

Sunday 21st July

2pm - 6pm Fun Fair on the Village Green

2pm Pond Dipping on the Acres

6pm - 10.30pm GG Youth Club quiz night fundraiser

In the Grosvenor Centre

Our GFest2019 PRIZE DRAW will be drawn on Sunday 21st July at the GG Youth Club Quiz Night - tickets will be on sale throughout the Festival.

Village Photography Competition "My Favourite Photographs" – there will be a display of villager's "Favourite" photographs in the Grosvenor Centre throughout the GFest period. For details of how to enter please contact the Parish Office.

We are holding a "Gnomesall" Gnome Competition during GFest2019, where you can display a gnome in your garden and enter it into our competition. Please contact the Parish Office for details and an application form.

GNOSALL CANAL FESTIVAL

Friday 19th - Sunday 21st July

Three days of activities on one of the UK's prettiest canals as a climax to the famous Gnosall festival. Many activities free of charge:

See our full programme, which will be available late June, for times, locations and further details.

Brief detail are given on the next page.

For further copies of this draft programme please contact Gnosall Parish Office on 01785 822685

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Canal Festival Activities

Waterside family treasure hunt

Historic guided walks

Local canal societies

Historic talks and exhibitions

Boat trips

Children's activities

Refreshments

Visiting Historic Boats

Saturn (Shropshire Union flyboat)

Swan

Mountbatten & Jellico

Scorpio & Leo

...and many more to see!

Visiting Canal Traders

Woodcraft boat

Cheese & chutney boat

Jewellery boat

Floating blacksmith

Wine & cider boat

Coffee & fudge boat

...and many more trading boats!

Entertainment at our waterside pubs

Live music

The Boat Inn Cider & Gin Festival

Waterways quiz

...and all serving their usual fine food and drink!

GNOSALL PARISH COUNCIL

Presents



DRAFT PROGRAMME

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13th - 21st July 2019

Made in Gnosall
Community & Countryside Event
Phoenix open Morning
CLASSICAL CONCERT
Church Service
GNOSALL SINGERS
BBQ
Fun Fair
Dog Show
Fun Run
FAMILY BIKE Ride
MURDER MYSTERY
Quiz Night
Pond Dipping
Wine Tasting
CANAL FESTIVAL

And much, much more

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Welcome to our Fifth Gnosall Festival

Plans are progressing well with this Summer's GFest2019, with plenty to appeal to everyone. The programme is filling up with events. Whilst many of them are free, some may require advance booking and some may have a small charge.



In an attempt to keep our festival fresh and exciting we have quite a few changes from previous festivals, with new events alongside the return of some old favourites.

For the first time ever, we have [Gnosall Canal Festival](#) as a fitting conclusion to our event, brief details are given in this leaflet. This promises to be a very interesting series of events involving narrow boats, canal related stalls, talks on the canals, a Gin and Cider event, food and drink at our canal side pubs, live music and a waterways quiz

Our [Community and Countryside Event](#) is bigger and better than ever with a dog show and over 23 booked stalls including Fruit & Cream, Refreshments, Bar, Games, Police, CPRE, First Responders, Gnosall Towpath Restoration, GLEAN, Gnosall Ladies Running Club, GG's Youth Club, St Lawrence Church, Gnosall Handbells, Royal British Legion, Staffs Wildlife Trust, Gnosall Fire Station, Gnosall Players, Gnosall Scouts (to include archery games). Phoenix club organising Horseshoe pitching and a Quoits game and Helen's Happy Hounds.



A couple of events are also taking place outside of our normal festival dates:

[Murder Mystery Fish & Chip Supper Evening](#)

with Gnosall Players on the 6th July at 7.30 in the Grosvenor Centre. Admission by pre-booked tickets only

. [50/60s Music Event](#) will take place in September 2019 at The Navigation Inn. This is a free event although donations will be gratefully received.

Gnosall Festival Draft Programme

Please note all events are subject to change

[Saturday 13th July](#)

10am - 4pm Made in Gnosall Craft Fair

In the Grosvenor Centre - please register with the Parish Office in advance to exhibit

11am -3pm Dog Show , Community & Countryside event

On the Grosvenor Centre field with 23 confirmed stalls

11am Family Fun Run from the Sports Centre

3pm History of the Church & Tour

with refreshments. Please pre-book on 01785 823686

[Sunday 14th July](#)

10am - 4pm Made in Gnosall Craft Fair

In the Grosvenor Centre - please register with the Parish Office in advance to exhibit

10.30am Festival Church Service Gnosall Methodist Church

10.30am Family Bike Ride from Allotments Car Park

[Monday 15th July](#)

9.45am - 12.30pm Active Aging Event

In the Grosvenor Centre - including:-

9.45 10.45 Exercise To Music

11-11.30 Tai Chi

11.30 - 12.30 Seated Exercise Class

[Tuesday 16th July](#)

10am - 12.30pm Literary Event in Gnosall Library

8pm - 10pm Gnosall Handbell Ringers

In the Grosvenor Centre

[Wednesday 17th July](#)

2pm - 9pm Gnosall Heritage Group Open Day

Grosvenor Centre Main Hall

5pm - 7pm Antiques and Collectibles Valuation Event

Brearley Room - max 2 items per person

7pm - 9pm GG Youth Club Treasure Hunt and BBQ

Grosvenor Field

7.30pm - 9pm Bridge Teaching Session - Brearley Room

[Thursday 18th July](#)

7pm - 9pm Classical Concert (Peter & the Wolf)

In Gnosall Memorial Village Hall

[Friday 19th July](#)

10am -12pm Gnosall Phoenix Club Open Morning

In the Grosvenor Centre

3pm - 9pm Fun Fair on the Village Green

7.30 - 10pm Sparkling Wine Tasting

In the Grosvenor Centre (pre-booked tickets only)

[Saturday 20th July](#)

Time tbc Charity Car Wash/ Blood Bikes at the Fire Station

2pm - 9pm Fun Fair on the Village Green

7.30pm - 9.30pm Gnosall Singers Concert

In the Moreton Millennium Centre