

Spotlight on...

Surrey Wildlife Trust

Various locations

Throughout September

Surrey Wildlife Trust manages over 8,000ha of land for wildlife and people in Surrey. A few of the Trust's events are listed here, but see the website for more. On Monday 17 September, 10am–1pm, at Nower Wood Educational Nature Reserve in Leatherhead, don't miss **Dormice**, where expert Dave Williams will explain how to protect these vulnerable creatures. Again at Nower Wood, on Wednesday 26 September, 10am–3pm, a course **Introducing the management of woods** is available. On Tuesday 18 September, 10am–12 noon, experience **Winter migrants at Papercourt Marshes**. Send to see the wealth of bird life in this permit-only site.

Information: surreywildlifetrust.org/events

Theatre

Richmond Theatre

Richmond

Tickets: atgtickets.com/richmond

Saturday 1 to Saturday 8 September

The Height of the Storm

Compelling family drama starring Jonathan Pryce and Eileen Atkins.

Sunday 9 September

Lucy Worsley – Queen Victoria

An illustrated talk.

Monday 10 to Saturday 15 September

Salad Days

Award-winning musical.

Tuesday 18 to Saturday 22 September

Still Alice

Adaptation of Lisa Genova's novel.

Monday 1 October

Sara Pascoe – LadsLadsLads

A new touring show from this talented comedian. See essence interview with Sara on page 14.

New Victoria Theatre

Woking

Tickets: atgtickets.com/woking

Monday 24 September

Taj Express

Experience Bollywood in this exhilarating musical

Thursday 4 to Saturday 6 October

Dinosaur World Live

Interactive new show.

New Wimbledon Theatre

Wimbledon

Tickets: atgtickets.com/wimbledon

To Saturday 8 September

Saturday Night Fever

New stage version of the classic.

Tuesday 18 to Saturday 22 September

Summer Holiday – The Musical

Feel-good theatre experience.

Cranleigh Arts Centre

Cranleigh

Tickets: cranleighartscentre.org

Saturday 22 September

Jeremy Hardy Live

Jeremy celebrates his fourth decade as a stand-up.

Farnham Maltings

Farnham

Tickets: farnhammaltings.com

Friday 21 September

Phill Jupitus

Stand-up comedy at its best.

Friday 28 September

Greg Wallace: Doesn't Get

Tougher Than This

Star of *MasterChef* takes to the stage in a new live show.

Saturday 29 September

Ventoux

2Magpies Theatre restage the race between cyclists Lance Armstrong and Marco Pantani.



Little Egret, Surrey Wildlife Trust PHOTO COPYRIGHT: DEREK MOORE

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Cinemas

Cranleigh Arts Centre 01483 278000 or cranleighartscentre.org
Farnham Maltings 02152 745444 or farnhammaltings.com
Odeon Esher 0871 2244007 or odeon.co.uk/fanatic/film_times/s89/esh
Odeon Epsom 0871 2244007 or odeon.co.uk/fanatic/film_times/s88/epsom
Odeon Guildford 0871 2244007 or odeon.co.uk/fanatic/film_times/s92/guildford
The Screen Walton 01932 252825 or screencinemas.co.uk
The Ambassadors Cinema, Woking 0844 871 6743 or ambassadorstickets.com/cinema

Museum of Farnham

West Street, Farnham
Information:
farnhammaltings.com/museum
 To Saturday 22 December
Behind Closed Doors:
300 years of Willmer House
 Celebrating the anniversary.

New Ashgate Gallery

Farnham
Information: newashgate.org.uk
 To Saturday 8 September
Edge of the Ocean
 Celebrating holidays by the coast.

Surrey Sculpture Society

RHS Wisley, Woking
Information: surreysculpture.org.uk
 To Sunday 23 September
 Stunning sculpture trail.

The Lightbox Gallery and Museum

Woking
Information: thelightbox.org.uk
 Saturday 29 September to
 Sunday 13 January
Impressionism: The Art of Life
 A rare combination of French
 Impressionist paintings and sculpture.

Watts Gallery

Compton, Guildford
Information: wattsgallery.org.uk
 To Sunday 28 October
James Henry Pullen:
Inmate – Inventor – Genius
 Gallery show emphasising Pullen's
 status not as a mechanical copyist,
 but as an innovative artist.

National Trust

National Trust properties offer perfect venues to explore at any time of the year. We list a few here, but visit nationaltrust.org.uk for more.

Clandon Park

near Guildford
Information: 01483 222482
 Throughout September
Previously-unseen spaces
 The Clandon Park basement is open.

Dapdune Wharf

Guildford
Information: 01483 561389
 Saturday 22 September
River Wey Festival
 Don't miss the illuminated boat
 pageant as darkness falls.

Leith Hill Place

near Dorking
Information: 01306 711685
 Friday 7 September to
 Sunday 21 October
Exhibition: Gwen Raverat
 Exhibition of work by this
 wood engraver.

Winkworth Arboretum

Godalming
Information: 01483 208936
 Sunday 16 September
Fungi foray
 With expert Sara Shepley.



