

What's On 2024

The main entertainment programme takes place between 10am and 4pm. Some activities are all day and others take place on and off throughout the day.

Giant Beach



A giant beach laden with plentiful deckchairs, picnic blankets and beach toys will descend on Risca Park offering a safe environment for a day of beach fun to keep everyone amused. Bring your picnics, buy from the onsite concessions or #ChooseLocal and support the town centre retailers.

Punch & Judy



Regular Punch and Judy shows will take place throughout the day from on the beach by Paul Wheeler! A modern edition of the traditional show will be performed to keep up with the times but still using the same characters and traditional dress.

Show times are 11am, 1pm and 3pm each day.

Facebook: Paul Wheelers Punch and Judy Show

Giant Deckchair



Hop onto this giant deckchair and have a picture taken. Share your pictures on Facebook and Twitter @visitcaerphilly.

[Donkey Rides](#)



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

Facebook: Mike's Donkeys

[Petting Farm](#)



A FREE 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 Craft Workshops](#)



Come along and make some summer themed crafts... from ice lollies, ice cream and ice cream sundaes! This workshop offers children the chance to be creative and have some fun!

Facebook: Creative Workshops for Children

[Stallholders](#)



There will be a small number of stalls selling sweets and cakes, as well as hot and cold drink refreshments, dinky donuts, and the all-important ice cream van!

Facebook: Visit Caerphilly

[Funfair Rides & Attractions](#)



There will be a traditional funhouse, inflatables, trampolines and cups and saucers to keep the little ones amused!

[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. (Sunday only)

Facebook: /FALCONRYUK

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! (Saturday Only)

Facebook: Tracey's Funky Faces

Mini Zoo with Wildlife Displays



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

Website: www.wildlifedisplays.co.uk

Beach Photos



Have some FREE fun family photos in this photo booth!

Facebook: Craft Wales

Pirates



Event Character Hire South Wales are bringing the troublesome Pirates to Risca! Shipwrecked on the Risca beach, it seems that life on the high seas is not always as much fun as promised! Join our band of pillaging Pirates as they meet and greet and search for a new crew - are you brave enough? Watch as they bring a wonderfully fun Pirate show to life every hour, and don't forget to grab some pictures with the mischievous Band of Brigands.

Facebook: Event Character Hire - South Wales

Ghostbusters Day Celebration Wales - 40th Anniversary– Saturday 8th June 2024 ONLY

There will be a whole host of activities and attractions for the public which include, but are not limited to, Ecto One cars, life-size Zuul the Terror Dog model, life-size Slimer model, Digital Portable Containment Unit prop, inflatable pop-up photo booth, build station / workshop, Zener Card stations, Ghostbusters teams booths with prop, Ghostbusters buildable prop display and inflatable Stay Puft Marshmallow Man, which will be located in the park and the library.

Ghostbusters in support of Wales Air Ambulance



There's something strange happening in Risca on 8th June 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 Wales Air Ambulance. The children will love having their photo taken next to Ecto One! *****This group will be in attendance on both days.**

Facebook: The Mid Wales Ghostbusters

[Preston City Ghostbusters](#)



We're a team of enthusiastic individuals from all walks of life, brought together by our love of all things Ghostbusters. Our bustin' journey began in October 2019, and a few months later the Preston City Ghostbusters were officially formed. Over the years, we're proud to have worked alongside numerous charities and fundraising groups, even hosting our own events in partnership with Odeon Cinema for the charity MIND. Our real passion, however, is having fun and, in particular, introducing the new generations to the world of Ghostbusters and proving that they don't need to be afraid of no ghost!

[The Carmarthenshire Ghostbusters](#)



I started back in 2016 and have been mainly raising money for LATCH the Welsh children's cancer charity in Cardiff. We've had several members come and go over the years but still aim to have fun. I attend events and charity parties all over Wales and enjoy every minute of it. The group is very excited about attending the event!

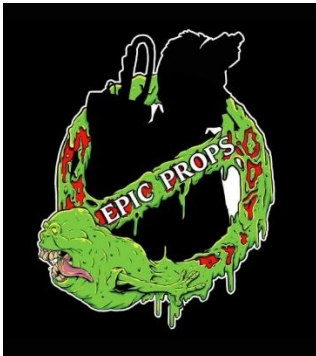
[The Bristol Ghostbusters](#)



The Bristol Ghostbusters have been around in some form or fashion since around 2001, with just a couple of 'busters and no franchise name. Our earliest members formally adopted the moniker of The Bristol Ghostbusters around 2009, when social media made it easier to find other like-minded individuals. Our group has since expanded due to friends and family members joining the team, as well as meeting other local fans who wanted to find a group to enjoy 'busting with. We are a very diverse group, promoting tolerance and inclusivity. Over the last decade, we've attended many events as exhibitors, entertaining the public whilst also doing our best to raise funds for our chosen charities. We were always going to be attending events as Ghostbusters anyway, so why not do it for a good cause? The Bristol Ghostbusters is all about having fun, enjoying the fandom, and helping others. From adult fans with screen accurate proton packs, to kids who have made ghost traps out of shoe boxes, we enjoy nothing better than meeting other

Ghostbuster fans. Being able to share our love of costuming to benefit charitable causes is the icing on the cake.

[EPIC Props](#)



EPIC Props was started by Russ back in 2011 from his garden shed. He has always enjoyed building things, and when he realised, he could combine his favourite hobby with his most loved childhood film, 'Ghostbusters', EPIC Props was born. The business grew slowly as he was still working full time alongside building, but gradually, orders started to pick up, and it was a case of trying to get the balance right, which wasn't always easy. During 2020 and throughout the pandemic, he continued to build, but unfortunately, circumstances meant that the business had to take a back seat for a while, which was a difficult decision to make, but necessary. After the pandemic, he worked hard, getting a new and improved workshop up and running, and also brought Simon on board to help run the business. Everything is handmade to order, using only the best quality materials on the market to produce a highly professional finish. From Proton Pack parts to Christmas tree decorations, we can build anything you want, either as full builds or parts.

[Risca Library](#)



A range of activities await you at the library, including Ghostbusters Storytime, Zener Card station, ghostly projections, Ghostbusters fancy dress party, ghost hunt, Ghostbusters crafts, activity and colouring sheets, Lego challenge, slime making as well as an amazing photo booth! Photos will be provided for a small charge. Ghostbusters-themed props will be provided to be used in the booth.

The prices are digital copies £2.00, printed copies £2.50 or 3 for £5.00, keyrings £3.00 each or 2 for £5.00. Private scheduled booth hire is available for groups or individuals at a fee of £10.00 for a 5 min booth hire (includes 4 prints) and £15.00 for a 10 min booth hire (includes 8 prints). Cash Only.

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