

# FIRE IN THE MOUNTAIN



31ST MAY - 2ND JUNE 2024

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# WELCOME

WELCOME TO FIRE IN THE MOUNTAIN FESTIVAL. THIS WILL BE OUR 12TH EDITION.

WE REMAIN A SMALL FESTIVAL BY CHOICE - LIMITED TO 2000 PEOPLE IN TOTAL, WHICH INCLUDES ALL TICKET PURCHASERS, CREW, VOLUNTEERS, MUSICIANS, KIDS AND BABIES.

THE FESTIVAL WAS ESTABLISHED 14 YEARS AGO AS A MEANS TO RAISE MONEY FOR, AND PROVIDE VOLUNTEERS, TO HELP MAINTAIN THE LAND AND OLD FARM ON WHICH IT IS HELD. WE STILL DO THIS TODAY.

THE FESTIVAL IS A NOT-FOR-PROFIT COMPANY, OUR ACCOUNTS ARE PUBLISHED, AND ANY SURPLUS MONEY MADE IS SPENT ON THE LAND, THE FARM, AND THE FESTIVAL.

THIS YEAR WE RAN A CROWDFUNDER AND HAVE IMPROVED FACILITIES ON THE FARM - YOU MAY NOT NOTICE, AS MOST IS UNDERGROUND! THANK YOU ALL WHO GAVE. WE DIDN'T HIT THE TARGET, SO BE SURE TO BUY A PINT!

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US ON THE FARM FOR A WONDERFUL WEEKEND OF MUSIC AND CELEBRATION.

## HELP US ALL FIT ON THE FARM

- 1. PLEASE DO NOT BRING AWNINGS, OR CREATE LARGE CIRCLES WITH FRIENDS*
- 2. PLEASE BRING A SMALLER TENT IF YOU CAN, AND PLEASE SHARE BELL TENTS WITH YOUR CHILDREN IF POSSIBLE.*
- 3. PLEASE RESPECT THE FIRE LANES AND DON'T PITCH TENTS IN THEM*
- 4. PLEASE DO MAKE THE SHORT WALK TO ADVENTURE CAMPING - IT IS BEAUTIFUL AND QUIET.*



# DIRECTIONS

CWMNEWIDINN ISAF, CNWCH COCH, MID WALES, SY23 4LL

## WHAT THREE WORDS UNDER.CAMPFIRES.MERGE MUSHROOM.CHOICE.GUESSWORK

GRID REF: SN 68064 74593

LATITUDE: 52.353482

LONGITUDE: -3.938599

NOTE: POSTCODE SY23 4LL TAKES YOU TO THE FARM BELOW OURS, CARRY ON ½ MILE TOWARDS PONTRHYDYGROES

## ARRIVAL

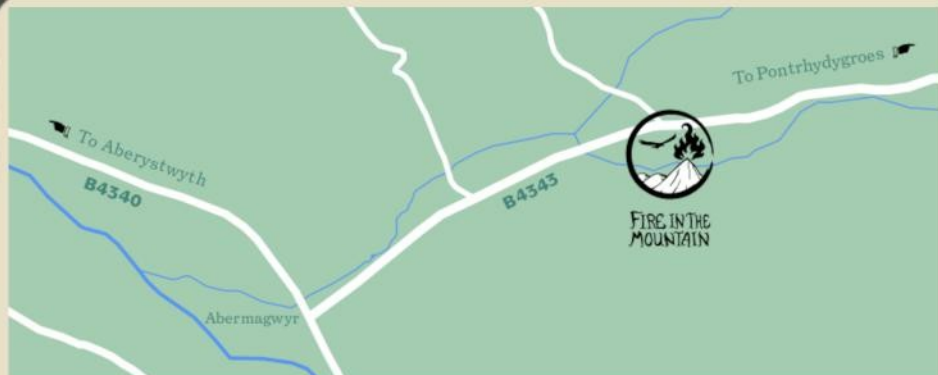
THE LOCAL COMMUNITY HAVE REQUESTED MORE MINDFULNESS ABOUT OUR ARRIVAL. VEHICLES MUST GET OFF THE B4343 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

PLEASE KNOW IN ADVANCE WHICH GATE TO GO THROUGH. THERE ARE HOLDING AND WAITING AREAS IN ALL FIELDS.

ALL CARS AND CREW CAMPER GO TO **YELLOW GATE.**

TICKETED CAMPER VANS GO TO **RED GATE** (UNLESS YOU HAVE YELLOW PASS)

PRODUCTION VEHICLES GO TO **BLUE GATE** FOR DROP OFF ONLY, THEN PARK.



