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All welcome £2.50 to include a hot drink.

SIDMOUTH CHESS CLUB: Blue Ball, Inn, Sidford.

Tuesdays 6-9pm. New members welcome

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL EAST DEVON GROUP:

Twyford House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 7.30pm. All welcome to support much needed work to support human rights the world over.

SIDBURY BADMINTON CLUB: Sidbury Village Hall.

Tuesdays 7.30pm. New members welcome. Contact John Rush 01395 597289.

SIDFORD FOLK DANCE CLUB: Sidford Social Hall,

Byes Lane. 8pm. New members always welcome.

Partners not necessary. Contact: 01395 514161.

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

EAST DEVON DAY TIME BAND: Sidmouth Rugby

Football Club Pavilion, Byes Close, Sidford, EX10

9PY. 10.15am - 12.15pm.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT DROP IN: Sidmouth Hospice at Home, 48 High Street, Sidmouth. Every Wednesday 10.15am-1.30pm. Open to all residents of the Sid Valley.

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.

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

WEDNESDAY FRIENDSHIP CUPPA: Stowford Community Centre. 1-4pm.

POETRY PLEASE! Leigh Browne Room, Dissenter of Sidmouth, All Saints Road. 2.30-4.45pm. Friendly, informal group for reading, writing or listening to poetry. This month DH Lawrence and 'September'. No subscription, voluntary donation appreciated. Enquiries 01395 743460.

MEET THE COMMITTEE: Sidmouth Library. 3pm. Free informal "Friends" of Sidmouth Library event – tea & cakes. For further information, please contact: fosidlibsec@gmail.com

SIDMOUTH MODEL RAILWAY GROUP MEETING:

Sidford Social Hall, EX10 9QX. 7-9.30pm.

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

GUIDED EASTERN TOWN WALK: Sidmouth Museum, Church Street. 10.30am. £2.50 per person (under 16s

free). Knowledgeable guides. Walks not strenuous (around 2hrs).

AUTHOR EVENT: Sidmouth Library. 11am. 'Lost Star: The Life and Loves of Belinda Lee', author event with Steve Chibnall. Speak with staff to book your place.

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 & SAXON CRYPT: Sidbury. 2.30pm. £5 (cash or card).

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).

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

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

GUIDED TREE 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 Sat 20, Mon 22 and Tues 23. Further details please see website: www.sidmouthtoymuseum.com

SATURDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

MENTAL HEALTH SWIM SIDMOUTH: opposite the Belmont Hotel. 9-10am. £2. 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))

SID VALE CARNIVAL CLUB – COFFEE/BREAKFAST MORNING: Sidford Social Hall, Byes Lane. 9am-11.30am. In aid of Carnival Club funds.

SIDMOUTH CLASSIC CAR SHOW: Sidmouth Cricket Club. 11am-4.30pm. Cars and motorcycles on display from 1920s to the present day. Cream teas, local ale, jazz band. Free admission – donations welcome.

CHARITY FASHION SHOW: Sidmouth Sailing Club. 7pm. Fundraiser for Sidmouth Hospice at Home. Tickets £25 inc Prosecco & canapes from Gladrags, Church Street.

THE DANCING DUO: Stowford Community Centre. 7.45pm. Ballroom and sequence dancing.. £6 on the door. Free parking. Bring own food and drink.

WHAT'S ON

September 12 to 20 2025

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 SEPTEMBER

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.

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

BIG SID VALLEY BAKE: Sidmouth Bowling Club. 10am -12.30pm. Tea and cake, takeaway cake sale, Bric-a-Brac stand, Art Sale, Cake Auction and games galore.

BIG SID VALLEY BAKE: Northcott Bros, Temple Street. 10am-1pm. Join us for a cup and a slice of something nice. In aid of Sidmouth Hospice at Home.

SIDMOUTH MUSEUM: Church Street, Sidmouth. Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm. Saturday 10am-1pm. Closed Sundays.

