



## What's On

### In & Around Tewkesbury 2025

#### **January**

9 Tewkesbury Civic Society Illustrated talk 'The Honourable Miss Monson 1754-1843 -an early 19<sup>th</sup> Century Cheltenham Lady Builder by Dr Steven Blake. 7.30pm Tewkesbury Library, Sun Street.

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

24 Celebrate Burns Night with a whisky tasting. 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury <https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

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#### **February**

1-27 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. Entrance times are at 30-minute intervals throughout the evening: 5.30pm, 6pm, 6.30pm, 7pm & 7.30pm <https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/peace-doves-at-tewkesbury-abbey/>

1 Secret Tewkesbury Lecture. 11am-12noon. Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

1 Churchdown Community Centre 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebrations. 7.30p **Churchdown Community Centre. Parton Road, Churchdown, GL3 2JH** <https://churchdowncca.co.uk/event/we-are-turning-60/>

2 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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

6 Museum Walks – Flooding in Tewkesbury. 11am John Moore museum. <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

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

10 Dona Nobis Pacem. Tewkesbury Abbey Schola Cantorum with Jubilate of Dean Close Preparatory school 6pm Tewkesbury Abbey [www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk](http://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk)

13 Valentines Afternoon Tea Dance with **Nikki from Finesteps Dancing & Churchdown Community Association. Churchdown Community Centre. Parton Road, Churchdown, GL3 2JH** <https://churchdowncca.co.uk/>

14 O For the Wings of a Dove 7.30pm Tewkesbury Abbey Choir concert. Tewkesbury Abbey [www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk](http://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk)

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

15 Living History Tudor Tours. The Merchant’s House, Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

15 Black Planet – A night of alternative music. 7.30pm Gupshill Manor, Gloucester Road, Tewkesbury <https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>

16 Crescendo Big Band concert featuring Hannah Davey. 3pm Gupshill Manor, Gloucester Road, Tewkesbury, GL20 5SY

18 Tewkesbury Museum Talks: ‘I was Once a Pub’ by Steve Goodchild. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road [www.tewkesburymuseum.org](http://www.tewkesburymuseum.org)

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

20 Museum Walk - New shoots 11am John Moore Museum <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

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

21 Family Fun Friday – Bird Boxes and Nature Stomp. 10.30am-12noon £10 Children aged 6+ booking essential. Cleeve Hill <https://www.cleevecommon.org.uk/>

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

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

27 Winter auction at Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe  
<https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events/winter-auction-at-sudeley-castle>

### **March**

2 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

4 Tewkesbury Museum Talks: Battle of Trafalgar, Lord Nelson & Emma Hamilton by Sally Ferrers. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road [www.tewkesburymuseum.org](http://www.tewkesburymuseum.org)

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

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

15 Back to the 80s Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>

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  
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/events/tewkesbury-borough-mayors-charity-concert>

18 Tewkesbury Museum Talks: 'A History of Magic: From Ancient Egypt to Modern Times' by Bob King. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road  
[www.tewkesburymuseum.org](http://www.tewkesburymuseum.org)

22 Trees in Mythology and Culture 11am Old Baptist Chapel, Church Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

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28 Gaz Brookfield – Almost All Village Halls Tour. 7.30pm Gupshill Manor, Gloucester Road, Tewkesbury <https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>

29 Nature Journaling in Wardens' Wood 2pm-4pm suitable for children aged 10+ booking Essential Cleeve Hill <https://www.cleevecommon.org.uk/>

## April

1 Footsteps of Endurance – Earnest Shackleton's heroic Antarctic expedition by John Roberts 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road [www.tewkesburymuseum.org](http://www.tewkesburymuseum.org)

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

5 Bees and Elephants 11am Old Baptist Chapel Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

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

6 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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8 Foraging Walk. 6pm-8.30pm Cleeve Common <https://www.cleevecommon.org.uk/>

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

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

15 Going up Country – Trade between the sea and the West Midlands by canal and river by Tony Conder 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road [www.tewkesburymuseum.org](http://www.tewkesburymuseum.org)

17 Countrytastic. Three Counties Showground, Nr Malvern WR13 6NW <https://www.countrytastic.co.uk/>

19 A Taste of Chocolate History 11am Old Baptist Chapel Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

19 The Spring Fringe (Tewkesbury Live) RAVE against the Regime and the Vespas. 7pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury

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](http://www.gwsr.com)

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

24 Living History Tudor Tours The Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

25 Cleeve Common – Family Fun Friday: Foraging 10.30am-12.30pm  
<https://www.cleevecommon.org.uk/>

## **May**

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

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3 Angels of Darkness (Gothic Rock Tribute band) 7.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>

4 Anniversary walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk) (booking required)

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 [www.gwsr.com](http://www.gwsr.com)

7 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

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/>

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

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

24 Peregrine Day. 10.30am-12noon Tewkesbury Abbey  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

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

31 The Tall Stories and Telling Tales 11am-12noon Old Baptist Chapel Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

## **June**

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

4 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.  
7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

5 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 7pm Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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/>

18 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

19 Living History Tudor Tours The Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

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](http://www.gwsr.com)

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

28 Queen Katherine Parr: The life, love and times of the last wife of Henry VIII. 2,30pm Old Baptist Chapel Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

## **July**

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2 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.  
7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

3 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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

12 Medieval Archery Demonstrations 11am & 6pm Abbey Lawn, Tewkesbury Abbey  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

13 Medieval Archery Demonstrations 112noon & 2pm Abbey Lawn, Tewkesbury Abbey  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

13 Ypotryll Medieval Concert 2.30pm Old Baptist Chapel Church Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

16 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. 7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

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/>

19 Living History Tudor Tours The Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

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

26 Whores, Toffers and 3 Penny Uprights 11am Old Baptist Chapel Church Street,  
Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

30 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of  
Tewkesbury. 7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

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

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

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Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm [www.gwsr.com](http://www.gwsr.com)

7 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander  
Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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

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

9 Tolkien and the Cotswolds - The shaping of Middle Earth 11am Old Baptist Chapel  
Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

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Tewkesbury. 7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

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

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shed, Signal Box and Carriage and Wagon Department 10am-5.10pm [www.gwsr.com](http://www.gwsr.com)

23 Astrology in Shakespeare's England 11am Old Baptist Chapel Church Street,  
Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

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

27 Wednesday evening strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of  
Tewkesbury. 7pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street £2.50p

## **September**

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

6 Stitching Lives Together 11am Old Baptist Chapel Church Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org>

6 Alderton 5K run 11am <https://www.aldertonvillage.co.uk/alderton-5k-run.html>

7 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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

14 Heritage Open Days Photowalk. 2,30pm Meet Warder's Alley, High Street

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

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/>

27 The Devout. 7.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>

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5 Guided walk of Tewkesbury Battlefield. 10am Meet Abbey Lawns car park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury [www.tewkesbury.org.uk](http://www.tewkesbury.org.uk)

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

9 & 10 Tewkesbury Mop Fair

18 GWSR Behind Closed Doors Tour – Carriage & Wagon department 12.30pm-4.55pm  
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16 Sunday afternoon strolls in and around the Alleys, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.  
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29 & 30 Santa Express <https://www.gwsr.com/>

29 Sanctum Sanctorium 7.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>

29-3<sup>rd</sup> Jan 26 Jack and the Beanstalk. Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury  
<https://www.rosestheatre.org/>

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## **December**

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

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