### SHUTTLE FROM ABERYSTWYTH TRAIN STATION TO FESTIVAL

#### THURSDAY

15:30, 17:30, 19:30, 21:30

#### FRIDAY

13:30, 15:30, 17:30, 19:30, 21:30

### SHUTTLE FROM FESTIVAL TO ABERYSTWYTH TRAIN STATION

#### SUNDAY

9:00, 11:00, 13:00, 15:00, 17:00

#### MONDAY

9:00, 11:00

# WASTE AND RECYCLING

WE NEED YOU TO HELP US!  
PLEASE TAKE HOME AS MUCH WASTE AS POSSIBLE!

WE ARE EXCITED TO BE BACK AMONGST YOU THIS YEAR WITH EVER IMPROVING FESTIVAL GREEN CREDENTIALS, FITM BELIEVE DEEPLY IN CONTRIBUTING TO OUR COMMUNITY AND THE PLANET WHILE RECOGNISING THE INTRINSIC RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN BOTH.

THIS YEAR SEES RETURN OF **THE RECYCLING DISCO** WHERE FESTIVAL GOERS CAN BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SORTING THEIR OWN WASTE IN A FUN AND ENGAGING ENVIRONMENT. WE ARE ALSO PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THAT ALL FOOD WASTE WILL BE PROCESSED IN WALES WITH ANAEROBIC DIGESTER. (PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR FOOD WASTE IS SEPARATED WHEN SORTING YOUR RUBBISH)

## HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- 1) **TAKING HOME YOUR OWN RUBBISH:** MOST RESIDENTIAL COUNCIL RECYCLING CAPACITIES ARE MORE COMPREHENSIVE THAN CAN BE OFFERED AT FESTIVALS SUCH AS FITM MAINLY DUE TO VOLUME, ONE WAY TO HELP THE PLANET AND OUR RECYCLING TEAM IS TO TAKE HOME AND RECYCLE YOUR OWN WASTE, THIS WILL ENSURE ITEMS SUCH AS GAS CANISTERS, BATTERIES AND TETRA PACKS WILL BE PROCESSED.
- 2) IF YOU ABSOLUTELY CAN'T DO THIS WE ASK YOU TO PLEASE SORT YOUR WASTE AT ONE OF THE BIN AREAS STATIONED AROUND THE SITE OR, OF COURSE POP DOWN TO **THE RECYCLING DISCO** AND SORT YOUR WASTE FOR RECYCLING WHILST CATCHING A VIBE AND SHAKING A LEG.

FINALLY WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU ALL ON THE LAND SOON AND BIG THANKS TO EVERYONE THAT ATTENDS AND CONTRIBUTES TO THIS WONDERFUL FESTIVAL, A SPECIAL MENTION AND THANKS TO OUR WASTE PARTNERS LAS RECYCLING IN LAMPETER, PIPPA DRAKE-LEE AND JOSH LIRON FOR ALL YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS.

**ALEX BROWN**  
WASTE & RECYCLING CO-ORDINATOR



# GO WITH THE FLOW, OR MAKE HAY WITH THE MEADOW!

THIS YEAR'S PROCESSION PROMISES AN EXCITING BLEND OF MERRIMENT AND ADVENTURE, FEATURING TWO ROAMING SPECTACLES: THE RIVER AND THE MEADOW.

## DÔL



## MEADOW

THE MEADOW WILL TAKE YOU ON A FANTASTICAL FROLIC THROUGH THE FESTIVAL'S FIELDS, COME GAMBOL, DANCE, PRANCE AND SING WITH HOBBY HORSES, BEASTIES AND OUR WILD FOLK TEAM.

WEAR VIBRANT SUMMER COLOURS, FLOWERS IN YOUR HAIR, OR HORNS ON YOUR HEAD.

COME PREPARED AND CRAFT YOURSELF A STEED TO RIDE ACROSS THE LAND OR BECOME A WILD BEAST.

CREATE YOUR OWN HOBBY HORSE AT OUR WORKSHOP, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, IN THE KIDS' TENT. ALL AGES WELCOME

## AFON



## RIVER

THE RIVER WILL BE MEANDERING THROUGH THE FESTIVAL GROUNDS, BUT DON'T BE FOOLED BY ITS LANGUID, SLEEPY RIVER RIPPLES, IT CAN BE KNOWN TO BREAK OUT INTO A SURGING TORRENT OF BUBBLY RAPIDS, AS THE MOBILE DISCO CRANKS UP THE TUNES!

