

AUGUST

- Mon 1st **Nr. Leominster** Berrington Hall.N.T. Dragons, Damsels and Lake Dipping 1 – 3pm. A family event 01568 615721
- Tues 2nd **Elan Valley** Bug Bonanza. An afternoon of pond dipping and bug hunting, suitable for all the family. Meet at Dol y Mynach lay by (SN904617) 2pm finish 4pm. Essential to book 01597 810898
Hereford The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert. Organist Fiona Chryssides (Hereford) 1.15pm. Large screen video projection. Free admission. Retiring collection 01432 374200
- Wed 3rd **Stokesay Nr. Ludlow** Stokesay Castle E.H. Time Travellers Go...Heroes and Villains. Info: 01588 672544/0870 3331183
- August**
Wed 3rd **Yarpole Nr. Leominster** Croft Castle.N.T. 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' brought to Croft by The Lord Chamberlain's Men. Outdoor theatre with picnic on the lawn, 7pm. Gates open 6pm. Booking essential. 01568 780246
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Ugly Bug Safari. Family fun 1 – 3pm 01568 780246
Ludlow The Castle. Birds of Prey, Have a Go Archery and Guided Tours. 10am – 4pm. 01584 875053
Eardisland Burton Court. Open Day. Gardens open 2pm. Tour of house 2.30pm. Info: www.burtoncourt.com or 01544 388222
- Thurs 4th **Eardisley** Village Festival 2011 10am – 6pm. Theme: Around the World. Flowers in Church, craft demonstrations, exhibitions, childrens' paintings, variety of stalls, entertainment, food all day. Further info 01544 327333/327844
Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Mini Beast Hunt in the woodland. Fun for all ages 1 – 3pm. 01885 488099
Swainshill Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. 'Back to Nature'. Hunt for hidden nature and wildlife in the garden and the river 1 – 3pm. 01981 590509
Nr. Ledbury Eastnor Deer Park. The Big Chill. 'One of the most innovative music events of the year.' Start time: midday. Info: 0207 009300 or visit www.bigchill.net
Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010
Ludlow The Castle. Craft Workshops, Painting Competitions and Castle Tours 10am to 4pm. 01584 875053
- Fri 5th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Eardisley Village Festival 2011. 10am – 6pm. Theme: Around the World. Flowers in Church, craft demonstrations, exhibitions,

children's paintings, variety of stalls, entertainment, food all day.
Further info 01544 327333/327844

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Moat Dipping. Fun for all ages 1 – 3pm 01885 488099

Hereford The Cathedral Chapter House Garden. Lunchtime jazz recital 1pm. Free admission. Details: check info desk or 01432 374200

Nr. Ledbury Eastnor Deer Park. The Big Chill. 'One of the most innovative music events of the year.' Start time: midday. Info: 0207 009300 or visit www.bigchill.net

Sat 6th **Kington** The Market Hall. St. Bede's R.C. Church, Jumble Sale.
Further info: 01544 388666

Eardisley Village Festival 2011. 10am – 6pm. Theme: Around the World. Flowers in Church, craft demonstrations, exhibitions, children's

August paintings, variety of stalls, entertainment, food all day. Further info
Sat 6th 01544 327333/327844

Hay On Wye Primary School. Car Boot Sale 10am-Midday 01544 327716

Hereford City Regatta. Info: www.herefordrc.co.uk or 01432 273915

Brecon Brecon Show. 01599 371557

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Medieval Weekend. 10am – 5pm. Further info: 01885 488099

Elan Valley Annual Pet Show. No Dogs. Contact for entry form in advance. Judging starts 2.30pm. Visitor Centre 01597 810390

Hereford High Town. Farmers' Market 9am – 3pm. 01568 797427

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival opens.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

11.30am Opening service The Cathedral

7.45pm The Dream of Gerontius The Cathedral

Great Witley Great Witley Church. Organ Concert celebrating the 1860 Nicholson Organ 5pm. Organist Martin Schellenberg, Director of Music, Abberley Hall. Info: 01684 561623

Nr. Ledbury Eastnor Deer Park. The Big Chill. 'One of the most innovative music events of the year.' Start time: midday. Info: 0207 009300 or visit www.bigchill.net

Tenbury A456 Worcester Road, Burford. Tenbury Countryside Show 9am to 6pm. Info: 01584 810818 or visit www.tenbury-countryside-show.co.uk

Sun 7th **Hereford** City Regatta. Info: www.herefordrc.co.uk or 01432 273915

Eardisley The Church. Songs of Praise 6.30pm. Info: 01544 327333/327844

Pembridge St. Mary's Church. Delicious Home-made Cream Teas 3 – 5pm

Leominster A49 Leominster Bypass. Car Boot Sale. 01568 611166

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Medieval Weekend.
10am - 5pm. Further info:01885 488099

Elan Valley Village Tour. Easy one mile walk looking at the history of Caban Coch Dam, Workers' Village and surrounding features – meet Visitor Centre 2pm. Return about 3.30pm 01597 810898

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

10.30am Festival Eucharist. The Cathedral

2.30pm Hamlet, College Hall. Shakespeare Globe on Tour

7.45pm Memorial Concert. The Cathedral

Great Witley Great Witley Church Sunday Afternoon Recital. 5pm
Music for 2 Classical Guitars with Dodici Corde. End approx. 5.50pm.
Free entry, retiring collection. 01684 561623

Nr. Ledbury Eastnor Deer Park. The Big Chill. 'One of the most innovative music events of the year.' Start time: midday. Info: 0207 009300 or visit www.bigchill.net

August
Sun 7th

Ludlow Castle Square Antique and Collectors' Fair 9am to 4pm.
01584 890013

Gardens Open:

Newbridge on Wye Llysdinam 2 – 6pm 01597 860190 N.G.S.

Mon 8th

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall.N.T. Dragons, Damsels and Lake Dipping 1 – 3pm. A family event 01568 615721

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival. Online booking:

www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

10am Meet at Elgar Statue. Two hour walk visiting many city sites connected with Sir Edward

7.45pm Mahler Symphony. The Cathedral

Tues 9th

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall.N.T. Teddy Bears' Picnic. Bring your favourite teddy, enjoy a walk in the garden and have a go at teddy competitions and activities. 2 – 4pm. 01568 780246

Hereford The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert. Organist Francesca Massey(Peterborough Cathedral) 1.15pm. Large screen video projection. Free admission, retiring collection. 01432 374200

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

2.30pm Three Cathedral Choirs Concert. The Cathedral

Wed 10th

Stokesay Nr. Ludlow Stokesay Castle E.H. Time Travellers Go...Knights and Princesses. Info: 01588 672544/0870 3331183

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Ugly Bug Safari. Family Fun. 1 – 3pm 01568 780246

Elan Valley Become a bug hunter and discover the fascinating world of mini beasts. Suitable for all the family. Meet Visitor Centre 2pm return about 4pm. Essential to book a place: 01597 810898

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

4pm Choral Evensong. Three Cathedral Choirs. The Cathedral

7.45pm Elgar's Caractacus. The Cathedral

Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. General Antiques and Collectables. 01568 611122 or www.brightwells.com

Ludlow The Castle. Birds of Prey, Have a go Archery and Guided Tours. 10am – 4pm. 01584 875053

Eardisland Burton Court. Open Day. Gardens open 2pm. Tour of house 2.30pm. Info: www.burtoncourt.com or 01544 388222

Thurs 11th **Swainshill Nr. Hereford** The Weir N.T. 'Back to Nature'. Hunt for hidden nature and wildlife in the garden and the river 1 – 3pm. 01981 590509

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

11am The National Youth Orchestra of Scotland. The Cathedral

5.30pm Choral Evensong. Hereford Cathedral Choir. The Cathedral

7.45pm Three Choirs Festival Youth Choir. The Cathedral

August
Thurs 11th **Ludlow** Castle Square. Local Produce Market. 9am to 2pm. 01584 872043

Ludlow The Castle. Craft Workshops, Painting Competitions and Castle Tours, 10am to 4pm. 01584 875053

