



WHAT'S ON IN AND AROUND THE MACHARS AUGUST 2022

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<p>MONDAY 1ST</p>	<p>Wigtown Community Week. Foggie Toddle Books presents Storytime with Jayne. 2pm at the shop.</p> <p>Port William Carnival Week. Teddy Bear's Picnic 11am-1pm, The Grand Marquee. Car Treasure Hunt.</p>
<p>TUESDAY 2ND</p>	<p>Wander Through Time, Isle of Whithorn 10.30am. Meet outside church.</p> <p>Summer Roadshow, Youth Enquiry Service, Harbour Green, Port William, 1pm-4pm</p> <p>The City of Thebes v Antigone with Ruth Anderson. Wigtown Community Week. No 11 Meeting Room, Wigtown 2pm</p> <p>Bookbug Rhymetime, Wigtown Library, 10.30am. Ages 0-4 years</p> <p>Thor: Love and Thunder (12A), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p> <p>Wigtown Community Week Quiz Night. County Buildings, Wigtown 7.30-9.30pm. Teams of 4</p>
<p>WEDNESDAY 3RD</p>	<p>Wigtown Show, Bladnoch Park, 8.30am-5pm.</p> <p>Wigtown Show Dance, Wigtown Show Field, 8pm-1pm. Last Entry 12am.</p> <p>Introduction to Foraging, Way of The Wild, Garlieston Beach, 9.30am-12.30pm. Booking required.</p> <p>Thor: Love and Thunder (12A), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p>
<p>THURSDAY 4TH</p>	<p>Wigtown Community Week Kite Competition. Old Show Field, Wigtown, 2pm</p> <p>Thor: Love and Thunder (12A), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p> <p>Unit3 Poetry Reading Group, Bowling Clubhouse, Wigtown, 7.30pm. Theme: Birds</p>
<p>FRIDAY 5TH</p>	<p>U3A Craft Group, 10am-12pm, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn</p> <p>Port William SWI Carnival Week Crafts. 9.30am-11.30am in the Grand Marquee. 14 years & over.</p>

	<p>Summer Roadshow, Youth Enquiry Service, Kirkowan Playing Field, 1pm-4pm</p> <p>Wigtown Community Week. Fun Time Crafts with Kids with Isabelle. 2pm at Foggie Toddle Book Shop.</p> <p>The Sword in The Stone. Wigtown Community Week – Disney Night. Wigtown Church Hall, 6.30pm (Free event)</p> <p>Elvis (12A), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p>
SATURDAY 6TH	<p>Wigtown Market, Market Square, Wigtown. 10.00am-3.00pm</p> <p>Banquet of the Beasts. Wigtown Community Week. 10.30am-11.30am Machars Action Meeting Room. With local author Tim Cowen.</p> <p>Wigtown Community Week Co-op Pet Competition. The Lorry Park, Wigtown, 2pm</p> <p>Jason Sweeney + Damaged Goods, The Vault Arts Centre, 7pm.</p> <p>Elvis (12A), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p> <p>Port William Carnival Week, ABBA in Concert, Gimmeabba. 8pm.</p>
SUNDAY 7TH	<p>The Scottish Alternative Games, New Galloway Park, New Galloway, 2pm</p> <p>The Railway Children Return (PG), Newton Stewart Cinema, 3pm</p> <p>Annual Open Air Songs of Praise, Wigtown Baptist Church with The Creetown Silver Band, The Baptist and Sacred Heart Garden at 3pm</p>
MONDAY 8TH	<p>Mini Dance Workshop, Emily Black Dance School, Kirkiner Hall 9.30am-11.30am</p> <p>U3A Literacy Group, Machars Action Meeting Room, Wigtown, 9.30-11.30am</p> <p>U3a Playing Music Together, Whauphill Village Hall, 2.30pm-4pm</p>
TUESDAY 9TH	<p>The Railway Children Return (PG), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p>

