**PARISH PANDAS TODDLER GROUP:** The Old school, All Saints Church. 9.30 – 11.15am. Music group with drinks & snacks.

**EAST DEVON DAY TIME BAND:** Sidmouth Rugby Football Club Pavilion, Byes Close, Sidford, EX10 9PY. 10.15am - 12.15pm. 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.

SIDMOUTH GOOD AFTERNOON CHOIR: All Saints' Church Hall. 1-3pm. All welcome, no auditions, first rehearsal free! Come and have some fun, bring a friend. WEDNESDAY FRIENDSHIP CUPPA: Stowford Community Centre. 1-4pm.

**SIDMOUTH MODEL RAILWAY GROUP MEETING:** Sidford Social Hall, EX10 9QX. 7-9.30pm.

**SIDMOUTH PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB:** All Saints Church Hall. 7.30-9.30pm. See <u>sidmouthphotoclub.org</u>.

#### **THURSDAY 5 JUNE**

SIDMOUTH LADIES PROBUS CLUB: All Saints Parish Hall. 10 - 10.15am for coffee and cake and talk at 10.30am. Talk by Richard Fox on Butterfly Conservation. Visitors welcome £5.

**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 UKULELE BAND:** Twyford House, Coburg Road. 7-9pm. Get together to practice (please check first with Sylvia Brownlee in case we are out & about - 07890 327690).

## SIDMOUTH LIVING WITH CANCER GROUP MEETING:

All Saints Church Hall, Sidmouth. 7-10pm. (Meets first Thursday of the month). All welcome. Refreshments.

Enquiries: sidmouthlwc10@hotmail.com

**SID VALE FOLK CHOIR**: The Dance Studio, The Unitarian Old Dissenting Meeting House, (top of High Street EX10 8ER). 7.30-9pm.

#### OTTERY ST. MARY SILVER BAND CONCERT:

Connaught Gardens. 7.45pm. Sit back and enjoy a summer's evening performance of brass band music. Free concert, weather permitting.

#### **FRIDAY 6 JUNE**

**GUIDED TREE WALK:** Sidmouth Museum, Church Street. 10.30am. £2.50 per person (under 16s free).

Knowledgeable guides. Walks not strenuous (around 2hrs). Knowle route.

**AUTISM FRIENDLY WALKING GROUP:** walking from The Triangle Bus Terminus EX10 8PE. 11am. An autism friendly moderately challenging walk (c3hrs). For more information, please contact paulryder@thewitterings.co.uk.

SIDMOUTH CARNIVAL FAMILY BINGO NIGHT: Sidford Social Hall. Doors open 6.30pm for Eyes Down 7.30pm. Cash & Chocolate prizes plus raffle. Refreshments available.

#### **SATURDAY 7 JUNE**

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

**ARMED FORCES & VETERANS' BREAKFAST CLUB:** Balfour Arms. 9.30am. Breakfast & banter. No subscription or fees – just buy your own breakfast. First Saturday of the month. Tel: 07989 670033. Email: dsparkes545@gmail.com.

SIDMOUTH NATURE FESTIVAL: The Byes, Sidmouth. Free fun activities including seed swap, nature trail, wildlife games, natural materials crafts, and storytelling. See Sid Valley Biodiversity Group website for more information.

**YOUNG AT HEART LADIES SOCIAL GROUP:** the Woodlands Hotel. 10am – 12pm. Informal group for ladies over 55, hosted by Sid Valley Help - come and share coffee, chat and have fun.

**SIDMOUTH STEPPERS:** The Byes, Sidmouth. 10.30am & 12.30pm.

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

BRING & SHARE VEGAN LUNCH: Dissenter of Sidmouth EX10 8ER. 12.30-2.30pm. £2.50 per person. Bring a dish. More information wordforest.org/lunch . SID VALE CARNIVAL CLUB JUMBLE SALE: Sidford Social Hall, Sidford. 2pm. In aid of funds.

**CONCERT BY BUCKFAST ABBEY CHILDREN'S CHORISTERS:** Sidmouth Parish Church. 4pm. Free entry - retiring collection.

KIERON GARRETT JAZZ QUARTET: Kennaway House. Doors open 7.30pm. New line up. Tickets £15 or £12.50 for Friends of Kennaway House 01395 515551.

**BAT WALK BY THE RIVER SID:** Byes Toll House & Gate Sidmouth EX10 8PR. 9.15-11pm. Evening stroll along the River Sid, searching for bats and learning about these fascinating creatures. Sid Valley Biodiversity Group. Tickets from Eventbrite.

## WHAT'S ON

May 30 to June 7 2025

# IN SIDMOUTH





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 30 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.