Fri 12th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445

Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435

Brecon Brecon Jazz. 01874 611622

Shrewsbury Quarry Park. Shrewsbury Flower Show 01743 234085 or www.shrewsburyflowershow.org.uk

Hereford The Cathedral Chapter House Garden. Lunchtime jazz recital 1pm. Free admission. Details: check info desk or 01432 374200

Worcester The Three Choirs Festival.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

5.30pm Choral Evensong. Three Cathedral Choirs. The Cathedral

7.45pm Ein Deutsches Requiem and Vaughan Williams, An Oxford Elegy. The Cathedral

10pm Festival Fireworks. College Green

Sat 13th **Knighton** Community Centre. Farmers' Market. 01982 552224
Titley Village Hall and Stagg Meadow. Titley Village Fête and Dog Show. Star attraction: Punch and Judy Show. 2pm onwards. All are welcome. Info: 01544 267482

Nr. Rayader 4 miles S.of A470 The Mid Wales Shakespeare Centre. Storyteller and Cellist present Orpheus and other Greek Myths 7pm(suitable 12+). Booking info: 01597 810921/01597 825171
www.willowglobe.co.uk

Brecon Brecon Jazz. 01874 611622

Nr. Hay on Wye Llanigon Show. 01497 847342

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Moat Dipping 1 – 3pm 01981 590509

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Medieval Weekend 10 – 5pm. Further info:01568 780246

Shrewsbury Quarry Park. Shrewsbury Flower Show 01743 234085 or www.shrewsburyflowershow.org.uk

Brampton Bryan English Civil War Society. Enjoy a weekend of skirmishing history and local food and drink.
www.exploremortimercountry.com

Leominster Corn Square. Farmers' Market 9am – 1pm. 01568 797427

Elan Valley Open Afternoon at Llannerch y Cawr Longhouse located in the Claerwen Valley at NGR:SN902615. Meet at property between 1pm and 4pm. No dogs. Further info 01597 810449

Elan Valley History Walk – Rhos y Gelynnen Standing Stones 3 mile walk, some boggy sections. Meet Nantgwyllt Church car park, SN909639, 2pm return by 5pm. 01597 810880

Worcester Closing Day of Three Choirs Festival.

Online booking: www.3choirs.org Tel. booking: 0845 6521823

Great Witley Great Witley Church. Organ Concert celebrating the 1860 Nicholson Organ. Organist John Swindells, St. Michael's, Tenbury Wells 5pm. Info: 01684 561673

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Rock 'n' Gem Show. Info: 0033 251 647 003

August
Sat 13th

Sun 14th

Pembridge St. Mary's Church. Delicious Home-made Cream Teas 3 – 5pm

Hereford Waterworks Museum. Broomy Hill. Open Day in Steam, 1 – 4pm. Parking available 01432 357236

Brecon Brecon Jazz. 01874 611622

Hay on Wye Boatside Vintage Rally. 01874 711110

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Medieval Weekend 10 – 5pm. Further info:01568 780246

Brampton Bryan English Civil War Society. Enjoy a weekend of skirmishing history and local food and drink.
www.exploremortimercountry.com

Elan Valley Dambusters Walk. 4 mile guided walk looking at history and natural history of area including remains of Nant y Gro Dam used for tests before World War II Dambuster Raid. Some steep climbs. Meet Visitor Centre 2pm. 01597 810898

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Rock 'n' Gem Show. 0033 251 647003

Ludlow Castle Square. Book and Craft Market. 10am to 4.30pm. 01584 838010

Ludlow Magnalonga. Leisurely, countryside walk with local food and drink stops. Booking essential. Info: 01584 873957 or visit www.magnalonga.co.uk

Gardens Open:

Kimbolton Nr Leominster. Bacheffield House. 2pm – 5.30pm. NGS 01568 615855

- Mon 15th **Nr Leominster** Berrington Hall. N.T. Dragons, Damsels and Lake Dipping 1 – 3pm. A family event 01568 615721
Hereford All Saints Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Summer Exhibition and Sale. 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
- Tues 16th **Nr Leominster** Berrington Hall N.T. "Mermaids and Pirates" Come dressed as a mermaid or pirate to enjoy free entry. Pirate stories, songs, make a hat, jewellery and more. 2pm – 4pm. 01568 615721
Hereford The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert, organist Timothy Noon (Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral) Large screen video projection. Free admission. Retiring Collection. 01432 374200
Hereford All Saints Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Summer Exhibition and Sale. 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
- Gardens Open:**
Collington Nr Bromyard. Moors Meadow Gardens and Nursery. 11am – 5pm. 01885 410318 N.G.S.
- August**
- Wed 17th **Kington** Baptist Church, Bridge Street. Concert. Tom Durston-Smith, bass baritone, Kathy Gasowski, soprano, accompanied by Jason Fraser present "Music on a Summer Evening". Songs from the Shows and light operetta. 7.30pm. Light refreshments. Info 01544 340435.
Stokesay, Nr. Ludlow Stokesay Castle E.H. Time Travellers Co Heroes & Villains. Info 01588 672544/0870 333 1183
Yarpole, Nr Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Ugly Bug Safari. Family Fun. 1–3pm 01568 780246
Bringsty, Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Moatdipping/mini beasts. 1-3pm Further info: 01885 488099
Yarpole, Nr. Ludlow Croft Castle N.T. "Canterbury Tales" The Pantaloons bring an hilariously funny production of Canterbury Tales. 7pm start. Gates open 6pm. Booking essential. 01568 615721
Ludlow The Castle. Birds of Prey, Have a Go Archery and Guided Tours. 10am–4pm. 01584 875053
Eardisland Burton Court. Open Day. Gardens open 2pm. Tour of house 2.30pm. Info: www.burtoncourt.com or 01544 388222
- Thurs 18th **Kington** Masonic Hall, Headbrook. Kington & District Horticultural Society Meeting. "Enhancing Grasses". 7.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 230085
Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. "Back to Nature". Hunt for hidden nature and wildlife in the garden and the river 1–3pm. 01981 590509
Hereford High Town. The Farmers' Market. 9am–2pm. 01568 797427
Ludlow The Castle. Craft Workshops, Painting Competitions and Castle Tours. 10am-4pm. 01584 875053
Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010

- Fri 19th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Bromyard Falcon Hotel. Bromyard Music Festival presents “Carnival of Jazz”. Details 01922 630779
Hereford the Cathedral Chapter House Garden. Lunchtime jazz recital 1pm. Free admission. Details: check info desk of 01432 374200
Elan Valley Bug Bonanza. An afternoon of pond dipping and bug hunting, suitable for all the family. Meet at Dol y Mynach layby (SN 904617) 2pm. Finish 4pm. 01597 810898
Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Welsh Kennel Club Dog Show. 01446 792457
- Sat 20th **Kington** Recreation Ground. Annual Vintage Show. 10am-5pm. Info: 0791 860 3770 or email: mickrand@btinternet.com
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. “Walk Ten”. Enjoy 10km walk, picnic and entertainment in support of local Marie Curie Nurses starting at 6pm. Info: call 0870 034 0040
August
 Sat 20th **Hay-on-Wye** Primary School. Car Boot Sale. 10am-midday 01544 327716
Alcester Ragley Hall. TSL Productions presents Battle Proms Picnic Concert. A celebration of classical music with fireworks, Spitfire, cannons, cavalry. Gates open 4.30pm Further details visit www.battleproms.com or call 01432 355416
Bromyard Falcon Hotel. Bromyard Music Festival presents “Carnival of Jazz”. Saturday Morning Parade through town 11.30am Details 01922 630779
Great Witley Great Witley Court. Organ Concert celebrating the 1860 Nicholson Organ. 5pm. Organist John Jenkin, Director of Music, Great Witley Church. Info: 01684 561623
Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Welsh Kennel Club Dog Show. 01446 792457
Llandrindod Wells Victorian Festival opens. Festivities all round town including Victorian Literary Ball. 01597 823441
- Sun 21st **Kington** Recreation Ground. Annual Vintage Show. 10am-5pm. Official opening 11am. Info:0791 860 3770 or email: , mickrand@btinternet.com
Nr. Bromyard Whitbourne Hall. The Four Shires Food Festival. Food, Arts and Crafts from local providers in Herefordshire, Gloucestershire, Worcestershire and Shropshire. 11am-4pm.
Pembridge St. Mary’s Church. Delicious Home-made Cream Teas 3-5pm
Almeley Village Fete in and around the Village Hall and Common.
Llandrindod Wells Victorian Festival. Events throughout the town including concert by Talgarth Male Voice Choir. 01597 823441
Bromyard The Falcon Hotel. Bromyard Music Festival presents “Carnival of Jazz”. Details 01922 630779

