

# Do more in...

June 1st– 7th

2018

## Historylinks 5\* Museum

Open Daily: 10am–4pm

Entry: Adults £4, Concessions £3, Children Free. Ticket valid for 7 days  
For more information call 01862 811275 or visit [www.historylinks.org.uk](http://www.historylinks.org.uk)

## Grannie's Hellan' Hame, Embo

Open daily: from 9am

Soft Play Area, Swimming Pool, Children's Entertainment, Amusement Arcade, Bingo & Evening entertainment. Facilities open to all Dornoch visitors.  
Entry: £15 for family of four for a day pass. For more information: 01862 810383

## Dornoch Pipe Band Parade

Every Saturday: 8pm–9pm

Dornoch Square, Dornoch  
Pipe band parade followed by Highland dancing display.  
Entry: Free

## Dornoch Gallery Summer Exhibition:

Saturday 2nd June–Saturday 16th June: 10am–4pm Daily

Dornoch Social Club, Dornoch

A wide and exciting range of craft and art work, designed and made in the Highlands, will be on show and available for sale.

For more information: [www.dadca.org.uk/gallery](http://www.dadca.org.uk/gallery)

## Charity Tractor Run

Saturday 2nd June: 10am

Dornoch Square, Dornoch

Organised by Cath MacAngus in memory of her late husband Gary, this annual event raises funds split between the Chest Heart and Stroke Scotland and Macmillan. Starting in Dornoch Square at 10am, the tractors complete a 53 mile round trip from Dornoch, through Rogart, Lairg, Invershin and back to Dornoch.  
For more information:

[www.visitdornoch.com/whats-on-in-dornoch/event/charity-tractor-run](http://www.visitdornoch.com/whats-on-in-dornoch/event/charity-tractor-run)

## TruckNess

Saturday 2nd June: 10am–5pm

Bogbain Farm, Bogbain, Inverness

Currently working on the biggest event ever staged by TruckNess in the Highlands. TruckNess 2018 is staged to celebrate the fantastic contribution made by the men and women working in the Haulage industry in Inverness and the Scottish Highlands and Islands. The show also gives the opportunity to raise funds for MFR Cash for Kids. Tickets: £5 General/£3 Concessions

For more information: [www.trucknessinverness.com](http://www.trucknessinverness.com)

## Make Your Own Salmon Coat Hook

Monday 4th June: 6:30pm–9:30pm

The Cabin, Lairg Learning Centre, Lairg

Make a lovely salmon coat hook for your home. Re-using donated wood, Graham will show how to draw and cut the shape, sand and add the coat hooks made from re-purposed fish knives. Cost: £5

For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email:

[admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

## Big Skies

Thursday 7th June - 7th July: Mon & Thu - Sat: 10am - 5pm

Golspie Gallery, Golspie

An exhibition of artwork by Fiona Stevenson. Big Skies, their changing light and movement, in oils and water colours.

Free entry.

For more information: [www.golspiegallery.co.uk/whatsonevents](http://www.golspiegallery.co.uk/whatsonevents)

## Scenes from the North Coast 500

Thursday 7th June - 4th August: Mon & Thu - Sat: 10am - 5pm

Golspie Gallery, Golspie

An exhibition of artwork by Moira MacBeath. Scenes from the NC500, vibrant acrylics and pastels. Free entry.

For more information: [www.golspiegallery.co.uk/whatsonevents](http://www.golspiegallery.co.uk/whatsonevents)



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## **Nature's Basecamp**

Monday 4th June: 10am–4pm

Culloden Woods, Tower Road, Inverness

The well established Basecamps offer lots of outdoor fun including bushcraft skills, games, nature activities and woodland crafts. Often have a campfire; always have hot chocolate! For 8 years & over.

Entry: £25 per child. Booking limited & essential. For more information contact Ian on 01549 402 698.

