

This is durham

A county with breathtaking dales, a dramatic coastline, a vale steeped in history and a vibrant city at its heart.

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026	<p>25 Years in the Making - A Celebration, Seaham Hall and Serenity Spa This year, Seaham Hall celebrates 25 years as one of the UK's most iconic five-star hotel and spa destinations. Our 25 Years in the Making celebrations will honour the people, moments, and memories that shaped Seaham Hall—and we invite you to be part of our next chapter on the Durham coast!</p>	<p>hotel@seaham-hall.com https://seaham-hall.co.uk/event/25-years-celebration-party/ +44 0191 516 1400</p>
20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026	<p>An Evening of Designing and Making - The Bowes Museum Experience The Bowes Museum at an intimate late opening, dedicated to designing and making.</p>	<p>hello@thebowesmuseum.org.uk https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/an-evening-of-designing-and-making/ +44 01833690606</p>
20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026 18/7/2026 till 18/7/2026 15/8/2026 till 15/8/2026	<p>Clay Pigeon Shoot - South Causey Inn Experience the thrill of clay pigeon shooting in the beautiful Beamish Valley.</p>	<p>enquiries@southcausey.co.uk https://southcausey.co.uk/what-is-on-south-causey-inn/clay-pigeon-shooting-2-2/ +44 01207235555</p>
20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026	<p>Fused Glass Wind Chime Workshop - Lanchester Garden Centre Join us and Nat from Northern Sky Designs for an afternoon of creative fun at our Fused Glass Wind Chime Workshop.</p>	<p>sales@lanchestergardencentre.co.uk https://lanchestergardencentre.co.uk/event/fused-glass-wind-chime-workshop/ +44 01207529987</p>
20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026	<p>Gilbert & Sullivan in Concert - Redhills Miners' Hall Join Durham Opera Ensemble for an evening celebrating the music of Gilbert and Sullivan. This third-term concert brings together a lively performance of their most popular works, performed by a company of current members and alumni. With plenty of humour and character throughout, the programme is light, engaging, and easy to enjoy.</p>	<p>durham.opera.ensemble@durham.ac.uk +44 0191 334 1419</p>

Redhills Miners' Hall, Flass Street, Durham, County Durham, DH1 4BE

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026
5/7/2026 till 5/7/2026

Guided Walk: Durham and the River Wear - Crook Hall Gardens

Explore the city's green spaces and wander along the River Wear.

crookhallgardens@nationaltrusrust.org.uk

<https://www.thisisdurham.com/information/site-search-results?search=crook%20hall>

Crook Hall Gardens, Frankland Lane & Sidegate, Durham, County Durham, DH1 5SZ

+44 0344 249 1895

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026

Midsummer Flow – Solstice Yoga at Raby Castle

Step into the golden warmth of the longest day of the year with a Summer Solstice Yoga Experience at Raby Castle.

admin@raby.co.uk

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/midsummer-flow-solstice-yoga-with-nuala/>

Raby Castle, Park and Gardens, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

+44 01833 660202

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026
18/7/2026 till 18/7/2026
15/8/2026 till 15/8/2026

Noo Noo Forest School - St Johns Hall Meadowfield

Forest school for primary age.

lesleypb@aol.com

St Johns Hall Meadowfield, John Street, Meadowfield, County Durham, DH7 8RP

+44 07846542035

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026

Rachmaninov 2nd Piano Concerto by Candlelight - Durham Cathedral

Step into the tranquil glow of candlelight and enjoy a spellbinding evening of classical music in the stunning surroundings of Durham Cathedral.

info@citymusicpromotions.co.uk

<https://www.durhamcathedral.co.uk/events/rachmaninov-2nd-piano-concerto>

Durham Cathedral, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3EH

+44 0333 344 6250

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026

Summer Craft Fayre - Chester le Street Methodist Church

Summer Craft Fayre on Saturday 20th June, 9.30am–1.30pm.

