

## Free (or almost!) activities during July and August

### ***Andover Carnival***

**Sunday 21st July 12 noon - 9pm**

This event starts at the Vigo Recreation Ground and is a fun packed day for all the family.

The procession of floats and walking groups will move off at 4pm.



### ***Learn to Fish Day with Andover Angling Club***

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July 10 - 4 Charlie's Lake Charlton Village SP10 4AH**

Children and adults welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

### ***Four Fun Fridays in Andover High Street***

A series of performances, interactive workshops, street theatre, heritage trails and more, all free and suitable for children and families

**August 2<sup>nd</sup> 11am - 3pm**

Beside the Sea

**August 9<sup>th</sup> 11am - 3pm**

Around the World

The second event has creative workshops, face painting, performance by a Chinese Lion and storytelling.

**August 16<sup>th</sup> 11am - 3pm**

Fairytales Myths and Legends

**August 23<sup>rd</sup> 11am - 3pm**

Join the Circus

### ***Shilling Fair***

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August 10 - 4.00**

Visit Andover High Street to see a variety craft activities, food, drink and craft markets and street performances celebrating the town's Georgian heritage.



## ***Andover Library***

### **The Big Summer Reading Challenge - Space Chase**

**July -September**

Children are encouraged to read six books of their own choosing during the holidays and will receive a folder, collectable stickers and a poster plus a certificate for every child who completes The Challenge. Staff will be available run interactive Space themed activities too.

**Rhyme Time** every Tuesday & Friday for children up to 4 years old, 11.30

**Toddler Story Time** every Wednesday 11.45. Interactive sessions and stories

**Fred in the Shed Magic Show** 20 August 11am - 12 noon. This is linked to the Reading Challenge. Only £5 per child and booking is essential.

## ***Andover Museum***

A series of stunning displays related to the history of Andover. Great support for children in KS2 as displays are linked to the school curriculum. Stoneage artefacts found in the area are on display. Open every day except Sunday & Monday from 10-5.

## ***Test Valley Website***

There are a range of free activity suggestions in the section called '**Community and Leisure**'. Activities such as cycling with downloadable maps, fitness trails at Charlton, Augusta or Watermills Parks and many more.

<http://www.testvalley.gov.uk/communityandleisure>

## ***Nature Activities***

**Guided Walk:** Saturday 27 July 10am start Venue: Anton Lakes LNR Meeting point: Main Car Park off Goch/Redon roundabout.

**Summer Walk:** Sunday 11 August 10am start Venue: Enham Area Meeting point: Augusta Park Sports Carpark, SP106 AB

**Bat and Moth Evening:** Saturday 31 August 7.45 pm Venue: Anton Lakes LNR Meeting point: Entrance off of Goch/Redon roundabout

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