WEDNESDAY 10TH	<p>The Railway Children Return (PG), Newton Stewart Cinema, 3pm</p> <p>Summer Roadshow, Youth Enquiry Service, Wigtown Primary School, 6pm-9pm</p> <p>Mostly Ghostly, Whithorn Trust Dig Field, 7pm</p> <p>Kirkcowan Bingo, Kirkcowan Hall 7pm</p> <p>Elvis (12A), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p>
THURSDAY 11TH	<p>The Railway Children Return (PG), Newton Stewart Cinema, 7pm</p>
FRIDAY 12TH	<p>U3A Philosophy Group, Machars Action Meeting Room, Wigtown, 10am-12noon</p> <p>Summer Roadshow, Youth Enquiry Service, Kirkcowan Playing Field, 6pm-9pm</p> <p>Frankly, The Smiths. The Vault Arts Centre, Newton Stewart. 7pm</p>
SATURDAY 13TH	<p>Wigtown Market, Market Square, Wigtown. 10.00am-3.00pm</p> <p>Whithorn Producers Market, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 10am-3pm</p> <p>The Marriage of Figaro, Newton Stewart & District Music Club – Newton Stewart Cinema 3pm</p>
SUNDAY 14TH	
MONDAY 15TH	<p>Wigtown Bay CRC Coffee Morning 10am-12noon</p> <p>U3A Art Appreciation Group, Machars Action Meeting Room, Wigtown, 2pm-4pm</p>
TUESDAY 16TH	<p>Suzi Briggs Storytelling, Whithorn Trust, 3pm</p> <p>Summer Roadshow, Youth Enquiry Service, Kirkiner Playing Field, 6pm-9pm</p>
WEDNESDAY 17TH	<p>Iron Age Sotrytelling and Crafts with Cathbad and Kraka, Whithorn Trust, 3pm and 7pm</p>

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FRIDAY 19TH	<p>Folk Club, The Vault Arts Centre, Newton Stewart, 7pm</p> <p>Knives Out (12A), South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 7pm</p>
SATURDAY 20TH	<p>Wigtown Market, Market Square, Wigtown. 10.00am-3.00pm</p> <p>Garlieston's 5th Military Weekend. Sorbie Tower. 11am-4pm.</p> <p>Whithorn & District Flower Show, Whithorn New Town Hall, 1pm</p> <p>Summer Fete, The Riverside Centre, Newton Stewart.</p> <p>Wigtown & Bladnoch FC v Lochar Thistle, 3pm</p> <p>The Cherry Pinks + Support. The Vault Arts Centre, Newton Stewart. 7pm</p>
SUNDAY 21ST	<p>Garlieston's 5th Military Weekend. Sorbie Tower. 11am-4pm.</p>
MONDAY 22ND	<p>Disappearing Lines, Two Day Boat Building Workshops with Gail McGarva. The Hut, Reading Lassies, Wigtown 10am-4pm</p> <p>U3A Literacy Group, Machars Action Meeting Room, Wigtown, 9.30am-11.30am</p> <p>U3A Playing Music Together, Whauphill Village Hall, 2.30pm-4pm</p>
TUESDAY 23RD	<p>Disappearing Lines, Two Day Boat Building Workshops with Gail McGarva. The Hut, Reading Lassies, Wigtown 10am-4pm</p> <p>Book Club, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 7pm-9pm</p>
WEDNESDAY 24TH	

THURSDAY 25TH	<p>Meditation, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 12.30pm-1.30pm</p> <p>Book Club, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 2pm-4pm</p>
FRIDAY 26TH	
SATURDAY 27TH	<p>Wigtown Shindy, Wigtown, 11am-1pm</p> <p>Wigtown Market, Market Square, Wigtown. 10.00am-3.00pm</p> <p>Wigtownshire Young Writers with Imogen Stirling The Print Room, Wigtown 2pm-3pm</p> <p>Candy Opera + John McGlone, The Vault Arts Centre, Newton Stewart. 7pm</p>
SUNDAY 28TH	<p>Newton Stewart & District Angling Association Annual Charity Competition. Loch Ochiltree, Newton Stewart. 10am-5pm.</p> <p>Earwig, Swallow Theatre, Whithorn. 7.30pm</p>
MONDAY 29TH	Earwig, Swallow Theatre, Whithorn. 5pm.
TUESDAY 30TH	
WEDNESDAY 31ST	

