



**September**

- ✓ **Wed 3**      **19.30**      **A Cartoon History of Here**, Cornerstone. Audience contributes to create a local history in wit & cartoons. All ages 7+. Adult £12, concession £10, family £40. Box Office: 01491 823823.
- ✓ **Fri 5**      **20.00**      **Mayor's Charity BBQ & Dance**, Civic Hall. Tickets £6 from One-Stop-Shop ([www.didcot.gov.uk](http://www.didcot.gov.uk)).
- ✓ **Fri 5**      **21.00 - 01.00**      Club Rio, Didcot Football Club. **Over 30s disco (DJ Gary)**. Adult £5. Info 07789 428795.
- ✓ **Sat 6**      **11.30 - 16.30**      **Open Day**, Restore, Fleet Meadow. Stalls, activities, live music.
- ✓ **Sat 6**      **14.00 - 16.30**      **Upton Village Fete**. Blewbury band, dog agility, stalls, teas, etc. Free. 01235 850486.
- ✓ **Sun 7**      **11.00 - 14.00**      **Autumn Reflection**, Northmoor Trust. Shared readings, stories, quiet reflections. Adult £4, not suitable for children. Booking required: 01865 407792 ([www.northmoortrust.co.uk](http://www.northmoortrust.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Mon 8**      **10.00 - 16.00**      **Nature & Nurture**, Science Oxford, St. Clements, Oxford. Genes, free will, science & ethics of genetics. £3. Daily until 31 October. 01865 728953 ([www.ostrust.org.uk](http://www.ostrust.org.uk)).
- ✓ **Th 11**      **19.00**      **Water Matters**, Northmoor Trust. Discussion on local drought, flood, water conservation. Adult £3, children free. Booking required: 01865 407792 ([www.northmoortrust.co.uk](http://www.northmoortrust.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Fri 12 - Su 14 days**      **Dorchester Abbey Music Festival**. 01865 305305 ([www.ticketsoxford.co.uk](http://www.ticketsoxford.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Sat 13**      **08.30 - 13.30**      **Thames Valley Farmers' Market**, Orchard Centre.
- ✓ **Sat 13**      **day**      **Henley Show**, incl. Royal Signals Motorcycle Display Team ([www.thehenleyshow.com](http://www.thehenleyshow.com)).
- ✓ **Sat 13**      **day**      **Wallingford Town Regatta**, Riverside Meadows. ([www.wallingford-town-regatta.org.uk](http://www.wallingford-town-regatta.org.uk)).
- ✓ **Sun 14**      **10.30 - 15.00**      **Family open day**, Sutton Courtenay Environmental Education Centre. Arts, crafts, trails, pond dipping. No dogs. Adult £1, child 50p, cyclists free. Car parking at RM ([www.bbowl.org.uk](http://www.bbowl.org.uk)).
- ✓ **Sun 14**      **14.00**      **Ramblers' Walk**. 7 miles from Upper Cross, East Hagbourne. 01235 813326.
- ✓ **Th 18**      **08.00 - 18.00**      **Thame Agricultural Show**, Thame Showground. 01844 212737 ([www.thameshow.co.uk](http://www.thameshow.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Th 18**      **19.00**      **Another Kind of Silence**, Northmoor Trust. Performance about use of chemicals in environment. Adult £8. Booking required: 01865 407792 ([www.northmoortrust.co.uk](http://www.northmoortrust.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Fri 19**      **various**      Talking Science lecture series '**Engineering for Life**', RAL, Harwell site. Suitable 7+. Fun demos/ audience interaction. 10.30/13.30/19.00. Free. Booking essential: 01235 445959 ([www.stfc.ac.uk](http://www.stfc.ac.uk)).
- ✓ **Fri 19**      **19.30**      **"Choices"**, Aquarius Holistic Therapy Centre, Harwell Campus. Introduction to Shamanism in the 21st century. £5 inc. Refreshments. Book via [choicesforyou99@yahoo.com](mailto:choicesforyou99@yahoo.com).
