

WHAT'S ON

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FESTIVALS, SHOWS AND EVENTS

BURNHAM-ON-CROUCH & MALDON 2024



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EHMYA WINTER WARMER

📅 4 February
📍 Promenade Park

Brave the cold weather to come and see a collection of historic military vehicles on display. Many of the vehicles saw active service in conflicts both home and abroad and have been lovingly restored by their owners.



BANK HOLIDAY FOOD & DRINK MARKET

📅 1 April
📍 Promenade Park

Come and enjoy a great day out for all the family. This annual event boasts a huge range of stalls to browse including artisan produced local goodies and craft stalls.



VEGAN MARKET

📅 18 May
📍 Promenade Park

The event brings together a huge variety of vegan street food vendors, artisan bakers, ethical jewellers, sustainable chandlers, local artists, zero-waste champions, environmental charities and much more.



UCI RIDELONDON WOMEN'S CYCLING CLASSIQUE

📅 25 May
📍 Promenade Park & Maldon High Street

Featuring the world's best female road cyclists, the Ford RideLondon Classique is an incredible spectacle for all to enjoy! This year, Maldon hosts stage two of this three-day race.



MACBETH BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

📅 5 - 6 July
📍 The Maze Garden, Promenade Park

Shakespeare's power politics play from The Packing Shed Theatre will electrify audiences of all ages. This exciting production takes place in an intimate space perfect for open-air theatre.



DOG SHOW

📅 6 - 7 July
📍 Promenade Park

This 'paw'some event will transform Promenade Park into a Crufts-style showground to delight dog lovers everywhere. Why not enter your own perfect pooch into one of the many prize-winning categories?



BOCKING BRASS BAND

📅 7 July
📍 Promenade Park

Come and enjoy the sounds of Bocking Brass Band guaranteed to get your toes tapping and raise a smile as you walk along the Prom!



NEARLY FESTIVAL

📅 20 - 21 July
📍 Promenade Park

Enjoy the UK's best touring tribute acts live on stage at this affordable alternative to bigger touring festivals. Look out for the kid zone, street food market, and Pub In The Park.



DOWN'S TRADITIONAL STEAM FUNFAIR

📅 25 May - 2 June
📍 Promenade Park

Discover vintage fairground rides and attractions to be enjoyed by all ages. The steam driven Gallopers, Chair-o-Planes, Big Wheel, Helter Skelter and other rides provide fun and thrills from a bygone age.



SEAFOOD FESTIVAL

📅 31 May - 1 June
📍 Promenade Park

A foodie celebration of local fish, shellfish and drink. Come and see what Maldon District and surrounding areas has to offer, plus activities for the whole family.



MALDON MUD RACE

📅 2 June
📍 Promenade Park

Visitors flock to enjoy this world famous competition where 300 fund-raising participants drag themselves through the Maldon mud. Plus there are attractions, street food, bars and a fair to add to the fun.



SUMMERTIME LIVE - IBIZA ORCHESTRA

📅 7 June
📍 Promenade Park

Get ready to party along to some of the biggest dance anthems of the past 30 years brought to life by a 32-piece orchestra with live vocals and a DJ.



MANNINGS & THURSTON FUNFAIR

📅 26 July - 11 August
📍 Promenade Park

Two of the oldest names in the fun fair business provide a fantastic fun-filled experience for all ages, from gentle rides and inflatables for the little ones to sensational rides for thrill seekers.



MALDON CARNIVAL PROCESSION

📅 3 August
📍 Maldon High Street

A Maldon tradition since 1895, this fun Carnival Procession features floats, bands and street walkers to raise money for local charities. A free event for all the family.



BURNHAM KITE FLYING DAY

📅 11 August
📍 Riverside Park

Bring along a kite to fly, or you can make one on the day. Members of a professional kite-flying team are on hand to show you how and demonstrate their skills.



UFEST

📅 16 August
📍 Promenade Park

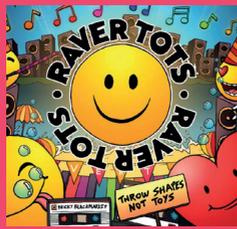
This exciting day of events from 11am to 4pm has a focus on health, wellbeing and fun. It features live music and stalls, plus games, sports and activities for the whole community to take part in.



SOULTASIA

- 📅 8 June
- 📍 Promenade Park

With the Brand New Heavies, Change, Lisa Stansfield, David Grant, Gwen Dickey & Evelyn 'Champagne' King in the line-up, this looks set to be another great event featuring soul music from across the decades.