info@cornerstonescentre.co.uk

+44 0191 3881313

Chester le Street Methodist Church, North Burns, Chester le Street, County Durham, DH3 3TF

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026

Summer Solstice Celebration - Raby Castle, Park and Gardens

A Magical Evening at Raby. We are hosting a Summer Solstice Celebration. Amble in the stunning walled gardens and enjoy a bite to eat or a glass of wine and a wood-fired pizza in the beautiful Vinery, late night shopping —an evening filled great food and sunlight.

admin@raby.co.uk

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/summer-solstice-late/>

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Raby Castle, Park and Gardens , Staindrop, , County Durham, DL2 3AH

20/6/2026 till 20/6/2026

Wise Like Dad - Father's Day Owl Experience - Lanchester Garden Centre

Celebrate Father's Day with a truly unforgettable experience Treat Dad to a magical Owl Workshop where he'll meet two incredible stars of the bird world — the

sales@lanchestergardencentre.co.uk

<https://lanchestergardencentre.co.uk/event/wise-like-dad>

elegant Barn Owl and the majestic Great Grey Owl. -fathers-day-owl-experience/

Lanchester Garden Centre, Bargate Bank, Lanchester,
County Durham, DH7 0SS +44 01207529987

21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

Beamish 53rd Reliability Run - Beamish, The Living Museum of The North

It's time for the 53rd annual Beamish Reliability Run!

Beamish, The Living Museum of The North , Beamish ,
County Durham, DH9 0RG

museum@beamish.org.uk

<https://www.beamish.org.uk/events/beamish-53rd-reliability-run-2026/>

+44 0191 370 4000

21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

Big Science - St Johns Hall Meadowfield

Science experiments for over 5's.

St Johns Hall Meadowfield, John Street, Meadowfield,
County Durham, DH7 8RP

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21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

Brass at Beamish - Beamish, The Living Museum of the North

Organised by the Durham County Brass Band Association, the museum will play host as competing bands perform a hymn and a march for an independent adjudicator who will judge the performances. A short awards ceremony will follow.

Beamish, The Living Museum of the North , Beamish ,
County Durham, DH9 0RG

museum@beamish.org.uk

<https://www.beamish.org.uk/events/brass-at-beamish-2026/>

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21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

Cake Trails History Tour: Royal Power, Politics, and Belief at Durham Cathedral

Explore the complex, turbulent relationship between the English monarchy and the church in this edition of Cake Trails – a new series of guided walks by Iles Tours.

Durham Cathedral and Peninsula, Durham, County
Durham, DH13EH

kim.foy@ilestours.co.uk

+44 07584416197

21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

Classic Car Day by NECPWA - Beamish, The Living Museum of the North

Beamish Museum is playing host to The North of England Classic & Pre-War Automobiles Club, with an incredible display of classic vehicles.

Beamish, The Living Museum of The North , Beamish ,
County Durham, DH9 0RG

museum@beamish.org.uk

<https://www.beamish.org.uk/events/classic-car-day-by-necpwa-2026/>

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20/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

Dads Go Free Father's Day Weekend - Raby Castle, Park and Gardens

Celebrate Father's Day Weekend at Raby Castle – Dads Go FREE!

Raby Castle, Park and Gardens , Staindrop, County
Durham, DL2 3AH

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<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/dads-go-free-this-fathers-day/>

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21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026

The Bowburn Medal and Militaria Fair

Bi-monthly medal and militaria fair featuring military medals, badges, postcards, uniforms and a host other

