



What's On

In & Around Tewkesbury 2023

The Roses Theatre.

Sun Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5NX

<https://www.rosestheatre.org>

The theatre hosts a wide-ranging programme of live events, music, comedy, cinema, and workshops throughout the year

Tel 01684 295074

Tewkesbury Abbey

The Abbey is open daily for visitors from 9am-4.30pm.

For details of services, music, talks, and events visit.

<https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk>

Guided Tours are held on Sundays at 12.30pm Tours last approx. 75 minutes. Cost £7 for adults (children under 16 free of charge) Advance tickets can be purchased from the Touching souls tearoom or bought on the day.

High Street Fine Food and Craft Markets

Sunday 22nd October 2023

Open 10am-4pm

Lots of beautiful, handcrafted items including pottery, jewellery, soaps, candles, artwork and photography. As well as deliciously tasty treats to enjoy around the market including brownies, cookies, cheese, samosas & fudge.

TEWKESBURY ABBEY

Advanced Warning

Electrical works in October

The Abbey's main electric distribution boards need to be replaced to comply with safety and insurance requirements. The work will begin on

Monday 9 October

and take between two and five weeks during which the Abbey will be

CLOSED

for services and to visitors.

In consultation with Father Nick, planning is underway for Sunday services to be held at Twynning and in the Parish Hall. Mid week services will be held in the Parish Hall and at Celebrate, and Choral Evensong will be held in Dean Close chapel.

Further information about October's services will be published in September. We hope that by closing the Abbey completely for at least two weeks the total length of the closure time will be reduced.

September

- 30th Guided walk of Tewkesbury with the Blue Badge Cotswold Guides. 11am Meet at Tewkesbury Abbey gates (opposite Bell Hotel) £10pp
www.cotswoldguides.org.uk/scheduled-walking-tours
- 30th Britpop and Beyond. Doors/ bar open 7.30pm – 11.30pm. Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5PX Tickets £10
<https://www.tohaveandtoholdrecords.com/>
- 30th Harvest Festival/ Winter is Coming (living History re-enactors) 11am-4pm Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>

October

- 1st Harvest Festival/ Winter is Coming (living History re-enactors) 11am-4pm Merchant's House, Church Street, Tewkesbury
<https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/>
- 1st Guided Battlefield Walk 10am Meet Abbey Gates, Abbey Lawns Car Park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury www.tewkesbury.org.uk
- 3rd From Fayre to Festival – The early days of Tewkesbury Medieval Festival by Jane Balaam. 7pm Tewkesbury Baptist Church, Station Road, Tewkesbury, GL20 5DR
- 4th Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey present a talk by Tim Jeffree – Changing Churches Updating churches for modern use. Abbey Hall 7pm Tickets £10

- 7th Enemies of the State? Baptists in Restoration England - Talk by Simon Lawton
11am The Old Baptist Chapel, Tewkesbury www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 7th Autumn Folk Music Concert series – A Folk Treble Concert (doors open
7.15pm) 7.45pm Old Baptist Chapel. Chapel Court, Barton Street,
Tewkesbury. Tickets £10 www.wegotickets.com/event/585438/
- 7th Matthew Coleridge – Requiem. Tewkesbury Abbey 7pm
<https://matthewcoleridge.com/tewkesbury/>
- 8th Sunday Afternoon stroll around the Alley, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.
Meet 2.30pm Warder's Alley High Street. £2.50pp walks lasts approx. 2 hours
- 9th & 10th** **Tewkesbury Mop Fair**
- 12th Tewkesbury Civic Society Illustrated Talk. Gloucester City – The Cathedral
Quarter Regeneration Project by Claire Dovey-Evans. 7.30pm The Library. Sun
Street, Tewkesbury.
- 14th Tudor Living History Tours 11.30am & 2.30pm The Merchant's House,
Tewkesbury www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 6th-15th Cheltenham Literature Festival
<https://www.cheltenhamfestivals.com/literature>
- 21st Discovering Bats Day. 10.30am-11.30am, 11.45am-12.45pm and 2.15pm-
3.15pm Old Baptist Chapel, Tewkesbury www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 21st Wrong Jovi Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5PX
<https://tewkesburytowncouncil.gov.uk/events/category/whats-on/>
- 22nd Tewkesbury High Street Fine Food & Craft Market 10am-4pm
www.cotswoldmarkets.com
- 22nd Sunday Afternoon stroll around the Alley, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury.
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- 22nd – 29th Batsford Arboretum, Photography Workshop
- 28th All Hallows' Eve(ish) Spooky Tales Tours 6pm and 7pm The Merchant's
House. www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 28th Southwest Wrestling - Dusk till dawn (2 shows) 3pm and 7pm Watson Hall,
Barton Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5PX www.southwestwrestling.co.uk
- 28th-29th Autumn Showcase Gala <https://www.gwsr.com/>
- 28th & 29th Annual Gift & Craft Fair. Nature in Art. Twigworth, GL2 9PA
<https://natureinart.org.uk/>
- 29th Record Fair (Vinyls, CDs, cassettes and literature) 10am-3pm Wheatpieces
Community Centre, Columbine Road, Walton Cardiff, Tewkesbury, GL20 7SP

