

# Welcome to Richmond's 'What's On'

## FREQUENT AND/OR OCCASIONAL EVENTS

**Saturday Market** *in the Market Place.*

**Busy Buddies** Supported volunteering project run by Hambleton Community Action. Tea, coffee and cake, 12.30pm to 2.30pm first Wednesday of the month, *The Town Hall.*

**Coffee Mornings** *at the Town Hall* every Thursday & Saturday, 8am-noon, supporting local charities.

**Dementia Forward Lunchtime Café** *Town Hall*, every Tuesday 1-3pm, £3 includes hot drink & cake.

Soup also available for £1.

**Drummer Boy Story Circle:** 'Trading Tales' including Open-Mic, last Monday of the month, 7.00 for 7.30pm, *The Buck Inn, Newbiggin* free, contact Charlie for more information: 07968 427 189.

**Free Health Walks** take place regularly, daytime and evening. New Starter walks are less than 30 minutes. Intermediate up to 90 minutes. Details: walk.for.health@btinternet.com or call 07710 739 192.

**Lots on in pubs including:** Folk Night, Black Lion, every Friday with gentle music session at 8pm & Singaround from 9pm. Weekly Quiz Nights at the Ralph Fitz Randall, Mondays, 7.00pm; Holly Hill Inn, every Wednesday, 7.30pm; The Buck Inn, Newbiggin, Sunday, 7.30pm, £1 per person.

**Millgate House Gardens:** open daily 10.00am-5.00pm.

**Mondo Bongo Poetry & Original Acoustic Music Evenings** with guests and Open-Mic, 1st Saturday of the month, 7-9pm, moved to *the Bread Bowl, 10 Queens Street*, free; 01748 850 625.

**Richmond Community Library:** Free Storytime, every Tuesday in term-time, 2.15-2.45pm;

IT 1-2-1 sessions, booking essential on 01609 534 580, email [Richmond@craccl.org](mailto:Richmond@craccl.org) and at desk.

Late night opening to 7pm every Tuesday.

**Richmond Pride:** community litter-picking and weeding, 1st Sunday of the month, 10.00am-midday, *meet at Town Hall*, bring your own gloves & garden tools, 01748 823 456 for info.

**Richmondshire Museum** and its Discovery Centre open daily with a variety of self-led activities, 10.30am-4.30pm, free entry for children, adults £3.50, concs £3. [www.richmondshiremuseum.org.uk](http://www.richmondshiremuseum.org.uk)

**Station: Late Night Shopping** in The Shop, first Wednesday of every month, 5.00-9.00pm, Steak

Night every 3rd Friday & Meat-Free Monday, every 1st Monday, [www.thestation.co.uk/cafesbar](http://www.thestation.co.uk/cafesbar)  
**'Tales by the Swale'** with Storyteller, Rhoda Fraser, every Thurs., 10.30am, *Market Place clock*, adults £4, children £3, under-5s free, booking essential: 07775 618 472, group booking available.

**Town Cries** every Sunday at 12 noon in the Market Place from Sunday 7th July until Sunday 29th September 2019, weather and holidays permitting.

**Town Guided Walks** Call 01748 850 611 for more information.

**Veterans' Coffee Morning** every Saturday, *Bread Bowl, Queens Road* 9.30am-noon.

All forces' veterans welcome.

**Walking Football** Sessions on Thursdays 1-2pm at *ML Sports & Fitness, Mercury Road, Gallowfields*

*Trading Estate* £2 per session.

## CLUBS, GROUPS, ACTIVITIES ETC.

**Green Party** 1st Wednesday of the month, 7.30pm, *Buck Inn, Newbiggin, Richmond*

Membership Secretary: 01677 424 917.

**Little White Bus** up Swaledale to Keld: [www.littlewhitebus.co.uk](http://www.littlewhitebus.co.uk)

**Original Richmond Business & Tourism Association** 1st Wednesday of the month excl. January & August, 6.00pm. *King's Head Hotel* non-members welcome for a taster, [www.originalrichmond.co.uk](http://www.originalrichmond.co.uk)

**Probus** 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month 7.30pm *Cricket Club* free, 01748 850 385.

**Richmond Bowls Club Free Taster Sessions, Ronaldshay Park**, Wednesdays 2pm; Bowls, shoes, tuition & refreshments available. 01748 822 172 for more information.

