

HEADINGTON SCHOOLS PARTNERSHIP : extended learning for all ages



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FOR FAMILIES

from Friends of Hill End

FAMILY BUSHCRAFT

The Hill End Centre, Eynsham Road, OX2 9NJ

Saturday 7 May 10.30-1.00, 2.00-4.30

build a shelter – test its efficacy – forage for edible plants - light a fire – cook a stew – and a bread damper – and toast marshmallows

adults £10/£15 children £5/£6 capped at £30/£42 (members of Friends of Hill End/non-members)

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/family-bushcraft-1030-100-and-200-430-tickets-313089327607>

BADGER WATCH

Wytham Wood, Wytham, OX2 8QQ

Saturday 7 May 6.30-9.00

an outdoor evening to learn about the lives of badgers and hopefully watch them playing, outside the sett – sighting sadly not guaranteed!

adults £5/£7.50 children £2/£3 (members of Friends of Hill End/non-members)

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/badger-watch-in-wytham-woods-tickets-310805787477?aff=erelpanelorg>

SCIENCE OXFORD

The Science Oxford Centre, Stansfeld Park, Quarry Rd, OX3 8SB

check out the website for details of all events – every Saturday – book early – often fully booked

FAMILY DAYS - sessions every Saturday at 10.00-12.00, 12.30-2.30, 3.00-5.00

£6 per person or £20 for a family ticket (4 people, must include 1 adult) under 3s free

SATURDAY SCIENCE CLUBS

monthly Saturdays

for ages 5-9

next on 21 May Colour catchers 10.00 - 11.30, 12.30 – 2.00, 3.00-4.30

£8 + booking fee per child – accompanying adult free

NEW! NATURE LAB *exploring Stansfeld Park outdoors* monthly Saturdays

for ages 5-9

next on 7 May Tree twin 10.00 - 11.30, 12.30 – 2.00, 3.00-4.30

1 child + free adults £8 2 children + free adults £15 3 children + free adults £22

CREATIVE COMPUTING CLUB

occasional Saturdays

next on 14 May Moonbuggies *for ages 9-12*

10.00 - 11.30, 12.30 – 2.00, 3.00-4.30 £8 + booking fee per child – accompanying adult free - *a few places left*

ARTI-TECHS After School club for young people in Y7-Y9 Tuesdays 3.30-5.30

Learn new arts and tech skills, make friends and have fun! Work towards both Arts Award and CREST Award certificates. Our free after school club for young people aged 11-14 runs every Tuesday at the Science Oxford Centre. Code, craft and create – work on cool projects and designs including creative coding and micro:bits, computer-aided design for a Cricut machine, laser-cutter and 3D printer; soldering and circuits, woodworking, filmmaking with our green screen; stop motion animation and much more.

Registration of interest is currently open for our summer and autumn terms.

To join the list, please complete the form here: surveyMonkey.com/r/artitechs

booking essential for all events www.scienceoxford.com 01865 810 000 info@scienceoxford.com

join the mailing list for early notification of events

MINDGROWING : OXFORD UNIVERSITY'S MUSEUMS

<http://mindgrowing.org/>

OXFORD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY <https://www.oumnh.ox.ac.uk/>

Parks Road, OX1 3PW

<https://oumnh.ox.ac.uk/events> – FREE ENTRY

SCIENCE SATURDAY

Saturday 30 April 2.00-4.00 and every Saturday

Meet scientists to investigate real natural history specimens from the collection - designed for ages 8+.

drop in, no booking required.

<https://oumnh.ox.ac.uk/event/science-saturdays-20>

FAMILY FRIENDLY SUNDAYS Sunday 1 May 2.00-4.00 and every Sunday

Family friendly trails, crafts, and more, all provided by Museum volunteers. *drop in, no booking required – FREE*

<https://oumnh.ox.ac.uk/event/family-friendly-sundays-41>

LATE NIGHT – A BUZZ IN THE AIR **Friday 27 May** **7.00-10.00**

Enjoy the Museum of Natural History and the Pitt Rivers at night! Immerse yourself in other worlds – both insect and human! Lights, music, activities, a bar, and more...