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et.com

	collectors' items.	https://evvnt.com/events/?_ev_id=3675406
	Bowburn Community Association, Durham Road , Bowburn , Durham, County Durham , DH6 5AT	+44 07796 758974
21/6/2026 till 21/6/2026	Yesterbus Classic Bus Gathering - Locomotion Featuring a display of classic buses from across the region.	info@locomotion.org.uk https://www.locomotion.org.uk/
	Locomotion, Dale Road Industrial Estate, Shildon, County Durham , DL4 2RE	+44 033 0058 0058
19/6/2026 till 22/6/2026	Summer Festival - Vegan Eco-& Wellness Festival A Weekend Warm Hug from Mother Nature. Music, activities, exploration, relaxation. Full weekend tickets with camping available, Saturday or Sunday tickets. Children under 12 go free.	Hello@naturesembrace.co.uk https://www.naturesembrace.ltd/event-details/summer-vegan-eco-festival
	Dalton Moor Farm - School of Sustainable Living & Wellbeing, Dalton Moor Farm, Off Truro Avenue, Murton (use SR7 9LD to find us), Dalton le Dale, Seaham, County Durham, SR7 9JY	+44 07887551643
24/6/2026 till 24/6/2026 1/7/2026 till 1/7/2026 8/7/2026 till 8/7/2026	Meditation Classes - The Dunelm Club Wednesdays 7 - 8:15pm. These introductory classes begin with a simple guided meditation to reduce stress, tension and distractions. This is followed by a short teaching on how to apply Buddhist principles to daily life, followed by a second meditation and an opportunity to ask questions and discuss with others.	info@meditationindarlington.org +44 01325 365265
	The Dunelm Club, 55 Old Elvet, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3HN	
25/6/2026 till 25/6/2026	Detective Rooms Open Days A new immersive visitor attraction has opened in Durham, offering residents and visitors the opportunity to step into the role of a detective and solve realistic investigations.	howard@detectiverooms.co.uk https://detectiverooms.co.uk/
	Unit 9, Belmont Industrial Estate, Durham, County Durham, DH1 1TN	+44 0191 9250598
27/4/2026 till 26/6/2026 12/10/2026 till 11/12/2026 18/1/2027 till 19/3/2027	Evening Language Courses - The Centre for Foreign Language Study Yearly, October – April: The Centre for Foreign Language Study at Durham University offers evening language courses which are open to all. Languages available include Arabic, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), Dutch, French, German, Greek, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Norwegian, Persian, Russian, Spanish, Swedish and Turkish.	languages.forall@durham.ac.uk https://www.durham.ac.uk/departments/centres/foreign-language-study/language-courses-for-students-staff-and-members-of-the-public/
	The Centre for Foreign Language Study, Durham University, Elvet Riverside, New Elvet, County Durham, DH1 3JT	+44 0191 3343415
6/6/2026 till 27/6/2026	County Durham Libraries - June is National Crime Reading Month June is National Crime Reading Month.	