## CLUBS, GROUPS, ACTIVITIES ETC. *continued*

**Richmond Early Help Service** supports children, young adults and their families with activities and advice. Call 01609 533 682 or 532 595 or see [www.northyorks.gov.uk/childrens-centres](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/childrens-centres) for details.

**Richmond W.I.** 2nd Monday of the Month, 7pm, *Roman Catholic Church, Newbiggin* new members welcome, call 01748 824 761. No meeting in August.

**Richmondshire Museum** Youth Group 'Future Thinkers', every 3rd Thursday, 3.45 - 5.00pm.

**Richmondshire Ramblers** lead walks every Sunday. *Meet at Nuns Close car park.* For more information: [www.ramblers.org.uk/richmondshire](http://www.ramblers.org.uk/richmondshire)

**Royal British Legion** meet every 2nd Thursday at *Richmondshire Cricket Club.*

Contact: [richsec2015@pobroadband.co.uk](mailto:richsec2015@pobroadband.co.uk)

**Royal Scottish Country Dance Society Richmond Branch** offers mixed ability classes; socials & dances for members & visiting dancers, contact Jan Robinson on 01748 884 786.

**Rhythm & Shoes Dance Academy** <https://therhythmshoesdanceacademy.com> 07745 187 887

**Soroptimist International Richmond and Dales** every third Thursday of the month at *Richmond Cricket Club* from 6.30pm, new members welcome. More information <https://sigbi.org/richmond-and-dales> email: [sirichmondanddales@yahoo.com](mailto:sirichmondanddales@yahoo.com) No meeting August and December.

**Station Singers** new term starts on 18th September at The Station, Screen 2. Platform 1 choir from 10.00 - 11.30am, Platform 2 choir 11.45am - 1.15pm. Cost £60 for the term, £5 for a taster session. 50% reduction bursaries available. **The Station Singers Branch Line Choir** - new term starts 19th September at The Town Hall, Richmond 8.00-9.30pm on 19th September Cost £60 for the term, £5 for a taster session. 50% reduction bursaries available [helendavid25@gmail.com](mailto:helendavid25@gmail.com)

**Swale W.I.** meet every 3rd Monday, 2pm, *Methodist Hall*, contact 01748 823 534.

**Swaledale Outdoor Club** holds a wide range of outdoor activities for all abilities. For more information see [www.swaledaleoutdoorclub.org.uk](http://www.swaledaleoutdoorclub.org.uk) for details.

**Swimming Pool** incl. Mon. evening adult lessons, children's lessons & exercise classes; contact Phil Heron-Carne, [pool.manager@rltrust.org.uk](mailto:pool.manager@rltrust.org.uk) or 01748 824 581 for details.

**Western Front Association** 3rd Wednesday of the month, 7.30pm, *Cricket Club* free, 01748 850 385.

**PLUS Town Ticket:** Save on combined entrance at Georgian Theatre, Green Howards Museum, Richmond Castle & Richmondshire Museum. Available from these venues, Richmond Information Centre & The Station.

### ALSO SEE:

<https://www.richmondtowncouncil.org.uk/> for Town Council events & news;

<https://www.richmond.org/> for Richmond's community website;

<http://www.richmondshiretoday.co.uk/> for local on-line news;

local magazine, RichmondshireTODAY, for news from Richmond, Catterick & the dales and Richmond Information Centre (in the library), email: [ric@richmond.org](mailto:ric@richmond.org)

### IF YOU ARE RUNNING:

- one-off events open to the public to go in the Calendar •
- regular & occasional events or •
- a Club, Group or Activities etc. •

and would like these included in 'What's On' free of charge, **please email: [whatsonrichmondyorks@gmail.com](mailto:whatsonrichmondyorks@gmail.com)** or leave a message at our workplace.

Best wishes, Liz, from *Mocha Chocolate Shop* & Carol from *Castle Hill Bookshop*

'Thank You' to Richmond Town Council for their support

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JULY / AUGUST  
2019

Richmond <sup>What's</sup>  
BY THE COMMUNITY, FOR THE COMMUNITY

## The Big Plant Fair, Moth Morning at Foxglove Covert, Bat Walk at Hudswell Woods, Richmond Live, GeorgeFest, and much more inside...

