

Do more in...

April

2019

Historylinks 5* Museum

Open 7 Days a week: 10am–4pm

Explore the history of Dornoch from Vikings, witches and the Clearances to golf, Skibo, the railway and everything in between.

Entry: Adults £4, Concessions £3, Children Free. Ticket valid for 7 days.

For more information: www.historylinks.org.uk or 01862 811 275

Children's Softplay Centre

Mon-Fri: 9am to 7:45pm Sat: 9am-4:30pm Sun: 10am-3:30pm

Kyle of Sutherland Hub, IV24 3AQ

The Hub has a bespoke three-level indoor soft play centre for children aged 0-12, and a Creperie with choice of tacos, tortilla and nachos, hot drinks and smoothies.

Entry: term time up to 2:30pm £3.50 otherwise £4.50

For more information: 01863 769 170

Evening Meals at Grace of Dornoch Café & Deli

Friday & Saturday evening in April

Grace of Dornoch Café & Deli

Join us for evening meals on Fridays and Saturday nights with BYOB.

To book you table contact: www.facebook.com/graceofdornoch

Evening Meals at The Courthouse Café

Friday & Saturday evenings in April

Courthouse Café, Carnegie Courthouse

Join us for special evening meals at the Courthouse Café on Friday & Saturday's in April.

Reservations are required. Please contact: 01862 810 632

Various Workshops at Lairg Learning Centre

Throughout March

Lairg Learning Centre, Lairg, IV27 4DD

Various workshops of all types from crafting of woodwork, making upholstery, upcycling and business orientated classes, there's something for everyone to learn.

For more information and to pre-book: www.facebook.com/LairgLC or: 01549 402050 (bookings)

No Colour Bar: Highland Remix

Throughout April

Timespan Museum, Helmsdale

In collaboration with Friends of the Huntley Archives at LMA (FHALMA). A research space and library based on the archives of Eric and Jessica Huntley and their pioneering Walter Rodney Bookshop. No Colour Bar: Highland Remix will be activated by a comprehensive programme of events, workshops, screenings and talks.

For more information: www.timespan.org.uk/programme/exhibitions/no-colour-bar-highland-remix



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Fara

Friday 5th April: 7:30pm

Duthac Centre, Tain

Fara brings together four leading musicians at the forefront of today's Scottish folk scene - Jennifer Austin, Kristan Harvey, Jeana Leslie and Catriona Price's three fiddles and a piano - to produce a fiery sound rooted strongly in their upbringing among the music of Orkney. Organised by The Rotary Club of Tain and Easter Ross. Any profit to the YMCA Youth Café in Tain, Tain Pipe Band and other local charities.

For more information: <https://whatsonhighlands.com/listings/24914-fara>

All Or Nothing "heroes"

Friday 5th April: 7:30pm

Ardross Community Hall, Ardross, IV17 OXW

Heroes - is an aerial dance duet that looks at who our idols really are and who are the people we look up to? A light-hearted look at the cult of celebrity and the fall from grace, mixing spectacular aerial skills with dance theatre, asking universal questions with humour, straight talking and high-quality choreography and performance.

Tickets: Between £5-£10

For more information: www.list.co.uk/event/1136014-all-or-nothing-heroes/

St Gilberts Fair: Performance of 'Joseph'

Saturday 6th April: 2:30pm & 7:30pm

Dornoch Cathedral, Dornoch

Join the Cathedral Youth Theatre for their own rendition of "Joseph"

For more information: www.dornoch-cathedral.com/

Andrew Finn Magill with Seán Gray

Saturday 6th April: 7:30pm-10pm

Edderton Hall, Edderton, Tain, IV19 1LA

International fiddle extraordinaire Andrew Finn Magill plays in concert with returning guitarist and flautist, Seán Gray.

Tickets: From £9.07.

For more information: eddertonhall@tesco.net

Make Your Own Takeaways

Tuesday 9th April: 6pm-9pm

Dornoch Social Club, Coffee Room

Do you want to learn how to make your own Tasty Takeaways? James, head chef from the Pier will demonstrate how easily and cost effectively you can make your own, with lots of tasters along the way. The classes will cover Chinese, Indian and Italian cookery.

Tickets: £10

For more information: www.lairglearningcentre.org.uk

Tile Clock Workshop

Tuesday 9th April: 12pm-4pm

Dornoch Social Club, Struie Room

Lairg Learning Centre is putting on a wonderful tile clock workshop for you to make your own.

For more information: www.lairglearningcentre.org.uk

Bat Talk

Wednesday 10th April: 2:30pm

Tain Library, Tain

Bats are fascinating creatures and the world's only flying mammal! Come along and find out more surprising and interesting facts about these often misunderstood mammals. This talk is aimed at adults and is not suitable for small children.

For more information: Marcia.rae2@highlifehighland.com

Visit Dornoch Do-More Experiences.

Our Do-More experiences are available to be booked through our Visit Dornoch website. Canoe Trips with Go Wild Highlands, Whisky & Gin tastings at the Carnegie Whisky Cellars, Guided day trips with D.P.H. and Afternoon Teas at the Dornoch Castle Hotel & Links House at Royal Dornoch.

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An Evening of Jazz Song

Thursday 11th April: 8pm

The Stables Causeway, Cromarty IV11 8XS

An evening of jazz song with Liane Carroll, Fionna Duncan, Sara Colman, Sophie Bancroft and Brian Kellock (as part of the Vocal Jazz Workshop).