Elan Valley Open afternoon at Claerwen Farm "possibly the most remote farmhouse in Wales". No mains services. Join Glyndwr and Wendy for traditional Welsh tea. No dogs. Claerwen Farm (NGR:SN 821673), essential to gain info re access roads. 01597 810449

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Welsh Kennel Club Dog Show. 01446 792457

Ludlow Castle Square. Antique & Collectors Fair. 9am-4pm. 01584 872043

Gardens Open

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard The Bannut. 12.30-5pm 01885 482206
N.G.S.

Mon 22nd **Llandrindod Wells** Victorian Festival. Events throughout the town
01597 823441

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall. N.T. Dragons, Damsels and Lake Dipping 1 – 3pm. A family event 01568 615721

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Tues 23rd **Llandrindod Wells** Victorian Festival. Kington & District Operatic Society presents "Victorian Festival Concert, A Gilbert & Sullivan Miscellany. 8.15pm Activities throughout town. 01597 832 441

Bringsty, Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Make a woodland picture. Walk with a ranger and forage for material to create a picture. Start 1pm. 01885 488099

Hereford The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert organist Roger Judd (Herefordshire). Large screen video projection. Free admission. Retiring collection. 1.15pm. 01432 374200

Weds 24th **Llandrindod Wells** Victorian Festival. Events throughout the town.
01597 823441

Stokesay, Nr. Ludlow Stokesay Castle. E.H. Time Travellers Go... Knights & Princesses. Info: 01588 672544/0870 333 1183

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Ugly Bug Safari. Family Fun. 1 – 3pm 01568 780246

Elan Valley Children's Critter Crafts. A children's event where they make something to take home. Visitor Centre anytime between 2pm & 4pm. No unaccompanied children. 01597 810898

Leominster Brightwells Easters Court Auctions. Antique and Fine Art inc. Ethnic Items. 01568 611 122 www.brightwells.com

Ludlow The Castle. Birds of Prey, Have a Go Archery and Guided Tours. 10am-4pm. 01584 875053

Eardisland Burton Court. Open Day. Gardens open 2pm. Tour of house 2.30pm. Info: www.burtoncourt.com or 01544 388222

Thurs 25th **Nr. Leominster (HR6 0PN)** Hampton Court Castle & Gardens. Chapterhouse Theatre presents "Snow White". Info: 01568 797777 or visit www.hamptoncourt.org.uk

Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir. N.T. "Back to Nature". Hunt for hidden nature and wildlife in the garden and the river 1 – 3pm. 01981 590509

Presteigne St. Andrew's Church. Opening concert for Presteigne Festival. 7.30pm Concert ends approx.. 9.30pm Info: visit www.presteignefestival.com or 01544 267800

Luddlow The Castle. Craft Workshops, Painting Competitions and Castle Tours. 10am-4pm. 01584 875053

Ludlow Castle Square. Local produce Market. 9am-2pm. 01584 872043

Llandrindod Wells Victorian Festival. Events throughout the town including Music Hall. 01597 823441

Fri 26th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445

Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435

Hereford The Cathedral Chapter House Garden. Lunchtime Jazz recital 1pm. Free admission. Details: check info desk or 01432 374200.

August
Fri 26th **Elan Valley** Dam Open Day. Go into Pen y Garreg Dam and up to central tower. Ranger on hand. Park Penbont Car Park. (SN 916674) walk through woodland up to dam entrance. Anytime between 1pm & 4pm. All proceeds to Water Aid Charity. 01597 810898

Presteigne Presteigne Festival. Varied events throughout the day. For info visit: www.presteignefestival.com or 01544 267800

Llandrindod Wells Victorian Festival. Events throughout the town. 01597 823441

Sat 27th **Kington** The Market Hall. Kington Art Society Exhibition and Sale of Art. 10am – 5pm. Free Admission. All welcome. 01544 388708

Lingen (SY8 0DY) St Michael & All Angels Church. Flower Festival & Quilting with a Biblical Theme. 10am – 5.30pm Info: moirawilliamson@yahoo.co.uk

Talgarth Talgarth Festival of the Countryside. 01874 712226

Brecon Brecon Beacons Summer Fayre. 01874 624979

Great Witley Great Witley Church. Organ Concert celebrating the 1860 Nicholson Organ 5pm. Organist Mark Purcell, Organist of Charlbury Church, Oxford. Info: 01684 561623

Presteigne Presteigne Festival. A succession of various events throughout the day ending with a Memorial Concert for Judy Hiam in St Andrews Church 7.30pm Info: visit www.presteignefestival.com or 01544 267800

Knighton Community Centre. Farmers' Market. 01982 552224

Llandrindod Wells Victorian Festival. Events throughout the town all day and Grand Costumed Ball. 01597 823441

Sun 28th **Kington** The Market Hall Kington Art Society Exhibition and Sale of Art. 10am – 5pm. Free Admission. All welcome. 01544 388708

Llandrindod Wells Closing day of Victorian Festival. Firework Display in evening. 01597 823441

Kingswood Nr Kington. The Woodlands Farm. Kingswood Show and Gymkhana. Horse Classes, Dog Show, Refreshments. Further info: horse enquiries 01544 230392 dog show 01544 230875

Lingen (SY8 0DY) St Michael & All Angels Church. Flower Festival & Quilting with a Biblical Theme. 10am – 5.30pm Info:

moirawilliamson@yahoo.co.uk

Pembridge St Mary's Church. Delicious Home-made Cream Teas 3-5pm

Much Marcle, Ledbury Westons Family Extravaganza. Pony rides by Riding for the Disabled. A fun-filled day for the whole family.

Details: www.westons-cider.co.uk or call 01531 660108

Talgarth Talgarth Festival of the Countryside. 01874 712226

Brecon Brecon Beacons Summer Fayre. 01874 624979

Stokesay Nr Ludlow Stokesay Castle. E.H. "With Musket & Drum" Info: 0870 3331183 / 01588 672544

Leintwardine Sun Inn Annual Beer Festival. Real ales, cider, food & music. www.exploremortimercountry.com

Presteigne Presteigne Festival. St Andrews Church 11am Festival Eucharist. Church of St Mary Magdalene, Leintwardine 4.30pm

Concert given by Choir of Royal Holloway, University of London. St Mary's

Parish Church, Pembridge 7.45pm Navarra Quartet at Pembridge.

For further info: visit www.presteignefestival.com or 01544 267800

Eardisland On (or in!) The Millstream by Eardisland Bridge. Annual Duck Races 2.30pm 01544 388323

Nr Leominster (HR6 0PN) Hampton Court Castle & Gardens.

Stampede, Jousting and Stunt Riding Weekend. Info: 01568 797777 or visit www.hamptoncourt.org.uk

Ludlow Castle Square. Green Festival. Stalls, street entertainers, talks, displays, children's activities. 10am to 4pm. 01584 875053

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Brecon Brecon Beacons Summer Fayre. 01874 624979

Stokesay Nr Ludlow Stokesay Castle. E.H. "With Musket & Drum" Info: 0870 3331183 / 01588 672544

Presteigne Presteigne Festival. Varied events throughout the day ending with concert, St Andrews Church, 7.30pm. "From Haydn to Bruzaitë". For info: visit www.presteignefestival.com or 01544 267800

Nr Leominster (HR6 0PN) Hampton Court Castle & Gardens.