DRESS IN FLOWING HUES OF BLUES, WHITES, GREENS, AND PURPLES, AND ARM YOURSELF WITH WATER PISTOLS, BUBBLE MAKERS, AND WATERING CANS. WHO KNOWS? YOU MIGHT FIND YOURSELF IN A WATERY DUEL WITH THE MEADOW DWELLERS!

**LEARN THE PROCESSION SONG – [CLICK HERE!!](#)**

**COME AND JOIN IN WITH THE CRAZY MAYHEM AS RIVER AND MEADOW EVENTUALLY CONVERGE IN A FLURRY OF WATER AND HAY.**

**RIVER, THROW YOURSELF INTO A SLIP-AND-SLIDE RACE OR STRUT YOUR STUFF CATWALK-STYLE, AS SERIOUSLY OR AS DAFTLY AS YOU LIKE!**

**ALL BEASTIES OF THE LAND ARE CALLED TO TAKE PART IN THE INAUGURAL HOBBY HORSE TRIALS, SHOWCASING YOUR CREATION'S MOVES AS YOU LEAP, CAVORT AND DANCE IN THE HAY.**

# LIVE MUSIC

## THE COURTYARD STAGE



### **THURSDAY 30TH MAY**

19:00 : REMIX REELING

21:30 : DIRK POWELL + CAJUN DANCE

### **FRIDAY 31ST MAY**

17:00 SAM LEE

18:30 CERY'S HAFANA

20:00 SAM AMIDON

21:30 TRYANI COLLECTIVE

23:00 SUNTOU SUSSO

00:30 NUALA HONAN

### **SATURDAY 1ST JUNE**

15:30 BEANS ON TOAST

17:00 CUT A SHINE

18:30 JOHNNY FLYNN

19:30 PROCESSION

22:00 DOGSHOW

23:00 REGGAE ROAST

01:00 DON KIPPER

### **SUNDAY 2ND JUNE**

15:30 MIKEY KENNEY

17:00 BIG CHIMNEY BARN DANCE

18:30 TAMSIN ELLIOTT & TAREK ELAZHARY

20:00 NORA BROWN AND STEPHANIE COLEMAN

21:30 JESCA HOOP

23:00 MESADORM

00:30 ALLY AND THE NOMADS



# THE TRAVELLING BARN

## FRIDAY 31ST MAY

17:30 : METSAEMA

19:00 : MIKEY KENNEY

20:30 : KEN AND BRAD KOLODNER

22:00 : BRIGHDE CHAIMBEUL

23:30 : KLEZMER STRING KAPELYE

01:00 : INTERSTATE EXPRESS

## SATURDAY 1ST JUNE

16:00 : LON DUBH

17:30 : ADAM BEATTIE

19:00 : KEN AND BRAD KOLODNER

20:30 : FIONA BEVAN

22:00 : FILKIN'S DRIFT

23:30 : THE WEAVING

## SUNDAY 2ND JUNE

16:00 : JACK KEARNS

17:30 : ELIZABETH DAVIDSON-BLYTHE & DANIEL QUAYLE

19:00 : GOLDEN SHOALS

20:30 : GAVIN FAIRHALL LEVER

22:00 METSAEMA

23:30 : ROZI PLAIN





## THE LAWN STAGE

**EVERY DAY NOON - 9PM**

LIVE MUSIC ALL DAY ON THE LAWN... SECRET SETS, SECOND SETS, AND THE PLACE TO JAM.

FEATURED SETS FROM: ELIZABETH DAVIDSON-BLYTHE & DANIEL QUAYLE, MIKEY KENNEY, CHRIS BRAIN, METSAEMA.

## THE AGILE RABBIT Y GWNINGEN YSTWYTH

**EVERY DAY 9PM - 2AM**

A LATE NIGHT, TOTALLY ACOUSTIC, UNAMPLIFIED SESSION AND JAM SPACE DOWN BY THE RIVER.

HEAD HERE FOR SPONTANEOUS GIGS, SECRET PERFORMANCES, SING-A-LONGS, REVELERY AND MUCH JOVIALITY.