**ART EXHIBITION 'EXPRESSION' BY JAN SHAYLER**: Kennaway House. 10am-4.30pm. Free entry. To 7 June. **BOUNCE AND RHYME**: Sidmouth Library. 10-10.30am. Songs and rhymes for babies & toddlers. Free but donations welcome.

**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. **SIDMOUTH MUSEUM:** Church Street, Sidmouth. Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm. Saturday 10am-1pm. Closed Sundays. Admission £2.50 per person (under 16s free).

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

RISE UP & SING PAPERLESS CHOIR: URC Hall, Primley. 1.30-3pm. Free entry.

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

**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. Final session – resumes September.

### **SATURDAY 31 MAY**

FRIENDS OF THE BYES COMMUNITY GROUP:10am-12 noon. New volunteers welcome.

**SIDMOUTH REPAIR CAFE:** St Francis Hall, Woolbrook. 10am to 1pm. Computers or electronic equipment, clothes or textiles, machines or furniture to be fixed. Free entry to all. Refreshments. Find us on Facebook: sidmouthrepaircafe

**MEET THE LLAMAS:** Sidmouth Library. 10.30am-12pm. Legendary Library Llamas George and Harry will visit. Come along find out about the Secret Book Quest. **SIDMOUTH CRICKET CLUB FIXTURE:** The Fortfield, Sidmouth. 12.30pm. Cornwood CC (1<sup>st</sup> X1 Senior League).

SIDBURY CRICKET CLUB MATCH: Millfield. 1pm. 1<sup>st</sup> X1 vs Heathcote CC 3<sup>rd</sup> XI.

## **SUNDAY 1 JUNE**

BEACH CLEAN: meet at Swimming Pool car park. 10-

11am. Come & get involved.

#### TEA DANCE - MUSIC BY JOHN WESTLAKE:

Stowford Centre (opposite Waitrose). 2.30pm. Ballroom and Sequence dancing to strict tempo music hosted by Jean and David. £8 per dancer. Tea and coffee available. Raising funds for Sidmouth Voluntary Services. 01395 579856.

#### 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 2 JUNE**

**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. 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).

**WELCOME SPACE:** St Teresa's Hall (corner of Connaught Road). Mondays 11am-1.30pm.

**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. Term time only.

**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.

STRENGTH AND BALANCE EXERCISE CLASS: St Teresa's Hall, Connaught Road. 3pm.

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

SIDMOUTH TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Woolcombe House, Woolcombe Lane. 6.30pm. For Agenda go to www.sidmouth.gov.uk.

**SIDFORD TABLE TENNIS CLUB:** Sidford Social Hall. 7.30-9.30pm. Also Thursdays 8-10pm. Contact Sarah 074556 16438.

## **TUESDAY 3 JUNE**

**COFFEE & CHAT:** St Giles Church, Sidbury. 8.30–10.30am every Tuesday during term time. Everyone

welcome from 0 to 99 years - do come and join us. **ANIMAL RESCUE CENTRE COFFEE MORNING**: the Manor Pavilion Theatre, Sidmouth. 10-11.30am. Entrance £1 includes Coffee or Tea and Biscuits. Pet accessories, Books, Bric-a-brac and Raffle. Dogs welcome.

Tuesdays 10am-12noon. Enquiries: 01395 562964. **COMMUNITY DROP IN WITH CITIZENS ADVICE:** Primley URC. 10am-12pm. Community cafe space, chat, craft & create, board games, learn new skills, access Citizen's Advice, East Devon Financial Resilience,

**TABLE TENNIS CLUB:** Sidbury Village Hall, EX10 0SD.

Sidvalley Foodbank and more. **GUIDED WESTERN 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 £3.75 Adults, £2,50 Children, £11.50 Family Ticket, £3.25 Seniors. Also Wednesday and Thursday. Further details please see website: <a href="www.sidmouthtoymuseum.com">www.sidmouthtoymuseum.com</a> WALKING TENNIS: Coburg Fields Tennis Courts, EX10

game. £4 per session. Enquiries 0333 241 2340. **SALVATION ARMY STAY & PLAY**: Primley URC. 1.15-2.45pm. Toddler group for 0-4's

8NH. 11am-12.30pm. Slower version of the traditional

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

TUESDAY CRAFTERNOON: Sidmouth Craft Hub, 38 Mill Street. 2-4pm. Bring whatever you are working on and enjoy an afternoon of craft, friendship, tea and biscuits. Just £5.

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.

SIDMOUTH CHESS CLUB: Blue Ball, Inn, Sidford. Tuesdays 6-9pm. New members welcome SIDBURY BADMINTON CLUB: Sidbury Village Hall. Tuesdays 7.30pm. New members welcome. Contact John Rush 01395 597289.

### **WEDNESDAY 4 JUNE**

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