November

- 1st & 2nd Half Term Holiday Crafts - Toilet Roll Animals 10am-12noon Old Baptist
Chapel, Tewkesbury www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 4th Rallye Prescott Prescott, Gotherington, Glos, GL52 9RD
<https://www.prescotthillclimb.co.uk/event-calendar>
- 4th Tudor Living History Tours 11.30am and 2.30pm The Merchants House
www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 4th Tewkesbury Rotary Club Annual Bonfire and Firework display. The Vineyards

- 5th Sunday Afternoon stroll around the Alley, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. Meet 2.30pm Warder's Alley High Street. £2.50pp walks lasts approx. 2 hours
- 5th Guided Battlefield Walk 10am Meet Abbey Gates, Abbey Lawns Car Park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury www.tewkesbury.org.uk
- 10th Drag Bingo with Ceri Dupree. Hilton Puckrup Hall, Tewkesbury 7.30pm (over 18s only)
- 17th Back to the 70s Disco. Door/bar open from 7pm -11.30pm Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury <https://tewkesburytowncouncil.gov.uk/events/>
- 18th Tudor Costumed Tours. 11.30am & 2.30pm Merchants House, Church Street, Tewkesbury <https://www.johnmooremuseum.org/events/>
- 19th Tewkesbury Christmas Market and Light switch on <https://www.tewkesburychristmaslights.com/>
- 19th & 20th Living History Tudor Christmas 12pm-6pm The Merchants House. www.johnmooremuseum.org
- 23rd Autumn Folk Music Concert series – Sarah McQuaid (doors open 7.30pm) 8pm Old Baptist Chapel. Chapel Court, Barton Street, Tewkesbury. Tickets £14 in advance / £16 on door www.wegottickets.com/event/585245/
- 24th-30th Dec Spectacle of Lights. Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe <https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events/spectacle-of-light>
- 25th-23rd Dec Santa Express. <https://www.gwsr.com/events/santa-express>
- 25th (TBC) Tewkesbury Abbey Christmas Fayre
- 26th Christmas Fayre. Croft Farm Water Park
- 26th The Roses Choir Carol Concert. 3pm Roses Theatre. Sun Street, Tewkesbury www.rosestheatre.org

December

- Until 23rd Dec Santa Express. <https://www.gwsr.com/events/santa-express>
- Until 30th Dec Spectacle of Lights. Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe <https://sudeleycastle.co.uk/events/spectacle-of-light>
- 2nd- 6th Jan Beauty & The Beast Pantomime. Roses Theatre, Sun Street, Tewkesbury www.rosestheatre.org
- 2nd Tewkesbury Choral Society Concert. Tewkesbury Abbey 7.30pm <http://www.tewkesburychoral.org.uk/concerts/>
- 3rd Guided Battlefield Walk 10am Meet Abbey Gates, Abbey Lawns Car Park, Gander Lane, Tewkesbury www.tewkesbury.org.uk
- 3rd Sunday Afternoon stroll around the Alley, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. Meet 2.30pm Warder's Alley High Street. £2.50pp walks lasts approx. 2 hours
- 8th-9th Winchcombe Christmas Festival & Market <https://www.winchcombe.co.uk/>
- 9th Tewkesbury Town Christmas Concert. 7.30pm Roses Theatre. Sun Street, Tewkesbury www.rosestheatre.org
- 9th Meatloud. Watson Hall, Barton Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5PX <https://tewkesburytowncouncil.gov.uk/events/category/whats-on/>
- 16th Sponge – The Xmas Bash. Watson Hall. Barton Street, Tewkesbury. Doors open 6.30pm www.wegottickets.com/event/590433
- 17th Sunday Afternoon stroll around the Alley, Courts and Lanes of Tewkesbury. Meet 2.30pm Warder's Alley High Street. £2.50pp walks lasts approx. 2 hours

- 21st The Albion Band. 7.30pm Roses Theatre, Sun Street, Tewkesbury
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