

Thursday 1st June Woodland Explorers

10.00am to 12.00pm – Swadlincote Woodlands A family friendly wildlife walk. Explore and look for minibeasts, butterflies and dragonflies. Meet in the Car Park by play area. All children to be accompanied by an adult. Booking Essential contact Marion Farrell at Groundwork Email marion.farrell@groundworknottingham.org.uk or



TCV Conservation Action Day

10.00am - Swadlincote Woodlands Meet in the Car Park.

Saturday 17th June Flora Walk and Talk

10.00am to 12.30pm - Swadlincote Woodlands £5 per person charge. Booking Essential.

Email: parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk Meet in the Car Park.



Saturday 24 - Sunday 25 June 11:30am - 5pm

A fun filled weekend for all the family. Enjoy main arena entertainment, fairground rides, music, crafts, the Magic Attic and more in the idyllic surroundings of Maurice Lea Memorial Park.

July

Tuesday 4th July

TCV Conservation Action Day

10.00am - Swadlincote Woodlands Meet in the Car Park.

Wednesday 19th July **Liberation Day**

1.30pm to 4.00pm - Maurice Lea Memorial Park An afternoon of live Big Band music, tea and cake, advice, information, guest speakers and taster sessions from your local services for residents aged over 60 of South Derbyshire.

Monday 24th July

Play Mobile, Adventure Mobile, **Sports Mobile**

1.00pm to 4.00pm – Eureka Park First in a series of Playscheme events.

Thursday 27th July Adventure Mobile

10.00am to 12.00pm - Newhall Park



Sunday 30th July Music in the Park

2.00pm to 4.00pm – Maurice Lea Memorial Park Live music in the Bandstand. Bring along a picnic.

Tuesday 1st August

TCV Conservation Action Day

10.00am - Swadlincote Woodlands Meet in the Car Park.

Wednesday 2nd August Beautiful Butterflies

2.00pm to 4.00pm – Swadlincote Woodlands Family activities - Led walk and then take part in our butterfly crafts.

Thursday 3rd August Project P@rk

6.00pm to 8.00pm - Maurice Lea Memorial Park Youth session for 11-17 year olds. A safe space to hang out with friends and join in with various activities.

Tuesday 8th August Sports Mobile

2.00pm to 4.00pm - Eureka Park

Wednesday 9th August Wacky Wednesday Play, Adventure and Sports Mobile along with Music in the Park

1.00pm to 4.00pm – Maurice Lea Memorial Park Live music in the Bandstand, bring along a picnic. Family fun for all.

Thursday 10th August Dinosaur Explorer

11.00am to 1.00pm - Eureka Park Love Exploring Dinosaur Virtual Experience and Family Activity Trail.

Thursday 10th August Project P@rk

6.00pm to 8.00pm - Newhall Park



Hot food ice cream and other refreshments available.

Monday 14th August

Adventure Mobile

2.00pm to 4.00pm - Maurice Lea Memorial Park

Thursday 17th August Project P@rk

6.00pm to 8.00pm - Eureka Park Youth session for 11-17 year olds. A safe space to hang out with friends and join in with various activities.

Monday 21st August

Play Mobile and Sports Mobile

2.00pm to 4:00pm - Newhall Park

Tuesday 22nd August Adventure Mobile

2.00pm to 4.00pm - Eureka Park

September

Tuesday 5th September **TCV Conservation Action Day**

10.00am - Swadlincote Woodlands

Meet in the Car Park.

Tuesday 3rd October

October

TCV Conservation Action Day

10.00am - Swadlincote Woodlands Meet in the Car Park.

Saturday 28th October **Funai Walk**

10.00am to 12.30pm - Coton Park Nature Reserve Led walk with Fungi expert. £5 charge per person. Booking Essential.

Email: parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk Meet in Badgers Hollow Car Park.

Featured activity groups

Swadlincote junior parkrun

A 2k run for juniors only (4-14 year olds). It is held every Sunday at 9am. Venue - Maurice Lea Memorial Park

This is a free activity but please register at http://www.parkrun.org.uk/swadlincote-juniors,

Don't forget to bring a printed copy of your barcode. Please come along and join in whatever

Senior Adults Tennis Group

Free Tennis sessions for over 50s every Tuesday morning between 10am and 12noon at Maurice Lea Memorial Park. Borrow kit for free or bring your own. Friendly group of players of mixed

New members always welcome. For further information contact: The Parklife Officer, Tel: 01283 228766

Email: parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk

Senior Adults Bowls Group

Free bowls sessions for over 50s Thursday afternoons (summer) between 2pm and 4pm at Maurice Lea Memorial Park. Borrow kit for free or bring your own bowls. Friendly group of players of mixed ability.

