

Programme Name	Event Name	Event Date	Brief Description	Location	Ticketed event
April					
The Great Outdoors	St Georges Day	Saturday 24th April	Our annual St George's Day celebration this year will look a little different, this years programme will include a week of online St Georges Day Medieval activities for all the family including: 1. Make your own Medieval pouch 2. Heraldry, how to choose a design and decorate your own shield. 3. The true tale of St. George and the Dragon! (Story telling). 4. Make your own Medieval game, Mill. And how to play it. 5. Medieval Cloth Dying Workshop 6. Medieval King and Queen Drama workshop Their will be a Family activity pack that will be downloadable for everyone to access.	Online	Free
May					
External Event	Barkers Fair	Friday 28 th May – Sunday 6 th June	Fair rides and activities from Barkers Fair and amusements	Castle Grounds	Ticketed
The Great Outdoors	Outdoor Theatre - Mr Stink	Sunday 30th May	Since its introduction to the programme in 2014 outdoor theatre has proved a great success and a variety of companies and shows have featured. Join us for David Walliams' best-seller Mr Stink on the outdoor stage, this touching tale provides the perfect family entertainment.	Castle Grounds-Lower Lawn	Yes
Arts Activities	Trotters Trail	May onwards	Reinstating new Trotters Trail in a series of locations across the town. These pigs have been designed and created by the public of Tamworth	Various Locations	No
June					
Arts Activities	Tamworth Voices Returns	Ongoing	Tamworth Voices are a contemporary Choir that meet every Tuesday and perform at regular intervals throughout the year. Tamworth Voices have performed at the Symphony Hall on a number of occasions as well	Tamworth Assembly Rooms	Yes
External Event	Circus Starr	Sunday 13 th June	Touring Circus	Castle Grounds	Yes
External Event	Gate Gallop	Sunday 27 th June	Fun run around Anker Valley sports complex	Anker Valley	Yes
July					
Under the Stars	Theatre Under the Stars- Outdoor Theatre- A Midsummer Nights Dream	Friday 2nd July	William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream returns to Tamworth Castle Grounds with an evening of open air theatre on a Mid- summers eve.	Castle Grounds-Lower Lawn	Yes
Music Outside	The Lost Notes	Saturday 3rd July	Live Music in the Bandstand with The Lost Notes The Lost Notes are a 5 piece acoustic Folk Roots band from Moseley.	Castle Grounds-Bandstand	No
Music Outside	Tamworth Wind Band	Saturday 10th July	Live Music from local band Tamworth Wind Band.	Castle Grounds-Bandstand	No
Music Outside	Comharsa	Saturday 17th July	Live Music from local band Comharsa, they will be performing famous songs from The Dubliners to The Pogues.	Castle Grounds-Bandstand	No
External Partnership Event	Creative Networks Collective	Saturday 17 th July	Artists Networking Event featuring live music and art installations	Activity Centre	Yes
Music Outside	Amington Band	Saturday 24th July	Live Music from the well known award winning local Brass Band Amington Band.	Castle Grounds-Bandstand	No
External Event	Urban Arts Event	Sunday 25 th July	A variety of urban arts for families	Castle Grounds-Pleasure Grounds	No
External Event	Circus Zyair	Thursday 29 th July – Sunday 1 st August	Touring Circus	Castle Grounds-Pleasure Grounds	Yes
Under the Stars	Music Under the Stars	Friday 30th July	A night of live music, good food and drink in the setting of Tamworth Assembly Rooms public realm space.	Assembly Rooms - Public Realm Space	Yes
Music Outside	The Tones	Saturday 31st July	Live music from The Tones, with a set list that includes songs from Stevie Wonder, The Temptations and The Jackson Five.	Castle Gounds-Bandstand	No
August					
Under the Stars	Movies Under the Stars	Friday 6th August & Saturday 7th August	Drive thru - Outdoor Cinema set in the backdrop of Tamworth Castle Grounds. The Film will be screened on a large 40ft inflatable screen and audio will be transmitted via radio transmission. Their will be food and drink stalls present too.	Castle Grounds-Pleasure Grounds	Yes
External Event	Funtopia	Mondays in August	Inflatables and children's zone activities	Castle Grounds-Lower Lawn	Yes
Music Outside	Liquid Brass	Saturday 7th August	Live Music from Liquid Brass who are a 9 piece brass band. They perform a range of musical styles including swing, pop, classical and oompah.	Castle Gounds-Bandstand	No
Summer Reading Challenge	Summer Reading Challenge	Tuesday 10th August	This event is being run in partnership with Tamworth Library to celebrate the Summer Reading Challenge. There will be storytelling and craft activities based around this years theme of nature and the environment.	Castle Gounds-Bandstand	No
Under the Stars	Theatre Under the Stars- John Odbers Teachers	Saturday 14th August	TACT bring John Odbers critically acclaimed Teachers to Tamworths Old Swimming Bath, the evening will include a back to school disco with a bar and food that is a huge improvement on those school dinners!	Activity Centre	Yes
Music Outside	58's Blues Band	Saturday 21st August	Live Music from 58's Blues Band. This music draws on classic hard edged Chicago Blues, filtered through the sound of the mid '60's British Blues.	Castle Grounds-Bandstand	No
External Event	Fake Festival	Saturday 21 st and Sunday 22 nd August	Live music festival featuring tribute bands.	Castle Grounds, Pleasure Grounds	Yes
External Event	Creative Networks Collective	Saturday 21st August	Artists Networking Event featuring live music and art installations	Location TBC	Yes
External Event	Barkers Fair	Thursday 26 th August – Monday 6 th September	Fair rides and activities from Barkers Fair and amusements		
Music Outside	Wilnecote St Johns Band	Saturday 28th August	Live Music from local Brass Band Wilnecote St Johns.	Castle Grounds-Bandstand	No
September					
The Great Outdoors	Gruffalo or Room on the Broom Trail	September	This is a brilliant free accessible family activity to get involved in, follow the trail boards to read the magical and funny tale by Julia Donaldson.	Castle Grounds	No