## THE SPEAKEASY

**EVERY DAY 9 PM - 3AM**

DEEP FOLK BY DAY, DEEP BEATS BY NIGHT



# MUSIC WORKSHOPS

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

## THE COURTYARD (DANCE)

12:30  
PERCUSSIVE DANCE  
14:00  
SWING DANCE  
15:30  
KLEZMER DANCE

12:30  
PERCUSSIVE DANCE  
14:00  
SWING DANCE

ALL MORNING  
SUNDAY CRAFTS MARKET  
12:30  
PERCUSSIVE DANCE  
14:00  
KLEZMER DANCE

## THE TRAVELLING BARN (SONG)

10:00  
YOGA  
11:00  
VOICE YOGA  
12:00  
FAMILY TAP DANCE  
13:00  
WELSH FOLK SONG  
14:00  
CHOIR IN THE MOUNTAIN  
15:00  
POLYPHONIC RHYTHMIC  
SINGING  
16:00  
GAMBIAN SONG  
SUNTOU SUSO

10:00  
YOGA  
11:00  
VOICE YOGA  
12:00  
FAMILY TAP DANCE  
13:00  
WITH ONE VOICE  
14:00  
CHOIR IN THE MOUNTAIN  
15:00  
SEAN NOS SINGING

10:00  
YOGA  
11:00  
VOICE YOGA  
12:00  
FAMILY TAP DANCE  
13:00  
WELSH SONG  
14:00  
MESADORM  
15:00  
SAM LEE

## THE FOLK N ANCHOR (INSTRUMENTS)

11 - 19:00  
FESTIVAL  
FORUM

11:00  
SAM AMIDON  
12:00  
CLAWHAMMER BANJO  
13:00  
HAMMERED DULCIMER  
14:00  
OWEN SPAFFORD  
15:00  
SONG WRITING  
16:00  
DRUMMING AND PERCUSSION  
17:00  
KLEZMER  
18:00  
FIDDLE WITH CRAIG

11:00  
OLD TIME FIDDLE  
12:00  
OLD TIME BANJO  
13:00  
MIKEY KENNEY  
14:00  
DEMISTIFYING ARABIC  
MUSIC  
15:00  
MANX TUNES  
16:00  
NORA BROWN  
17:00  
FILKIN'S DRIFT Q&A



# MUSIC WORKSHOPS CONT...

**FRIDAY**

**SATURDAY**

**SUNDAY**

## THE SESSION TENT

**2PM**

WELSH FOLK TUNES  
WITH JO COOPER

**3PM**

NOSON WERIN

**11AM**

GUITAR: ADRIAN LEVER

**12PM**

FIDDLE: JAMES P. GAVIN

**1PM**

BASS: TIM FAIRHALL

**2PM**

WELSH FOLK TUNES

**12PM**

FINGER PICKING GUITAR  
CHRIS BRAIN

**2PM**

WELSH FOLK TUNES

**3PM**

NOSON WERIN  
(WELSH FOLK SESSION)

## THE SINGERS CIRCLE (BARDIC FIRE)

**NOON - 1PM**

WRITE A CAMPFIRE SONG  
WITH **JOSH BOWKER**  
(OF LONGEST JOHNS FAME!)

**NOON - 1:30PM**

SONGWRITING WORKSHOP  
WITH **ADAM BEATTIE** AND  
**FIONA BEVAN**

**NOON - 1PM**

THE HEDGESONG  
COLLECTIVE

*THE SINGERS CIRCLE IS A NEW SPACE FOR 2024. IT TAKES PLACE AROUND THE BARDIC FIRE IN THE DELL. COME FOR SONG WRITING AND SINGING EVERYDAY AT NOON*



# BARDIC FIRE



DOWN IN THE GLADE, ACROSS THE STREAM BY THE DINGLEY DELL, EACH NIGHT OF THE FESTIVAL FROM SUNSET TILL DAWN, THE BARDIC FIRE BURNS BRIGHT.

A SACRED FIRE, LIT WITH A POETIC RITUAL, A SPACE TO COME AND SHARE YOUR WORDS: YOUR POEMS, STORIES, SONGS, ALL OFFERINGS ARE WELCOME AT THE FIRE.

EACH YEAR WE INVITE SOME OF THE FINEST BARDS, STORYTELLERS, POETS AND MUSICIANS TO JOIN US AROUND THIS MAGICAL SPACE, WHERE IF YOU COME TO LISTEN,

YOU CAN BE SURE TO TAKE AWAY WITH YOU A WARMTH OF HEART AND MIND AS YOU WALK AWAY INTO THE NIGHT.

BUT SHOULD YOU HAVE WORDS TO SHARE, THEN YOU CAN BE SURE THAT YOU ARE ADDING YOUR VOICE TO THOSE OF OUR ANCESTORS, WHO HAVE SAT SHARING BEAUTY AROUND FIRES SUCH AS THIS SINCE... FOREVER! AND YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT EVERY VOICE THAT JOINS US AT THE BARDIC FIRE, MAKES THE MAGIC STRONGER!