Stampede, Jousting and Stunt Riding Weekend. Info: 01568 797777 or visit www.hamptoncourt.org.uk

Ludlow Dinham Millennium Green. Ludlow "Funday" and Duck Race 2pm. 01584 875053

- Tues 30th **Hereford** The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert, organist Paul Stubbings (Ramsgate). Large screen video projection. 1.15pm. Free admission. Retiring collection. 01432 374200
Elan Valley Bug Hunt. Become a bug hunter and discover the fascinating world of mini-beasts. Suitable for all the family. Meet Visitor Centre 2pm. Return about 4pm. Essential to book a place. 01597 810898
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SEPTEMBER

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- Fri 2nd **Kington** Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Elan Valley "Creatures of the Night". An event to enlighten you on "the beauty of bats" and "the merits of moths". Join Sorcha Lewis from the Radnorshire Mammal Group. Meet Llanerch y Cawr car park (SN901616) 7.45pm. Late finish. No dogs. Further info: 01597 811533
- Gardens Open:**
Nr Pembridge (on A44) Westonbury Mill Water Garden 11am – 5pm N.G.S 01544 388650
- Sat 3rd **Nr Leominster** Berrington Hall N.T. Bat Walk. Join a Ranger to learn about bats in their natural environment at Berrington. 8.30 to 10.30pm. (gates open 8pm) Booking essential. 01568 615721
Bringsty Nr Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. "All Things Damson". Enjoy a weekend dedicated to damsons. 11am – 4pm. Further info: 01885 488099
Hereford High Town. Farmers' Market. 9am-3pm 01568 797427

Worcester The Cathedral. Organ Recital. Adrian Lucas. 6.30pm-7.45pm 01905 732900

Hay-on-Wye Primary School. Car Boot Sale. 10am-12noon 01544 327716

Elan Valley Village Tour. Easy one mile walk looking at the history of Caban Coch Dam, Workers' Village and surrounding features. Meet Visitor Centre 2pm. Return about 3.30pm 01497 810898

Great Witley Great Witley Church. Evening Concert 5pm. Brahms' "Requiem". Further details and to book 01684 561 623

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. The International Antiques and Collectors Fair of Wales. 01584 873634

Eardisland Village Hall. Annual Village Show 2pm-4.30pm 01544 388323 / 388981

Sun 4th

Yarpole, Nr. Leominster Croft Castle. N.T. Ranger's Ramble. Take a stroll with N.T. Ranger along paths you haven't walked before. Learn more about the flora and fauna. 1pm-3pm. Booking not needed. 01568 780246

Bringsty, Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. "All Things Damson". Enjoy a weekend dedicated to damsons. 11am - 4pm. Further info: 01885 488099

September

Sun 4th

Great Witley Great Witley Church. Sunday Afternoon Recital 5pm. Holst's original version of The Planets played on two pianos by Chris Long and John Jenkin. End approx.. 5.50pm Free entry, retiring collection. 01684 561623

Builth Wells The Royal Welsh Showground. The International Antiques and Collectors Fair of Wales. 01584 873634

Ludlow Castle Square. Antique & Collectors' Fair. 9am-4pm. 01584 890013

Gardens Open:

Brockhampton (off B4224 5m N. of Ross) Brockhampton Cottage. 10am-2pm. 0797 4569 037 N.G.S.

Mon 5th

Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk

Tues 6th

Kington Parish House. Beetle Drive. 7.30pm. Coffee and biscuits. All welcome. 01544 230271 / 230859

Hereford The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert, organist Peter Shepherd (Malvern Oundle Award Winner) 1.15pm. Large screen video projection. Free admission. Retiring collection. 01432 374200

Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk

- Weds 7th **Kinnersley** (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk
Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Toys, Dolls & Textiles. 01568 611122 www.brightwells.com
Eardisland Burton Court. Open Day. Gardens open 2pm. Tour of house 2.30pm. Info: www.burtoncourt.com or 01544 388222.
- Thurs 8th **Kington** Football Clubhouse. U3A Meeting. Talk by County Air Ambulance Trust. 2pm. 01544 231401
Kington Oxford Arms, Kington Local Environment and Energy Network. (KLEEN). Open meeting. 7.30pm. 01544 230322
Kingswood, Nr. Kington Village Hall "Crafty Crafters" 10am-12.30pm. Enjoy crafting together. Visitors welcome: 01544 230896
Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk
Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce market. 9am-2pm 01584 872043
- Fri 9th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
- September**
- Fri 9th **Bromyard** Bromyard Folk Festival. A weekend of traditional music, song and dance. Details & booking office 01432 340555
www.bromyard-folk-festival.org.uk
Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk
Ludlow Ludlow Food & Drink Festival. Ludlow Castle and Around the Town. Over 140 local food and drink producers, cooking demos, sausage, bread & ale trails, children's entertainment. Park & ride available. Info: visit www.food-festival.co.uk or 01584 873957
- Sat 10th **Kington** The Ovals (on A44 1 mile from Kington) Kington Show featuring horses, cattle, sheep & poultry. Dog, Horticultural & Domestic Shows together with many other attractions. 9am-6pm. Shuttle bus from Kington. Info: 01432 850444 or visit www.kingtonshow.co.uk
Across the County Herefordshire Historic Churches Trust "Ride & Stride", a sponsored event. Visit www.herefordshirehistoricchurcheistrust.co.uk
Pembridge Old Chapel Gallery. hArt Exhibition opens. Visit www.oldchapelgallery.co.uk or ring 01544 388842
Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. 01568 615721 and
Yarpole, Nr. Leominster Croft Castle 01568 780246 All day free entry – Heritage Open Day. Enjoy short tours around parts not normally on display in both properties.

Bromyard Bromyard Folk Festival. A weekend of traditional music, song and dance. Details & booking office 01432 340555

www.bromyard-folk-festival.org.uk

Leominster Corn Square. Farmers' Market 9am-1pm 01568 797427

Elan Valley Five Craigs. Join local shepherd on high level hill walk with a number of spectacular views over the Claerwen Valley. An energetic 10 mile walk. Meet at Llannerch y Cawr car park (SN901616) 10 am. return via Cwm Elan Mines by 4pm. Further info: 01597 811299

Knighton Community Centre Farmers' Market 01982 552224

Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk

Ludlow Ludlow Food & Drink Festival. Ludlow Castle & Around the Town. Over 140 local food and drink producers, cooking demos, sausage, bread & ale trails, children's entertainment. Park & ride available. Info: visit www.food-festival.co.uk or 01584 873957

Countywide h.Art Week opens. 01432 260182 or visit www.h-art.org.uk

Sun 11th **Kington** Baptist Church 206th Anniversary Service, 10.45 a.m. All welcome. 01544 340435

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www.bromyard-folk-festival.org.uk

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Gardens Open

Aulden, Leominster Aulden Farm combined with Ivy Croft at Ivington. 2pm-5.30pm 01568 720129 / 01568 720 344. N.G.S.

