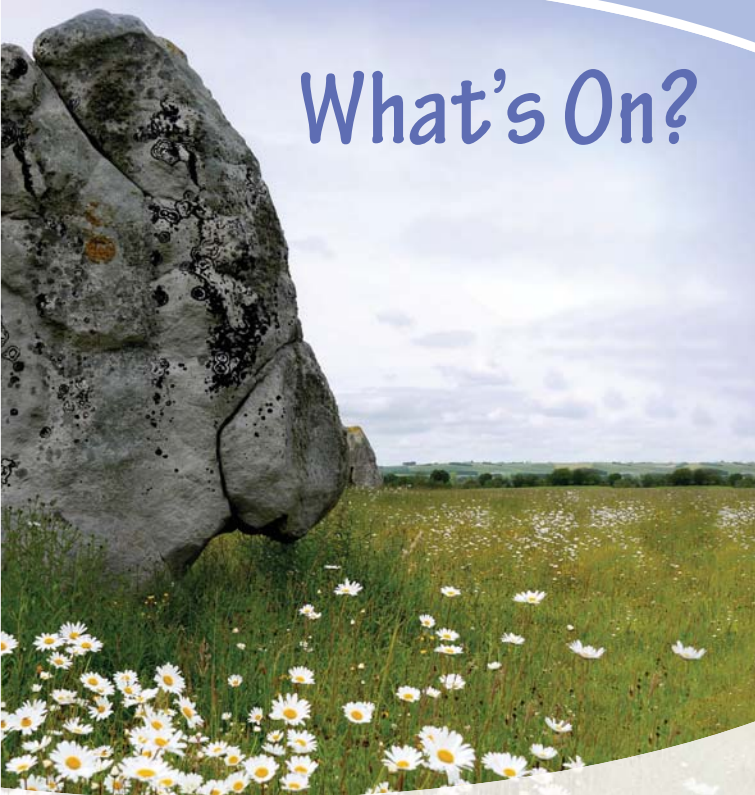


Celebrating World Heritage Day.

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What's On?



Stonehenge & Avebury World Heritage Site



stonehengeandaveburywhs.org
@StoneAveWHS #heritage4generations

Welcome to World Heritage Day 2018 a celebration across Wiltshire of everything that is unique and special about our World Heritage Site. Join people in other World Heritage Sites around the globe in getting out, having fun and learning more about our internationally important heritage.

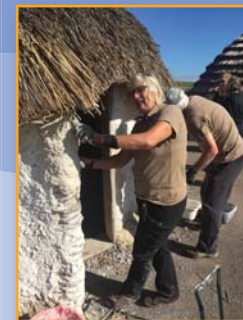
World Heritage Day is a wonderful opportunity to showcase some of the many things that are so special about the Stonehenge and Avebury World Heritage Site landscape and to help people explore and enjoy it. This year the theme is Heritage for Generations.

Why not get together across the generations with your family and friends and explore more about World Heritage right here in Wiltshire. Our amazing partners have arranged special talks, walks and exhibitions, and there is a fun day for families too. Turn over for more detail about all of the events and visit our partner websites for more information about what's on for you to enjoy.



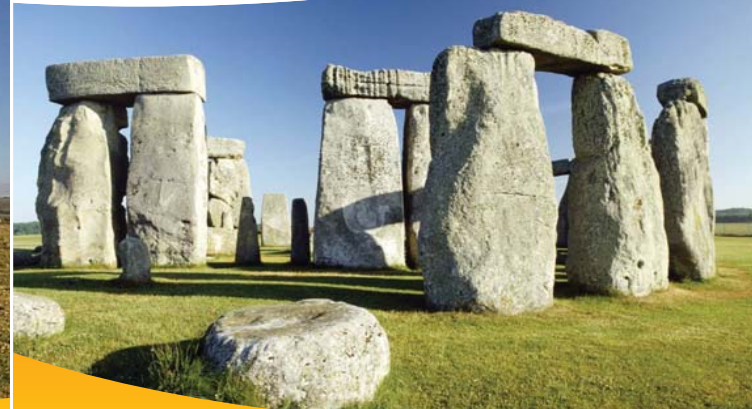
Stonehenge

Meet the Volunteers
18th April 10am – 4pm
Stonehenge Visitor Centre
Free



Talk
Stonehenge100
Bulford – What's That?
18th April 7pm
Stonehenge Visitor Centre
Free