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External Events	

The Great Outdoors	Saxon Event	Saturday 18 and 19 Sunday September	We welcome back the Anglo Saxons for a weekend of battles, living history and much more. This event has been funded by National Lottery Heritage Fund to launch the Battle and Trubute exhibition.	Castle Grounds	No
Arts Activities	Art Attack / Environmental Art	Saturday 25th September	This award winning event returns with arts activities for all the family, this year we will be holding these activities in Tamworth Assembly Rooms and Tamworth Castle Grounds. The workshops will include Art in the dark, Tape That and Environmental art workshops by New Urban Era.	Tamworth Assembly Rooms	Depending on Covid regulations we will manage numbers by issuing free tickets
External Event	Cathedral to Castle Run	Sunday 26 th September	10 mile run from Lichfield Cathedral and finishing in Tamworth Castle Grounds	Castle Grounds	Yes
October					
Under the Stars	Theatre Under the Stars: Ghosts in the Garden	Friday 29th October & Saturday 30th October	A site specific performance that will be a promenade piece of ghost stories that tours around the Town Centre.	Town Centre	Yes
November					
The Great Outdoors	Fireworks Night	Saturday 6th November	The biggest event in the calendar, attracting up to 25,000 people each year. Display features fireworks set to music with a theme	Castle Grounds	No
External Event	KP Events 10k	Sunday 14th November	10k run between Lichfield Cathedral and Tamworth Castle	Castle Grounds	Yes
The Great Outdoors	Remembrance Sunday	Sunday 14th November	This is a public event managed by Tamworth Borough Council with assistance from the Royal British Legion. The event is held outdoors in front of the town's War Memorial, located at the entrance to St Editha's Church, for many years and is always preceded by a short parade which involves a rolling road closure. After the Act of Remembrance and church service there is another short parade where the salute will be taken by the Mayor of Tamworth from the steps of the town hall, the parade will then continue into Holloway where it ends.	St Eds & Town Centre	No
The Great Outdoors	Christmas Lights Festival	Saturday 27th November	The Tamworth Christmas Lights Switch On will be held in Tamworth Castle Grounds for the first time, this years event will include, food and drink stalls, christmas novelties, stage performances from professional and community groups and a special visit from Santa. The event will finish with a special screening of The Snowman which will be performed by a local choir boy and brass band. This will add a touch of magic to the event.	Castle Grounds - Lower Lawn and Upper Lawn	No
December					
External Event	Pudding Plod and Rudolph Run	Sunday 5th December	Charity Run across Tamworth Castle Grounds and Town Centre	Castle Grounds and Town Centre	Yes