

What's On

In & Around Tewkesbury 2024

October

4-13 Cheltenham Literature Festival <https://www.cheltenhamfestivals.com/literature>

5 The Arcane: Bizarre and Darn Right Witchy Talk. 11am Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

5 Pride in Tewkesbury. 12pm-5pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury

6 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 2.30pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50pp

6 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury www.tewkesbury.org.uk

9-10 Tewkesbury Mop Fair <https://www.jamesdanterandsonsfunfair.com/>

11 Rendezvous at the Tithe Barn 8pm Bishops Cleeve Tithe Barn
<https://cleevetithebarn.org.uk/>

12 Tewkesbury Town Band 50th Anniversary Concert. 7pm Tewkesbury Abbey

12 Charity Sale & Coffee Morning in aid of MAGGIE's 10am-2pm. Tewkesbury Town Hall, High Street.

12 The Greatest Hits of Motown: How Sweet it is. 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

15 Tewkesbury Museum Talk – Pursuit of a King. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road, Tewkesbury. www.tewkesburymuseum.org

16 & 17 That'll be the Day. 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

17 Tewkesbury Historical Society talk - Making the invisible visible. The story of the old 17th Century Baptist Chapel. 7.45pm The Methodist Church, The Cross#

18 Man of the World: The music of Peter Green 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

19 Living History: Tudor Tours. 11.30am & 2.30pm The Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5SN <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

19 Tewkesbury Abbey Autumn Spectacular concert. 7pm www.cotswoldmvc.org

19 Country Superstars: Dolly Parton & Friends Tribute show 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

20 High Street Food & Drink and Arts & Crafts Market. 10am-4pm Tewkesbury

<https://www.cotswoldmarkets.com/>

20 An Evening with Andy Hamilton 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

20 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.

2.30pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50pp

22-3 Nov The Lost Medieval Village – Daily DigVenture Tours. 12-12.45pm Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe <https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events/digventures-daily-tour>

25-3 Nov Medieval Monster Trail Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe

<https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events>

22-27 SPACE – Luxmuralis Sound and Light art installation. Tewkesbury Abbey.

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/events/space>

24 Gigspanner Big Band 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

25 Taylor Swift Tribute 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

26 Halloween workshop 11am-1.30pm (suitable for children aged 2-8) £per child. Bell Hotel, Tewkesbury

26 All Hallow Eve. 7.30pm-11.30pm Gupshill Manor Gloucester Road, Tewkesbury

<https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/eventdetails/explosive-90s>

26 Counterfeit Stones 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

26 Discovering Bats Day. Talks at 10.30am, 11.45am & 2.15pm Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

26 All Hallows' (ish) Eve Spooky Tales. Talks at 5pm, 6pm and 7pm Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5SN <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

26 & 27 Autumn Showcase Gloucestershire Warwickshire Steam Railway.

www.gwsr.com

26 & 27 Craft & Gift Fair 10am-5pm Nature in Art. Wallsworth Hall, Twigworth, Nr Gloucester GL2 9PA <https://natureinart.org.uk/>

29 Tewkesbury Museum Talk – A history of the Avon Navigation. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road, Tewkesbury. www.tewkesburymuseum.org

29 The Bubble Show – Family show magic, storytelling and science 2pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

30-31 Spider web weaving. Half term children’s craft workshop. 10am-12noon drop in. Old Baptist Chapel, Old Chapel Court, Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

30 & 31 Ghost Hunt at Sudeley Castle: A Haunting Experience 8pm-9.45pm (Aged 16+ only) Advance booking required) <https://sudeleycastle.co.uk>

31 All Hallows’ Eve Spooky Tales – Plague Theme Talks at 5pm, 6pm and 7pm Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5SN <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

November

1 Swan Lake – Crown Ballet 2.30pm & 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

1-2 Living History Tours – Medieval Spice Merchants tours. 4 sessions lasting approx. 45 minutes each – 10.30am, 11.45am, 2.30pm and 3.45pm The Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

2 Crochet Creations workshop 2.30pm-4pm Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

2 The Glam Rock Show 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

3 Rotary Club Bonfire & Firework display. Vineyards, Tewkesbury

3 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 2.30pm Meet Warder’s Alley, High Street £2.50pp

3 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury www.tewkesbury.org.uk

7 Dreamcoat Stars: A Musical Christmas 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

8 Genesis Connected 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

9 Camerata Choral Concert. Tewkesbury Methodist Church, The Cross, Tewkesbury <https://www.tewkesburymethodistchurch.org.uk/562/Tewkesbury-Camerata-Choral-Concert>

10 Armistice Day Service. The Cross Tewkesbury

10 Clarinet Marmalade 2pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

10 Alfie Moore: A Face for Radio 8pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

11 An illustrated talk by Jackie Garner - GeOdyssey7pm Nature In Art, Twigworth, Nr Gloucester, GL2 9PA <https://natureinart.org.uk/>

13 Jack Dee: A small World 8pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

14 Walk Right Back 2.30pm & 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

15 & 16 Queenz: Drag Me to the Disco 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

15-17 The November meeting. Cheltenham Races
<https://www.thejockeyclub.co.uk/cheltenham/events-tickets/thenovember-meeting/>

16 Living History: Tudor Tours. 11.30am & 2.30pm The Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5SN <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

16 Christmas Table Top Market 10am-1pm Tewkesbury Methodist Church, The Cross

16 Lino Printing Inspired workshop by trees on Cleeve Common 10am-2pm
<https://www.cleevecommon.org.uk/>

16 Crochet Creations: Amigurumi 2.30pm Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

16 Stroud Choral Society concert with the Bristol Ensemble. 7pm Tewkesbury Abbey
www.stroudchoral.org Tickets available from Tourist Information Centre