Walk With an Archaeologist
Stonehenge Landscape
18th April 10.30am – 1pm
£18 adult/£5 child



The Salisbury Museum

Study Day
Finding Pitt-Rivers
 18th April 10am – 4pm
 The Salisbury Museum and
 outdoor sites
 £25/£28



Avebury

Exhibition
Breaking Ground: Avebury's Female Archaeologists
 3rd March –
 18th November
 10am – 6pm
 The Alexander Keiller
 Museum, Avebury
 Free entry on
 18th April



Human Henge Walk
 20th April
 10.30am – 1pm
 Free



Wiltshire and Swindon History Centre

Exhibition
**World Heritage from
 the Archives**
 3rd – 28th April
 9.30am – 5.30pm
 Free



Talk
**World Heritage
 Status – What's it
 All About?**
 18th April
 10.30am – 12pm
 £3

Talk
**Stonehenge and Avebury – A Journey Through
 the Archives**
 18th April 2 – 3.30pm
 £3



Wiltshire Museum

Family Activity Day
 14th April 11am – 3pm
 Free

Lecture
Feast! by Sue Greaney
 21st April 2 – 4pm
 Tickets £7.00/£4.50



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What's On Where?

Wiltshire and Swindon History Centre

Exhibition – World Heritage from the Archives
3rd – 28th April 9.30am – 5.30pm
Free

Learn about how our ancestors viewed World Heritage Sites such as Avebury and Stonehenge in a fascinating exhibition featuring images of the stones from 18th century engravings to 19th century drawings, to First World War photographs; correspondence with landowners about protecting Stonehenge; and even the diaries of 19th century tourists.

Talk – World Heritage Status- What's it all About?
18th April 10.30am – 12pm
£3 booking advised
01249 705500 (Tues-Sat 9:30-5)

Join Sarah Simmonds, World Heritage Partnership Manager, to explore the very special features that qualify Stonehenge and Avebury for their place on the UNESCO World Heritage Site list.

Talk – Stonehenge and Avebury – a Journey Through the Archives
18th April 2 – 3.30pm
£3 booking advised
01249 705500 (Tues-Sat 9:30-5)

In this centenary year of Stonehenge being acquired for the nation, Ruth Butler, Education Officer will be focusing on World Heritage Sites as they feature in the archives plus a few detours to other World Heritage Sites visited by Wiltshire people.

www.wshc.eu

Wiltshire Museum

Family Activity Day
11am – 3pm
Free, no booking required

A fun filled day of activities for all the family, including making a model of Stonehenge, an 'Early Man' gallery trail and craft jewellery making.

Lecture: Feast! by Sue Greaney
21st April 2 – 4pm
Booking essential. Tickets £7.00 (£4.50 WANHS members)

Learn more about the temporary exhibition at Stonehenge Visitor Centre that explores the diet of the Neolithic people who built and used the monument 4500 years ago.

www.wiltshiremuseum.org.uk

Desmond Dog's Blog

For the next 7 months Desmond Dog is going to be testing out some free walks around the World Heritage Site. Exploring each of the 7 special characteristics in turn, he will discover the landscape beyond the stone circles.

