranger who will share fascinating insights about the deer and the park's history.

admin@raby.co.uk

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/deer-park-safari/>

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Raby Castle, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

26/3/2025 till 26/3/2025	<p>The Moth (16+) Elysium Theatre Company present the world premiere of THE MOTH a new play by Paul Herzberg.</p>	<p>info@thewitham.org.uk https://thewitham.org.uk/whats-on/</p>
	The Witham, 3 Horse Market, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8LY	+44 01833 631107
27/3/2025 till 27/3/2025	<p>Cathedral Secret Spaces Tour This unique tour makes an ideal experience for those wanting to delve deeper into history and see parts of Durham Cathedral that are rarely open to the public. Step into the cathedral's prison cell (if you dare!) and get up close with rare books in the 350 year old Refectory Library.</p>	<p>visitor.desk@durhamcathedral.co.uk https://durhamcathedral.ticketsolve.com/ticketbooth/shows/1173633502</p>
	Durham Cathedral, The College, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3EH	+44 0191 338 7178
27/3/2025 till 27/3/2025	<p>Dr Lucy West - Celebrating Historic Art at The Spanish Gallery The Spanish Gallery is hosting a one-off lecture with special guest Dr Lucy West, a curator from Dulwich Picture Gallery, to celebrate the loan of an important Spanish painting.</p>	<p>enquiries@aucklandproject.org https://aucklandproject.org/venues/spanish-gallery/</p>
	The Spanish Gallery, Market Place, Bishop Auckland, County Durham , DL14 7JF	
27/3/2025 till 27/3/2025	<p>Jane Gulliford Lowes 'The Horsekeeper's Daughter' - Blackhall Library Celebrate Women's History Month: Jane Gulliford Lowes, 'The Horsekeeper's Daughter' at Blackhall Library.</p>	<p>blackhall.lib@durham.gov.uk +44 03000 269 505</p>
	Blackhall Library , Middle Street, Blackhall Colliery, , TS27 4EA	
27/3/2025 till 28/3/2025 29/3/2025 till 29/3/2025	<p>Les Miserables Step into the world of Les Misérables, the legendary musical that has captivated audiences for decades!</p>	<p>louisefowler2022@outlook.com https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/caos</p>
	Park View Theatre, Chester le Street, County Durham, DH3 3QA	+44 0333 666 3366
8/3/2025 till 30/3/2025	<p>Deer Feeding in the Park - Raby Castle This March experience the breathtaking spectacle of deer feeding at Raby Castle's historic Deer Park. Led by the Estate Ranger, this unique event offers a rare opportunity to witness these majestic animals as they gather for their daily feed.</p>	<p>admin@raby.co.uk https://www.raby.co.uk/events/deer-feeding-in-the-park/</p>

	Raby Castle, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH	+44 01833 660202
2/3/2025 till 30/3/2025	<p>Spring Safari at High Force Waterfall Spring is nearly here, and the forest is waking up! Animals are coming out of their winter rest, and the woods are full of life. Your mission today is to explore the woods at High Force, find the animals, complete the fun activities, and learn about how each animal helps the forest in spring!</p>	<p>admin@raby.co.uk https://www.raby.co.uk/events/spring-safari-at-high-force-waterfall/</p>
	Raby Castle, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH	+44 01833 660202
1/3/2025 till 30/3/2025	<p>The Plotters' Forest Little Astronomers Trail Spark your little one's curiosity on all things astronomy and space, whilst reaping the benefits of outdoor play in the beautiful setting of Raby Castle, Park and Gardens. It is the perfect way to explore the wonders of the night sky, during the day!</p>	<p>admin@raby.co.uk https://www.raby.co.uk/events/the-plotters-forest-little-astronomers-trail/</p>
	Raby Castle, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH	+44 01833 660202
17/3/2025 till 30/3/2025	<p>Wool and Weather - Four Seasons in the North Pennines An exhibition of original felted artwork, created using natural wool, taking inspiration from landscapes, flora and fauna of the North Pennines.</p>	<p>communications@northpennines.org.uk https://northpennines.org.uk/bowlees-visitor-centre/</p>
	Bowlees Visitor Centre, Newbiggin, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 0XE	+44 01388 528801
1/5/2024 till 31/3/2025	<p>Student Art Prize 2023/24: Paradise Visit the Student Art Prize 2023/24 exhibition and explore this years theme of Paradise.</p>	<p>artcollection@durham.ac.uk https://www.durham.ac.uk/things-to-do/whats-on/events-calendar/2024/05/student-art-prize-paradise/</p>
	Palatine Centre , South Road, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3LE	
2/11/2024 till 1/4/2025	<p>Welcome to our County: The Children of Yesterday and Tomorrow - The Story Fascinating untold stories of children from County Durham's past will be the focus of a new exhibition curated by young people</p>	<p>info@thestorydurham.org https://www.thestorydurham.org/whats-on/exhibitions/</p>
	The Story , Mount Oswald , South Road , , County Durham , DH1 3TQ	
4/3/2025 till 4/4/2025	<p>The Moth presented by Elysium Theatre Company Thanks to its worldwide success, Elysium Theatre Company has adapted 'The Moth'</p>	

for the stage, bringing this gripping thriller to 25 venues across the North and the Midlands on the company's biggest tour yet.