Various Library Locations , , County Durham ,

12/3/2026 till 28/6/2026	<p>A Treasure and a Legacy: Conservation at Durham Cathedral As we celebrate the 40th anniversary of Durham Cathedral being a UNESCO World Heritage Site, delve deeper into the architecture and how people have cared for the building over the centuries.</p> <p>Durham Cathedral, Durham City, County Durham, DH1 3EH</p>	<p>visitor.desk@durhamcathedral.co.uk</p> <p>https://www.durhamcathedral.co.uk/</p> <p>+44 0191 374 4069</p>
1/6/2026 till 29/6/2026	<p>Little Farmers: Bonny Babies - High Farm Holiday Park Little Farmers: Baby Sensory Experience at The Paddocks</p> <p>High Farm Holiday Park, Toft Hill, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 0QA</p>	<p>amygaffney@hotmail.co.uk</p> <p>https://buytickets.at/highfarmholidayparkltd/2122069</p> <p>+44 07432719055</p>
1/6/2026 till 29/6/2026	<p>Little Farmers: Tiny Tots - High Farm Holiday Park Little Farmers: Toddler Sensory Experience at The Paddocks.</p> <p>High Farm Holiday Park, Toft Hill, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 0QA</p>	<p>amygaffney@hotmail.co.uk</p> <p>https://buytickets.at/highfarmholidayparkltd/2122519</p> <p>+44 07432719055</p>
19/5/2026 till 30/6/2026	<p>Auckland Gardens: Weekly Tours - Auckland Gardens Uncover the stories behind the gardens, from hidden details to standout features.</p> <p>Auckland Gardens , Market Place , Bishop Auckland , , County Durham , DL14 7NR</p>	<p>enquiries@aucklandproject.org</p> <p>https://aucklandproject.org/event/auckland-gardens-tours/</p> <p>+44 01388 743750</p>
24/5/2026 till 10/7/2026	<p>Durham Cricket 2026 Vitality Blast T20 Durham Men and Women kick off their home Vitality Blast campaign against Leicestershire Foxes and Hampshire Hawks in the first of five double headers at Banks Homes Riverside in 2026.</p> <p>Durham Cricket, The Riverside, Chester le Street , County Durham, DH3 3QR</p>	<p>box.office@durhamcricket.co.uk</p> <p>https://www.durhamcricket.co.uk/news-and-media/2026-vitality-blast-t20-schedule-announced/</p> <p>+44 0191 387 1717</p>
25/6/2026 till 15/7/2026	<p>Stephen Bainbridge Exhibition at Locomotion See over 20 original paintings celebrating the golden age of steam from railway artist Stephen Bainbridge, suitably on display in Main Hall, surrounded by Locomotion's collection of railway vehicles.</p> <p>Locomotion, Dale Road Industrial Estate, Shildon, County Durham , DL4 2RE</p>	<p>info@locomotion.org.uk</p> <p>https://www.locomotion.org.uk/</p> <p>+44 033 0058 0058</p>
16/6/2026 till 1/8/2026	<p>One-Day Walking Pilgrimage at Durham Cathedral In anticipation of the new Cuthbert Centre for Pilgrimage and Prayer launching in September, the Revd James Shelton will be leading a series of one-day walking</p>	<p>https://durhamcathedral.ticketsolve.com/ticketbooth/shows/1173665554</p>

pilgrimages this summer.

The College, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3EH

28/3/2026 till 31/8/2026

150 Years of Wedding Dresses at Ushaw

150 Years of Wedding Dresses showcases the exquisite craftsmanship and evolving trends that have defined one of the most memorable days in countless lives.

meet@ushaw.org

<https://ushaw.org/whatson/150-years-of-wedding-dresses/>

Ushaw Historic House, Chapels and Gardens, Woodland Road, Durham, County Durham, DH7 7DW

+44 0191 373 8500

2/5/2026 till 31/8/2026

Castle in Bloom - Raby Castle, Park and Gardens

A summer of celebrating the beauty of nature through experiences and events.

admin@raby.co.uk

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/castle-in-bloom/>

Raby Castle, Park and Gardens, Staindrop, County Durham, DL2 3AH

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23/5/2026 till 31/8/2026

May Half Term: Discover Dinosaurs at High Force Waterfall

Breathe in the fresh summer air and stomp into a prehistoric world of fun at High Force Hotel & Waterfall. Our brand-new Discover Dinosaurs Trail is waiting for little explorers who love big adventures and fascinating history.

<https://www.raby.co.uk/events/discover-dinosaurs-at-high-force-waterfall/>

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High Force Waterfall, Alston Rd, Forest-in-Teesdale, Durham, County Durham, DL12 0XH

2/3/2026 till 6/9/2026

Character Studies – 3 Acts: Meg Fletcher Artwork Installation at The Bowes Museum

The Bowes Museum is proud to unveil a captivating new commission by Northumberland-based fashion and textile artist Meg Fletcher, whose work delves into identity, storytelling, and the theatrical nature of dress. Fletcher has created a series of bold, visually stunning flags inspired by the museum's upcoming exhibition, Vivienne Westwood: Rebel – Storyteller – Visionary.

