

BLAIRGOWRIE AND EAST PERTSHIRE

WHAT'S ON - 2010 REGULAR EVENTS

- BLAIRGOWRIE - Blairgowrie Blethers, first Wednesday of the month, Royal Hotel, 10am-12noon, £2.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Riverside Methodist Church, Coffee morning every Wednesday, 10-11.30am.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - The Gig, William Street. Live music most Saturday nights. Tel 01250 872507.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Crown Bar, Wellmeadow. Live music most Saturday nights. Tel 01250 875371.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Cartwheel, Wellmeadow. Karaoke most Friday nights, live music most Saturday nights. Tel: 01250 872748.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Erich Spinning Group. First Tuesday of the month, St Catherine's Centre, 10am-3pm.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Quilting Group, Wednesdays 2.30-4.30pm held at St Catherine's Hall. Contact June Low on 01250 870680.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Drimmieburn & Meikleour WRI, Adult Resource Centre, Jessie Street @ 7.00pm, second Wednesday of every month. Tel. 01250 875262.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - CivicTrust, Adult Resource Centre, Jessie Street, 7.30pm, last Wednesday of every month.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Stride for Life Local Walks every Wednesday. Depart Town Hall @ 9.15am. Tel: 01250 873575.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Most nights around 9pm Vic (the host) sings live music in the Victoria Hotel Bar. Pop in for a free evening of Folk/Scottish & easy listening music. Tel: 01250 876669.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Bridge Club, every Thursday @ 7.00pm, Rattray Hall, Balmoral Road. Tel 01250 875350.
- BLAIRGOWRIE - Fitness classes every Monday in the Town Hall. Body Conditioning at 7pm and Physical Yoga at 8pm. Each class runs for 50 minutes and costs £4.50. contact Karen on 07511657532 for more details.
- RATTRAY - WRI, Rattray Hall every third Monday of the month @ 7pm.
- RATTRAY - Lunch club every Monday in the Rattray Halls, 12 noon, £2.75 for 3-course meal.
- RATTRAY - Silver Surfers, Tuesdays @ 1.15pm or Wednesdays @ 10am Rattray Hall.
- RATTRAY - Special Treats Lunch Club every Monday in Rattray Hall at 12, 3course meal and Bingo £2.75 Tel 870525 for more details
- RATTRAY - Blairgowrie Quiz League resumes in the Balmoral Hotel at 7.45pm on 27 October. Afterwards the quiz travels to local establishments each Tuesday evening. Tel: 01250 876269.
- RATTRAY - Whist Afternoons, Rattray Halls, first and third Mondays of the month.
- GLENISLA - Contact Bridge Club every Tuesday @ 8pm, Glenisla Hotel.
- COUPAR ANGUS - Blairgowrie Accordion and Fiddle Club, second Tuesday of the month, Red House Hotel, Coupar Angus @ 2pm.
- COUPAR ANGUS - Tea Dances every Wednesday in the Town Hall, 1.30-3.30pm.
- COUPAR ANGUS - Ceilidh Dancing, Wednesday evenings in St Anne's Hall, Forfar Road, 7-9pm, commencing 4 November. £2 per session, 50p for school children.
- COUPAR ANGUS - Heritage Centre with displays of local area pictures, artefacts, maps & books, information on the area. Tuesdays & Wednesdays 2-4pm, Thursdays to Saturdays 11am-1pm. Free admission.
- COUPAR ANGUS - St. Anne's Church Parent and Toddler Group Mondays and Fridays 10am - 12 noon Tea/coffee and children's snacks £1/ family
- COUPAR ANGUS - Applied Karate Course with Sensei John Anderson at the Town Hall 1-4pm. Under 16s must have Parental Consent. £9 for most students, £7 for Level 2 instructors.
- KIRKMICHAEL - 'Art in the Glen Group' meet at the Session House every Tuesday @ 2pm. For more information contact Petrina Menzies on 01250 881770.

