

South Derbyshire parklife

activities for all in the open air

June

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 by mobile 07801 122 494



Tuesday 6th June 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.



Maurice Lea Memorial Park Church Gresley

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

FESTIVAL OF LEISURE

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

Love Parks is the year round celebration of parks and green spaces.

LOVE PARKS WEEK

Friday 28 July – Friday 4 August

Get out and enjoy your local parks. www.loveparksweek.org.uk

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.

August

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

Maurice Lea Memorial Park Church Gresley

Sunday 13 August 2pm to 6pm

PROMS IN THE PARK

An afternoon of music from local bands in the 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.

October

Tuesday 3rd October TCV Conservation Action Day

10.00am - Swadlincote Woodlands
Meet in the Car Park.

Saturday 28th October Fungi Walk

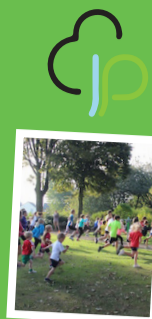
10.00am to 12.30pm - Coton Park Nature Reserve
Led walk with Fungi expert. £5 charge per person. Booking Essential. Email: parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk
Meet in Badgers Hollow Car Park.



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/> before your first run. Don't forget to bring a printed copy of your barcode. Please come along and join in whatever your pace!



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 ability. 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 Email: parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk



Swadlincote Woodlands Wildlife Volunteer Events

Regular wildlife themed events for those volunteers with a wildlife interest, including Butterfly and Wildlife surveys and identification sessions. For further information contact: The Parklife Officer, Tel: 01283 228766 Email: parksandgreenspaces@southderbyshire.gov.uk



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 for details at 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



SUMMER SKATEBOARD COACHING

1:00-2:00 SKATEBOARD BEGINNERS (UNDER 12'S)
2:00-3:00 SKATEBOARD BEGINNERS (OVER 12'S)
3:00-4:00 EXPERIENCED SKATERS

TUESDAY 25 JULY, SWADLINCOTE SKATE PARK, OFF COMMON RD, DE11 8EG.
WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST, HATTON SKATE PARK, SCROPTON RD PLAYING FIELD, DE65 5QN.
THURSDAY 10 AUGUST, SWADLINCOTE SKATE PARK, OFF COMMON RD, DE11 8EG.
TUESDAY 15 AUGUST, HILTON SKATE PARK, PEACROFT LN, DE65 5GH.
WEDNESDAY 23 AUGUST, NEWHALL SKATE PARK, ORCHARD ST, DE11 0JX.

SKATE JAM, 10AM-3PM
TUESDAY 29 AUGUST, SWADLINCOTE SKATE PARK, OFF COMMON RD, DE11 8EG.

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

