

# 2025 EVENTS

**Bloom in Doncaster this Spring...**

## APRIL

**7-13th Playful Anywhere** - A free drop-in play & creative fun session outside Cast Theatre.

**2-4th Easter Beer Festival** - Head to Doncaster Brewery and Tap for an Easter Beer Festival featuring a variety of quality cask ales, ciders, craft beer and more.

**18-19th Easter in The Market** - Join us in the Market Square for Easter fun, including an exciting new Easter Trail, with prizes too!

**25th Mansion House Open Day** - Visit the historic Grade I listed Doncaster Mansion House, 1 of only 3 in England. See [visitdoncaster.com](http://visitdoncaster.com) for 2025 open days.

**26-27th Extreme Robots 2025** - From the team behind ROBOT WARS Live, the robots are back and more EXTREME than ever at Doncaster Dome.

**A month of bloomin' brilliant tribute acts** - Doncaster is set to host some fantastic tribute acts this April, bringing the sounds of iconic artists to life with top-tier performances across local venues. Check for tickets at [visitdoncaster.com](http://visitdoncaster.com)



## NOVEMBER

**Fireworks & Bonfire Night Celebrations** - Doncaster will be lighting up the sky with plenty of firework displays and events across the city!

**8th November Handicap Day at the Races** - The last big race of the British flat season is one of Doncaster's most popular horse racing fixtures, join the excitement of the closing show!

**14th-23rd Doncaster Festival of Light** - Save the date for the annual Doncaster Festival of Light, an exciting community event held within the stunning Doncaster Minster.

**28th Nov-4th Jan Cinderella Christmas Panto at CAST** - With dazzling costumes, sweeping sets and plenty of magnificent music, we invite you to Doncaster's most extraordinary family pantomime.

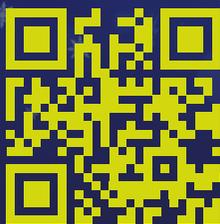
Keep an eye out for our full Countdown to Christmas programme - festive fun for all ages!

## DECEMBER

**6th Caged Steel: Night of Champions** - End the year in style with world-class MMA and Caged Boxing with international and UK athletes.

**12th Christmas Jumper Raceday** - Don your festive jumper and head to the races for a Christmas doo to remember!

**6th & 13th Artisan & Craft Fayre at Lakeside** - It's time to bag some artisan gifts for Christmas!



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# FESTIVAL FRENZY

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## MAY

**3rd Doncaster Fake Festival** - The stage is set and the amps are cranked, 'cause this year Fake Festival is bringing a rock 'n' roll explosion to Sandall Park like never before!

**2-5th Delicious Doncaster Food & Drink Festival & 2-3rd Doncaster Beer Festival** - Join us for a bumper weekend of Festival Fever at Doncaster Beer Festival alongside the Delicious Doncaster Food Festival.

**10th Doncaster Steampunk Spectacular** - This one's not to be missed - head to the Steampunk Spectacular for a day of Steampunk extravagance and splendour.

**23rd Harper Vs Zimmermann** - WBO World Lightweight Championship comes to the Eco Power Stadium, watch the amazing Terri Harper return to her home town in one of the British cards of the year!

## JUNE

**7th Donny Music Festival** - Brace yourself for another incredible lineup packed with stars and immense talent. An unmissable festival at Eco Power Stadium.

**28th Vernon Kay Live at Doncaster Racecourse** - Get ready for an action-packed Summer Saturday at Doncaster Racecourse, featuring thrilling racing and an unmissable live set from Vernon Kay. Part of the Summer Saturday Series, running May to August, this is the ultimate summer celebration.

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## JULY

**12th NMTF Young Traders Market** - Support young, independent businesses in Doncaster's Market Square. Discover unique stalls and cheer on traders aged 16-30 competing for a spot in the Regional Final!

**12th Yorkshire Strongest Man & Woman 2025** - Get ready for an electrifying display of strength at Yorkshire's Strongest Man & Woman 2025! Watch as competitors push their limits in the ultimate battle for the title at Lakeside Village.

**12-13th Crafting Live** - The award winning Crafting Live show is coming back at Doncaster Racecourse and bringing a whole host of celebrity crafters.

**19th Horizon Car Show** - Horizon is a unique automotive event for the UK, gathering hundreds of carefully selected cars from all around the UK and Europe at Eco Power Stadium.



## AUGUST

**8-10th The Yorkshire Wartime** - Immerse yourself in 20th-century conflicts with battle re-enactments, displays featuring British Tommies, Normandy GI Joe's, and the Women's Land Army, plus a parade of rare military vehicles.

**9th Doncaster Pride** - Gear up for an extraordinary day celebrating the LGBTQ+ community as Doncaster Pride unveils its vibrant wings, spreading joy, love, and unity across our diverse city.

**16-17th Railway 200's Touring Exhibition** - Bicentenary train Inspiration is touring 60 UK locations over 12 months, showcasing rail innovation, careers, and interactive exhibits - don't miss it in Doncaster on 16-17 August at Freightliner Doncaster Railport!

Find out more about Railway 200 events at [visitdoncaster.com/whats-on/railway-200](https://visitdoncaster.com/whats-on/railway-200)

**24th & 31st Wild Live Concerts** - Experience a sensational summer at Yorkshire Wildlife Park's Wild Live stage, featuring Russell Watson and ABBA mega-hit maestros Björn Again.

## SEPTEMBER

**5-7th DN1 Live** - Why not enjoy 3 days of live music in Sir Nigel Gresley Square, Doncaster all for FREE!

**11-14th St Leger Festival** - The Betfred St Leger Festival is one of the highlights of the flat racing season. Thousands attend to watch history in the making across four thrilling days of action.

This is just a snapshot of what's on - for the full calendar of events check out [visitdoncaster.com](https://visitdoncaster.com)

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