



The Festival of Dover 1993

Building on the successful 1992 programme – the first ever held in the area – the Festival Committee* is staging the 1993 Festival of Dover from 24th May until 5th June and will offer a multitude of art forms with entertaining and interesting events for all ages and interests.

The programme places classical music, craft work and walks alongside dance, jazz and workshops of all kinds, complementing the programme of exhibitions, talks and the Festival Ceilidh.

On Monday, 24th May, to celebrate, the beginning of the Festival the Committee is staging a gala concert by the Brandenburg Chamber Orchestra in the Town Hall – an event they may well feel proud to present.

During the two weeks of the event many cosmopolitan artists will contribute to the theme of “traditions”, events which are woven into the fabric of the full programme.

Throughout the Festival there will be an excellent choice of children’s events, both in and out of schools, offering to young people the opportunity to meet a variety of artistes, including authors, poets and musicians.

Some other highlights of the Festival will include the “Traditions” exhibition at the Dover Museum, a talk by the popular Kent author Pamela Oldfield, a workshop led by the famous Jiving Lindy Hoppers and an authentic jazz dance company. 1993 will see a welcome return to the Bank Holiday Spectacle of the Teddy Bears’ Picnic, a day of fun for all the family, activities and entertainment which will include puppet shows, storytelling and some surprise guests.

The Festival Committee hopes that all and sundry – everybody – will join in the celebration of this their second Festival and will give them the enthusiastic support that will help to ensure a long life for the Festival of Dover.

** The Festival Committee consists of members of the staff of the Tourism & Economic Development Department of the Dover District Council and of the Arts & Libraries Department of the Kent County Council.*

The Festival Diary

The
Festival
Programme
will give
more detailed
information

TIME	EVENT	PLACE
MONDAY 24 MAY		
8.00 pm	MUSIC: Brandenburg Chamber Orchestra	Town Hall
TUESDAY 25 MAY		
6.30 pm	WALK: Coombe Down	Crabble Ave., Dover
8.00 pm	MUSIC: Hand/Dupre Guitar Duo	Town Hall
WEDNESDAY 26 MAY		
1.05 pm	MUSIC: Basically Baroque	St Marys Church
7.00 pm	WORKSHOP: Linda Birch, Illustrator	Dover Library
7.00 pm	WALK: Wondering Heights	Malvern Road, Dover
7.30 pm	MUSIC: Snowdown Colliery Welfare Band & Male Voice Choir	Town Hall
THURSDAY 27 MAY		
6.30 pm	WALK: In Search of the Templars	Temple Ewell, Dover
7.00 pm	TALK: Pamela Oldfield	Dover Junior Library
8.00 pm	MUSIC: Sax Appeal	Town Hall
FRIDAY 28 MAY		
SATURDAY 29 MAY		
9.00 am	EXCURSION: 1066 and All That!	Pencester Road (assemble)
11.00 am	DANCE: Morris Dancing	Town Centre
2.00 pm	WALK: Focus on Flowers	White Cliffs Experience
7.30 pm	MUSIC: Fastes Royaux a Boulogne	Town Hall
SUNDAY 30 MAY		
10.00 am & 2.00 pm	WORKSHOP: Art in the Environment	Elms Vale Recreation Ground
11.00 am	DISPLAY: Order of the Black Prince	Dover Castle

MONDAY 31 MAY		
10.00 am	Teddy Bears Picnic	Kearsney Abbey
11.00 am	DISPLAY: Order of the Black Prince	Dover Castle
Evening	SHOW: Joe Bloggs Fashion Show	Images Nightclub
TUESDAY 1 JUNE		
10.00 am	WORKSHOP: Sid Seagull's Fun Day	White Cliffs Experience
11.00 am & 2.00 pm	WORKSHOPS: The Magic of Origami	Dover Junior Library
1.05 pm	MUSIC: Clare Graydon - James & Danielle Perrett	St Marys Church
1.30 pm	STORYTELLING: Yack the Viking	White Cliffs Experience
7.30 pm	CEILDH: East Kent Hoppers	Biggin Hall
WEDNESDAY 2 JUNE		
10.30 am & 2.30 pm	WORKSHOPS: Zuriya, African group	Dover Junior Library
11.45 am & 3.45 pm	PERFORMANCES: Zuriya, African group	Dover Junior Library
7.00 pm	WALK: Shakespeare Cliff	Old Folkestone Road
7.30 pm	DANCE: Jedinstvo, Croatian Folk Dance	Town Hall
THURSDAY 3 JUNE		
10.00 am	WORKSHOP: Sid Seagull's Fun Day	White Cliffs Experience
1.30 pm	STORYTELLING: Yack the Viking	White Cliffs Experience
6.45 pm	TALK: The Life of Ian Fleming	Silver Screen Cinema, Gaol Lane
FRIDAY 4 JUNE		
2.00 pm	WORKSHOP: Jiving Lindy Hoppers dance	Images Nightclub
Evening	TALK: England's Heritage	Town Hall
SATURDAY 5 JUNE		
11.00 am	ART: Pavement Picasso	White Cliffs Experience
2.00 pm	WALK: Dandelions & Dyes	White Cliffs Experience
8.00 pm	MUSIC: Open Air Brass Band Spectacular	Dover Castle

The Dover Festival — EXHIBITIONS

1st May – 10th June

DOVER MUSEUM

Market Square

Open Daily, including weekends and Bank Holidays.

10 am to 5.30 pm

Admission (includes whole Museum)

Adults £1.15

Children and Senior citizens 75p.

Special rates for local residents.

TRADITIONS. THE DOVER FESTIVAL EXHIBITION.

An intriguing mix of old and new crafts featuring historic items from the museum collection with modern material by artists and craftsmen from South East England. An opportunity to compare new and old craft techniques and to buy modern arts and crafts for your home.

Special schools days and weekend demonstrations will form part of the exhibition.

Details from Dover Museum. (0304) 201066

24th May – 19th June

DOVER JUNIOR

LIBRARY

(rear of Main Library)

Biggin Street

Open during normal

Library Hours

Admission Free

CHARLES FUGE

Born in 1961, Charles Fuge studied illustration at Camberwell School of Arts. His first book won the MacMillan Prize in 1987 and in 1989 he won the Mother Goose Award for the most exciting newcomer to children's book illustration.

His passionate interest in animals is evident in the work on display.

5th & 6th June

**CASTLE FINE ARTS
STUDIO**

26 Castle Street

Open Daily

10 am – 5 pm

Admission Free

ENGLAND'S HERITAGE. An Exhibition of vintage 19th Century photographs of the Dover Area by the famous Victorian photographer, FRANCIS FRITH. The Kent edition of William the Conqueror's Domesday Book. Also two spectacular engravings of "The Embarkation of Henry VIII at Dover in 1520" and "The Field of Cloth of Gold"

BOOKING INFORMATION

THE CENTRAL BOX OFFICE at Dover Town Hall will be open from 3rd May onwards from 10 am to 4 pm daily.

BOOKING BY POST: The Festival of Dover Booking Service, P O Box 150 (FD), DOVER CT16 3UR