Pierre-Auguste Renoir (1839–1899), *A Woman Nursing a Child*, 1894 oil on canvas, *The Lightbox*
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Sunset reflections, Ewa Adams, *Tranquillity*, McAllister Thomas PHOTO COPYRIGHT: EWA ADAMS



Colossus, Thorpe Park PHOTO COPYRIGHT: DANIEL LEWIS/THORPE PARK

Out and about

Albury Vineyard

Silent Pool, Albury
Information: alburyvineyard.com
 Sunday 9 September
Beekeeping demonstration
 Beekeeper at Albury, Sergio, offers an introduction to bees with the chance to suit up and handle frames for close up views of the busy workers. Cost is £35, including a Q and A session and glass of wine.

Bocketts Farm Park

Fetcham
Information: bockettsfarm.co.uk
 Throughout September
 With goat milking, animal handling, pig racing and tractor rides, there's something for everyone.

Bourne Hall Museum

Ewell
Information: bournehall.org
 Saturday 8 September
Kids Club: Gladiator School
 Learn about the role of a gladiator within Roman society.

Brooklands Museum

Weybridge
Tickets: brooklandsmuseum.com
 Sunday 16 September
Brooklands Aviation Day
 Lots of aviation-themed family activities with the Museum's aircraft open to explore.

Saturday 22 September
Historics @ Brooklands Classic Car Auction
 Historic, classic and sports cars plus motoring memorabilia.

Sunday 30 September
Brooklands Great War 100
 Marking the centenary of the end of World War One as Brooklands gathers automobiles, motorcycles, bicycles, vehicles, buses and aircraft from the period up to 1919.

Go Wild Golf Day 2018

Slinfold Golf and Country Club, West Sussex
Registration: bornfree.org.uk
 Friday 5 October
 The sixth annual Go Wild Golf Day allows golfers of all levels to challenge the Born Free team. Tickets are £55.

Heritage Open Days

Various venues
Information: heritageopendays.org.uk
 Thursday 6 to Sunday 9 and Thursday 13 to Sunday 16 September
 See hidden places for free at venues across Surrey, including Painshill Park in Cobham on 8 September. Search the website for other venues taking part.

Kempton Park Racecourse

Sunbury-on-Thames
Tickets: kempton.thejockeyclub.co.uk
 Saturday 8 September
80s Day
 An afternoon of racing followed by retro fun with DJ Fearn Cotton.

Loseley Park

Guildford
Tickets: richmondogshow.org.uk
 Friday 7 to Sunday 9 September
The Richmond Dog Show
 One of the oldest established dog shows in the UK.

RHS Wisley

Woking
Tickets: rhs.org.uk/wisley
 Tuesday 4 to Sunday 9 September
RHS Garden Wisley Flower Show
 The last flower show of the season.
 Saturday 29 to Sunday 30 September
Birds of Prey

See spectacular birds of prey take wing and demonstrate flying skills.
Surrey Cycle Challenge
 Tadworth
Information: thechildrenstrust.org.uk
 Sunday 9 September
 An annual 46 or 65 mile cycling challenge in aid of The Children's Trust, Tadworth Court.



Harris Hawk in flight at an RHS Garden falconry display, *Birds of Prey*, RHS Garden Wisley PHOTO COPYRIGHT: RHS, GUY HARROP

Surrey Hills Challenge

Denbies Wine Estate, Dorking
Information: surreyhillschallenge.com
 Sunday 23 September
 Six events, six distances from 60km to 1km – a walk or run for all abilities to raise funds for the Surrey Hills Trust Fund.

Theme Parks

Various locations
Information: merlinentertainments.biz
 Throughout September
 The south-east has three great theme parks: Chessington World of Adventures with its Vampire Ride, SEA LIFE Centre, Zoo and Go Ape; Legoland, everyone's favourite, with its themed resorts and rides, not to mention the shop; and, finally, Thorpe Park with its terrifying rollercoaster experiences The Swarm, Colossus and Nemesis Inferno, alongside the water rides.

Westcroft Park Polo Club

Chobham
Information: powerofpolo.org.uk
 Saturday 8 to Sunday 9 September
The Power of Polo
 A family fun day and tournament.

Wildwood Adventure

Stoke Park, Guildford
Information: wildwood-adventure.com
 Throughout September
 Zip Zone is a new activity on a 15 metre tower on zip lines for families who love adventure.

Woking Triathlon

Pool in the Park, Woking
Information: fullsteamevents.com
 Sunday 9 September
 In its fourth year, the Triathlon returns with multiple distances covering novices, sprint and juniors. Starting with a swim in the Pool in the Park, followed by a short run to transition on to the open road.

Farmers' markets

Camberley Saturday 15 September, 10am–3pm
Cranleigh Every Friday, 9.30–11am
Epsom Sunday 2 September and 7 October, 9.30am–1.30pm
Farnham Sunday 23 September, 10am–1.30pm
Guildford Tuesday 4 September and 2 October, 10.30am–3.30pm
Haslemere Sunday 2 September and 7 October, 10am–1.30pm
Milford Sunday 16 September, 10am–1.30pm
Ripley Saturday 8 September and 13 October, 9am–1pm
Walton-on-Thames Saturday 1 September and 6 October, 9.30am–2pm
Woking Thursday 6 September and 4 October, 9am–2pm