

FRIDAY 18 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 HEALTH & WELLBEING WEEK: a week of inspiring events to help you relax, recharge and connect. To 19 September. Full programme at www.visitdevon.co.uk/sidmouth/whats-on/sidmouth-health-and-wellbeing-week/

DEVON OPEN STUDIOS – LESLEY HOOK ART: The Cider House, Salcombe Regis EX10 OJH. 10am-5pm. Artists & makers in their studios. To 20 September.

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. From Jurassic Coast to arrival of the railways, via fishing village, Regency & Victorian times. Admission £2.50 per person (under 16s free).

SEEING SID – PHOTOS FROM THE SID VALLEY: Riverside Art Space, Sensory Garden, the Ham EX10 8BR. To November.

AT A LOSS BEREAVEMENT GROUP: St Teresa Hall, Sidmouth. 10.30am-12noon. Coffee /tea available. Fortnightly, friendly small welcoming group, with confidential space to chat. All welcome. 07930 335281.

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.

SIDMOUTH CANASTA GROUP: Sidford Methodist Church EX10 9RL. 2.30pm. Players of all standards welcome to our friendly group. £2.50 each. Every Friday. More details 01395 579856.

SIDMOUTH CARNIVAL FAMILY BINGO: Sidford Social Hall. Doors open 6.30 for eyes down 7.30pm. Tea, coffee and soft drinks available.

‘TIME OUT’ BOARDGAME CLUB: Old School Building, All Saints Road. 7-9.30pm. Boardgame club for 18+. Come to play or just chat. Free refreshments. Every 3rd Friday.

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

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

CRAFT FAIR AT KENNAWAY HOUSE: 10am to 4pm. Lots of lovely local crafters offering their wares. Free entry. Dog friendly. Refreshments available.

TABLE TOP SALE: St Peter’s Church Hall, Sidford. 10am to 2pm. Tables £10 each (no trade). Fundraiser for Sidbury with Sidford PCC. Tea, coffee and biscuits.

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 (flat soled shoes or trainers).

MARY BROWNE DAY: Norman Lockyer Observatory, Salcombe Hill Road, EX10 ONY. 1-5:30pm Adult £12 Child £6 Family £30. Talks and Exhibitions celebrating the amazing Mary Browne of Sidmouth aka Lady Lockyer. 19th Century feminist who also helped found the Observatory.

SIDMOUTH TOWN AFC HOME GAME: Manstone Lane Football Club, Sidmouth. 3pm. St Blazey.

SUNDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH: in the hall at Sidmouth Primary School, Woolbrook site. 10.30am. Everyone welcome.

MONDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING: St Peter’s Church, Sidford. 9-11.30am. 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. Free tea, coffee, biscuits and cuppa soup with a roll. Selection of table top games, jigsaws, colouring and crafts. Make friends, chat or just enjoy the space. All welcome.

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.

ANDY’S MAN CLUB: Sidmouth Library. 7pm - 9pm. Weekly free support group for men aged 18+ to talk openly about their mental health in a safe, non-clinical, judgment-free space, aiming to end the stigma and prevent male suicide through conversation and shared experience.

SIDMOUTH & HONITON STAMP CLUB: Twyford House, Coburg Road, Sidmouth. 7pm. Visiting speaker Nigel Cox presents ‘Errors’ and ‘New Zealand Postcards’. Visitors always welcome.

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

TUESDAY 22 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

BIMBLE AND BREW: meet by the flagpole on the seafront opposite the lifeboat station. 9.30am.

All ages and abilities. Weekly relaxed 5k walk through the Byes followed by coffee and chat at a local cafe. Call Derek 07802 249786 for more info.

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, Sidvalley Foodbank and more.

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

BIG BAKE EVENT: Culver House, Vicarage Road EX10 8UF. 10.30am-12.30pm. All welcome. In aid of Sidmouth Hospice at Home.

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. Christine Harrington with ‘Summer Delights’. 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.

SEQUENCE DANCING WITH SHERYL & JON: Stowford Centre EX10 9RY. 7.15 & 8.20pm. £14 per couple. Further details from 01395 279563.

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

WEDNESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

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

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.

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.

COMMUNITY LUNCH: St Peter's Church Hall, Sidford. 1-3pm. Includes a hot drink. Come along & meet new people while enjoying a light lunch. £10 to reserve a place call Julia 01395 519312.

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

THURSDAY 24 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).

THE OLD SCHOOL COMMUNITY CAFÉ: The Old School Building, All Saints Church. 2 – 4pm. Conversation, companionship and homemade cake. All welcome - no charge but donations accepted.

"IN STITCHES": Sidmouth Craft Hub, 38 Mill St, Sidmouth, EX10 8DF. 2-4pm. Every Thursday. Bring your hand or machine-sewing project. £7.50 includes refreshments and use of a sewing machine if needed. No need to book, just come along. Everyone welcome.

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

TOUR OF ST GILES' CHURCH, SIDBURY: 2.30pm. Guided tour of this ancient church including the Saxon Crypt. Teas served in Norman tower. £5. Final opportunity of the season.

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 25 SEPTEMBER

FRIENDS OF THE KNOWLE: meet by the big log near the southern pedestrian access to the gardens. 9.30am. 2nd & 4th Fridays. Come and help to restore the historic Knowle Gardens.

DOLLY PARTON DAY (9 25): Studio 63, 75 All Saints Road. 10am-5pm. Cake sale, book swap & sale, raffle. Proceeds to Dolly's Imagination Library.

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

BARN DANCE: Sidbury Village Hall. Doors open from 6.30pm for 7pm. Dancing to 'Stokey'. Tickets £10 (£5 u16s). Ploughman's platter included. Bar. Tickets 07768 538061 or from Drew's.

SIDMOUTH CRICKET CLUB QUIZ: the Cricket Club. 7pm. Teams of 6 maximum. £2.50 per person. Booking essential. Burgers from Fat Fox Food Company from 5.30pm. Meat draw raffle from 7.30pm.

SATURDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

SID VALE CARNIVAL CLUB – COFFEE/BREAKFAST MORNING: Sidford Social Hall, Byes Lane. 9am-11am. Cakes, books, bric-a-brac. In aid of Carnival Club funds.

TOWN COUNCIL SURGERY: Sidmouth Market. 10am-12noon. Have your say about Sidmouth! Friendly drop-in session with local councillors - share your thoughts, raise any concerns, ask questions, and talk about the things that matter most to you and our town. Everyone welcome.

'THE LONG LIGHT' ART EXHIBITION & SALE: Kennaway House. 10am-4pm. Collection of paintings by Tamsin Lear. Daily to October 4.

SIDMOUTH 1ST TEAM RUGBY HOME GAME: the Blackmore. 2.30pm. Royal Wootton Bassett.

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 IN SIDMOUTH

September 18 to 26 2026



Listings compiled each week by

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