- ✓ **Fri 19**      **20.00**      Red Hot Blues Club present **The Baby John Band**, hall above Didcot Labour Club. Adult £5, concession £3 on door. E-mail [redhotblues@ntlworld.com](mailto:redhotblues@ntlworld.com) or call 01235 210840 for more info.
- ✓ **Sat 20**      **20.00 - 24.00**      Didcot Stagecoach Country & Western Club present **Capricorn**, Civic Hall. Bar. Entry £6.
- ✓ **Sat 20**      **09.00 - 12.00**      Didcot First runs the 2nd **Street Olympix**. Following GB's success in Beijing, come and find out about sport in our local area... ([www.didcotfirst.org.uk](http://www.didcotfirst.org.uk))
- ✓ **Mon 22**      **10.30 - 12.00**      **Tai Chi**. New class starts at Methodist Church Hall. 01491 652391 ([www.threetreasurestaiji.co.uk](http://www.threetreasurestaiji.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Mon 22**      **13.30/16.15**      **Blood Donor Sessions**, Civic Hall.
- ✓ **Th 25 - Sat 27** **19.30**      Phoenix Drama Group '**Art you being served?**'. Also Saturday matinee 14.30. Adult £6, concession £4 from Civic Hall or Newbury Building Society ([www.didcotphoenixdrama.co.uk](http://www.didcotphoenixdrama.co.uk))
- ✓ **Th 25**      **19.30**      **The Descent of the Dinosaurs**, Science Oxford, St. Clements, Oxford. How rocks & fossils can unlock secrets about the dinosaurs. £3. 01865 728953 ([www.ostrust.org.uk](http://www.ostrust.org.uk)).
- ✓ **Fri 26**      **10.00 - 14.00**      **Coffee Morning**, Didcot Library. Drop in for free refreshments.
- ✓ **Sat 27**      **10.00 - 12.00**      **Dads' Zone**, Children's Centre, Freeman Road. 01235 812969, [chcentre.2594@stephen-freeman.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:chcentre.2594@stephen-freeman.oxon.sch.uk).
- ✓ **Sat 27**      **11.00 - 23.00**      **Choko Beer Festival**, Laurence Hall, Cholsey. Real ales/lagers, food, live music. Families welcome. No dogs. Profits to Style Acre/Choko ([www.chokobeerfestival.org.uk](http://www.chokobeerfestival.org.uk)).
- ✓ **Sun 28**      **11.00 - 14.00**      **What can you make from wood?**, Northmoor Trust. Child £7, adult free. Booking required: 01865 407792 ([www.northmoortrust.co.uk](http://www.northmoortrust.co.uk)).
- ✓ **Sun 28**      **11.00 - 17.00**      **Fashion Recycled** adult workshop, Cornerstone. Deconstruct/reconstruct everyday clothing ahead of the Love Clothes Show. £36. Booking essential on 01491 823823 ([www.cornerstone-arts.org](http://www.cornerstone-arts.org)).
- ✓ **Tu 30**      **20.00**      **Didcot Arts' Society**, Small Hall, Civic Hall. Jonathan Newey demonstrates pen & watercolour wash. Visitors welcome. 01235 812976.

**October highlights**

- ✓ **Sat 11**      **19.30**      **Love Clothes Fashion Show**, Cornerstone, brought to you by **Didcot First in partnership with Helen & Douglas House**. A fashion show with a difference: fairtrade, organic, vintage, retro, reused, recycled. If you love clothes, love the planet and love a great night out this is for you! Adult £7, concession £5. Tickets from Cornerstone 01491 823823. ([www.cornerstone-arts.org](http://www.cornerstone-arts.org)).
- ✓ **Sat 25**      **day**      Didcot First's **Science Event**, Orchard Centre: come and be intrigued!

If you are in charge of an event that is open to the public, send details to [alison@didcotfirst.org.uk](mailto:alison@didcotfirst.org.uk)

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