Mon 12th **Kington** Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. All welcome. 01544 230859

Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk

Tues 13th **Hereford** The Cathedral Organ Recital. Geraint Bowen. 7.30pm Large screen video projection. 01432 374200

Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk

Weds 14th **Kingswood Nr. Kington** Village Hall, Kingswood. W.I. "Cats Protection League" Jenny Matthews 7.30pm. All welcome. 01544 230896

Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. General Antiques & Collectables. 01568 611122. www.brightwells.com

Kinnersley (between Weobley & Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk

Eardisland Burton Court Open Day. Gardens open 2pm. Tour of house 2.30pm. Info: www.burtoncourt.com or 01544 388222

- Thurs 15th **Bringsty Nr. Bromyard** Brockhampton N.T. Meet at Lower Brockhampton, walk through Paradise Wood into the ancient orchards. 1pm start, approx 2 hour walk. 01885 488099
- Hereford** High Town Farmer's Market. 9am – 2pm. 01568 797427
- Kinnersley** (Between Weobley and Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk
- Ludlow** Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010
- Fri 16th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
- Kington** Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
- Kington** Kington Primary School. Kington History Society Meeting. 'The Walton Basin' Wendy Toomey, 7.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 340572
- September**
- Fri 16th **Kinnersley** (Between Weobley and Eardisley) Kinnersley Castle. "A Marches Lord Welsh Border Castle". Guided tour 2.30pm. 01544 327407 or visit www.kinnersleycastle.co.uk
- Sat 17th **Yarpole Nr. Leominster** Croft Castle N.T. Bat Walk. Guided evening tour. 8.30pm start. Approx 2 hours. Further info: 01568 780246
- Hay on Wye** Primary School. Car Boot Sale 10am – midday. 01544 327716
- Great Witley** Great Witley Church. Evening Concert 7.30pm. Volante Strings with Edward Carpenter and Daniel Smith (trumpets). For programme and booking: 01684 561623
- Abergavenny** Food Festival. 01874 624979
- Sun 18th **Nr. Abergavenny. Llanover** Llanover House. Rare Plant Fair 11am – 4pm. 0845 4681368. Check venue and time before visiting
- Abergavenny** Food Festival. 01874 624979
- Ludlow** Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair 9am to 4pm. 01584 890013
- Mon 19th **Hereford** All Saints Church. Golden Valley Craft Society. Summer Exhibition and Sale. 10 – 4pm. 01981 250689

- Tues 20th **Hereford** The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert, organist Stewart Taylor (Holy Trinity Hereford) 1.15pm. Large screen video projection. Free admission. Retiring collection. 01432 374200
Hereford All Saints Church. Golden Valley Craft Society. Summer Exhibition and Sale. 10 – 4pm. 01981 250689
- Wed 21st **Kington** Markwick Close Hall. Kington W.I. Meeting 'Edward Elgar, The Women Who Inspired Him'. Mrs W. Hill 2.30pm. All welcome. 01544 230986
Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Classic Cars. 01568 611122 www.brightwells.com
- Thurs 22nd **Kington** Masonic Hall, Headbrook, Kington and District Horticultural Society Meeting 'Vegetable Growing' 7.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 230085
Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. 'Crafty Crafters' 10am – 12.30pm. Enjoy crafting together. Visitors welcome. 01544 230896
Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce Market. 9am – 2pm. 01584 872043
- Fri 23rd **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
- Sat 24th **Kington** Sponsored walk over Hergest Ridge. Meet at The Parish House for 10am start. Proceeds to Save the Children Fund. Info: 01544 231663 or 231501
- September**
- Sat 24th **Kington** Kington History Society Visit to Monaughty Manor. For details ring 01544 340572
Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Orchard Walk. An opportunity to learn about varieties, orchard conservation and management. 1pm start. Approx 2 hours 01885 488099
Swainshill Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. Bat Walk. Guided evening tour, 8.30pm start, approx 2 hours. Booking essential 01981 590509
Kington Community Centre. Farmer's Market. 01982 552224
Huntington Nr. Kington St.Thomas a Becket Church. Concert 'Music for a Summer/Autumn Evening' 7.30pm.. All welcome. 01544 370655
Malvern Three Counties Showground. Malvern Autumn Show. 01684 584924 or visit www.threecounties.co.uk
- Sun 25th **Kington** Baptist Church. Harvest Praise. 10.45am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Kington ST. MARY'S CHURCH. HARVEST FESTIVAL 11am followed by lunch. All welcome. 01544 230271/230525
Elan Valley 'Fungus Foray'. Short walk to look at the fascinating world of fungi with Ray Woods of Plantlife. Meet Visitor Centre 2pm, return about 5pm. 01597 810880

Ludlow Castle Square. Book and Craft Market. 10am – 4.30pm.
01584 838010

Ludlow Event Square by Castle. Italian Food Market. All day
01584 875053

Tenbury St Michael and All Angels Choral Evensong. The Elysian Singers. Patronal Festival 3pm. 01568 750544

Malvern Three Counties Showground. Malvern Autumn Show.
01684 584924 or visit www.threecounties.co.uk

Mon 26th **Kington** Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. all welcome. 01544 230859

Tues 27th **Hereford** The Cathedral. Lunchtime Organ Concert, organist Peter Dyke (Hereford Cathedral) 1.15pm. Large screen video projection. Free admission. Retiring collection 01432 374200

Wed 28th **Leominster** Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Antiques and Fine Art. 01568 611122 or www.brightwells.com

Fri 30th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445

Kington Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435

Kinnerton Kinnerton Court. Macmillan Coffee Morning/Lunches/Bric a Brac etc. 11am to 5pm

Ross on Wye Ross Walking Festival 2011. Programme details: 01989 562768. Evening/weekend contact 01989 563874 or visit website www.rossonwyewalkersarewelcome.co.uk

OCTOBER

Sat 1st **Hay on Wye** Primary School. Car Boot Sale. 10am – midday
01544 327716

Brilley, Whitney on Wye Cwmmau Farmhouse N.T. Open 1- 5pm.
01981 590509

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Fungi Walk. A guided tour with Marches Fungi. Walk includes tea/coffee and is suitable for adults. 2 to 4.30pm. 01885 488099

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Apple Weekend. A treat for all the family. 10am – 5.30pm. Further info: 01568 615721

Ross on Wye Ross Walking Festival 2011. Programme details: 01989 562768. Evening/weekend contact 01989 563874 or visit website www.rossonwyewalkersarewelcome.co.uk

Hereford High Town, Farmers Market 9am - 3pm 01568 797427

Worcester The Cathedral. Organ Recital. Francis Jackson 6.30 – 7.45pm (Anniversary of Dedication) 01905 732900

Elan Valley Textile Workshop 'Art of the Doll'. Starting with a basic calico doll form you will be able to stamp it, dress it and/or embellish it. To book a place and for cost and further info contact Fiona King, 01597 870311. Visitor Centre between 10am and 4pm

Brampton Bryan Aardvark Books. 'Aardvark's Apple Celebration'.
Info: 01547 530888 / 530744 or www.aardvark-books.com
Brecon Brecon Beacons Food Festival. Info/venue 01874 624979

- Sun 2nd **Brilley, Whitney on Wye** Cwmmau Farmhouse N.T. Open 1- 5pm.
01981 590509
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle. N.T. Ranger's Ramble. Take
a stroll with N.T. Ranger along paths you haven't walked before.
Learn more about the flora and fauna. 1pm-3pm. Booking not
needed. 01568 780246
Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Apple Weekend. A treat for all
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Ross on Wye Ross Walking Festival 2011. Programme details:
01989 562768. Evening/weekend contact 01989 563874 or visit
website www.rossonwyewalkersarewelcome.co.uk
Great Whitley Great Whitley Church. Afternoon Recital, 5pm.
Kathy Taylor-Jones (Mezzo Soprano), John Jenkin (Piano).
Programme to include Edward Elgar: Sea Pictures. End approx
5.50pm. Free entry. Retiring collection. 01684 561623
Ludlow Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair, 9am – 4pm.
01584 890013
- Mon 3rd **Kington** Oxford Arms Hotel. An International Byron Celebration
Day. 01544 230322 or visit www.the-oxford-arms.co.uk. Check in
advance
- October**
Mon 3rd **Old Radnor** St. Stephen's Church. Harvest Festival. 7pm followed
by supper and sale in Walton Hall. Info: 01544 230174 / 370259
- Thurs 6th **Kington** The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy
Network(KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation
covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details:
01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com
Kingswood, Nr. Kington Village Hall "Crafty Crafters" 10am-
12.30pm. Enjoy crafting together. Visitors welcome: 01544 230896
Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584
838010
- Fri 7th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to
11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break
10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Huntington United Reformed Church. St. Thomas a Becket and
U.R.C. combined Harvest Festival 7pm. 01544 370655
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Ancient Tree Walk.
Learn about Croft's many ancient trees, why they were possibly
planted and how to guess their age. 1pm start. Approx 2 hours.
01568 780246

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. S. Wales Kennel Association Championship Dog Show. 01792 470417

