

Entertainment Programme

Ystrad Mynach Christmas Market - Saturday 15th November 2025

Time	Act
All Day	Birds Of Prey
All Day	Funfair
All Day	Stalls
All Day	Glitter Girls Facepainting
9.30am – 1.00pm	Ystrad Mynach Library Activities
10.00am – 4.00pm	Make & Take Craft Workshops
10.00am – 1.00pm & 2.00pm – 4.40pm	Gelligaer Community Council's Santa's Grotto
10.00am – 5.00pm	Music Performance Area
11.00am	Winterlings
11.30am	Elfiss & Pressie
12.00pm	Scallywags
12.30pm	Winterlings
1.00pm	Scallywags
1.30pm	Elfiss & Pressie
2.00pm	Two Wise Men
2.30pm	Winterlings
3.00pm	Elfiss & Pressie
3.30pm	Two Wise Men
5.00pm	Gelligaer Community Council's Annual Light Switch On

***This programme is subject to change**

More about your entertainment!

Gelligaer Community Council's Santa's Grotto



Gelligaer Community Council Santa's grotto is back! Santa cannot wait to meet all the excited children with their wish lists! A special time for children and adults to see the joy that Christmas festivities can bring. At a fee of just £1.00 per child, Santa will meet and greet the children and offer a small gift.

Located at Siloh Church.

[Facebook: Gelligaer Community Council](#)

Music Performance Area



A performance area will be created on Siloh Square for local community choirs, singers, groups and schools to perform. A great selection of performances to get everyone in the festive spirit.

[Facebook: Visit Caerphilly](#)

Food, Craft & Information Stalls



Over 35 traders selling delicious food and unique crafts, as well as a few information stands, will be located throughout the town centre. Enjoy delicious cakes and sample a tipple or two from the spirits, beer and cider sellers! Pick up some unique craft gifts for family and friends or why not treat yourself!

[Facebook: Visit Caerphilly](#)

Ystrad Mynach Library Activities



Why not come along to the library on event day! Knit and Natter will be onsite selling items for charity. There will also be crafts for the children.

[Facebook: Gwasanaeth Llyfrgell Caerffili - Caerphilly Library Service](#)

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

Make and Take Craft Workshops



Come along and make a Christmas craft and take it home to display over the festive period. This workshop offers children the chance to be creative and have some fun!

Facebook: Creative Workshops for Children

Glitter Girls



Transform into a prince, princess, superhero, or animal. Glitter Girls has the magical touch to transform you into your favourite character adding colour and glitter to make you sparkle! As well as glitter tattoos, bobble hair braids and face gems!

Facebook: Glitter Girls

Scally Wags



Have you got a shillin' sir, a farthin', a penny then sir – how about a smile sir. The Victorian Scallywags are a couple of likely lads who dream of the high life. With their chirpy, cheeky nature, you'll be warmed to your cockles, charmed to a kiss or perambulated down the street. Better watch yer belongings and yer wives!

Facebook: Digging holes street theatre entertainment

Winterlings



These two enchanting walkabout Christmas puppets radiate festive cheer with their red and green costumes and twinkling lights! Shaped like miniature evergreen trees and covered in a mix of vibrant poinsettia flowers and fibre optic lights, they're a uniquely eye-catching Xmas act that delivers a larger-than-life impression. With big personalities, interactive carol singing and bags of humour, they're the family-friendly gift that keeps on giving.

Facebook: Joggleberry

Elfiss & Pressie



The North Pole's answer to One Direction bring their own take on Christmas Classics to your event! Crooning their way through the crowd, these engaging performers serenade señoritas and señors with their Festive hits. A highly interactive comedy musical walkabout act that has proved hugely popular wherever it goes. The duo sing Christmas hits, as well as everything from Britney to Taylor (with some 80s power ballads chuck in for good measure) They are convinced they are going to be the next big thing!

Two Wise Men



Ezekial and Hereclise are lost on their journey to the manger. They are desperately looking for a sign. It may be a star, a stable, an inn keeper, the Angel Gabriel, Mary or Joseph. They have lost the other wise man and attempt to offer words of wisdom to the masses and proffer praise in exchange for help in their quest.

Facebook: Digging holes street theatre entertainment

Funfair Rides & Attractions



A traditional funhouse, toy ride, hoopla and mini waltzer will keep the little ones amused.

Facebook: South Wales Fun Days

Gelligaer Community Council's Annual Light Switch On



See the town centre come to light with a colourful array of festive streetlights brought to you by Gelligaer Community Council. This year Ruby Kay will be singing us into the light switch-on countdown with lots of festive tunes and singalongs!

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