## **The Isle of Love**

Tuesday 5th June: 8pm

Ardross Community Hall, Ardross

A bittersweet play that showcases a tale of love, loss, recovery and discovery infused with the quirky lyrical genius of Adam Ross' music. Tickets: £10/£8 Concessions. For more information: [www.rightlines.net](http://www.rightlines.net)

## **Open Evening - Landscapes of the Highlands**

7th June: 5:30pm–7:30pm

Golspie Gallery, Golspie

Meet Artists Fiona Stevenson & Moira MacBeath. Oils & water colours by Fiona Stevenson. Acrylics & pastels by Moira MacBeath. Free entry. For more information: [www.golspiegallery.co.uk/whatsonevents](http://www.golspiegallery.co.uk/whatsonevents)

## **Gizzen Briggs**

Thursday 7th June: 7:30pm

Dornoch Cathedral, Dornoch

Join us for an evening of music from Gizzen Briggs with accompaniment by a group from Orkney.

## **Mahler Players'**

Friday 8th June: 8pm

Dornoch Cathedral, Dornoch

Join us at the Mahler Players' fifth-anniversary concerts for Debussy, Ravel and Brahms.

Tickets £16 General/£14 Over-60s/£5 Under-26. For more information: [www.mahlerplayers.co.uk](http://www.mahlerplayers.co.uk)

## **Dornoch Cinema Film Show: Monthly Showing**

Friday 8th June: 7:30pm

Dornoch Social Club, Dornoch

Monthly film show by Dornoch Cinema with film to be announced. Doors open Refreshments included.

Entry: Adults £5.00 children £3.00. For more information visit [www.dadca.org.uk](http://www.dadca.org.uk)

## **Make Your Own Lunch Bag From Denim**

Saturday 9th June: 9am–1pm

Lairg & District Learning Centre, Main Street, Lairg

Make a lovely lunch bag from old jeans, and line with some recycled fabric such as a pillowcase or any other fabric you have lying around. Bring along your fabric and sewing machine and Maria will show you how to make this great item

Cost: £5. For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email: [admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

## **Outdoor Vegetable Growing**

Saturday 9th June: 10am–12:30pm

Corry Croft Nursery, Rogart

Sarah will teach you the skills relating to outdoor vegetable growing from the preparation of beds through to harvest, with lots of tips thrown in! Cost: £5

For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email: [admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

## **Make Your Own Oven Glove From Denim**

Saturday 9th June: 1:30pm–5:30pm

Lairg & District Learning Centre, Main Street, Lairg

Make your own personalised oven glove from recycled denim and fabric. Bring along your sewing machine and fabric and Maria will show you how.

Cost: £5 For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email: [admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

### **Visit Dornoch Do-More Experiences.**

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**Find us on Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/VisitDornoch](http://www.facebook.com/VisitDornoch)

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June 9th–16th

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## Plarn and Tarn

Starts: Tuesday 12th June: 7:15pm–9:15pm. (4 week course)

Lairg & District Learning Centre, Main Street, Lairg

Learn to knit and crochet while reducing your carbon footprint. Lorna will show you how to make great items from carrier bags, t-shirts, scarves, wool and other fabrics, the list is endless. Cost: £10

For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email:

[admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

## Musick Fyne

Wednesday 13th June: 8pm

Dornoch Cathedral, Dornoch

An evening of Monteverdi and Gabrieli at the Dornoch Cathedral

For more information: [www.dornoch-cathedral.com/diary/index.html](http://www.dornoch-cathedral.com/diary/index.html)

## The Fisherfolk Festival

Thursday 14th– Sunday 17th June

Seaboard Memorial Hall, Balintore

A celebration of the history and heritage of the Ross-shire Seaboard villages.

Events include a special dinner on the Friday plus a street party, ceilidhs, music, food, art, workshops and more.

For more information: [www.seaboardcentre.com](http://www.seaboardcentre.com)

## Scottish Chamber Orchestra in Thurso

Thursday 14th June: 7:30pm

Thurso High School, Thurso, KW14 7DS

The Scottish Chamber Orchestra return to Thurso placing their immaculate and distinguished duo of Maximiliano Martín and William Stafford at the heart of the concert with Franz Krommer's Concerto in E-flat for two clarinets.

For more information: [www.sco.org.uk/whats-on/1226-the-scottish-chamber-orchestra-in-thurso](http://www.sco.org.uk/whats-on/1226-the-scottish-chamber-orchestra-in-thurso)

## Dornoch Community Market

Wednesday 13th June: 9:30am –1pm

Cathedral Green, Dornoch

Come and visit the stalls to look out for the great selection of arts, crafts, baked goods and more.