<https://elysiumtc.co.uk/2024/11/25/the-mot-h/>.

Various venues , , County Durham ,

4/3/2025 till 8/4/2025

Little Fledglings Forest School - Spring 2025 places

Places are now available for our Spring 2025 programme. If you have a child aged between 18 months and five years old, you can secure a place for them by paying a £10 non refundable deposit, the balance of £38 will then be payable before the 4 February 2025.

hardwickpark@durham.gov.uk

<https://www.durham.gov.uk/HardwickEvents>

+44 03000 262 899

Hardwick Park , Sedgefield, , TS21 2DN

28/9/2024 till 4/5/2025

Knitted together: The Korean Lives and Legacies of Richard and Joan Rutt

Drawing on the objects and photographs of the main donors to the Korean collection at the Oriental Museum, Knitted Together details Richard and Joan Rutt's 20 years living in South Korea in the immediate aftermath of the Korean War (1950 – 1953).

oriental.museum@durham.ac.uk

<https://www.durham.ac.uk/things-to-do/whats-on/events-calendar/2024/09/knitted-together-/>

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Durham University Oriental Museum , Elvet Hill, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3TH

22/3/2025 till 5/5/2025

Lambing Time - Hall Hill Farm

Come and see the new-born lambs during March and April. We have several different breeds of sheep which will lamb over 8 weeks. Feed the pet lambs and see the fluffy Easter chicks, as well as all the usual farm activities.

<https://www.hallhillfarm.co.uk/lambing-time/e1>

+44 01388 731333

Hall Hill Farm, Lanchester, Durham, County Durham, DH7 0TA

21/11/2024 till 22/5/2025

Forget Me Not Singers

Dementia Friendly Choir.

info@cornerstonescentre.co.uk

+44 0191 3881313

Cornerstones - Chester le St. Methodist Church, North Burns, Chester le Street, County Durham, DH3 3TF

19/10/2024 till 8/6/2025

Ted Holloway: A Bevin Boy Remembered at The Mining Art Gallery

Eighty years ago, during the Second World War, artist Ted Holloway was conscripted to work in the coal mines as a Bevin Boy.

enquiries@aucklandproject.org

<https://aucklandproject.org/event/ted-holloway/>

The Mining Art Gallery, Market Place, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 7NP

		+44 01388 743750
8/2/2025 till 29/6/2025	<p>From Joséphine Bowes Trendsetters and Trailblazers - The Bowes Museum Celebrating the 200th anniversary and artistic vision of museum co-founder, Joséphine Bowes.</p> <p>The Bowes Museum, Newgate, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP</p>	<p>hello@thebowesmuseum.org.uk</p> <p>https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/exhibitions/from-josephine-bowes/</p> <p>+44 01833690606</p>
10/2/2025 till 31/7/2025	<p>S&DR200 - Invention Challenge S&DR200 and Little Inventors are celebrating the 200th anniversary of the Stockton and Darlington Railway with the S&DR Invention Challenge, inviting Year 5–8 students from Stockton, Darlington, and Durham to reimagine the 4,000 miles of disused train tracks in the UK.</p> <p>Various locations , , County Durham ,</p>	<p>http://www.sdr200.co.uk/programme</p>
1/3/2025 till 31/8/2025	<p>S&DR200 - A Memorable Journey A mass-participation art project for visitors to festival venues, school children, care home residents and communities across the region.</p> <p>Various locations , , County Durham ,</p>	<p>http://www.sdr200.co.uk/programme</p>
17/2/2025 till 20/10/2025	<p>Live Music at Crook Hall Gardens Local musicians Julie and William bring an extra dimension to the historic gardens and hall with live performances on the third Monday of each month.</p> <p>Crook Hall Gardens, Sidegate , , County Durham , DH1 5SZ</p>	<p>https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/north-east/crook-hall-gardens/events/b6a007ba-45a4-4f99-adc0-1101039edf2a</p>
25/3/2025 till 25/11/2025	<p>S&DR200 - The Whistle Stop Presented by S&DR200, a bespoke touring library exhibition.</p> <p>Various locations , , County Durham ,</p>	<p>http://www.sdr200.co.uk/programme</p>
1/3/2025 till 30/11/2025	<p>S&DR200 Festival The 27 September 2025 marks the 200th anniversary of the opening of the Stockton and Darlington Railway (S&DR), which gave birth to the modern railway. To celebrate this landmark anniversary, the nine-month S&DR200 Festival will take place across Durham and Tees Valley from March to November 2025.</p>	<p>http://www.sdr200.co.uk/programme</p>

Various locations , , County Durham ,

22/3/2025 till 20/12/2025

Middleton-in-Teesdale Farmers Market

March to December, traditional Farmers Market in an all-weather, undercover auction mart. Free Entry. Free Parking. Dog Friendly. 40+ Fabulous Foodie Traders every month.