June

- 4th Xtrasweet, a female fronted rock, indie and glam rock tribute band specialising in 70's glam rock! The Victorial Hotel, Blairgowrie at 8pm
- 5th Hartland Wrestling Club, Alyth Town Hall, Doors open 6:45pm, First Bell 7:30pm.
- 5th Murthly Castle Garden Open Day. From 2 - 6pm £4 for adults and children get in free. Bric-a-bac stall, homemade teas and plant sale.
- 5th Old Cross Fun Day at Rattray with the Blairgowrie and Rattray Pipe Band. Bouncy Castle, BBQ, Ice Cream, Car Boot Sale, Face Painting and much more. Evening time has live music from Wallace. Special offer on food with two courses for only £12
- 5th Eassie and Nevay Church sponsored walk to Craigowl and return by Geln Ogilvy for more information please call 01307 840 323
- 5th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band & Coupar Angus Burgh Pipe Band, The Cross, Coupar Angus 2.00pm
- 5/6 Heart of Scotland Airshow at Perth Airport, Scone. Celebrating 100 years of Aviation Events, Spitfire, Hurricane and Typhoon, Fun Fair, Food Court, Gates open @9am, Advance Tickets are £15.00 for Adult, £7.50 children and free for children 3 and under.
- 6th Kettins Community Council, Fete, Football Park, 2pm.
- 6th Glenisla Classic Vehicle Club, Glenisla Hotel, 4pm.
- 6th Springwatch with the RSPB at Loch of Kinnordy. Starts at 11am onwards, activities include games, bird watching and face painting. Booking is essential please call 01738 630783
- 9 - 26th Dundee Literary Festival. A mix of authors, workshops, music, debates and discussion.
- 10th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 7.30pm
- 11th Ruthven Music Festival, with BBC Young Musician of the Year finalist performing. for more information please call 01828 632 558
- 11th Historic Churchyards of Strathmore , a tour of church sites and churches, free but booking is needed for more information please call 01738 477 085. Part of Perthshire Archaeology Month 2010.
- 12th Relax Group, Table Sale, Blairgowrie Town Hall, 10-2pm.
- 12th Dundee Symphony Orchestra perform Mendelssohn, Schumann and Beethoven at St Paul's Cathedral, high Street, Dundee from 7.30pm for more information please call 01382 434 940
- 12th Angus Hotel Shownights, a tribute to Tom Jones £29.50 for more information please call 01250 872455
- 13th The Seashore Festival at the Castle Green Pavilion, Broughty Ferry, Dundee. Music, entertainers, displays and much more 12 noon onwards.
- 13th Sunday Band Concerts, Magdalen Green, Dundee. Dundee Instrumental Band 2-3pm
- 13th Strathmore Highland Games at Glamis Castle 12.30 - 17.00 from 12.30 until 5pm. Adults £5, Child £3, Family £15 and car parking £1 for details 01307 840319
- 13th Brandystone House Gardens Charity Opening, 11am-4pm, Admission £3.50, children Free.
- 17/20th Arts and Crafts Fair, The Drill Hall, The Cross 10am - 5pm
- 17th Charity Medium Night, Alyth Town Hall, in aid of Rachel House, Tickets from Katie at 01828 633302.
- 18th Follow The Thread, Spectra Textile Artists, Dundee Botanic Gardens (Riverside) 10-4:30pm until July 4th, 10-2pm. Contact Catherine Lawson on 01382 737687 or email Catherine.lawson@hotmail.com.
- 18th Duggie Dug Dug in concert with Pete, Breakdancer a show for Children at Blairgowrie Community Campus, from 6.30 - 8pm for more information please call 01250 872 988
- 19th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band & Coupar Angus Burgh Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 7.00pm
- 19th Angus Hotel Shownights, a tribute to the Music of Michael Buble £29.50 for more information please call 01250 872455
- 19th Touching the Community Fun Day in the Wellmeadow from 1 - 3pm. Pony Rides, Bouncy Castle, Face Painting Birds of Prey etc.

- 20th Scone Palace, Living History Performances, Robert the Bruce and his Courtiers - 11am, 12am, 2pm, 3pm, Telephone 01738 552300.
- 20th Sunday Band Concerts at Magdalen Green, Dundee with the Woodland Dance Orchestra. 2 - 3pm
- 21st Midsummer Music and Celtic BBQ at the Scottish Crannog Centre 8pm - 11pm tickets £16, booking essential - 01887 830 583
- 23rd Historic Dunkeld Guided Walk, 11 - 1200 noon. Part of Perthshire Archaeology Month 2010 Free but booking is recommended 01350 724 251
- 26th Strawberry Tea, Riverside Methodist Church, 2.00pm
- 26th Country Market at the Birnam Hotel 10 - 12 am
- 26th A Medieval Fun Day with Fire and Swords at Perth Museum with a medieval re-enactment group at 13.30 - 15.30. Free and no booking is needed. Children under 12 must be with an adult. Part of Perthshire Archaeology Month
- 26th Community Market in the Wellmeadow, Blairgowrie, 10 - 3pm
- 26th Blair Castle Garden Open Day. Dogs welcome, cream teas, light refreshments, wine and free access to the Castle's restaurant. 9.30 - 5.30 adults £4.75 children £2.25 and families £11.00
- 26th Angus Hotel Shownights, Swede Dreamz Abba Tribute £29.50 for more information please call 01250 872455
- 26th A tour of Scone Palace Grounds at 13.30 - 3.00
- 27th Garden Open Day at the Lands of Loyal. Plants for sale, entertainment for children and food and refreshments served all day.
- 27th Sunday Band Concert at Magdalen Green with City of Discovery Brass Band
- 29th Coupar Angus PS, P7 Leavers Meal and P4-P7 Disco, 7-8:30pm.