hello@thebowesmuseum.org.uk

<https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/exhibitions/meg-fletcher-character-studies-3-acts/>

+44 01833 690606

The Bowes Museum, Newgate, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP

28/3/2026 till 6/9/2026

Vivienne Westwood: Rebel - Storyteller - Visionary at The Bowes Museum

Vivienne Westwood: Rebel - Storyteller - Visionary (28 March 2026 – 6 September 2026) is a multi-gallery exhibition honouring one of fashion's most provocative and imaginative designers.

hello@thebowesmuseum.org.uk

<https://thebowesmuseum.org.uk/exhibitions/vivienne-westwood-rebel-storyteller-visionary/>

+44 01833 690606

The Bowes Museum, Newgate, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NP

7/1/2026 till 30/9/2026

Little Dragons - Durham University Oriental Museum

Join us at the Oriental Museum on Wednesday mornings for Little Dragons, our FREE session for children under 5 and their families/carers. Each session will be packed full of exploring the museum galleries, fun craft activities, singing, games and stories.

oriental.museum@durham.ac.uk

<https://www.durham.ac.uk/things-to-do/whats-on/events-calendar/?day=07&month=01&year=2026&search=all&keywords=little+dragons&cat>

Durham University Oriental Museum, Elvet Hill, Durham City, County Durham , DH1 3TH

egories%5B%5D=Event+Venues%3EOriental+Museum

+44 0191 334 5691

9/6/2026 till 27/10/2026

History of Durham City Walk - Crook Hall Gardens

A guided walk from Crook Hall Gardens delving into the history of Durham.

crookhallgardens@nationaltrust.org.uk

Crook Hall Gardens, Frankland Lane & Sidegate, Durham, County Durham, DH1 5SZ

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/north-east/crook-hall-gardens/events/3526cd84-7f98-4c9c-9b98-353a446e34de>

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3/6/2026 till 28/10/2026

Crook Hall Gardens Tour: History and Literary Links - Crook Hall Gardens

Join volunteer Chris for a guided tour of Crook Hall Gardens and the medieval hall. Learn about the history of the home, all the way back 1217, when it first appears in written records. Hear about some of the fascinating families who lived here over the centuries and discover the hall's surprising literary connections.

crookhallgardens@nationaltrust.org.uk

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/north-east/crook-hall-gardens/events/ed7040aa-6555-4ed6-aaa-87904fc0b79f>

Crook Hall Gardens, Frankland Lane & Sidegate, Durham, County Durham, DH1 5SZ

+44 0191 383 1832

29/5/2026 till 30/10/2026

Crook Hall Gardens Tour: Horticulture - Crook Hall Gardens

Join our gardening guru volunteers for a horticultural tour of Crook Hall Gardens.

crookhallgardens@nationaltrust.org.uk

Crook Hall Gardens, Frankland Lane & Sidegate, Durham, County Durham, DH1 5SZ

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/north-east/crook-hall-gardens/events/d8e35d70-8f86-4f3c-8aa1-396217ee7327>

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14/11/2025 till 11/12/2026

Live Music Nights at South Causey Inn

Sit with us and enjoy live music every Friday, where we welcome a brilliant mix of local musicians from all across the North East to our cosy indoor bar - with a roaring log-burning fire.

enquiries@southcausey.co.uk

South Causey Inn , Stanley, County Durham, DH9 0LS

<https://southcausey.co.uk/what-is-on-south-causey-inn/live-music-nights/>

+44 01207235555

10/1/2026 till 12/12/2026

Free Monthly Guided Walks - Wolsingham

Our monthly guided walks take place on the 2nd Saturday of every month leaving Wolsingham Town Hall in the Market Place at 10am.

wolsinghamwayfarers@gmail.com

Wolsingham Town Hall , Market Place, Wolsingham, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL13 3AB