There is so much to do in Richmond! Visit the Falls, enjoy spectacular views from Castle Walk, stroll along the river or walk up the hills, wander round the cobbled Georgian Market Place and enjoy coffee, tea and cake in the many cafés. Besides The Station with its artisan shops, cinema and superbly preserved railway architecture; the Green Howards Museum telling the inspiring story of the local regiment; Richmondshire Museum with its recreations of our varied history, Richmond Castle stands proud as one of the oldest Norman Castles in the country.

*Green Bridge and the Swale from Castle Walk*

## JULY

- 1st - 10th Artwave North Exhibition** *The Station*  
9.00am-late daily [www.thestation.co.uk](http://www.thestation.co.uk)
- 1st Original Richmond in Bloom: The Big Plant Fair**  
*Market Place* 11.00am to 4.00pm Book a free stand to sell plants, gardening books etc on 01748 825525
- 3rd Moth Morning** *Foxglove Covert* 9.00am-11.00am  
Suggested donation: £3, booking essential  
[www.foxglovecovert.org.uk/events/](http://www.foxglovecovert.org.uk/events/)
- 4th Special Exhibition, Private View & Curator Talk: Hostile Environment: The British in Russia 1918-1920**  
*Green Howards Museum* 6.30pm-8.30pm £5, 01748 826561  
[www.greenhowards.org.uk](http://www.greenhowards.org.uk)
- 4th Richmond School Theatre Company** *Georgian Theatre Royal*  
7.00pm Tickets £7 from the Box Office on 01748 825252  
[www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 5th Georgian Theatre Royal Youth Theatre presents**  
**The Jungle Book** *Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £9 from the Box Office on 01748 825252 [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 6th - 21st Exhibition: Aminah Snowdon** *The Station*  
9.00am-late daily [www.thestation.co.uk](http://www.thestation.co.uk)
- 6th - 17th Richmond & Catterick Camera Group exhibition**  
*The Station* 9.00am-late daily [www.thestation.co.uk](http://www.thestation.co.uk)
- 6th Summer Fair** with stalls, activities, BBQ, bar & our infamous Silent Auction' *Trinity Academy* (formerly Richmond C of E Primary) Midday - 3.00pm Free entry
- 6th The Military WAGS Choir & Richmond School & 6th Form College Concert Jazz Band perform 'Sounds of Summer'**  
*Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.00pm Tickets £13 from Box Office: 01748 825252 [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 7th Meadow Mayhem** *Foxglove Covert* 10.00am-midday  
Suggested donation: £5, booking essential  
[www.foxglovecovert.org.uk/events/](http://www.foxglovecovert.org.uk/events/)
- 8th Richmond W.I. Talk: 'Lewis Carroll - The Croft Connection'**  
with Chris Lloyd *Roman Catholic Church Hall, Newbiggin* 7.00pm  
Visitors welcome, 01748 824761
- 8th North Yorkshire Wine Society Talk: 'Wines from the St Clair Winery, New Zealand'** with Laura Young *Town Hall*  
7.30pm Visitors welcome, £15 including all wines, further information from NYWS.org.uk
- 9th Judging day for the annual Richmond Garden Competition** *Various venues throughout the day* Application forms available from the Town Hall. Free to enter. Prizes will be given out during the First Fruits event on 14th September
- 11th - 12th Georgian Theatre Royal Youth Theatre presents**  
**Bugsy Malone** *Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £9 from Box Office: 01748 825252 [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 12th 'Holidays Beside The Seaside': Nostalgic Memories Reminiscence Event** with Making Spaces *Swimming Pool Café*  
2.00pm No need to book, for info: 01609 771089
- 13th - 31st Exhibition: Julie MacBean 'Edgelands'** *The Station*  
9.00am until late daily [www.thestation.co.uk](http://www.thestation.co.uk)
- 15th Swale W.I. Talk: 'A Waller's Odyssey'** with Tracy Blackwell *Methodist Church Hall* 2.00pm Visitors welcome at a cost of £3
- 19th Decoupage Wine Glasses: Workshop** *Richmondshire Museum* 7.00-9.00pm £5, booking essential: 01748 825611  
[admin@richmondshiremuseum.org.uk](mailto:admin@richmondshiremuseum.org.uk)
- 19th Georgian Theatre Royal Youth Theatre presents a double bill: Scary Play and Mobile Phone Show** *Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £9 from Box Office: 01748 825252  
[www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 20th Jane Harper author of The Dry will be signing copies of her new book The Lost Man** *Castle Hill Bookshop* 11.00am-12.00pm Further information: 01748 824243 or [info@castlehillbookshop.co.uk](mailto:info@castlehillbookshop.co.uk)
- 21st Workshop: 'Learn the art of mowing with a traditional Scythe'** *Just the Job's Community Gardens* 10.00am-4.00pm £75 includes lunch, for more details contact 01748 822815
- 24th Antheia Flower Club: Talk/Demonstration - 'Paper making'** by Nikki Hampson from Pulpitations (paper making with botanicals i.e. seeds/petals. Small items available to purchase *Town Hall* 7.30pm £8, visitors welcome. Further info from [antheiafc@gmail.com](mailto:antheiafc@gmail.com)
- 24th Summer Reading Challenge: Countdown to the Space Race** Come and Paint with Nora Yates; ages 5 to 11  
*Richmond Library* 10.30am to 11.45am Booking required at the library. Free but donations welcomed
- 25th - 27th RADS present A Small Family Business**  
by Alan Ayckbourn *Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £7.50-£13.50 from Box Office: 01748 825252  
[www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)