RECURRING EVENTS

MONDAYS	<p>Aerobics, Sorbie Hall 9.45am and 11am</p> <p>Sacred Heart Catholic Church service, Wigtown 11am</p> <p>D&G Disability Sports Boccia, Merrick Leisure Centre. 6pm-7pm. All ages and abilities. £2.50. Contact Laura Vickers – 07795637689.</p> <p>Youthwork Project Junior Drop In, Kaos Café, Wigtown 5.30pm-7pm for young people in P7-S2</p> <p>Bridge Club, The View, Port William, 7.15pm</p>
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	<p>Machars Lions Club Bingo 7.30pm. 1st Monday in Sorbie Hall, 2nd,3rd & 4th in Maxwell Hall, Port William</p> <p>Aerobics, St Ninians Hall, Isle of Whithorn. 6pm</p> <p>Youthwork Peer Project, Drop in, Kaos Café, Wigtown. 7.00pm-8.30pm. For young people in S3-S6</p>
<p>TUESDAYS</p>	<p>Pop Up Café, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 9am-1.30pm</p> <p>Quilting Group, St Ninians Priory, 2.30pm (Alternate Tuesdays)</p> <p>Tai Chi, Kirkinner Hall, 10am-12noon. All ages welcome. Beginners always welcome. Contact Sue Casswell on 01988500380</p> <p>Ladies Cycle Group, 1.30pm-3pm. Weather permitting. Meet outside the County Buildings, Wigtown, Contact Susan on 07789303074 for more information.</p> <p>Fiddle Group, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn, 2pm-3pm</p> <p>Craft 'n Chat, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 2pm-4pm</p> <p>Tai Chi, Maxwell Hall, Port William 6.15pm-8.15pm</p> <p>Aerobics, St Ninians Hall, Isle of Whithorn. 6pm-7pm. £3.20 per session. Contact active.communities@dumgal.gov.uk</p> <p>Port William Bowling Club Open Sweepstake. April-September. 7pm. Visitors welcome</p> <p>Kirkcowan Bowling Club, Kirkcowan Village Hall 7.30pm. New members always welcome.</p>
<p>WEDNESDAYS</p>	<p>Log in Connect Group, Newton Stewart Centre, 10.30am-12.30pm</p> <p>Wigtown Parent & Toddler Group. Wigtown Parish Church Hall, Lochancroft Lane. 10.00-11.00am. Contact 07929029916 for details.(Term time only)</p>

	<p>Newton Tootin' Parent and Toddler Singing Group. The Vault Arts Centre, Newton Stewart. 10am-11am. Free</p> <p>Easiobics, Auchencmalg Hall, 1.30pm</p> <p>Priory Knit Wits. St Ninian's Priory, Whithorn. Wednesdays 1.30pm All welcome to knit/crochet for charities including maternity ward at DGRI, homeless people and care homes. Can't knit? We'll teach you!</p> <p>Easiobics Wigtown County Buildings, 6.30pm</p> <p>Happy Feet, Kaos Café, County Buildings, Wigtown, 6pm-8pm</p>
THURSDAYS	<p>Boy's Brigade, Anchors (P2 & P3) & Juniors (P4-P7), St Ninian's Priory, Whithorn. 5.30pm-6.30pm. Boys and Girls welcome.</p>
FRIDAYS	<p>Recovery Café, Penninghame Church Hall, 1pm-3pm. For anyone recovering from addiction, at any stage on the journey right from day one. Tea, coffee, friendship, support, activity. Run by NHS Community Recovery</p> <p>TFI Friday Women's Group, South Machars Community Centre, Whithorn. 7pm-9pm</p> <p>Port William Bowling Club Open Sweepstake, April-Sept 7pm. Visitors welcome.</p>
SATURDAYS	<p>Wigtown Market, Market Square, Wigtown. 10.00am-3.00pm</p>
SUNDAYS	<p>Wigtown Quakers, Meeting House, Wigtown at 11am (1st & 3rd Sundays. 2nd & 4th Sundays via Zoom)</p> <p>Wigtown Parish Church, Sunday Morning Services at 11.30am</p> <p>Wigtown Baptist Church, Sunday Morning Services at 11.30am</p> <p>Mochrum Kirk, Church Service at 11am</p> <p>Whithorn Priory, Church Service 10am</p> <p>Isle of Whithorn Church, Service 11.30am</p>

All Saints Challoch, Anglican Church, Service
10.30am

For more details on the above events, visit our events guide at:

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