Entertainment Programme

Bargoed May Fair – 13th May 2023

Time	Act
All Day	Birds Of Prey
All Day	Funfair
All Day	Craft Workshops
All Day	Food, Drink & Craft Stalls
All Day	Bargoed Monthly Craft Fair by Crafty Legs
All Day	Petting Farm
All Day	Donkey Rides
All Day	Mini Zoo with Wildlife Displays
All Day	Facepainting
All Day	Quirky vehicles
All Day	Ghostbusters in support of Ty Hafan
All Day	Fire Service
All Day	HMS Wales Re-enactment Society
All Day	Giant Games
All Day	Murrays Bargoed - Activities
All Day	St Gwladys Church
10.00am	The Magical Music Bike (1)
10.15am	Two Springtime Gnomes (1)
10.30am	The Pigeons (1)
10.45am	The Welcoming Committee (1)
11.00am	Drive By! (1)
11.00am	Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Sannan School Choir
11.15am	Two Silly Tourists (1)
11.30am	The Seal (1)
11.30am	Punch & Judy Show (1)
11.45am	Hula Hooper (1)
12.00pm	Bubble Trouble (1)
12.00pm	The Magical Music Bike (2)
12.00pm	Dancelicious (TBC)
12.15pm	The Welcoming Committee (2)
12.15pm	Two Springtime Gnomes (2)
12.30pm	The Pigeons (2)
1.00pm	Drive By! (2)
1.15pm	Two Silly Tourists (2)
1.30pm	The Welcoming Committee (3)
1.30pm	The Seal (2)
1.30pm	Punch & Judy Show (2)
1.45pm	Hula Hooper (2)
2.00pm	Bubble Trouble (2)
2.00pm	The Magical Music Bike (3)
2.15pm	Two Springtime Gnomes (3)
2.30pm	The Pigeons (3)
2.45 pm	The Welcoming Committee (4)
3.00pm	Drive By! (3)
3.15pm	Two Silly Tourists (3)
3.30pm	The Seal (3)
3.30pm	Punch & Judy Show (3)
3.45pm	Hula Hooper (3)
4.00pm	The Welcoming Committee (5)
4.00pm	Bubble Trouble (3)

Food, Drink & Craft Stalls



Over 25 food, drink and craft traders with delicious cakes, breads, sweets, fudge, pastries, sauces, chutneys, hand crafted items and much more. Enjoy sampling a tipple or two from the spirits, beer and cider sellers.

Facebook - @VisitCaerphilly

Bargoed Monthly Craft Fair by Crafty Legs



The newly established monthly craft fair will be situated on Hanbury Square and Lowry Plaza in its new regular spot and will host around 30 crafters. From arts and crafts to home decor and jewellery there will be plenty of locally made handcrafted gifts on display to pick up that unusual and unique present.

Facebook - @CraftyLegsEvents

Donkey Rides



Children just love these furry animals. Free riding is available all day!

Facebook: Mike's Donkeys

Website: www.mikesdonkeys.co.uk/

Falconry UK



Birds of Prey will be on display for visitors to look at, have photographs with and to learn about the fascinating facts and background of these amazing creatures.

Facebook: Falconry UK

Website: www.falconry-uk.org

Funfair Rides



There will be a number of juvenile funfair rides throughout the town to keep the little ones entertained! From the crazy funhouse, the exciting teacups, the charming frozen ride and the energetic trampolines to name a few! There will also be a Miami ride to keep the teenagers and thrill seekers among us happy! What's more all rides will be at a discounted price top help with the cost of living crisis and make it more accessible.

Facebook: Eddies Funfair For Hire

Petting Farm





A petting farm for families to get to know some cute and cuddly creatures. Includes goats, sheep, lambs, miniature donkeys, rabbits, and guinea pigs. Ask questions about these adorable animals and learn about their habitats.

Facebook: Mike's Donkeys

Make and Take Pot A Plant Workshops



Come along and pot a plant! This workshop offers children the chance to be creative and have some fun and something to take home from the event. Best of all it's free!

Website: www.mikesdonkeys.co.uk/

Facepainting



Transform into a prince, princess, superhero, or animal. Tracey's Funky Faces has the magical touch to transform you into your favourite character adding colour and glitter to make you sparkle!

Facebook: Traceys Funky Faces **Giant Games**











Traditional giant games for some free family fun! Jenga, snakes and ladders, kerplunk, skittles and connect 4 ... these giant family games will bring out the competitiveness of the young and old!

Murrays Bargoed - Activities



Pop along to Murrays Bargoed who are making the most of the event and hosting stalls. live music, school performances and there will also be mascots for the children.

Facebook: Murray's

Knight Rider KITT Replica

Lightning McQueen Replica



K.I.T.T. was the sidekick to The Hoff in 1980s TV show Knight Rider. This jet black talking Pontiac Trans Am had more lights that the Starship Enterprise and was loaded with super features such as scanners, turbo-boost and the ability to drive itself. This is your chance to be 'The Hoff' as Michael Knight and pose in front of this classic car!

Facebook: Star Car Hire



Meet the fictional professional racer Lightning McQueen from the hit Disney Pixar movie 'Cars'! A fantastic photo opportunity that will have the kiddies smiling ear to ear.

Facebook: Star Car Hire

Tow Mater Replica



Best friend of the legendary Disney Pixar movie racer, Tow Mater will be coming along to Bargoed May Fair to keep an eye on Lighting McQueen! Watch he doesn't try and tow you away!