New members always welcome. For further information contact: The Parklife Officer, Tel: 01283 228766

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Regular wildlife themed events for those volunteers with a wildlife interest, including Butterfly and Wildlife surveys and identification

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TCV Conservation Action Days

Join the Conservation Volunteers at Swadlincote Woodlands.
Tools and tea provided.
Please bring lunch and remember to wear suitable clothing. Email Amanda James at TCV amanda.james@tcv.org.uk.



FREE Forest School activities for 12 yrs plus

Weekly sessions starting every Wednesday from 26 July to 30 August as part of a 6-week course.
For more information, contact
Environmental Education Project.
Tel: 01283 535039
Email: rosliston@southderbyshire.gov.uk.





3:00-4:00 EXPERIENCED SKATERS

2:00-3:00 SKATEBOARD BEGINNERS (OVER 12'S)

SUITABLE FOR AGES 5+, UNDER 8'S MUST ATTEND WITH A RESPONSIBLE ADULT EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE TO BORROW











Club Activities in your Parks

Eureka Park

Eureka Park Bowls Contact: Lee Fearn 07904 000743 Email: lee.fearnlf@googlemail.com

Newhall Park

Squirrels, Beavers, Cubs and Scouts

Newhall 1st Squirrel Scouts (4-6yrs) - Saturday Newhall 1st Beaver Scouts (6-8 years) – Monday Newhall 1st Cub Scouts (8-10 years) – Monday Newhall 1st Scouts (10.5 – 14 years) – Thursday

Contact: Ian Goodall Email: 1st,newhall@southderbyshirescouts.org

Lamb Inn Bowls Club

Contact: David Walton 01283 222680

Royal Oak Amateur Boxing Club and Fitness Centre

Opening Times:
Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 6:00pm – 8:00pm
Sunday: 10:00am – 12:30pm
Contact: George Balfour 07714 106562
Email: P2rgy@yahoo.co.uk

Don't forget

The parks in this leaflet are also a great place to have an informal picnic or kick around. Get a group of friends together and have fun! Remember they are free to visit.

Get involved in your park

If you would like to join a Friends of the Park group or have ideas to improve your park, contact the Parklife Officer, 01283 228766

Free Tennis

You can play Tennis free of charge, 7 days a week, at Eureka Park and Maurice Lea Memorial Park.

Pay and Play

You can pay and play for activities on the following parks. Eureka Park – Crazy Golf and Bowls. Maurice Lea Memorial Park – Bowls. See www.southderbyshire.gov.uk for further details.

Use your Park!

Hold your own event in one of the parks listed, or rent the Bandstand at Maurice Lea Memorial Park. Phone the South

Arts in the Parks

Music, crafts, painting, drama and dance don't have to happen in big buildings - enjoy culture in the open air!
Concerts, photography, theatre, exhibitions, performance, film-making, poetry, sculpture - use our great parks to get involved in creative activities. If you are inspired to organise your own arts events phone Parks and Green Spaces on 01283 595782 or email parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk

Outdoor Learning

The parks are a great place to explore, discover, learn and have fun at the same time. Contact the Environmental Education team for help with outdoor learning ideas, resources, activities or teaching staff. We also have various themed outreach sessions and loans boxes available to use in the parks, woodlands and other outdoor spaces. Park packs include old maps and photographs, park information, activity ideas, self-led trails and information about the history of the parks. Phone: 01283 535039. Email: rosliston@southderbyshire.gov.uk for more information

Heritage

If you would like to discover more about the historical background of Swadlincote's public parks, then the "Magic Attic" at Sharpe's Pottery Museum is an excellent place to start. Phone: 01283 819020.

Active South Derbyshire

For other Sport and Health opportunities in South Derbyshire phone 01283 595701 or visit www.southderbyshire.gov.uk

Rosliston Forestry Centre

Something for everyone in The National Forest. Outdoor activity, environmental education, sculptures, ponds, lakes, woods, walk trails, log cabins and open air entertainment at 'The Glade'. For details of the full programme of events and activities go to www.roslistonforestrycentre.co.uk