- Sat 8th **New Radnor** Old Badland (LD8 2TG). Ralph's Cider Making Festival Cider and Perry Bar. Apple Pressing Demonstrations, Hog Roast, Rural crafts, Vintage equipment and vehicle display, tea. Opens 11am. Check website for full update nearer the time: www.ralphsciderfestival.co.uk 01544 350304 / 07796766182
- Marcle Ridge Nr. Ledbury** 'The Big Apple'. A seasonal celebration of English apples and cider in the Herefordshire parishes of the Marcle Ridge. Info: 01531 670544 or www.bigapple.org.uk
- Leominster** Corn Square. Farmer's Market. 9am – 1pm. 01568 797427
- Hereford** The Cathedral. Hereford Diocesan Choirs Festival. Join the congregation as the massed choirs of the Diocese sing a festival service based on the theme of a 'Pilgrimage of Psalms'. 5.30 – 6.45pm. 01432 374200
- Knighton** Community Centre. Farmer's Market. 01982 552224
- Builth Wells** Royal Welsh Showground S. Wales Kennel Association Championship Dog Show. 01792 470417

- Sun 9th **New Radnor** Old Badland (LD8 2TG) Ralph's Cider Making Festival Cider and Perry Bar. Apple Pressing Demonstrations, Hog Roast, Rural crafts, Vintage equipment and vehicle display, tea. Opens 11am. Check website for full update nearer the time: www.ralphscider.co.uk 01544 350304/07796766182
- Walton** Walton Hall. Table Sale

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- Swainshill Nr. Hereford** The Weir N.T. Fungi Walk. Join The Marches Fungi and see how many species you can find which are safe to eat. 10 – 12pm. 01981 590509
- Marcle Ridge Nr. Ledbury** 'The Big Apple'. A seasonal celebration of English apples and cider in the Herefordshire parishes of the Marcle Ridge. Info: 01531 670544 or www.bigapple.org.uk
- Hay on Wye** Trail Tempters Free Guided Walks 'Discovering Kilvert Country'. Moderate, 5.3 miles. Details: 01597 827567. Advance booking required
- Builth Wells** Royal Welsh Showground. S. Wales Kennel Association Championship Dog Show. 01792 470417
- Ludlow** Castle Square. Book and Craft Market. 10am – 4.30pm 01584 838010

Gardens Open:

Almeley HR3 6LL. Newport House 11am – 5pm. N.G.S.

- Mon 10th **Kington** Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. All welcome. 01544 230859
- Hereford** All Saint's Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Autumn Exhibition and Sale 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689

- Tues 11th **Kington** Parish House. 'Puddings, Puzzles and Poetry Evening' 7.30pm. Proceeds St. Mary's Church General Fund. All are welcome for an evening with a difference. Tickets or info: 01544 230271 / 230859
Hereford All Saint's Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Autumn Exhibition and Sale 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
- Wed 12th **Kington** Markwick Close Hall. Kington W.I. Meeting 'The Night Sky, Part 2' Mr A Gibbon. 2.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 230986
Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. Kingswood W.I. Trading Standards. All welcome 7.30pm. 01544 230636
Hereford All Saint's Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Autumn Exhibition and Sale 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions
 1. Sporting and Militaria
 2. General Antiques and Collectables
 01568 611122 or www.brightwells.com
- Thurs 13th **Kington** Football Clubhouse. U3A Meeting 'My Life in Writing' Fay Wentworth, 2pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 231401
Kington The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Open Meeting 7.30pm. All welcome 01544 230322
Hereford All Saint's Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Autumn Exhibition and Sale 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce Market 9am–2pm. 01584 872043
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Hereford All Saint's Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Autumn Exhibition and Sale 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
Titely St. Peter's Church. Harvest Festival 7pm followed by supper in the Village Hall. 01544 267482
- Sat 15th **Kington** Hergest Croft Gardens. R.H.S. Special Event Day 'All About Apples' 10.30 – 4.30pm. Bookings only, tickets available from Hergest Estate Office. 01544 230160
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Fungi Walk. Join Sheila of Marches Fungi and see how many species you can find which are safe to eat. 10 – 12pm 2 – 4pm. Check times 01568 780246
Hay on Wye Primary School. Car Boot Sale 10am–midday. 01544 327716
Hereford All Saint's Church. Golden Valley Craft Society Autumn Exhibition and Sale 10am – 4pm. 01981 250689
Elan Valley An introduction to photography using a digital camera. Meet at Visitor Centre 10am – 4pm. Numbers very limited so early booking essential. 01597 810898

Hereford The Cider Museum. Cider Making Festival. Info: visit www.cidermuseum.co.uk or 01432 354207

- Sun 16th **Kington** Hergest Croft Gardens. Plant Fair. Range of nurseries and craft stalls selling unusual plants and crafts. 10.30am – 4.30pm. 01544 230160
Kington Kington History Society. Visit to Hergest Court (Allan Lloyd). Details 01544 340572
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Fungi Walk Join Sheila of Marches Fungi and see how many species you can find which are safe to eat. 10 – 12pm 2 – 4pm. Check times 01568 780246
Queenswood Nr. Leominster Queenswood Country Park Seed Gathering Sunday 2 – 4pm. Permission will be given to collect seed from some of Arboretum's 'exotic trees' so bring paper bags and a pen. No children under 12. Dogs on lead. Booking not necessary. 01432 260073
Hereford The Cider Museum. Cider Making Festival. Info: visit www.cidermuseum.co.uk or 01432 354207
Ludlow Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair. 9am to 4pm. 01584 890013
- Tues 18th **Yarpole Nr. Leominster** Croft Castle N.T. Fungi Walk Join Sheila of Marches Fungi and see how many species you can find which are safe to eat. 10 – 12pm 2 – 4pm. Check times 01568 780246
- Thurs 20th **Kington** Masonic Hall, Headbrook. Kington and District Horticultural Society Meeting 'Three Generations of Gardeners' Margaret Thrower, 7.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 230085
- October**
- Thurs 20th **Kington** The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details: 01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com
Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. 'Crafty Crafters' 10am – 12.30pm. Enjoy crafting together. All welcome. 01544 230896
Hereford High Town. Farmer's Market 9am – 2pm. 01568 797427
- Fri 21st **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Kington The Primary School. Kington History Society A.G.M. followed by two talks
1. 'Lady Mary Wortley Montagu' D. Wetherill
2. 'Four Candles' Mick Turner
7.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 340572
- Sat 22nd **Kington** Kington and District Horticultural Society Autumn Colours Outing. Details. 01544 230683
Hereford The Racecourse. Flavours of Herefordshire Food Festival. www.visitherefordshire.co.uk or 01432 268430

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Putting the Park to Bed. From Autumn colours to hibernating animals, take a ranger accompanied walk to see how Mother Nature prepares the park for Winter. 1pm start approx 2hrs. 01568 615721

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. 01885 488099

Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. 01981 590509

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. 01568 615721

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. 01568 780246. Enjoy a Halloween Trail at all the National Trust Properties 11am – 4pm

Knighton Community Centre. Farmer's Market 01982 552224

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Welsh Federation Poultry Club Show. 01639 831378

Ludlow Ludlow College. 'Showing Off'. Contemporary Craft Show. 10am to 5pm. 01584 875053

Sun 23rd

Hereford The Racecourse. Flavours of Herefordshire Food Festival. www.visitherefordshire.co.uk or 01432 268430

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. 01885 488099

Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. 01981 590509

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Ludlow Ludlow College. 'Showing Off'. Contemporary Craft Show. 10am to 5pm. 01584 875053

Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010

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Huntington Church of St Thomas a Becket. Evening Prayer with thanks giving for heating/lighting scheme. 6.30pm. Check for details: 01544 370655

Mon 24th

Kington Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. All Welcome. 01544 230859

Nr Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Birdfeeder Making Children get creative under watchful eye of a ranger. 12 – 3pm. 01568 615721

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. 01885 488099

Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. 01981 590509

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Tue 25th

Bringsty Nr Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. Birdfeeder Making Children get creative under watchful eye of a ranger. 12 – 3pm. 01885 488099

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Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. 01981 590509

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. 01568 615721

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. 01568 780246.