## AUGUST

- 1st - 3rd RADS present A Small Family Business** by Alan Ayckbourn *Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £7.50-£13.50 from Box Office: 01748 825252 or [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 2nd Antiques valuation event** with Elstob and Elstob Auctioneers of Bedale *The Station* 10.00am-3.00pm Free event, no need to book. Tel: 01677 333003 or [www.elstobandelstob.co.uk](http://www.elstobandelstob.co.uk) for details
- 2nd - 3rd Richmond Live: headline act - The Lightning Seeds** *The Batts* Tickets: [www.richmondlive.org](http://www.richmondlive.org)
- 3rd August - 4th September Stacey Moore exhibition**  
*The Station* 9.00am-late daily [www.thestation.co.uk](http://www.thestation.co.uk)
- 3rd August - 4th September UK Coloured Pencil Society exhibition** *The Station* 9.00am-late daily [www.thestation.co.uk](http://www.thestation.co.uk)
- 3rd Dragonfly Walk** *Foxglove Covert* 1.00pm to 3.00pm  
Suggested donation: £3, booking essential,  
[www.foxglovecovert.org.uk/events/](http://www.foxglovecovert.org.uk/events/)
- 6th Summer Reading Challenge: Zoolab: Meet the animals**  
Ages 5 to 11 *Richmond Library* 11.00am to 12.00pm Booking essential. £2.50 per child, £4 for two children from same family. Book at the library
- 9th 'Summertime': Nostalgic Memories Reminiscence Event**  
with Making Spaces *Swimming Pool Café* 2.00pm No need to book, for info: 01609 771089
- 10th Club Tropicana Summer Party** *The Station Café Bar*  
7.30pm £25pp/£10 deposit. Booking essential 01748 825967
- 11th Drawing workshop with award-winning artist Jane Pirie**  
*The Station* Morning session: 10.30am - 1pm. Afternoon session: 2pm - 4.30pm £40 half day £70 full day. Booking essential  
[art@janepirie.co.uk](mailto:art@janepirie.co.uk)
- 12th - 18th Afternoon Tea Week** *The Station Café Bar* 2.00pm - 5.00pm Luxury Afternoon Tea £14.95 / Prosecco Afternoon Tea £19.95. Booking essential on 01748 825967
- 12th North Yorkshire Wine Society: 'Call My Quaff' Town Hall**  
7.30pm Visitors welcome, £15 including all wines, further information from NYWS.org.uk
- 13th Burlap Bunting Workshop** *Richmondshire Museum*  
7.00-9.00pm £5, booking essential: 01748 825611,  
[admin@richmondshiremuseum.org.uk](mailto:admin@richmondshiremuseum.org.uk)
- 17th - 18th GeorgeFest: Culloden Tower open day**  
*Culloden Tower* 10.00am - 4.00pm Free event
- 17th GeorgeFest: Walking tour of Temple Grounds**  
with Val Hepworth *Meet at Yorke Square car park on The Green*  
2.00pm Free event. Donations to The Georgian Theatre Royal
- 17th GeorgeFest: The History Wardrobe presents Gothic for Girls** *Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £11 from Box Office, 01748 825252 or [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 18th GeorgeFest: Mr Yorke's Walled Garden open day**  
Cravengate, Richmond, DL10 4RE 1.00pm-5.30pm £5pp, under 16s FOC. [marcia@yorkshirecountryholidays.co.uk](mailto:marcia@yorkshirecountryholidays.co.uk)  
Tel: 01748 825525
