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All welcome £2.50 to include a hot drink.

SIDBURY BADMINTON CLUB: Sidbury Village Hall. Tuesdays 7.30pm. New members welcome. Contact John Rush 01395 597289.

SIDMOUTH STEPPERS: Sidmouth Esplanade (in front of Elizabeth Hotel). 7.30pm (if weather fine).

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL MEETING: Twyford House, Coburg Road. 7.30pm. New members welcome. (Come and say hello at the Amnesty stall at Honiton Charter Day on 20 July).

WEDNESDAY 17 JULY

STAY & PLAY: Childrens' section, Sidmouth Library. 9.30-10.30am Wednesdays & Fridays. Devon Libraries event suitable for babies and toddlers. Enquiries: 01395 512192.

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.

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

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

POETRY PLEASE! Leigh Browne Room, Dissenter of Sidmouth, corner of All Saints Road and May Terrace. 2.30-4.45pm. Friendly, informal group. This month poems by Edward Thomas and poetry on the subject of 'Summer'. No subscription but voluntary donation appreciated. Further information 01395 743460.

SIDMOUTH MODEL RAILWAY GROUP MEETING: Sidford Social Hall, Byes Lane, Sidford, EX10 9QX. 7-9.30pm. See our website www.SidmouthMRG.com or email SidmouthMRG@gmail.com

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.

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

THURSDAY 18 JULY

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

BATTLE OF IMPHAL COMMEMORATION: War Memorial, Sidmouth Parish Church. 11am. Parade musters at 10.30am and steps off from Market Place 10.45am. All welcome.

THIRD THURSDAY TEA (3Ts): St. Francis Church Hall, Woolbrook, EX10 9XH. 2.30-4pm. Free tea and biscuits, a place to chat, book and puzzle swap table, jigsaw puzzles and traditional games, other activities. All welcome, free car parking.

TOUR OF ST GILES' CHURCH, SIDBURY: 2.30pm. Guided tour of this ancient church including the Saxon Crypt. £3.50 cash only. Thursdays to 26 September.

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, (top of High Street EX10 8ER). 7.30-9pm.

GREEN DRINKS: upstairs room, Anchor Inn, Old Fore St. 7.30pm. Monthly informal meeting to discuss environmental issues.

SIDFORD TABLE TENNIS CLUB: Sidford Social Hall. 8-10pm. Contact Sarah 074556 16438.

FRIDAY 19 JULY

FRIENDS OF THE KNOWLE: meet by the big log near the southern pedestrian access to the gardens. 9.30am alternate Fridays. Come and help to restore the historic Knowle Gardens.

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

SATURDAY 20 JULY

SUMMER BOOK SALE: Sidmouth Library. 9am-1pm. Organised by Friends of Sidmouth Library.

SID VALE CARNIVAL CLUB BREAKFAST COFFEE MORNING: Sidford Social Hall, Sidford. 9am. In aid of funds.

SAUSAGE N CIDER FEST: Sidmouth Town Football Club. From 1pm. Live music. In aid of Sidmouth Hospice at Home. Also Sunday 21 July.

JAZZ NIGHT: Kennaway House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 7.30pm. Kieron Garrett Quartet. Tickets £15 from TicketSource.

NORMAN LOCKYER OBSERVATORY OPEN EVENING: Salcombe Hill. 7.30pm. Theme: Summer Constellations. Famous telescopes, planetarium, meteorology. Night sky viewing, only when dark and clear at night. Enquiries: 01395 579941 or email enquiries@normanlockyer.org.

WHAT'S ON

July 12 to 20 2024

IN SIDMOUTH



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 12 JULY

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. SVS Awareness Day with town collection.

SIDMOUTH LIONS CLUB - DUCK DERBY TICKET

SALES: Lions stands outside either the Co-op or Coastline Mobility. 10 am - early pm most days (not Sundays) to July 20. Tickets £1 each for the yellow ducks (Race 21 July). Also outside Lidl store Saturdays 13 & 20 July. Also from Paper Moon, 83 for Cards, Woolbrook News, DAA charity shop in Church Street.

GENEALOGY DROP IN: Sidmouth Library. 10am-12.30pm. How to start searching, Free initial 20min session – donations to Friends of Sidmouth Library welcome.

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.