17 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.
2.30pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50pp

23 G4 Christmas concert. 7.30pm Tewkesbury Abbey <https://www.g4official.com/2024-christmas-tour>

23 Christmas Light Switch On Events from 2.30pm. Light Switch on 5.30pm Bishops Cleeve <https://www.bishopscleeveparishcouncil.gov.uk/>

24 Tewkesbury Christmas light switch on and Christmas Market
<https://www.tewkesburychristmaslights.com/>

22-30 Dec Spectacle of Light. Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe
<https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events/spectacle-of-light>

23-23/12 Santa Specials. Gloucestershire Warwickshire Steam Railway.

www.gwsr.com

26 Tewkesbury Museum Talk – Inns & Traffic in the coaching Age. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road, Tewkesbury. www.tewkesburymuseum.org

30 Tewkesbury Methodist Church Players Christmas Concert 7pm Tewkesbury Methodist Church, The Cross

30 Nov-4 Jan Cinderella. Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/events/cinderella>

December

Until 30 Dec Spectacle of Light. Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe

<https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events/spectacle-of-light>

Until 4 Jan Cinderella. Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/events/cinderella>

1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22 and 23 Dec

Santa Specials. Gloucestershire Warwickshire Steam Railway. www.gwsr.com

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6-7 Winchcombe Christmas Market <https://www.winchcombe.co.uk/>

7-8 A Medieval Christmas: Living History 11am-4pm Drop In. The Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5SN <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

7 A Renaissance Christmas Concert 2.30pm Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

7 Tewkesbury Town Band Christmas Concert. 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

10 Tewkesbury Museum Talk – The Great Train Robbery. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road, Tewkesbury. www.tewkesburymuseum.org

12 Christmas Celebration with carols, mince pies and mulled wine. 7pm-9.15pm Nature In Art, Twigworth, Nr Gloucester <https://natureinart.org.uk/>

15 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 2.30pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50pp

17 The Lorna and Laister Christmas Show 2pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

19 GreenMatthews' Gaudete! 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

23 G4 Christmas Concert. Tewkesbury Abbey <https://www.g4official.com/>

27-1/1/25 Mince pie Special. Gloucestershire Warwickshire Steam Railway.

www.gwsr.com

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2025 Confirmed events

February

1-28 Two Rivers Converge Festival. Tewkesbury

Events throughout the town including the awe-inspiring Peace Doves art exhibition, created by Peter Walker Sculptor, taking centre stage at Tewkesbury Abbey and created with an incredible 8,000 locally handmade origami doves.

<https://www.rosestheatre.org/two-rivers-converge>

March

April

2 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm

<https://www.gwsr.com/>

5 The Cheltenham Fryer – Fish & Chip special <https://www.gwsr.com/>

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12-20 FREE Children's Easter Craft Activities <https://www.gwsr.com/>

17 Countrytastic. Three Counties Showground, Nr Malvern WR13 6NW

<https://www.countrytastic.co.uk/>

19 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco

shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

May

1 The Cheltenham Fryer – Fish & Chip special <https://www.gwsr.com/>

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7 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed,

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8-11 RHS Malvern Spring Festival Three Counties Showground, Nr Malvern WR13 6NW
<https://www.rhsmalvern.co.uk/>

16-18 Winchcombe Walking Festival <https://www.winchcombewelcomeswalkers.com/>

17 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm
<https://www.gwsr.com/>

24-26 Cotswold Festival of Steam <https://www.gwsr.com/>

31 The Cheltenham Fryer – Fish & Chip special <https://www.gwsr.com/>

Winchcombe Walking Festival

June

4 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm
<https://www.gwsr.com/>

13-15 Real Ale Festival <https://www.gwsr.com/>

13-15 Royal Three Counties Show. Three Counties Showground, Nr Malvern WR13 6NW
<https://www.royalthreecounties.co.uk/>

21 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

25-27 Diesel Gala <https://www.gwsr.com/>

July

2 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

12 & 13 Tewkesbury Medieval Festival <https://www.tewkesburymedievalfestival.co.uk/>

18-20 Cotswold Beer Festival <https://postlip.camra.org.uk/>

19 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm
<https://www.gwsr.com/>

25-27 Tewkesbury Live <https://tewkesburylive.co.uk/>

31 July – 3rd August App Festival <https://www.app-fest.co.uk/>

31 Teddy Bear Thursday <https://www.gwsr.com/>

August

6 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

7 Teddy Bear Thursday <https://www.gwsr.com/>

9-21 Go Wild at Winchcombe – FREE Children’s Craft Activities <https://www.gwsr.com/>

14 Teddy Bear Thursday <https://www.gwsr.com/>

23 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

24 Teddy Bears Day Out <https://www.gwsr.com/>

September

3 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm <https://www.gwsr.com/>

20 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

26-28 Malvern Autumn Show <https://www.malvernautumn.co.uk/>

27-28 Autumn Showcase Three Counties Showground, Nr Malvern WR13 6NW <https://www.gwsr.com/>

October

1 GWSR Behind Closed Doors – Lifting the Curtain – day visit includes tour of loco shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm www.gwsr.com

9 & 10 Tewkesbury Mop Fair

18 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm <https://www.gwsr.com/>

November

29 & 30 Santa Express <https://www.gwsr.com/>

December

6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21, 22 and 23 Santa Express <https://www.gwsr.com/>