- 18th GeorgeFest: Secret Salons - A Georgian Musical Promenade** that will rotate between three venues *Culloden Tower, 34 Frenchgate and Millgate House* 6.00pm (doors open from 5.30pm) Tickets £25 (includes a glass of wine) available from Box Office, 01748 825252 or [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 19th Swale W.I. Social** *Methodist Church Hall* 2.00pm  
Visitors welcome at a cost of £3
- 19th GeorgeFest: Gin and Film - A screening of The Madness of King George.** *Station Cinema* 2.00pm Tickets £8 (includes glass of gin and mixer) from The Station Cinema, 01748 823062 or [www.stationcinema.com](http://www.stationcinema.com)
- 20th GeorgeFest: Dining with the Georgians** A talk by antiques expert David Elstob. *The Paul Iles Learning Centre, Friars Wynd*  
7.30pm Tickets £6 from Georgian Theatre Royal Box Office, 01748 825252 or [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 21st GeorgeFest: Art and craft workshop** making cross stitch initials or zoetropes. *The Richmondshire Museum* 1.00pm - 4.00pm Normal admission charges apply, 01748 825611 or [www.richmondshiremuseum.org.uk](http://www.richmondshiremuseum.org.uk) for more information
- 21st GeorgeFest: Georgian Summer Assembly** Dancing with the Richmond Branch of the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society. *The Town Hall* 2.00pm - 4.00pm Free event. No booking required
- 21st Guided Bat Walk at Hudswell Woods** (National Trust)  
*Meet Round Howe car park* (pay & display) 8.00 - 10.00pm  
Booking essential, £5 per person 01729 830416
- 22nd GeorgeFest: Afternoon tea with Friends of The Georgian Theatre Royal** *The Georgian Theatre Royal* 2.00pm - 4.00pm Free event but donations appreciated for the Theatre
- 22nd GeorgeFest: The Yorkshire Enlightenment**  
*Green Howards Museum* 7.00pm £5, 01748 826561  
[www.greenhowards.org.uk](http://www.greenhowards.org.uk)
- 23rd GeorgeFest: Tour of the Castle** *The Castle* 11.00am  
Normal admission charges apply. Tel: 01748 822493
- 23rd GeorgeFest: The Drawing Rooms of Jane Austen**  
A presentation by Ruthanne Baxter and Nick Finnigan  
*Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £7 from Box Office, 01748 825252 or [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 24th GeorgeFest: Guided Town Walk** *Town Hall* 2.15pm  
Call 01748 825611 for more information
- 24th GeorgeFest: The Dramatic Exploits of Edmund Keane**  
One-man show about the famous Georgian actor  
*Georgian Theatre Royal* 7.30pm Tickets £14 from Box Office, 01748 825252 or [www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk](http://www.georgiantheatreroyal.co.uk)
- 24th - 26th Annual Beer, Cider & Cheese Festival** *The George & Dragon, Hudswell* 11.00am - 11.00pm each day Free and open to all with live music, Tel: 01748 518373, email: [info@georgeanddragonhudswell.com](mailto:info@georgeanddragonhudswell.com)
- 25th GeorgeFest: Tour of the Castle** *The Castle* 2.15pm  
Normal admissions and charges apply Tel: 01748 822493