Doors at 7.30pm BYOB

Tickets: £13 (£11 concession; £5 under 16) Purchase in advance

To purchase: email: info@cromartyartstrust.org.uk or Tel: 01381 600354



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Dornoch Cinema Monthly Film Showing–King of Thieves (15)

Saturday 13th April: Doors open at 7pm for 7:30pm showing

Dornoch Social Club, School Hill, Dornoch

Monthly film show with refreshments, raffle and sociable company.

Entry: Adults £5.00 children £3.00.

For more information: <http://www.dadca.org.uk/cinema.asp>



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Lizabett Russo

Saturday 13th April: 7.30pm

Carnegie Hall, Portmahomack

Scotland based singer/songwriter Lizabett Russo merges her native traditions with elements of contemporary jazz, avant garde folk and world music, arrange of influence effortlessly spanned by her powerful and versatile voice.

For more information: <http://www.portmahomackcommunity.org.uk/>



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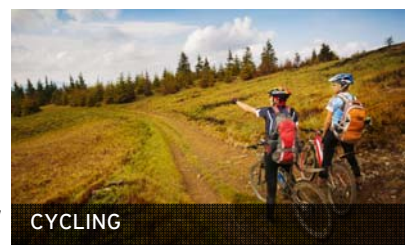
Tuesday 16th April: 6pm–9pm

Dornoch Social Club, Coffee Room

Do you want to learn how to make your own Tasty Takeaways? James, head chef from the Pier will demonstrate how easily and cost effectively you can make your own, with lots of tasters along the way. The classes will cover Chinese, Indian and Italian cookery.

Tickets: £10

For more information: www.lairglearningcentre.org.uk



CYCLING

Tarradale - Past, Present and Future

Thursday 18th April: 7:30pm

Royal Dornoch Golf Club, Dornoch

Join us for an engaging talk by Eric Grant that looks at 'Tarradale - Past, Present and Future'. With raffle.

Entry: Free

For more information: www.historylinks.org.uk or 01862 811 275



DELICIOUS FOOD

Tain Community Market

Saturday 20th April 2019: 12pm - 4pm.

A variety of food producers and artisan craft stalls will be here on the day. Lots of fun activities for all the family to enjoy. Please come along and show your support. Kids Fancy Dress Competition/face painting/live music.

For more information: www.tain.org.uk/events.asp

Easter Afternoon Tea

Easter Weekend

Dornoch Castle Hotel, Dornoch

Enjoy a special afternoon tea at the Dornoch Castle Hotel. Reservations and advanced payment is required 24 hours in advance.

Reservations: £22.00 per person. Add prosecco £5.00 per person

For more information: www.dornochcastlehotel.com/news or call: 01862 810 216



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Easter Lunch at the Dornoch Castle Hotel

Sunday 22nd April

Dornoch Castle Hotel, Dornoch

Enjoy a specially created Easter Sunday lunch at the Dornoch Castle Hotel. Booking is recommended.

For more information: www.dornochcastlehotel.com/news or call: 01862 810 216

Easter Dining at The Royal Golf Hotel Dornoch

Sunday 22nd April

Royal Golf Hotel Dornoch

Enjoy a wonderful Easter menu at the Royal Golf Hotel Dornoch. Booking is recommended.

For more information: <https://www.royalgolfhoteldornoch.co.uk/> or call: 01862 810283

Explore Painting & Drawing Outside

Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th April

The Old Brewery, Cromarty

The aim of this workshop is to explore the versatility of painting and drawing through the process of mark-making and how to translate our direct response to the landscape. Tickets: £110 - includes tea/coffee and lunch each day

For more information: info@cromartyartstrust.org.uk/01381 600354

Dornoch Car Boot Sale

Saturday 27th April: 9:30am – 12:30pm

Dornoch Social Club

With indoor tables and outside stalls, why not come along and grab a bargain or better still turn some of your unwanted items into cash.

For more information: <http://www.dadca.org.uk/carbootsales.asp>

Drum Circle

Saturday 27th April: Time TBC

Carnegie Hall, Portmahomack

A noisy fun family friendly event hosted by Simon where people of all levels of musical expertise are invited to come together in a rhythmical drum circle. Bring your own drum if you have one but don't worry all will be accommodated. All welcome.

Tickets: Adults: £5. Children: Donation.

For more information: <http://www.portmahomackcommunity.org.uk/>

Simon & Tamara

Saturday 27th April: 7:30pm

Carnegie Hall, Portmahomack

"Simon and Tamara" Debut in the Port. Vocals, violin, Hang and Piano (and Drum circle in afternoon).

BYOB.

Tickets: At door £10.

For more information: <http://www.portmahomackcommunity.org.uk/>

Sutherland Walkers Group: John O'Groats Trail : Stage 8 : Berriedale to Helmsdale OS 17 119 226

Sunday 28th April: 10:40am

14.5km / 9 miles, cliff top walk, one way. This is a *Challenging and strenuous* walk. Optional self-guided shorter walk. Contact Jon for suggestions. Transport organised back to Berriedale after.

Car Share:- Bonar Bridge PO 09.10 : Golspie 09.45 : Brora Co-op 10.00

The walk starts from Berriedale at 10.40

For more information: Jon Jenkins : 01862 810382

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