ARTBEAT ANNUAL EXHIBITION & SALE: Kennaway House. 10am-5pm (final day to 3.30pm). Original paintings, prints, sculpture, woodwork, cards & gifts. Runs to 14 September. Free entry.

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).

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.

CARNIVAL BINGO: Sidford Social Hall. Doors open 6.30pm for Eyes Down 7.30pm. Prize draw. Drinks & snacks. In aid of Carnival Club funds.

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 13 SEPTEMBER

SIDMOUTH & EAST DEVON WALKING FESTIVAL:

runs to 19 September. Free guided walks. Programmes, booking and tickets at the Tourist Information Centre – 01395 516441 or email tic@sidmouth.gov.uk.

FRIENDS OF THE BYES COMMUNITY GROUP: 10am-12 noon. New volunteers welcome. For more information www.friendsofthebyes.org.uk/volunteer or contact@friendsofthebyes.org.uk

COFFEE MORNING: Sidmouth Guide HQ, Lawn Vista. 10am-12noon. Tea, coffee, homemade cakes, tombola. Fund raiser for Sidmouth Rangers.

SIDBURY FAIR DAY: from 10.30am with local produce, craft fair, music and street stalls. Coffees, ploughman's lunches and teas served in the Village Hall throughout the day. Horticultural Show. Photo exhibition in the church. 1pm Traditional Auction of Livestock & Poultry + local produce. Jordan Cross Memorial Duck Race. Raffle. Fun dog show.

SIDMOUTH ECO HUB DROP-IN: Sidmouth Library. 11am-1pm. Nature identification challenges, badgemaking, test your knowledge on the biodiversity on the Byes.

SIDMOUTH RUGBY MATCH: Blackmore Field, Heydons Lane, Sidmouth EX10 8NJ. 3pm. Sidmouth Chiefs v Exmouth.

SIDMOUTH TOWN AFC HOME GAME: Manstone Lane Football Club, Sidmouth. 3pm. Clevedon Town FC.

SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

COLOURING THE WORLD: The Unitarian Old Dissenting Meeting House, All Saints Road, EX10 8ER. 2.30pm. An experimental exploration led by Roger Brown with readings, music, and contributions from the meeting. After the service, refreshments and conversation. Please join us.

BLESSING OF ANIMALS SERVICE: Sidmouth Parish Church. 3pm. Furry, feathered and finny pets and companions welcome (leads and pet carriers please). Or bring photo for blessing.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICE: St Giles Church, Sidbury. 7pm. Light refreshments served in the Church after the service.

MONDAY 15 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.

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).

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. (Children under 8 must not be left unsupervised).

SIDMOUTH & HONITON STAMP CLUB: Twyford House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 7pm. Visiting speaker and 2 surprise displays. 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.

SIDFORD TABLE TENNIS CLUB: Sidford Social Hall. 7.30-9.30pm. Contact Julia 07853 860435.

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER

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.

SIDFORD W.I COFFEE MORNING: Sidford Social Hall. 10 - 11.30am. For the Sid Valley Bake Off in aid of Sidmouth Hospice at Home - supporting this very worthwhile cause. Tea/Coffee & biscuits £1.50. Raffle, Cake Stall, Books. A warm welcome awaits you all.

TABLE TENNIS CLUB: Sidbury Village Hall, EX10 OSD. 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).

WALKING TENNIS: Sidford Tennis Club, Byes Lane, Sidford, EX10 9QX. 11am-12.30pm. Slower version of the traditional game. £6 per session.

LUNCH: Sidford Methodist Church. 12noon. Suggested donation £5 (give what you wish).

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 CAFÉ SCIENTIFIQUE: Cellar Bar at Kennaway House. 3pm. Colin White with a talk about Brunel's Revolutionary Atmospheric Railway <https://www.sidmouthsciencefestival.org/events/cafe->