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## Scottish Chamber Orchestra in Inverness

Friday 15th June: 7:30pm

Eden Court, Bishops Road, Inverness

The Scottish Chamber Orchestra return to Thurso placing their immaculate and distinguished duo of Maximiliano Martín and William Stafford at the heart of the concert with Franz Krommer's Concerto in E-flat for two clarinets.

For more information: [www.sco.org.uk/whats-on/1227-the-scottish-chamber-orchestra-in-inverness](http://www.sco.org.uk/whats-on/1227-the-scottish-chamber-orchestra-in-inverness)

## Book Launch: Philip Paris

Saturday 16th June: 10am

Dornoch Social Club, Dornoch

Join us for the launch of Effie's War, which tells the story of Tain sands being used for D-Day landing practice and the effects on the local community—including the evacuation of Inver.

Meet the author and sample his wife's excellent baking!

For more information: [www.philipparis.co.uk](http://www.philipparis.co.uk)

## Celtman Extreme Scottish Triathlon

Saturday 16th June: 5am–7pm

Loch Torridon, Torridon

Centred around the stunning Torridon mountains we will take you on an adventure unlike any other.

For more information: [info@cxtri.com](mailto:info@cxtri.com)



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June 16th –30th

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## **Make Your Own Heart Coat Hook**

Monday 18th June: 6:30pm–9:30pm

The Cabin, Lairg Learning Centre, Lairg

Make a great heart coat hook from left over wood. Four wooden hearts with fish knife hooks will make up this item that can be stained or painted to suit your décor

Cost: £5. For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email: [admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

## **Midland Odessa Choir**

Tuesday 19th June: 6:30pm (TBC)

Dornoch Cathedral, Dornoch

Join us for an evening with the Midland Odessa Choir in the Cathedral.

For more information: [www.dornoch-cathedral.com/diary/index.html](http://www.dornoch-cathedral.com/diary/index.html)

## **Sutherland Walkers Group: Canisp. OS: 15 204 188**

Sunday 24th June: Walk starts at Bone Caves Car Park at 10:30am

Meet for car share at The Mound: 9am/Bonar Bridge PO: 9:15am/Lairg 09:30am/Rosehall Trails Car Park: 9.45am.

Rough hill, some streams to cross, 7.5 miles, linear. No dogs. Optional low level walk from Lochinver to Glen Canisp Lodge: Riverside and moorland paths. 4.5 miles, circular.

For more information contact: David Hannah : 01863 766061

## **Dornoch Community Market**

Wednesday 27th June: 9:30am –1pm

Cathedral Green, Dornoch

Come and visit the stalls to look out for the great selection of arts, crafts, baked goods and more.

For more information: [www.dornoch.org.uk/community-market.asp](http://www.dornoch.org.uk/community-market.asp)

## **Making Key Pattern in Insular Art**

Thursday 28th June: 7:30pm

Gordon Memorial Hall, Rosemarkie

A talk by Cynthia Thickpenny and organised by Groam House Museum - their annual academic lecture.

Tickets: £5 non-members/£2.50 members and students. For more information: [www.groamhouse.org.uk](http://www.groamhouse.org.uk)

## **How To Make Your Own Compost**

Saturday 30th June: 10am–12:30pm

Corry Croft Nursery, Rogart

Come along and learn about compost making, including the types of compost bin, position, ingredients for good compost and using it once made.

Cost: £5. For more information: Call 01579 402 050 or email: [admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk](mailto:admin@lairglearningcentre.org.uk)

## **Bug Hunt with The Countryside Ranger**

Saturday 30th June: 11am–3pm

Airfield car park, Dornoch

Creepy crawlies are great. We'll discover slitherers, crawlers, jumpers and fliers.

Drop in session, entry free but donations welcome, nets, pots & expert help provided.

## **North Kessock Community Market**

Saturday 30th June: 10am–12:30pm

North Kessock Hall, Inverness

The market offers a large range of fresh local food products, craft items and much more.

Come along and support our local producers.

## **Gairloch Highland Games**

Saturday 30th June: 10am–5pm

Little Sands, Gairloch

A traditional day out with lots of games, highland dancers, pipe band, hill race, pony show, farrier display, BBQ, tug o war, followed by family ceilidh, then dance in the evening. For more information: <http://gairlochgathering.com/>

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