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Elan Valley Dam Open Day. Go into Pen y Garreg Dam and up to the Central Tower. Rangers on hand. Park Penbont Car Park (SN 916674), walk through woodland up to dam entrance. Anytime between 1pm and 4pm. All proceeds to Water Aid Charity. 01597 810898

Wed 26th

Yarpole Nr Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Birdfeeder Making Children get creative under watchful eye of a ranger. 12 – 3pm. 01568 780246

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Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Antiques and Fine Arts including Garden statuary. 01568 611122 www.brightwells.com

Ludlow Ludlow Castle "Castle Green" Games Day and Birds of Prey. 10am to 4pm. 01584 875053

Thurs 27th

Kington Lady Hawkins' Community Leisure Centre. Kington and District Operatic Society presents "The Pirates of Penzance" 7.30pm 01544 231501

Kington The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details: 01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com

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Bringsty Nr Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. "Birds of Brockhampton" Ranger accompanied walk to bird hide to discover common and declining bird species 1pm start. Approx 2hrs. 01885 488099

Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce Market. 9am – 2pm. 01584 872043

Fri 28th

Kington Lady Hawkins Community Leisure Centre. Kington and District Operatic Society presents "The Pirates of Penzance" 7.30pm 01544 231501

Kington Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445

Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435

Walton Nr Kington Walton Hall. Quiz Teams of up to 6 members. Further info 01544 230247

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11am – 4pm

Swainshill Nr Hereford The Weir N.T. Birdfeeder Making Children get creative under watchful eye of Ranger. 12 – 3pm. 01981 590509

Sat 29th

Kington The Market Hall. Save the Children Fund Jumble Sale. 01544 231663/231501

Kington Lady Hawkins' Community Leisure Centre. Kington and District Operatic Society presents "The Pirates of Penzance" 7.30pm 01544 231501

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11am – 4pm

Wootton, Nr. Almeley Friends Meeting House. Coffee Morning.

Sun 30th

Kington Baptist Church. Churches Together in Kington: A Service of Thanksgiving for King James' Bible. Check posters for time. 01544 340435

Huntington Church of St Thomas a Becket. Group Service for The Kington Parishes. 10.15 Holy Communion.

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Sun 30th

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Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. 01568 780246.

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11am – 4pm

Yarpole Nr Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Halloween. Make a broomstick, have your face painted, follow spooky trails. Come in fancy dress. 11am – 4pm. 01568 780246

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Firework Display 6pm. 01568 615721

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Welsh National Foal Show. 07887 555684

Ludlow Castle Square. Halloween Market. A spooky day of family fun at Ludlow Market. All day. 01584 875053

Mon 31st

Bringsty Nr. Bromyard Brockhampton N.T. 01885 488099

Swainshill, Nr. Hereford The Weir N.T. 01981 590509

Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. 01568 615721

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. 01568 780246.

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11am – 4pm

Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle. N.T. Ghost Tours. Adults only. Exclusive tours followed by light supper and wine. 7pm onwards. Booking essential. 01568 780246

NOVEMBER

- Wed 2nd **Birmingham** N.I.A. Disney on Ice presents Worlds of Fantasy, U.K. Tour 2011. 0121 3084511
Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Wine, Port and Champagne. 01568 611122 www.brightwells.com
- Thurs 3rd **Kington** The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details: 01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com
Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. 'Crafty Crafters' 10am – 12.30pm. Enjoy crafting together. All welcome 01544 230896
Birmingham N.I.A. Disney on Ice presents Worlds of Fantasy, U.K. Tour 2011. 0121 3084511
Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010
- Fri 4th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
- November**
- Fri 4th **Birmingham** N.I.A. Disney on Ice presents Worlds of Fantasy, U.K. Tour 2011. 0121 3084511
- Sat 5th **Birmingham** N.I.A. Disney on Ice presents Worlds of Fantasy, U.K. Tour 2011. 0121 3084511
Hereford High Town Farmer's Market. 9am – 3pm. 01568 797427
Clyro Nr. Hay Baskerville Hall. Black Mountains Lions Bonfire and Firework Display. 01497 820144
- Sun 6th **Walton** Walton Hall. Table Sale
Birmingham N.I.A. Disney on Ice presents Worlds of Fantasy, U.K. Tour 2011. 0121 3084511
Ludlow Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair 9am – 4pm. 01584 890013
- Mon 7th **Kington** Masonic Hall, Headbrook. Macmillan Cancer Support Autumn Fayre, 7.15pm. free admission. Everyone welcome
- Wed 9th **Kington** Markwick Close Hall. Kington W.I. Annual Meeting and Play Reading 2.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 230986

Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. Kingswood W.I. Annual meeting followed by 'A Gamekeeper's Life' Mark Bennett. All welcome 7.30pm. 01544 230636

Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions
1. Silver, Jewellery and Coins
2. English and Continental Paintings
01568 611122 or www.brightwells.com

Thurs 10th **Kington** Football Clubhouse. U3A Meeting. Film: 'In Flanders Field, the Story of the Poem and Poppy' 2pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 231401

Kington The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Open Meeting 7.30pm. All welcome. 01544 230322

Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce Market. 9am – 2pm. 01584 872043

Fri 11th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445

Kington Baptist Church. in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435

Hereford The Courtyard Centre for the Arts. Hereford Contemporary Craft Fair. 01432 260182/01432 340555

Sat 12th **Hereford** The Courtyard Centre for the Arts. Hereford Contemporary Craft Fair. 01432 260182 / 01432 340555

Leominster Corn Square. Farmers' Market 9am – 1pm. 01568 797427

Kington Community Centre. Farmers' Market. 01982 552224

November

Sat 12th **Pembridge** Old Chapel Gallery. Opening of Christmas Exhibition 2011, 'Bearing Gifts'. See listing under 'Exhibitions and Activities' for further info

Sun 13th **Kington** Baptist Church. Remembrance Service following service at War Memorial. 11.15am. 01544 340435

Hereford The Courtyard Centre for the Arts. Hereford Contemporary Craft Fair. 01432 260182/01432 340555

Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010

Mon 14th **Kington** Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. All welcome. 01544 230859

Wed 16th **Leominster** Brightwells Easter Court Auctions

1. General Antiques and Collectables

2. Books and Stamps

01568 611122 or www.brightwells.com

- Thurs 17th **Kington** Masonic Hall, Headbrook. Kington and District Horticultural Society Meeting 'Successful Fruit-Growing'. Grow your own 5 a day! 7.30pm. Visitors welcome. 01544 230085
Kington The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details: 01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com
Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. 'Crafty Crafters' 10am – 12.30pm. Enjoy crafting together. Visitors welcome. 01544 230896
Hereford High Town. Farmer's Market. 9am – 2pm. 01568 797427
- Fri 18th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Kington Kington Primary School. Kington History Society Meeting. 7.30pm. Details: 01544 340572
- Sat 19th **Kington** Masonic Hall, Headbrook. Grand Auction of Talents/Promises. 7.15 for 7.30pm start. Ploughman's Supper will be provided. Proceeds St. Mary's General Church Fund. Further details nearer the time but PLEASE reserve the date and join us for a special evening. 01544 230271
- Sun 20th **Ludlow** Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair. 9am – 4pm. 01584 890013
- November**
- Thurs 24 **Kington** The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details: 01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com
Brampton Bryan Aardvark Books. 'Winter Celebration' Trevor Davies Trio, mulled wine, mince pies and much more! Info: 01547 530744 or www.aardvark-books.com
Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce Market. 9am–2pm 01584 872043
- Fri 25th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
- Sat 26th **Kington** St. Mary's Church. Kington Choral Society Concert. Bach's 'Magnificat' and Schubert's 'Mass in Eb' 7.30pm. All welcome. Info: 01544 231733
Knighton Community Centre. Farmer's Market. 01982 552224

Hay on Wye Memorial Car Park. Hay Winter Food Festival. 01874 624979

Ludlow Ludlow Medieval Christmas Fayre. Ludlow Castle. All the ingredients of a traditional Christmas in a medieval market with costumed traders and entertainments. 10am plus evening opening 5.30pm. Town Christmas Lights Switch-on, Castle Square. Park and Ride available. 01584 875053

