

Libraries event suitable for babies and toddlers.

Enquiries: 01395 512192.

THE SIDMOUTH POETRY READERS: Kennaway House, Coburg Road. 10am – 12 noon. The theme of Helen Dunmore. Visitors £2.

EAST DEVON DAY TIME BAND: Sidmouth Rugby Football Club Pavilion, Byes Close, Sidford, EX10 9PY. 10.15am - 12.15pm Wednesdays. Brass ensemble. New members welcome. Further information www.eastdevondaytimeband.weebly.com or phone 01395 708766.

GUIDED GEOLOGY WALK: Sidmouth Museum, Church Street. 10.30am. £2.50 per person (under 16s free). Knowledgeable guides. Walks not strenuous (around 2hrs).

HEALTHY HEARTS EXERCISE CLASS: St Teresa's Hall, Connaught Road, Sidmouth. 10.30am. (Fit for Life 9.30am). Improve your fitness, strength, flexibility and balance in these classes for 50+. Contact Tina 01395 512912 or 07733 293289 for more details.

COFFEE AND CHAT: Sidmouth Methodist Church Hall. 10.30am – 12noon. Hot drinks, biscuits and good company. All welcome.

THE OASIS DROP IN CAFÉ: The Leigh Browne Room at Dissenter of Sidmouth, EX10 8ER. 12-2pm. A warm welcome, positive conversations and a cuppa.

'RISE UP & SING' PAPERLESS CHOIR: Sidmouth Methodist Church. 1.30-3pm.

SIDMOUTH AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY: Sidford Community Hub, Byes Lane, Sidford. 7-9pm. Training and talks on radio communications as well as contacts with radio amateurs worldwide. Contact 07721 436810 or g6xuv@hotmail.com.

SIDFORD W.I MONTHLY MEETING: Sidford Social Hall. 7.15pm. A.G.M. Competition - A May Posy.

SIDMOUTH PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB: All Saints Church Hall. 7.30-9.30pm. See sidmouthphotoclub.org.

THURSDAY 9 MAY

MIXED ABILITIES PILATES: Sidmouth Sailing Club. 5 classes on Thursdays. Pre-Booking essential. Contact Grace 07500112646 info@redbaypilates.co.uk

www.redbaypilates.co.uk

GUIDED EASTERN TOWN WALK: Sidmouth Museum, Church Street. 10.30am. £2.50 per person (under 16s free). Knowledgeable guides. Walks not strenuous (around 2hrs).

SIDMOUTH TOY & MODEL MUSEUM: The Old Chapel, Chapel Street, Sidmouth. 11am to 4pm (last entry 3pm). Entry £3.50 adults, £2.50 children, Family ticket £10. Also 10 May. Further details please see website:

www.sidmouthtoymuseum.com

ANTIQUES VALUATION AFTERNOON: Kennaway House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 2-4pm. Bearnes, Hampton & Littlewood. No fee or obligation appraisal. Weekly. Enquiries: 01392 413100.

MESSY CHURCH: St Francis Church Hall, Woolbrook. 3.30-5pm. Come and join this all age, creative church for activities, story, song.

SIDMOUTH UKULELE BAND: Twyford House, Coburg Road. 7-9pm. Band rehearsals. To come along, please first contact Sylvia Brownlee 07890 327690.

SID VALE FOLK CHOIR: The Dance Studio, The Unitarian Old Dissenting Meeting House, (located at the top of High Street on All Saints Road, EX10 8ER and on the approach to the hospital). 7.30-9pm.

FRIDAY 10 MAY

SIDMOUTH CANASTA GROUP: Sidford Methodist Church EX10 9RL 7.30pm. Experienced players, or beginners; all welcome to our friendly group. £2.50 each. Further details 01395 579856.

SATURDAY 11 MAY

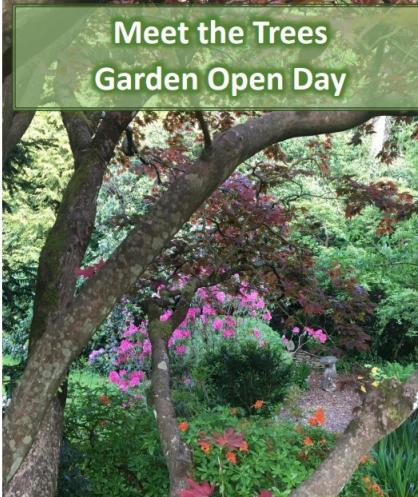
SIDBURY CRICKET CLUB MATCH: Millfield. 1pm. Pottery CC.