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.

SATURDAY 13 JULY

SUMMER BOOK SALE: Sidmouth Library. 9am-1pm. Organised by Friends of Sidmouth Library.

MEET THE LLAMAS: Sidmouth Library. 10-11am. Launch of the Summer Reading Challenge when

Legendary Library Llamas George and Harry will visit. Come along and sign up on the day to meet them!

FRIENDS OF THE BYES COMMUNITY GROUP: meet on Saturday mornings. 10am - 12 midday. New volunteers welcome.

OTTER VALE ART SOCIETY ANNUAL EXHIBITION: Kennaway House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 10am-5pm. Original art by local artists. Free entry. Runs to 20 July.

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

SUNDAY 14 JULY

HOW CAN WE KNOW HOW IT WOULD FEEL TO BE FREE?: Sidmouth Old Dissenting Meeting House (Unitarian Church at the top of the High Street EX10 8ER). 2.30pm. Unitarian service on Bastille Day with readings, music, and contributions from the meeting. After the service, refreshments and conversation.

SIDMOUTH TOWN BAND SUMMER CONCERT: Connaught Gardens, Sidmouth. 8pm. Come and listen to one of the South West's premier brass bands in beautiful garden surroundings, every Sunday evening weather permitting. Admission free. Bring own deckchairs.

MONDAY 15 JULY

SIDMOUTH FESTIVAL OF FLAGS: Sidmouth Town Centre. Organised by Sidmouth School of Art, community groups and schools in Sidmouth have created a public art project to display newly designed banners. Runs to first week in September.

COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING: St Peter's Church, Sidford. 8.30-11.30am. Coffee area in the Church every Monday with fresh coffee, tea and cakes. Children welcome - toys to play with, book and puzzle swap, bring and buy. All very welcome.

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

I.T HELP AT THE LIBRARY: 11am-12noon Quick Fixes. 1-2-1 sessions Wednesdays 2-4pm or Fridays 10am-12noon (please book at Library).

ST FRANCIS' PARENT & TODDLER GROUP: St Francis Church Hall, Woolbrook. 1 - 3pm. Entry £1. All welcome.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE: Sidmouth Rugby Club, Heydon's Lane EX10 8NJ. 1pm for 1.30pm start. Visitors welcome. Booking required 01395 488959.

WHIST DRIVE: Sidford Social Hall. 1.45pm. £3. All whist players welcome. Enquiries: 01395 514715.

LEGO CLUB: Sidmouth Library. 4-5pm. Free, weekly session, suitable for children ages 4 and up. Drop in and get creative with bricks. Unsupervised session - children under 8 must not be left unsupervised.

SIDMOUTH & HONITON STAMP CLUB: Twyford House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 7pm. Visitor Peter Gay presents a Channel Islands Tour. Visitors always welcome.

SIDMOUTH ACOUSTIC FOLK CLUB: Blue Ball Inn, Steven's Cross, Sidford EX10 9QL. 7.30-9pm. £2 entry. Acoustic open performers nights on the 3rd Monday of each month.

TUESDAY 16 JULY

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.

SIDFORD W.I COFFEE MORNING: Sidford Social Hall. 10 - 11.30am. Tea/Coffee biscuits £1.50. Raffle, Sales Table, Books. A warm welcome awaits you all.

SIDMOUTH TOY & MODEL MUSEUM: The Old Chapel, Chapel Street, Sidmouth. 10am to 5pm (last entry 4pm). Entry £3.50 adults, £2.50 children, Family ticket £10. Daily to 20 July. Further details please see website:

www.sidmouthtoymuseum.com

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 0SD. Tuesdays 10am-12noon. Enquiries: 01395 562964.

SIDMOUTH WELSH SOCIETY: The Anchor Inn. 10.30am. Are you Welsh or have Welsh connections? Why not come and join us for a coffee. Enquiries 01395 519876.

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.

WALKING TENNIS: Coburg Fields Tennis Courts, EX10 8NH. 11am-12.30pm. Slower version of the traditional game. £4 per session (today free taster). Enquiries 0333 241 2340.

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 CAFÉ SCIENTIFIQUE: Kennaway House, Coburg Road EX10 8NG. 3pm. Philip Busby will give a talk entitled 'The Box that changed the world' or All you