<https://wolsinghamwayfarers.co.uk/guided-walks>

1/6/2026 till 14/12/2026

Half Day Bee and Beekeeping Related Courses - Unit A The Old School

A selection of bee related short courses, hosted at our workshops beside the River Tees in Middleton-In-

pamela@beerresponsible.co.uk

Teesdale. Join our expert Beekeeper to learn something new about bees! <http://www.beeresponsible.co.uk>

Unit A The Old School, Bridge Street, Middleton-in-Teesdale, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 0QB +44 07790480480

18/2/2026 till 24/12/2026

Tom McGuinness: Out of the Darkness - Mining Art Gallery

Our new Tom McGuinness exhibition opens on 18 February 2026. In his centenary year, the Mining Art Gallery celebrates this quiet man who communicated through his art – he did not seek simply to record details of the mining industry but expressed what it really felt like to be a miner.

enquiries@aucklandproject.org

<https://aucklandproject.org/event/tom-mcguinness-out-of-the-darkness/>

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Mining Art Gallery, 45 Market Place, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 7NP

3/1/2026 till 26/12/2026

Durham parkrun

A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate – it's up to you! Nearby Sunday 2k junior parkrun events for 4 to 14 year olds and their families can be found here.

durham@parkrun.com

<https://www.parkrun.org.uk/durham/>

Graham Sports Centre, Maiden Castle, Stockton Rd, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3SE

3/1/2026 till 26/12/2026

Ushaw Historic House, Chapels and Gardens - parkrun

A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate – it's up to you! Nearby Sunday 2k junior parkrun events for 4 to 14 year olds and their families can be found here.

ushawhistorichouse@parkrun.com

<https://www.parkrun.org.uk/ushawhistorichouse/>

+44 0191 373 8500

Ushaw Historic House, Chapels and Gardens, Woodland Road, Durham, County Durham, DH7 7DW

16/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Archaeology 'Open Lab' - an Auckland Project Exhibition

Archaeologists uncovering the hidden history of Auckland Palace are inviting the public behind the scenes as historic finds from eight years of excavations are analysed in a new 'open laboratory' in Bishop Auckland town centre. Fridays weekly between 3.30pm and 4.30pm.

enquiries@aucklandproject.org

<https://aucklandproject.org/event/archaeology-open-lab/>

The Hearth (formerly Mrs M's), 1 Market Place, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 7NJ

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Barnard Castle Farmers' Market

Barnard Castle Farmers' Market is one of the North East's most popular markets featuring a wide range of artisan food and crafts from the region. Open 9:00 to 14:00 on the first Saturday of each month.

barnardcastlefarmersmarket@gmail.com

<http://www.barnardcastlefarmersmarket.co.uk/>

The Cobbles, Horsemarket, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8LY