SID VALE CARNIVAL CLUB JUMBLE SALE: Sidford Social Hall, Sidford. 2pm. In aid of funds.

WHAT'S ON

May 3 to 11 2024

IN SIDMOUTH



**Meet the Trees
Garden Open Day**

Opportunity to visit 17 private gardens in the Sid Valley and appreciate a wide variety of trees.
FREE entry (Donations Welcome)
Map available on website.
<https://sidmoutharboretum.org.uk>

Sidmouth ARBORETUM

VISIT
SIDMOUTH
— DEVON'S COAST IS CALLING —

The 'What's On' is compiled each week by Sidmouth Town Council. Last entries to be received on the Monday prior to the Friday publication. Notices can be posted to Sidmouth Town Council, Woolcombe House, Woolcombe Lane, Sidmouth, EX10 9BB or sent by e-mail to reception@sidmouth.gov.uk, or by phone to 01395 512424

Please note: What's On Events Listing Service is provided for clubs/organisations which are non-profit making and/or have charitable status.

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FRIDAY 3 MAY

SIDMOUTH VOLUNTARY SERVICES MORNING

CAFE: Twyford House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 8.30am -12noon every weekday. Different activities with Lisa every Friday 10am-12noon. All welcome. Enquiries: 01395 515063.

SIDMOUTH MUSEUM: Church Street, Sidmouth.

Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm. Saturday 10am-1pm. Closed Sundays. From Jurassic Coast to arrival of the railways, via fishing village, Regency & Victorian times. Admission £2.50 per person (under 16s free).

BUMPS & BABIES: Primley URC Hall. 10-11.30am. A group for pregnant mums and those with a babe in arms. Support, coffee/cake and friendship. Free entry.

GUIDED TREE WALK: Sidmouth Museum, Church Street. 10.30am. £2.50 per person (under 16s free). Knowledgeable guides. Walks not strenuous (around 2hrs).

AT A LOSS BEREAVEMENT GROUP: Presbytery Room, Radway Road EX10 8TY. 10.30am-12noon. Tea and coffee available plus a selection of craft activities. Make friends, chat and support each other. All welcome. 07930 335281.

ASPIE WALKING GROUP: walking from The Triangle Bus Terminus EX10 8PE. 11am. A monthly walk (c2hrs) for those with autism. For more information, please contact Kevin Hickson khickson17@yahoo.com or mobile 07813 318 357.

SIDMOUTH TOY & MODEL MUSEUM: The Old Chapel, Chapel Street, Sidmouth. 11am to 4pm (last entry 3pm). Entry £3.50 adults, £2.50 children, Family ticket £10. Further details please see website:

www.sidmouthtoymuseum.com

SIDMOUTH YMCA CAFÉ: Mill Street. 11am-3pm. Open every Friday for a range of light lunches, drinks and cakes.

RUBBER BRIDGE: the Cricket Club, Fortfield Terrace, Sidmouth. Fridays 1.30 – 4pm. All welcome. Contact Ian Palmer 07824 319643.

AMERICAN SQUARE DANCE: St. Peter's Hall, Sidford. 2 – 4pm. Friendly tuition. £5. Enquiries 01297 33019.

SIDMOUTH CANASTA GROUP: Sidford Methodist Church EX10 9RL 7.30pm. Experienced players, or beginners; all welcome to our friendly group. £2.50 each. Further details 01395 579856.

SATURDAY 4 MAY

BREAKFAST: Sidford Methodist Church. 9 to 10.30am. Continental Breakfast £4, scrambled eggs or bacon bap £5, £5.50 for both. All are welcome.

MENTAL HEALTH SWIM SIDMOUTH: opposite the Belmont Hotel. 9-10am. Please sign up by visiting the website [Mental Health Swims: Sidmouth - Group Page \(more-human.co.uk\)](http://Mental Health Swims: Sidmouth - Group Page (more-human.co.uk))

FRIENDS OF THE BYES COMMUNITY GROUP: meet on Saturday mornings. 10am - 12 midday. New volunteers welcome. For more information and register your interest contact www.friendsofthebyes.org.uk/ volunteer or email contact@friendsofthebyes.org.uk

SIDMOUTH ARBORETUM CELEBRATION OF TREES

DAY: 10am-5pm. As a part of Tree Week, 16 private gardens with special interest trees and planting will be open free to the public (donations welcome). For maps and more information about which gardens serve teas, visit our website. <https://sidmoutharboretum.org.uk/>
YOUNG AT HEART LADIES SOCIAL GROUP: the Woodlands Hotel. 10.30am – 12.30pm. Informal group for ladies over 55, hosted by Sid Valley Help - come and share coffee, chat and have fun. First Saturday of each month (not August).

