

## What's On

# In & Around Tewkesbury 2024 / 2025

## <u>November</u>

Until 17 GeOdyssey Blending geology with creativity, Jackie Garner's contemporary art Exhibition. Nature In Art. Twigworth, Nr Gloucester, GL2 9PA <u>https://natureinart.org.uk/</u>

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

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 <a href="https://www.roestheatre.org/">https://www.roestheatre.org/</a>

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 <u>https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/</u>

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

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

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

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

17 Christmas Craft Fair. 2pm-5pm Churchdown Community Centre. Parton Road, Churchdown, GL3 2JH https://churchdowncca.co.uk/event/christmas-craft-fayre/

17 Christmas Market. The Beckford Collective 11am-4pm Old Post Office, Main Street, Beckford, GL20 7AD

20 Daytime Dance 1pm-4pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury FREE EVENT

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

23 Vale Wildlife Hospital Christmas Fair 11am-4pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury

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

26-22/12 2024 Bird Photographer of the Year exhibition Nature In Art. Twigworth, Nr Gloucester, GL2 9PA <a href="https://natureinart.org.uk/">https://natureinart.org.uk/</a>

30 Tewkesbury Abbey Christmas Fayre 10am-4pm

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

30 Nov-4 Jan Cinderella. Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <u>https://www.rosestheatre.org/events/cinderella</u>

<u>30</u> Mini Craft Market. 10am-4.30pm Nature In Art. Twigworth, Nr Gloucester, GL2 9PA https://natureinart.org.uk/

30 Songs from the Porch Postlip Hall, Nr Winchcombe, GL54 5AQ https://www.postliphall.org.uk/events.html

#### **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. <u>www.gwsr.com</u> 1 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 2.30pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50pp

1 Mini Craft Market 10.30am-4.30pm Nature In Art. Twigworth, Nr Gloucester, GL2 9PA <a href="https://natureinart.org.uk/">https://natureinart.org.uk/</a>

1 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury <u>www.tewkesbury.org.uk</u>

5 We buy vintage Roadshow at the Town Hall, High Street, Tewkesbury 10am-4pm

6 Christmas Paint and Pudding Night. 7.30pm-9.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/christmas-paint-pudding-night-tewkesbury-tickets-1020625106167?aff=odcleoeventsincollection</u>

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

7 Northern Soul Night 7pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury https://tewkesburytowncouncil.gov.uk/

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

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

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

7-9/1/25 The Longest Yarn. Tewkesbury Abbey https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/the-longest-yarn/

7 The Thief's Tale – Daniel Morden Postlip Hall, Nr Winchcombe, GL54 5AQ <a href="https://www.postliphall.org.uk/events.html">https://www.postliphall.org.uk/events.html</a>

8 Carols at the Barn. 4pm-5.30pm Tithe Barn, Bishops Cleeve <u>https://www.cleeve-harmony.org.uk/</u>

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

10 Schola Cantorum Carol Service. 6.45pm Tewkesbury Abbey https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/

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

14 Handel Messiah – Tewkesbury Abbey Scola Cantorum Bristol Ensemble. 7pm Tewkesbury Abbey <u>https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/</u> 14 X-MAS Bash 3 (Spunge) 4ft Fingers & Johnny Clash 7.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury <u>https://tewkesburytowncouncil.gov.uk/events/category/whats-on/</u>

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

15 Carols by Candlelight. 6.30pm St Michaels Church Bishops Cleeve https://www.stmichaelsbishopscleeve.co.uk/

17 The Lorna and Laister Christmas Show 2pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <a href="https://www.rosestheatre.org/">https://www.rosestheatre.org/</a>

19 GreenMatthews' Gaudete! 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <a href="https://www.rosestheatre.org/">https://www.rosestheatre.org/</a>

22 Carols by Candlelight 4pm Start the evening with Mice pies and fruit punch at 3:00 pm Tewkesbury Methodist Church, The Cross, Tewkesbury

22 Christmas Carol Service. 6pm Tewkesbury Abbey https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/

22 Cake & Carols. 6.30pm St Michaels Church Bishops Cleeve https://www.stmichaelsbishopscleeve.co.uk/

23 Charity Christmas Quiz and meal. 7pm In aid of the Butterfly Garden. Gloucester Old Spot pub. <u>eat@thegloucesteroldspot.co.uk</u>

24 Christingle Carol Service 4pm (doors open 3.15pm) Midnight Mass 11.30pm Tewkesbury Abbey <u>https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/</u>

27-1/1/25 Mince pie Special. Gloucestershire Warwickshire Steam Railway. <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

27 Open Mic Night. 7.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury https://tewkesburytowncouncil.gov.uk/events/category/whats-on/

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

## 2025 Confirmed events

#### January

5 Epiphany Carol Service 6pm Tewkesbury Abbey https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/

Until 9 7-9/1/25 The Longest Yarn. Tewkesbury Abbey https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/the-longest-yarn/

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#### 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

1 Secret Tewkesbury Lecture. 11am-12noon. Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury <u>https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/</u> 15 Humans Vs Nature - In conversation with Prof. Adam Hart and Jo Durrant 11am to12noon Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury <u>https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/</u>

6-8 Tewkesbury Winter Ales Festival. Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury <a href="https://tewkesbury.camra.org.uk/">https://tewkesbury.camra.org.uk/</a>

15 Living History Tudor Tours. The Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury <a href="https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/">https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/</a>

19 & 20 Spring Flower Cards – Half Term Children's workshop 10am-12noon Drop In. Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury <u>https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/</u>

21 & 22 Living History Tours – Medieval Spice Merchant. The Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury <a href="https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/">https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/</a>

22nd Tudor Birds of Prey. The Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury <a href="https://www.johnmooremuseum.org">https://www.johnmooremuseum.org</a>

#### March

8 Jorge Jiménez - Rethinking Bach: Goldberg Variations 2.15pm The Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury <u>https://www.johnmooremuseum.org</u>

16 Tewkesbury Borough Mayor's Charity Concert. Cllr Philip Workman invites you to a concert in aid of his two chosen charities; Friends of Alderman Knight and the Severn Area Rescue Association. Roses Theatre <u>https://www.rosestheatre.org/events/tewkesbury-borough-mayors-charity-concert</u>

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

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

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 <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

#### May

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

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

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/

#### 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 <a href="https://www.royalthreecounties.co.uk/">https://www.royalthreecounties.co.uk/</a>

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 <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

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 <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

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

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

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

25-27 Tewkesbury Live <a href="https://tewkesburylive.co.uk/">https://tewkesburylive.co.uk/</a>

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

31 Teddy Bear Thursday <a href="https://www.gwsr.com/">https://www.gwsr.com/</a>

### August

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

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

14 Teddy Bear Thursday <a href="https://www.gwsr.com/">https://www.gwsr.com/</a>

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 <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

24 Teddy Bears Day Out <a href="https://www.gwsr.com/">https://www.gwsr.com/</a>

#### 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 <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

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

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

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 <u>www.gwsr.com</u>

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

#### December

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