

WEDNESDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

POLICE SCAM AWARENESS SESSION: Sidmouth Library. 10am-2pm. A representative of Devon and Cornwall Police's Cyber Protect Team to assist with any concerns about online safety and security. Free service - no appointment necessary.

PARENTAL MINDS SUPPORT SESSION: All Saints Church. 10.30am-12.30pm. A safe place for parents or caregivers to be heard and find information on family mental health support. 07907 614516.

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.

PRIMLEY CHURCH - FILM EVENING: 7 for 7.30pm. Showing of the series of 'The Chosen' on Wednesday evenings. All welcome. Series 1 episode 1 to start off. Tea and coffee served.

SIDMOUTH TOWN AFC HOME GAME: Manstone Lane Football Club, Sidmouth. 7.45pm. Plymouth Argyle FC 1st.

THURSDAY 25 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. 'Tiller-Thrillers and Watery Deaths' talk with local author Andy Griffie. Speak with staff to book your place.

PLOUGHMAN & PUDDING LUNCH: St Peter's Church Hall, Sidford. 1-3pm.

ST GILES CHURCH & SAXON CRYPT – FINAL TOUR OF THE SEASON: Sidbury. 2.30pm. £5 (cash or card).
AUTHOR EVENT: Sidmouth Library. 3pm. 'Stargazing for All', author event with Karen Hedges. Speak with staff to book your place.

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.

NORMAN LOCKYER OBSERVATORY OPEN

EVENING: Salcombe Hill. 7.30pm. Theme: The Crescent Moon. Famous telescopes, planetarium, meteorology. Night sky viewing, only when dark and clear at night. Enquiries: 01395 579941 or email enquiries@normanlockyer.org.

FRIDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

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.

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

QUIZ & CURRY NIGHT: St Teresa's Hall, Sidmouth. 7pm. Groups of 4 or 6. £20pp from Paragon Books. Curry from Sidmouth Tandoori – byo drinks. Raffle & lucky ticket draw. In aid of Sidmouth Hospice at Home & Sidmouth W.I.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ: Sidmouth Conservative Club. Bar from 7pm – Quiz from 7.30pm. Cash prizes. Raffle. In aid of Sidmouth Carnival Week.

SATURDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

SIDMOUTH REPAIR CAFÉ: 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](https://www.facebook.com/sidmouthrepaircafe)

FAIR TRADE COFFEE MORNING: Sidmouth Library. 10.30am to 12noon. All welcome.

SIDMOUTH BOWLING CLUB OPEN DAY: Sidmouth Bowling Club. 11am-1pm & 2-4pm. Free taster sessions Join us for a day of fun and friendship. Give it a go and experience

the indoor game for yourself. Tea, coffee and cake.

SIDMOUTH ILLUMINATED CARNIVAL: floats and walking groups leave Woolbrook 7.30pm and process into town. The procession will start at Woolbrook, head along Temple Street and through town finishing at the seafront.

WHAT'S ON

September 19 to 27 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 19 SEPTEMBER

SIDMOUTH & EAST DEVON WALKING FESTIVAL:

final day. Free guided walks.

Programmes, booking and tickets at the Tourist Information Centre – 01395 516441 or email tic@sidmouth.gov.uk

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).

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

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.

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)

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

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

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.

ECO HUB SIDMOUTH CLIMATE CAFÉ: Blackmore Gardens. 3pm. What's happening with climate change? How do you feel about it? What can be done? Free tea & cake (bring own cup if possible).

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.

SUNDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

CAR BOOT SALE: Sidmouth Cricket Club. 10am-3pm. Sellers entry 8-10am. Cars £8. Vans/trailers £12.

SIDMOUTH MUSICAL THEATRE CHOIR: St Peter's Church Hall, Church Street, Sidford, EX10 9PT. 6-7.30pm term time only. Everyone welcome - beginners and experienced singers. £8 per session non-members, or £80 per term (12 weeks). Under 18s half price, or free when accompanied by a fee-paying adult. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult.

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT: Sidford Social Hall. 6.30 for Eyes Down 7.30pm. Cash & chocolate prizes. Refreshments. In aid of Sidmouth Carnival Week.

MONDAY 22 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. All very welcome.

FAIR TRADE FORTNIGHT: Sidmouth Library. Display to 5 October during normal opening hours.

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).

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. Suitable for beginners or for anyone who would like to improve balance, confidence and mobility. Contact Tina 01395 512912 or 07733 293289.

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).

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

TUESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

SIDMOUTH MODEL RAILWAY GROUP MEETING:

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

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).

WALKING TENNIS: Sidford Tennis Club, Byes Lane, Sidford, EX10 9QX. 11am-12.30pm. Slower version of the traditional game. £6 per session. For more information and/or to book a place please contact Age UK Devon on 0333 241 2340 or email info@ageukdevon.org.uk

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

SIDMOUTH FLOWER ARRANGEMENT CLUB: United Reform Church Hall, Primley Road, Sidmouth EX10 9LB. 2pm. Barbara Clatworthy with 'Show Time'. Visitors and new members welcome. Enquiries 01395 487034.

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 CHESS CLUB: Blue Ball, Inn, Sidford. Tuesdays 6-9pm. New members welcome.

HORSE RACING: Sidmouth Conservative Club. Bar from 7pm – races from 7.30pm. Cash prizes. Raffle. In aid of Sidmouth Carnival Week.

SIDMOUTH TOWN AFC HOME GAME: Manstone Lane Football Club, Sidmouth. 7.30pm. Barnstaple Town FC 1st.

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.