Like a moth to a flame, find yourself drawn into the world of insects at our *Late Night* event. Inspired by our HOPE for the Future project, *Late Night: A Buzz in the Air* celebrates the Museum's incredible insect collection through music, crafts, short talks, and much, much more! This entertaining entomological evening is run in partnership with the Pitt Rivers Museum, which is celebrating the *other worlds of humans*.

This event is brought to you by the **HOPE for the Future Project**, which is funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund, thanks to National Lottery players.

<https://oumnh.ox.ac.uk/event/museums-at-night...-a-buzz-in-the-air>

SCIENCE SISTERS **Monday 30 – Tuesday 31 May** **1.00 - 4.00**

Celebrate some of the female scientists who have made important scientific discoveries and changed the way we think about the world, with crafts and specimen handling, suitable for all ages **drop-in, no booking needed**

<https://oumnh.ox.ac.uk/event/science-sisters-0>

ASHMOLEAN MUSEUM

Beaumont Street OX1 2PH

In the museum, try the interactive Ashmolean Adventure multimedia guide – pre-book on line – or pick up a family trail when you arrive. Also find puzzles, craft activities, videos and more to enjoy from home.

<https://www.ashmolean.org/families>

HARCOURT ARBORETUM **SPRING FAIR**

Peacock Gate, Nuneham Courtenay, OX44 9PX

Saturday 14 May 10.00-4.00

Immerse yourself in wonderful surroundings, enjoy some cheerful music and taste delicious local produce at the Spring Fair! There will be a selection of food and drink including a pig roast, ice-cream and vegetarian and vegan options. Children can have a go at craft activities and meet some farmyard animals. In addition to this, there will a fantastic selection of plants for sale, which have been specially propagated by Oxford Botanic Garden.

The Spring Fair and Plant Sale is part of **Fascination of Plants Day 2022**, with events taking place across the world throughout the whole month of May. This will showcase the importance of plant science for nutritious food, horticulture, forestry and the production of plant-based non-food products such as paper, timber, chemicals, energy and pharmaceuticals

entry charge : £6.30 adult children under 16 free book on line

<https://www.obga.ox.ac.uk/event/spring-fair-2022>

NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN BARTON : STRONG STANCE

As part of the **Life Chance Programme**, **Project PT** is coming to Barton Neighbourhood Centre **every Thursday from 6.00 to 7.00** to deliver the **Strong Stance** programme. It is an opportunity for any young people aged 11-17 within and around Barton to learn **self-defence, boxing skills, fitness and more**, as well as gain a Level 1 Qualification in Fitness. There may also be the opportunity for young people to gain some work experience.

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COMPETITION

if-oxford.com/poetry-competition

POETRY OF SCIENCE 2022 for iF, the Oxford Science + Ideas Festival

The competition is now open with the winning poems published and performed during October's iF festival –

For young people up to age 16 great prizes closing date : 1 June 2022

What sort of poem can I write?

Your poem should be a maximum of 150 words, can be in any poetry style you like and it doesn't have to rhyme!

How about trying one of these poem types: limerick haiku acrostic rap sonnet ?

Your poem should have **something to do with science and great ideas**. So it could be about:

- a scientific idea or discovery you have learned about
- a science lesson or experiment you have experienced
- a scientific issue that is important to you

Entries can be made through your school, or individually, with your parent / guardian's consent. Please make sure your entry form has the contact details for either your teacher or parent / guardian

HEADINGTON FESTIVAL is back - CONNECTING COMMUNITIES

Saturday 28 May 9.00 – 2.00 Central Headington - the regular market plus extra food and craft stalls, entertainment, caricaturist and face painting

Sunday 29 May 1.00 – 5.00 Bury Knowle Park fun fair - magic show - dance - sports tasters - farm animals - music - food - beer tent plus local organisations and more family fun **FREE**

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