RAVERTOTS

- 📅 9 June
- 📍 Promenade Park

The UK's biggest family friendly house, rave and drum and bass festival where kids and grown-ups can hit the dance floor and rave together!



ANTIQUES FAIR

- 📅 30 June
- 📍 Promenade Park

After two successful dates in 2023 the fair returns for 2024 with stands selling furniture, china, glass, jewellery, collectables, coins, pictures, retro clothing and much more.



ARMED FORCES DAY WITH EHMVA

- 📅 30 June
- 📍 Promenade Park

Join us for a spectacular display of military vehicles all in support of the men and women who make up the armed forces community. There might even be a vintage aircraft fly-past.



SMOKE AND FIRE FESTIVAL

- 📅 17 - 18 August
- 📍 Promenade Park

If you love food, you need to add this BBQ spectacular to your diary. Bring the whole family and friends for an unforgettable taste experience – plus live music and children's entertainment.



CIRCUS CORTEX

- 📅 22 - 26 August
- 📍 Promenade Park

This brand new show is sure to leave a lasting impression. With daring acrobatics, breath-taking stunts, and awe-inspiring visuals, Circus Cortex is an experience that you won't want to miss.



BANK HOLIDAY FOOD & DRINK MARKET

- 📅 26 August
- 📍 Promenade Park

Enjoy a diverse range of offerings from over 80 stalls featuring craft items, food and drink, and a real ale beer tent showcasing local breweries; plus fun-filled entertainment throughout the day.



THE HAY WAIN

- 📅 29 - 30 August
- 📍 Promenade Park

The Packing Shed Theatre presents an updated re-staging of The Hay Wain bringing to life the people who worked the land in Constable's famous painting in a play still relevant today.



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CAR SHOW

- 📅 15 September
- 📍 Promenade Park

After a four-year absence, the Car Show is back with new organisers. This event brings together an array of classic cars and car clubs. This really is a family day out and includes music, attractions and, of course, some iconic cars on display.



STEVENS FUNFAIR - BURNHAM

- 📅 19 - 28 September
- 📍 Riverside Park

Stevens Funfair was established in 1952 and today features some of the best thrill rides and traditional attractions touring the country – come along with friends and family for a great day out.



BURNHAM CARNIVAL PROCESSION

- 📅 28 September
- 📍 High Street, Burnham-on-Crouch

The biggest event in the Dengie, this carnival has been in the diary for over 100 years. A full day of entertainment culminating with an illuminated procession along the High Street.



MALDON TOWN REGATTA

- 📅 21 September
- 📍 Hythe Quay

Maldon Town Regatta has been held for generations. Smacks and old gaffers, traditional and modern yachts race up river from West Mersea to Osea Island. While the boats are out racing there are plenty of stalls and attractions on Hythe Quay.



SALTMARSH WALKING FESTIVAL

- 📅 27 September - 6 October
- 📍 Throughout Maldon District

This year will see the return of the popular 10 day Saltmarsh Coast Walking festival, with free guided walks, evening entertainment and plenty of opportunity to explore the lesser known parts of Maldon District.



MALDON FIREWORKS

- 📅 2 November
- 📍 Promenade Park

The annual fireworks display, hosted by the Rotary Club to raise money for good causes, presents incredible fireworks from an award-winning team, a bonfire, music and other attractions guaranteed to delight the crowd.



CHRISTMAS FAIRS

- 📅 TBA November
- 📍 High Street, Maldon
- 📅 7 December
- 📍 High Street, Burnham-on-Crouch

An opportunity to browse and buy an array of gifts and treats at these Christmas Fairs, with plenty of festive cheer and entertainment to support local businesses.

ENJOY OUR PARKS – ALL YEAR ROUND



As well as hosting an exciting programme of events, Promenade Park in Maldon and Riverside Park in Burnham-on-Crouch are great places for the whole family to explore and enjoy at any time of the year.

Overlooking the River Crouch and with views across to Wallasea Island, Riverside Park has two children's play areas, a skate park, BMX track, and trim trail, all within a short walking distance of the shops.

Promenade Park is home to the largest fleet of Thames Sailing Barges, and has been a much loved park of choice for many years. Activities include the splash park, petting zoo, and adventure golf. Why not bring a picnic and make the most of the fresh coastal air, green open space and of course an ice cream or two?



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Riverside Park

Millfields,
Burnham-on-Crouch
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