COFFEE MORNING: Sidmouth Parish Church, 10.30 - 11.30am. Handmade cards, books, bric-a-brac and raffle. Everyone welcome. £1.50 with free refill. Run by The Friends of Sidmouth Parish Church.

ROLLER SKATING SESSION: LED Leisure Centre, Primley Road. 11.15am-12.30pm. All ages and abilities. £3.50. Skate hire £1.50. To pre book by email sidmouthskating@outlook.com (walk ins possible).

SIDMOUTH CRICKET CLUB FIXTURE: The Fortfield, Sidmouth. 12.30pm. Exeter CC (1st X1 Senior League).

SUNDAY 5 MAY

BEACH CLEAN: meet at Sidmouth swimming pool car park. 10-11am. Organised by Sidmouth Plastic Warriors. All welcome.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB (FOR PEOPLE OVER 50s/60s

LIVING ALONE): Royal York & Faulkner Hotel, Sidmouth. 2-4pm. Tea & chat £3. Monthly (1st Sunday). Make friends, lunches out, theatre, cinema, coach trips. Enquiries: 01395 578269.

MONDAY 6 MAY

ART EXHIBITION: Kennaway House. 10am-4pm. National Acrylic Painters' Association. Free entry. To 16 May.

TUESDAY 7 MAY

COFFEE, CHAT & PLAY: St Giles Church, Sidbury. 8.30 – 10.30am every Tuesday during term time. Fresh coffee & cake, toy corner. Come and join us where you will receive a warm welcome.

SIDMOUTH MODEL RAILWAY GROUP MEETING:

Sidford Social Hall, Byes Lane, Sidford, EX10 9QX. 9.30-11.30am. See our website www.SidmouthMRG.com or email SidmouthMRG@gmail.com

CITIZENS ADVICE BUREAU: Sidmouth Hospice at Home, 48 High Street Sidmouth EX10 8EJ. Tuesdays 9.30am to 11.30am. Drop in session.

FUN EXERCISE CLASSES: the Dance Studio, Unitarian Church, All Saints Road, Sidmouth. 9.30am. For young at heart ladies over 50. Enquiries: 07772 193390 or 01395 519635.

SALCOMBE REGIS COFFEE MATES: the Scout Centre, Salcombe Regis. 10am-12 noon. Come and join us, meet new friends, enjoy a tea or coffee, company, conversation and optional activities. Everyone very welcome.

COFFEE BREAK: Sidford Methodist Church. 10am to 12 noon. Coffee or tea and biscuits, cakes etc. All welcome.

TABLE TENNIS CLUB: Sidbury Village Hall, EX10 OSD. Tuesdays 10am-12noon. Enquiries: 01395 562964.

GUIDED WESTERN TOWN WALK: Sidmouth Museum, Church Street. 10.30am. £2.50 per person (under 16s free). Knowledgeable guides. Walks not strenuous (around 2hrs).

COMMUNITY DROP IN: Sidmouth Youth Centre. 10.30am-12noon. Plus Citizen's Advice. Term time only.

RUBBER BRIDGE: Sidmouth Rugby Club, Heydon's Lane EX10 8NJ. 1.30 for 1.45pm start. Visitors welcome. Enquiries 01395 488959.

SIDFORD SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB: Sidford Social Hall. 2-4pm – also Wednesday. Beginners and experienced players welcome. Enquiries 01395 708681.

SIDMOUTH TREFOIL GUILD: Guide HQ, Lawn Vista. 2.30pm. Guiding for Adults 18+. Join us on the first Tuesday of each month for talks, events and challenges. Phone 07890 327690 to check meeting place in case we're out and about.

'MURDERED TO DEATH': Manor Pavilion Theatre. 7.30pm. Sidmouth Amateur Dramatic Society production – comedy. Tickets £14 (under 16 £7) from the box office 01395 514413. To 11 May.

SIDFORD FOLK DANCE CLUB: Sidford Social Hall, Byes Lane. 8pm. New members always welcome. Partners not necessary. Contact: 01395 514161.

SEQUENCE DANCE LESSONS FOR BEGINNERS: Stowford Centre EX10 9RY. 8.30pm. £12 per couple. Further details from 01395 279563.

WEDNESDAY 8 MAY

STAY & PLAY: Childrens' section, Sidmouth Library. 9-10am Wednesdays, also Fridays 10-10.30am. Devon