July

- 2-4th The Scottish Game Fair at Scone Palace 9.30 - 6pm for more information www.scottishfair.com
- 4th Glenlyon House, Fortingall Garden Open Day. 2-5pm Dogs welcome, plant sale and home made teas.
- 3rd - 15 Aug Zoofest. A festival of animal fun everyday of the school holiday; Face-painting, storytelling, quiz picnics and much more. Check the website for more details. Normal ticket price applies.
- 7th Kenmore Highland Games at the Sports Field, Kenmore.
- 8th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 7.30pm
- 9th Coupar Angus Country and Western Club at the Red House Hotel, Coupar Angus
- 10th Angus Hotel Shownights, tribute to Elvis £29.50 for more information please call 01250 872455
- 10/11th Scottish Transport Extravaganza, Glamis Castle 10am
- 11th Wester Cloquhat Garden Open Day at Bridge of Cally. 2 -5 plant sale and homemade teas. £4
- 13th Dunkeld Delights 10am - 1pm. A long walk in Perthshire countryside with a ranger and hear stories of the wildlife that live there. Meet at the Craigvinean car park £3.50 for adults and £2. For children.
- 15th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 7pm
- 15th Blairgowrie Goodwill Club has a mobile cinema coming to the Town Hall showing Singing In The Road at 7.30pm
- 17th Help for Heroes concert with a Neil Diamond and Kenny Rogers Tribute show at the Town Hall for more information call 01250 875 380
- 23rd A tribute to Andy Stewart and the White Heather Club at Blairgowrie Town Hall at 7pm. Tickets £6 and Concession £3. For more information and booking please call Karen on 01738 451973
- 24th Community Market in the Wellmeadow, Blairgowrie 10 - 3
- 25th Living History Interpretation in Glamis Castle Grounds.
- 25th St Andrews Highland Games at Station Park, St Andrews. 1 - 5pm Adults £5 and Children £3
- 29th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 7.00pm
- 30th - 2nd August Guildtown Blue Grass Festival Guildtown Village Hall Enquiries 01968 670038.

August

- 1st - 2nd Guildtown Blue Grass Festival Guildtown Village Hall Enquiries 01968 670038.
6/7th Perth Show at the Show Inch, Perth
7-8th Orchid Festival and Quilting Exhibition at Scone Palace 10:30am - 6pm
- 14th Atholl and Breadalbane Highland Gathering at Wade's Park, Aberfeldy 9-5pm adults £7 and children £2
15th Perth Highland Games at the South Inch, Perth. 10 - 5.30pm Adults £7 and children £4
20th Glenisla Highland Games at Glenisla Hugh field 12.30 - 17.30pm Adults £5 Children under 14 free
21st Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band & Coupar Angus Burgh Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 2.00pm
21st Perth 800 Raceday, A Raceday in 1210 costume, jousting, medieval re-enactments and family entertainment. Perth Racecourse
22nd Scottish Bead Fair at Perth Concert Hall. Scotland's largest bead and jewellery making event. 11am onwards. www.scottishbeadfair.com
21st The Dunkeld and Birnam Horticultural Society Annual Flower and Vegetable Show at the Birnam Institute at 7.30 pm
26th Blairgowrie, Rattray & District Pipe Band - Wellmeadow 7.30pm
28th Birnam Highland Games, Little Dunkeld, Perthshire from 11am
28th Community Market in the Wellmeadow, Blairgowrie 10 - 3

September

- 4/5th Scotland's Countryside Festival at Glamis Castle at 9am
5th Blairgowrie and Rattray Highland Games, Bogles Field, Blairgowrie
25th Community Market in the Wellmeadow, Blairgowrie 10 - 3
25th Angus Hotel Show nights, Swede Dreamz Abba Tribute £29.50 for more information please call 01250 872455

December

- 18th Christmas Concert with Blair Bells, Riverside Methodist Church 7.30pm

BLAIRGOWRIE VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE

26 Wellmeadow
Blairgowrie
Perthshire PH10 6AS
Telephone: 01250 872960

6 April - 28 June and 31 August - 1 November 2009

Monday - Saturday: 10am - 5pm
Sunday: 11am - 4pm

2 November 2009 - 5 April 2010

Monday - Saturday: 10am - 4pm
Sunday (December only): 11am - 4pm

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