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Barnard Castle Market

Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Wednesday

market@barnardcastletowncouncil.gov.uk

	8.00am to 16.30	https://www.facebook.com/BarneyWednesdayMarket/
	Marketplace, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8NF	+44 (0)1833 690970
1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026	Bishop Auckland Market Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Thursday and Saturday 8:00-17:00	ehcp@durham.gov.uk https://www.durham.gov.uk/markets
	Market Place, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL14 7NP	+44 (0)3000 261 016
1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026	Consett Market Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Thursday, Friday and Saturday 8:00-16:00	ehcp@durham.gov.uk https://www.durham.gov.uk/markets
	Middle Street, Consett, County Durham, DH8 5QP	+44 (0)771 416 9208
1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026	Durham Food Producers' and Crafters' Market Durham's Food Producers' and Crafters' Market is now on the first Thursday of each month – open from 9am until 4.30pm, or until stock has sold out.	info@durhammarkets.co.uk http://www.durhammarkets.co.uk
	Market Place, Durham city, County Durham, DH1 3NJ	+44 0191 384 6153
23/1/2026 till 31/12/2026	Fireside Afternoon Tea and Waterfall Walk at High Force Monday - Saturday Celebrate in the heart of Upper Teesdale with our cosy Fireside Afternoon Tea at High Force Hotel.	admin@raby.co.uk +44 01833660202
	The High Force Hotel, Alston Rd, Forest-in-Teesdale, Durham, County Durham, DL12 0XH	
3/1/2026 till 31/12/2026	Heritage Coastal Path parkrun, Easington A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate – it's up to you! Nearby Sunday 2k junior parkrun events for 4 to 14 year olds and their families can be found here.	heritagecoastalpatheasington@parkrun.com https://www.parkrun.org.uk/heritagecoastalpatheasington/
	Heritage Coastal Path, Off Crawlaw Avenue, Easington Colliery, Peterlee, County Durham, SR8 3QQ	
1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026	Mental Health Swims - Seaham Mental Health Swims is an award-winning, mental health peer support community. The regular dip at Seaham takes place on the last Sunday of every month - booking required.	https://www.mentalhealthswims.co.uk/
	The Slope Beach , Seaham, County Durham , SR7 7EE	
18/2/2026 till 31/12/2026	Roger Wagner: The Seeds of Eternity - Exhibition at Auckland Palace The Bishop Trevor Rooms at Auckland Palace will host an exhibition of the works of artist and poet Roger Wagner. Weaving together Biblical narratives and contemporary landscapes, Wagner's visionary paintings	enquiries@aucklandproject.org https://aucklandproject.org/event/roger-wagner-the-seeds-of-eternity-exhibition/

explore the mysteries of human existence.

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Auckland Palace, Market Place, Bishop Auckland,
County Durham , DL14 7NR

28/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Room on the Broom Trail at Hamsterley Forest

This interactive family trail is packed with Room on the Broom themed activities, fascinating forest facts and plenty of hands-on fun.

enquiries.hamsterley@fores
tryengland.uk

<https://www.forestryengland.uk/hamsterley-forest/room-on-the-broom>

Hamsterley Forest, Redford, Hamsterley Forest, County Durham, DL13 3NL

+44 01388 488312

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Saturday Outdoor Market

Every Saturday, the Market Place is transformed by up to 30 small independent traders...it becomes a traditional, bustling, fresh air market and a great shopping experience.

info@durhammarkets.co.uk

<https://durhammarkets.co.uk/saturday-outdoor-market/>

Durham Market Hall, Market Place, Durham, County Durham, DH1 3NJ

+44 0191 384 6153

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Seaham Seaside Market

Seaham Seaside Market is a weekly market held every Friday.

stalls@events2gogo.com

<https://www.facebook.com/seahamseasidemarket/>

Church Street, Seaham, County Durham, SR7 7HF

+44 (0)7769 352637

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Sedgefield Farmers Market

The market is run by Sedgefield Development Trust - and is held every first Sunday of the Month, on the village green, from 8.30am to 12.30pm - and includes a free community stall, music tent & health bus. The free stall is available to clubs and societies for promotion or fundraising.

roger@clubleys.co.uk

<http://www.sedgefield-farmersmarket.co.uk>

Village Green, Sedgefield, County Durham, TS21 2AB

+44 01740 620609

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

South Causey Monthly Dog Walk

Join the South Causey Dog Walking Club every 1st Saturday of the month at 10 am for a picturesque stroll through the beautiful Beamish Valley.

southcausey@hotmail.com

<https://www.southcausey.co.uk/offer/monthly-dog-walk/>

South Causey Inn, Beamish Burn Road, Stanley, County Durham, DH9 0LS

+44 01207 235 555

1/1/2026 till 31/12/2026

Stanley Market

Stroll through the stalls, savour delicious local treats, and soak up the friendly atmosphere. Every Thursday and Saturday 8.00-16:00

ehcp@durham.gov.uk

<https://www.durham.gov.uk/markets>

Front Street, Stanley, County Durham, DH9 0JE

+44 (0)191 373 0220

18/4/2026 till 31/12/2026

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County Durham, DL12 0XH

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