Ludlow St. Lawrence's Church. Christmas Bazaar. 01584 875053

Sun 27th **Hay on Wye** Memorial Car Park. Hay Arts and Crafts Festival. 01874 624979

Ludlow Christmas Medieval Market, Castle Square. All day. 01584 875053

Mon 28th **Kington** Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. All welcome. 01544 230859

Builth Wells Royal Welsh Showground. Royal Welsh Agricultural Winter Fair. 01982 553683

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Wed 30th **Leominster** Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Classic Cars. 01568 611122 www.brightwells.com

DECEMBER

- Thurs 1st **Kington** The Oxford Arms. Kington Local Environment and Energy Network (KLEEN). Environmentally themed film/talk/presentation covering trees, farming, energy, climate and waste. Check details: 01544 230322 or visit www.kleen.moonfruit.com
Ludlow Castle Square. Craft and Country Market. All day. 01584 838010
- Fri 2nd **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Kington Markwick Close Hall. Lesley and Gill invite you to one of their special pre-Christmas Coffee Mornings 10am to 12 noon. All proceeds to St. Mary's Church Funds. A morning with a festive air. All are welcome. 01544 230019
- Sat 3rd **Kington** The Market Hall and in and around The Arches, Place de Marines and Burton Hotel Car Park;
KINGTON FESTIVE FOOD FAIR.
 Last year this event hosted no less than 38 Food and Drink Stands, Food Demonstrations and Competitions. Undoubtedly an event not to be missed. All are welcome so come along anytime between 9.30am and 2.30pm. Further info: 01544 230549 / 231202. Email: mppeek@btinternet.com or visit www.kingtonchamberoftrade.com
Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Christmas Fair 11 – 4pm. 01568 615721
Hereford High Town. Farmers' Market. 9am – 3pm. 01568 797427
- Sun 4th **Kington** Kington and District Horticultural Society lunch. Details: 01544 230085
Nr. Leominster Berrington Hall N.T. Christmas Fair 11 – 4pm. 01568 615721
Queenswood Nr. Leominster Queenswood Country Park 'Wreath Making' 11am – 12.30pm or 1pm – 3.30pm. Make a traditional wreath using natural materials(all supplied). Booking by Nov 25th essential. Costs and details 01432 260073
Ludlow Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair 9am to 4pm. 01584 890013
Much Marcle, Ledbury Westons. Christmas at Westons. Meet Father Christmas' reindeers, enjoy carols round the trees whilst sipping hot mulled cider. Children have the opportunity to make a gift to take home. 2 – 6pm. 01531 660108 or visit www.westons-cider.co.uk
- Tues 6th **Kington** Parish House. Christmas Festival Beetle Drive. Begin the evening with a light supper 7.30pm. All welcome. 01544 230271/230859

December

- Thurs 7th **Leominster** Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. Antiques and Fine Art inc. Musical instruments. 01568 611122. www.brightwells.com
- Thurs 8th **Kington** Football Clubhouse. U3A Meeting. Christmas Meeting. Details 01544 231401
Kington Kington Local Environment & Energy Network (KLEEN) Open meeting 7:30pm. Check for details 01544 230322. All welcome.
Kingswood Nr Kington. Village Hall. 'Crafty Crafters'. 10am-12:30pm. Enjoy crafting together. All welcome. 01544 230869
Ludlow Castle Square. Local Produce Market 9am – 2pm. 01584 872043
- Fri 9th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
Titely Village Hall. St. John Cadets Christmas Bingo, 7.30pm. All are welcome. Info: 07584420288
Nr. Leominster (HR6 OPN) Hampton Court Castle and Gardens. Christmas Fair. Info: 01568 797777 or visit www.hamptoncourt.org.uk
- Sat 10th **Kington** St. Mary's Church. Concert given by Rhayader Male Voice Choir organised by Kington Bowling Club 7.30pm. 01544 231091
Yarpole Nr. Leominster Croft Castle N.T. Christmas Crafts: a unique shopping experience, carols, bellringing, children can make a wooden reindeer or snowman to take home 11am – 4pm. 01568 780246
Leominster Corn Square. Farmers' Market 9am – 1pm. 01568 797427
Leominster Victorian Market. 01568 611734
Kington Community Centre. Farmers' Market 01982 552224
Nr. Leominster (HR6 OPN) Hampton Court Castle and Gardens. Christmas Fair. Info: 01568 797777 or visit www.hamptoncourt.org.uk
Tenbury St. Michael and All Angels. Christmas Carol Service with The Birmingham University Singers 6.30pm. 01568 750544
- Sun 11th **Kington** St. Mary's Church. 'Light up a Life Service' for St. Michael's Hospice 5pm. Teas Served in church from 3.45pm onwards. 01544 230271
Walton Walton Hall. Table Sale
Nr. Leominster (HR6 OPN) Hampton Court Castle and Gardens. Christmas Fair. Info: 01568 797777 or visit www.hamptoncourt.org.uk
Ludlow Castle Square. Christmas Gift and Country Market. All day. 01584 875053
Tenbury St. Michael and All Angels. Choral Evensong with the Birmingham University Singers 3pm. 01568 750544

December

- Mon 12th **Kington** Parish House. Whist Drive 7.45pm. All welcome. 01544 230859
- Tues 13th **Yarpole Nr. Leominster** Croft Castle N.T. Christmas Wreath Making 11am – 3pm. Details, cost etc. 01568 780246
- Wed 14th **Kington** Markwick Close Hall. Kington W.I. Meeting. Christmas Meeting with Entertainment 2.30pm. 01544 230986
Kingswood Nr. Kington Village Hall. Kingswood W.I. Christmas Party 7.30pm. 01544 230636
Leominster Brightwells Easter Court Auctions. General Antiques and Collectables. 01568 611122. www.brightwells.com
- Thurs 15th **Hereford** High Town. Farmers' Market. 9am – 2pm. 01568 797427
Ludlow Castle Square. Christmas Shopping Market. All day. 01584 875053
- Fri 16th **Kington** Baptist Schoolroom, Bridge Street. Country Market 9.30 to 11am 01497 831445
Kington Baptist Church in the coffee lounge. Morning Coffee Break 10 – 11.15am. All welcome. 01544 340435
- Sat 17th **Brilley, Whitney on Wye** Cwmmau Farmhouse N.T. Open 1 – 4pm. 01981 590509
Queenswood Nr. Leominster Noah's Ark Trust Annual Lantern Walk round the Arboretum at Queenswood Country Park. Further info. to register and book your lantern 01432 264555 or visit www.noahsarktrust.co.uk
Leominster Corn Square. Farmers' Market 9am – 1pm. 01568 797427
- Sun 18th **Kington** St. Mary's Church. Carols by Candlelight. Time to be confirmed. Info: Dec. Parish News, 01544 230525 / 230271 or visit www.thekingtonparishes.org.uk
Brilley, Whitney on Wye Cwmmau Farmhouse N.T. Open 1 – 4pm. 01981 590509
Ludlow Castle Square. Antique and Collectors Fair, 9am – 4pm. 01584 890013
- Thurs 22nd **Ludlow** Castle Square. Local Produce Market. 9am – 2pm. 01584 872043
- Sat 24th **Kington** St. Mary's Church. Crib Service. Come as a family and help us build our crib scene 4pm. All are welcome. 01544 230271 or visit www.thekingtonparishes.org.uk
Kington St. Mary's Church. Midnight Eucharist. Time to be confirmed. See Dec. Parish News, or visit www.thekingtonparishes.org.uk. All are welcome
Kinnerton St. Mary's Church. Crib service 6pm. All welcome. 01547 560207

December

Sat 24th **Ludlow** Castle Square. Christmas Eve Market. All day.01584
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Sun 25th **Kington** St. Mary's Church. Holy Communion 10.15am. All
welcome. Info: visit www.thekingtonparishes.org.uk