middletonteesdalefm@gmail.com

+44 07943 636202

Middleton Auction Mart, Middleton-in-Teesdale, County Durham, DL12 0PJ

1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Barnard Castle Farmers' Market

Barnard Castle Farmers' Market is one of the North East's most popular markets featuring a wide range of artisan food and crafts from the region. Open 9:00 to 14:00 on the first Saturday of each month.

barnardcastlefarmersmarket@gmail.com

<http://www.barnardcastlefarmersmarket.co.uk/>

The Cobbles , Horsemarket, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8LY

1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Barnard Castle Market

Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Wednesday 8.00am to 16.30

market@barnardcastletowncouncil.gov.uk

<https://www.facebook.com/BarneyWednesdayMarket/>

Marketplace, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NF

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1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Bishop Auckland Market

Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Thursday and Saturday 8:00-17:00

ehcp@durham.gov.uk

<https://www.durham.gov.uk/markets>

Market Place, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 7NP

+44 (0)3000 261 016

1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Consett Market

Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Thursday, Friday and Saturday 8:00-16:00

ehcp@durham.gov.uk

<https://www.durham.gov.uk/markets>

Middle Street, Consett, County Durham, DH8 5QP

+44 (0)771 416 9208

1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Durham Food Producers' and Crafters' Market

Durham's Food Producers' and Crafters' Market is now on the first Thursday of each month – open from 9am until 4.30pm, or until stock has sold out.

info@durhammarkets.co.uk

<http://www.durhammarkets.co.uk>

Market Place, Durham city, County Durham, DH1 3NJ

+44 0191 384 6153

1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Saturday Outdoor Market

Every Saturday, the Market Place is transformed by up to 30 small independent traders...it becomes a traditional, bustling, fresh air market and a great shopping experience.

info@durhammarkets.co.uk

<https://durhammarkets.co.uk/saturday-outdoor-market/>

Durham Market Hall, Market Place, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3NJ

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15/2/2025 till 31/12/2025

S&DR200 - Railway Firsts

Home to one of largest collections of historic rail vehicles in the world, Locomotion is pulling out all the stops to commemorate S&DR200.

<http://www.sdr200.co.uk/programme>

Locomotion, Dale Road Industrial Estate, Shildon, County Durham , DL4 2RE

1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Seaham Seaside Market

Seaham Seaside Market is a weekly market held every Friday.

stalls@events2gogo.com

<https://www.facebook.com/seahamseaside-market/>

Church Street, Seaham, County Durham, SR7 7HF

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1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Sedgefield Farmers Market

The market is run by Sedgefield Development Trust - and is held every first Sunday of the Month, on the village green, from 8.30am to 12.30pm - and includes a free community stall, music tent & health bus. The free stall is available to clubs and societies for promotion or fundraising.

roger@clubleys.co.uk

<http://www.sedgefield-farmersmarket.co.uk>

Village Green, Sedgefield, County Durham, TS21 2AB

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1/1/2025 till 31/12/2025

Stanley Market

Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Thursday and Saturday 8.00-16:00

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<https://www.durham.gov.uk/markets>

Front Street, Stanley, County Durham, DH9 0JE

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4/1/2025 till 3/1/2026

Artist Makers - The Bowes Museum

Make time for making; join in and get creative. An opportunity to try out new

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techniques, materials and experiment with the Museum's team of artists, makers and designers in the Create Space. <https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/artist-makers/>

The Bowes Museum, Newgate, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP +44 01833690606

2/1/2025 till 4/1/2026

Spotlight Tour - The Bowes Museum

A friendly and informative introduction to an exhibition, the collection or building. Led by The Bowes Museum's team of Visitor Attendants, Curators and Volunteer Tour Guides, join us for an informal 30-minute tour, everyday at 11:00 to find out more.

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<https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/spotlight-tour/>

The Bowes Museum, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP +44 01833 690606

2/1/2025 till 8/1/2026

Stay and Play - The Bowes Museum

Time for The Bowes' youngest visitors to explore and play in the Conversation Gallery, investigate materials and be creative in this self-led, free-play session.

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<https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/stay-and-play/>

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The Stick Man Trail at Hamsterley Forest

Families can join a new forest adventure as the much-loved character Stick Man, based on the beautiful picture book by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler, returns to Forestry England Hamsterley.

https://www.forestryengland.uk/hamsterley-forest/the-stick-man-trail-hamsterley-forest?utm_source=social&utm_medium=organic&utm_campaign=stick-man&utm_content=hamsterley

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22/3/2025 till 1/3/2026

Joséphine, A Woman of Taste and Fashion - The Bowes Museum

Discover the timeless elegance, craftsmanship and innovation of Joséphine Bowes' textile collection.

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Stargazing Suppers - High Force Hotel and Waterfall

Discover the magnificence of the night sky with an exciting stargazing experience at the breath-taking High Force Waterfall in County Durham.

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<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/stargazing-suppers-4/>

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