You can follow his adventures on Twitter and Facebook

@StoneAveWHS #timeforwiltshire #desmondwhsdog

Marlborough Downs Space for Nature

Talk – Marlborough Town Hall, 7:00 pm Tuesday 17th April

Farm Walk – Berwick Bassett, 10 am Sunday 22nd April

During the week of 16th to 22nd April, the Marlborough Downs farmers and friends will be launching a new initiative that will run alongside their Space for Nature project. The Bee Roads campaign will encourage everyone who lives and works on the Downs to get involved in creating a better, more joined up landscape for bees and other pollinators. One of the four Bee Roads launched in 2018 will connect the Avebury World Heritage Site with Marlborough, along the Kennet valley. Launch Week will provide plenty of opportunities for people to find out more. There'll be events for kids, families, local clubs and societies, and anyone else who's interested, in schools and village halls, on farms and National Trust properties. For more information, please visit the Space for Nature website events page

www.spacefornature.net/events
or
www.facebook.com/MarlboroughDowns

Avebury

Exhibition – Breaking Ground: Avebury's Female Archaeologists
3rd March – 18th November
10am – 6pm The Alexander Keiller Museum, Avebury
Free entry on 18th April, normal admission charges apply on other dates

To mark the 100 year anniversary of women first gaining the right to vote in Britain, this year at Avebury we will bring to light the contributions made by female archaeologists in the twentieth century. From early excavators to supervisory staff and museum curators, these women helped shape the way we view the Avebury World Heritage Site today. Through a trail leaflet and pop-up exhibition we will be sharing their stories.

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/avebury

Human Henge Walk
20th April 10.30am – 1pm
Free, booking advised

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/human-henge-walk-at-avebury-tickets-42752183933

Join the Human Henge group for a sensory experience of Avebury's ancient landscape. Together we will walk, sing and learn in the company of archaeologists and musicians, connecting with other humans who have walked here before us. You will have the opportunity to hear about people's experiences of Human Henge as an archaeology and mental health project. Human Henge is a ground-breaking project about archaeology, mental health and creativity that is interesting, adventurous, safe and fun.

www.humanhenge.org

Stonehenge

Meet the Volunteers
18th April 10am – 4pm Stonehenge Visitor Centre
Free

Meet the friendly volunteering team and watch them make and decorate prehistoric style pottery, fashion rope out of water reed, and make cheese and bread over the open fire in the Neolithic Houses. Learn about the plants foraged from the Stonehenge landscape and chat to them as they repair the chalk daub walls of the houses. There will be a chance to sign up and join this amazing team and learn some essential Neolithic life skills!

Talk – Stonehenge100
Bulford – What's That?
18th April 7pm Stonehenge Visitor Centre
Free, booking essential 0370 333 1183

Join archaeologist Phil Harding, of Time Team fame, as he discusses how recent excavations by Wessex Archaeology have revealed important new evidence of Neolithic life at Bulford. Presented for the first time, results will be examined in an attempt to see if and how Bulford was related to Stonehenge.

www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/stonehenge/events

Walk With an Archaeologist: Stonehenge Landscape
18th April 10.30am – 1pm
£18 adult/£5 child, booking essential 0344 2491895

Join Neolithic expert and National Trust archaeologist, Dr Nick Snashall on this half day exploration of the Stonehenge Landscape and find out about the latest exciting discoveries. Dr Nick Snashall has been working in this globally important landscape for many years. During this gentle 4 mile walk, you'll follow in the footsteps of our prehistoric ancestors as she leads you on this journey of discovery through the Stonehenge Landscape. Dr Nick Snashall will explain how the latest discoveries are revealing the secrets of our ancestors.

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/stonehenge-landscape



The Salisbury Museum

Study Day – Finding Pitt-Rivers
18th April 10am – 4pm The Salisbury Museum and outdoor sites*
£25 Members £28 Non-Members. Booking advised as places are limited to 25

Join museum Director Adrian Green to discover more about the extraordinary life of General Augustus Henry Lane Fox Pitt-Rivers (1827 – 1900). This study day will include a morning lecture, opportunity to handle artefacts from the Pitt-Rivers collection and an afternoon visit* to a few of the sites he excavated. Timed to co-inside with the completion of the museum's Finding Pitt-Rivers project and the launch of a new book about the General by Salisbury Museum.

*Own transport required Please note this visit is not suitable for those with walking difficulties

www.salisburymuseum.org.uk