Facebook: Star Car Hire

Herbie VW Beetle Replica



Herbie has featured in several Walt Disney movies and is popping along to Bargoed May Fair to spread 'The Love Bug'. This crazy car has a mind of its own, watch he doesn't just drive off by himself!

Facebook: Star Car Hire

Jurassic Park Jeep Replica



Designed to outrun mighty dinosaurs this Jeep Wrangler RC will be waiting for you at Bargoed May Fair! A great photo opportunity for all ages who love the Jurassic Park movies!

Facebook: Star Car Hire

Ghostbusters in support of Ty Hafan



There's something strange happening in Bargoed on 13th May and we didn't know who to call except for the legendary Ghostbusters! This fantastic team will be attending the event to raise all important funds for Ty Hafan. The children will love having their photo taken next to Ecto One!

Facebook: The Mid Wales Ghostbusters

Trotter Van Replica



Perhaps the most iconic vehicle to ever grace the TV screen, **Only Fools** and **Horses** fans will love this three-wheeled van!

Facebook: Star Car Hire

Fire Service



A chance for the kiddies to get up close to a real fire engine, learn about what the crew do and maybe have a chance to sit inside!

Facebook: Gorsaf Dân Ac Achub Aberbargod/Aberbargoed Fire and Rescue Station

Welcoming Committee



Be sure of a big hearty warm welcome with Bert and Arthur on the Welcoming committee. They aim to make you feel special and right at home. They will be officially opening anything that needs an official opening stalls, bags, wallets. This whilst giving special awards for 'best in show'. Best display, best shoes, hairstyle, parents. WELCOME, WELCOME.

Facebook: Digging holes street theatre entertainment

Drive by!



Roving walkabout vintage vaudevillian double act fit for the modern era. Dressed in fine tailored suits they perform an interactive drive-by comedy show in a miniature car. Incorporating juggling, swing dance, and double act comedy caper with a self-contained feelgood soundtrack this is perfect family entertainment. These guys are expert

The Pigeons



Eternally curious and entirely shameless, the Pigeons do what pigeons do best: bill and coo, peck and poo. Visually stunning and comically crafted, our walkabout pigeon characters always leave a big impression at any event.

Two Silly Tourists



These silly tourist characters are as loud and ridiculous as can be! They will seize any opportunity to interact with people and draw them into their playful parodies!

duo jugglers and have performed together around the world for the last 15 years.

Hula Hooper



This hooptastic roaming hula hooper is highly skilled and will perform some fantastic hula hoop tricks!

Bubble Trouble



How big can a bubble be? Bubbly fun that the kids will love... watch you don't get wet if you pop a giant bubble!

Two Springtime Gnomes



What with all that fishing, watering and standing around looking at things, life can be very busy for Gnomes.

Now and then they like to get out and share their simple tales of nature, gardening and

The Magical Musical Bike



Prepare to be stunned by the Magical Musical Bike as it comes around the corner. Powered by batteries, charged by the wonderful sunlight, Steve will be peddling around the event site with some fantastic tunes. On any opportunity he will jump off to host silly games; involve young

the goings on over at No. 24 with other local folks. The Gnomes are warm, charming and have very big hats. Just don't touch their beards without permission!

people in a talent contest; do some parachute games; street chalking or just get you to catch as many bubbles as possible! The Magical Musical Bike can also be used for event announcements. Quirky, eye catching, it's a disco on wheels... and more!

The Seal!



A two-metre-long grey seal flaps her way through the crowds, slapping her fins on the ground and nuzzling up to people and dogs as if they were part of a large seal colony. She can move surprisingly fast considering her bounteous blubber, emits excited snorts and seal spits of saltwater! People love her, dogs aren't so sure!

Paul Wheelers Punch & Judy Shows



Sit down, relax and have fun watching this traditional Punch and Judy show!

Facebook: Paul Wheelers Punch and Judy Show

St Gwladys Church - Activities



Facebook: St Gwlady's Church Hall

Mini Zoo with Wildlife Displays





Meerkats, snakes, lizards, spiders, scorpions, hissing cockroaches, giant snails, etc. An interactive area with short talks and a hands-on opportunity throughout the day.

Circus Workshop

Practice your circus skills with two highly skilled circus performers. The equipment will be available all day for children and adults to test their skills and have some free fun!

Website: www.wildlifedisplays.co.uk Local Groups



Bargoed Male Voice Choir, a local ladies choir, Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Sannan and Dancelicious will all perform outside Iceland area throughout the day.

HMS Re-enactment Society









HMS Wales to help bring history to life by providing a unique historical immersion for visitors to experience, by going back to Admiral Nelson's time 1805 and the battle of Trafalgar. Knowledgeable and friendly reenactors will be ready to entertain, educate and interact with you as well as offering a unique Nelson Navy Challenge! The challenge is a series of stands, designed to allow you to get hands on with history.

Gun Deck: this includes a table full of the pieces a ship's gun would fire, such as cannon balls, that are small enough for most people to pick up and get to feel and understanding of how the guns worked. Coupled with this is the gun deck, a fake ship's gun, which allows kiddies to be taught the loading procedure for a sail ship's cannon. It is fun for all the family.



Armoury Stand: a table full of an array of replica weapons. From a real cutlass, to pistols, muskets, axes and pikes. There will be over a dozen different small arms weapons to let the public get hands on with history. This is HMS' second most popular stand after the gun deck.



Signal Stand: This stand will educate people on how sail ships would communicate and lets the public have a go at creating their own messages as well as "cracking the code" on others.