


What's On



Amber Valley

The Heart of Derbyshire

February 2012

Compiled by Amber Valley Borough Council Regeneration Unit - Tourism

Date	Description
3 Fri	<p>Live & Local - The Atlantics Village Hall, Heage, nr Belper</p> <p>Get on your blue suede shoes for The Atlantics are bringing their rock 'n' roll party to your local venue for a night full of retro glamour! 7.30pm -9.30pm. Suitable for 8yrs +. Limited car parking. £10.00 per ticket. Contact Mrs V Newey tel 01773 853358, visit www.liveandlocal.org.uk.</p>
4 Sat	<p>Antique Valuations Denby Pottery Visitors Centre Crafts Corner, Derby Road, Denby</p> <p>Valuations of Denby and other antique items take place on the first Saturday morning in the month in the visitor centre reception between 10.00am and 12 noon. The Valuations are by Bamfords Auctioneers of Derby and are free (limited to 3 items per person). No need to book just turn up. For enquiries contact Denby Pottery Visitor Centre reception tel 01773 740799, visit www.denby.co.uk</p>
9 Thu	<p>Live & Local - Oh, Lady Be Good Florence Nightingale Memorial Hall, Holloway</p> <p>Award-winning Australian singing sensation, Melissa Western. A feast of music; ranging from folk and opera to jazz and rock. 7.30pm -9.30pm. Suitable for 9yrs +. £9.00 in advance/£10.00 on the door. Ccontact: Tel 01773 856545, visit www.liveandlocal.org.uk.</p>

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9 Thu	<p>Live & Local - How Steeple Sinderby Wanderers Won the FA Cup Heanor Baptist Church, Heanor</p> <p>New Perspectives Theatre present the uplifting tale of football's ultimate underdog, rivetingly told in this funny and touching one-man show. 7.30pm - 9.30pm. £8.00 / £6.00 (OAP) / £6.00 (Full time education). Suitable for 15yrs +. For further information contact: David Howe tel 01773 718676, visit www.liveandlocal.org.uk.</p>
11 Sat	<p>Family Spring Bulb Planting Strutt's North Mill, Derwent Valley Visitor Centre, Bridgfoot, Belperll, DE56 1YD</p> <p>Re-planting the flower borders in front of the mill. Help with the planting, have a free hot drink and biscuit and earn a voucher for reduced price admittance to the North Mill tours. Subject to reasonable weather conditions. Free admission. Phone the mill to check beforehand. 11.45am - 1.00pm. For further details contact Strutt's North Mill tel 01773 880474, email info@belpernorthmill.org.uk, visit belpernorthmill.org.</p>
11- 12 Sat - Sun	<p>Family Activities: Valentines Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, DE22 5JH</p> <p>Make cards and special gifts for the loved ones in your life. 11.00am - 4.00pm. Child £2.00 (activities). Normal admission charges apply. Contact: National Trust tel 01332 842191, email kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk, visit www.nationaltrust.org.uk.</p>
11- 19 Sat - Sun	<p>Children's Half Term Nature Trail Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, DE22 5JH</p> <p>Explore the parkland and spot plants and wildlife on our self guided trail. Normal admission charges apply. 11.00am - 4.00pm. Contact: National Trust tel 01332 842191, email kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk, visit www.nationaltrust.org.uk.</p>
11- 19 Sat - Sun	<p>Half Term Trams and Get Crafty Activities Crich Tramway Village, Crich, Matlock, DE4 5DP</p> <p>Trams are running throughout half term week 11 - 19 February, opening times from 10.30am - 4.30pm.</p> <p>Get Crafty is a week of children's craft activities each week day from 13 - 17 February taking place in the Learning Centre. Programme includes Mon and Tue (Paper Art), Wed (nest box building and bird feeders). Thurs and Fri (Rocking birds). No need to book just turn up and join in. For further information contact Tel: 01773 854321 Email: enquiries@tramway.co.uk Web: www.tramway.co.uk.</p>

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11 - 19	Diesel Multiple Units
Sat - Sun	<p>Midland Railway Centre, Butterley Station, Ripley</p> <p>Trains are running every day during the half term holiday. We will be using one of our Diesel Multiple Units so you can get a driver's eye view of the line and see the driver at work. Five trains are departing from Butterley between 11.00am and 2.50pm. Free hot drinks are available from the buffet at Butterley. Passengers can look around the railway museum and shed at Swanwick. A demonstration Signal Box and see progress on many new projects. For further information contact: tel 01773 747674, visit www.midlandrailwaycentre.co.uk.</p>
12	Special Valentine's Day Lunch
Sun	<p>Midland Railway Centre, Butterley Station, Ripley</p> <p>There will be a special Valentine's Day Carvery lunch on Sunday February 12. Lunch served from 12.00pm, booking required. Train tickets can be purchased on the day. For further information call at the booking office or tel 01773 570140, email midland.railway@btconnect.com.</p>
13 - 19	Half Term Fun
Mon - Sun	<p>Denby Pottery Visitors Centre Crafts Corner, Derby Road, Denby</p> <p>Enjoy lots of fun during half term week. Fully guided sessions will be geared especially for children with plenty of 'hands on' activities suitable for all the family, including making a clay souvenir to take home and painting on plates. Adults £5.25, Children/Senior Citizens £4.25. If you want to keep a pot you've painted on the 'fire to keep charge' the cost is £5.99 (normally £7.95). Tours are at 11.00am, 12.00pm, 2.00pm, 3.00pm daily, booking available. For further information tel 01773 740799, visit www.denby.co.uk.</p>
15	Textile Workshop (1)
Wed	<p>Strutts North Mill, Derwent Valley Visitor Centre, Bridgfoot, Belperll, DE56 1YD</p> <p>Learn how to make simple & beautiful textile creations. Demonstrations & help throughout the morning. 10.15am - 1.00pm. Adults: £6.50, Children: free. Numbers limited, book at least a week in advance. For further information contact: Derwent Valley Visitor Centre tel 01773 880474, email info@belpernorthmill.org.uk, visit belpernorthmill.org.</p>
16	Bird Box Making
Thu	<p>Kedleston Hall, Kedleston, Derby, DE22 5JH</p> <p>Make a bird box for the feathered friends visiting your garden this spring. 11.00am - 3.00pm. All tickets £6.00 (per bird box). Normal admission charges apply. For further information: contact tel 01332 842191, email kedlestonhall@nationaltrust.org.uk, visit www.nationaltrust.org.uk.</p>

Date	Description
19 Sun	<p>The Birds and the Bees - Special Event - National Nest Box Week</p> <p>Shipley Country Park, Slack Lane, Shipley, nr Heanor, DE75 7GX</p> <p>Join the countryside service to build a bird box during the morning session and/or a bug box on the afternoon session. 10.30am - 12.00pm and 1.30pm - 3.00pm. £6.00 per box. Parking charges apply. Prepayment & Booking essential - Call Derbyshire 08456 058 058. Children must be accompanied by an adult. For more information and booking contact Shipley Country Park, call 01773 719961, visit www.derbyshire.gov.uk/leisure/countryside.</p>

Whilst every care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of this information, Amber Valley Borough Council cannot be held responsible for any errors or omissions that may have occurred. Please contact the event organiser directly to confirm details, prior to travel.

Should you wish your event to be considered for entry into this listing please send details to the tourism@ambervalley.gov.uk. We retain the right to edit details or decline inclusion.

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