FROM FRIDAY ONWARDS, WE HAVE SOME WONDERFUL DAYTIME WORKSHOPS HAPPENING AROUND THE FIRE FROM 12 NOON. FROM SONG WRITING TO THE MYTHOPOETICS OF THE BARDS, ALL ARE WELCOME.

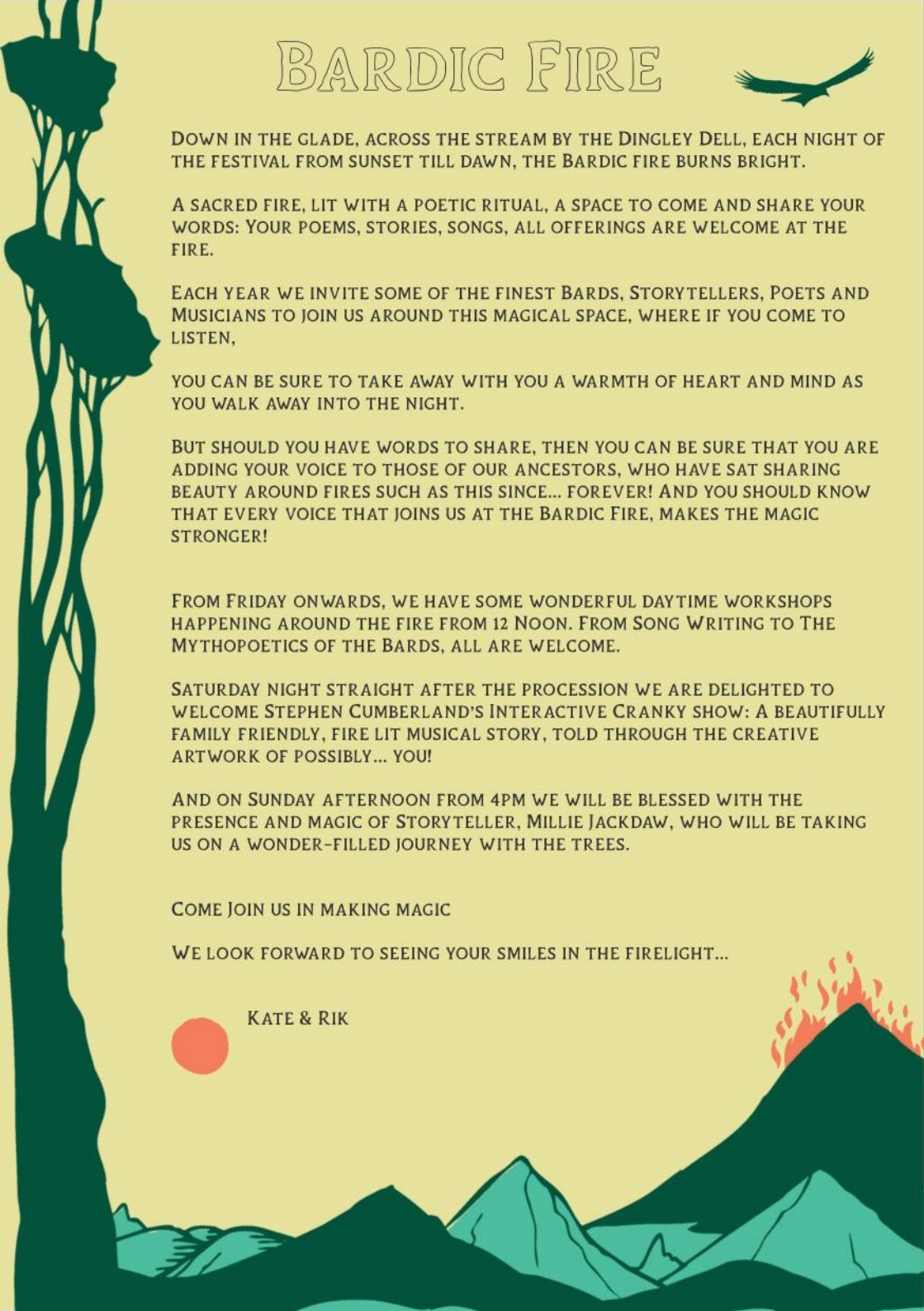
SATURDAY NIGHT STRAIGHT AFTER THE PROCESSION WE ARE DELIGHTED TO WELCOME STEPHEN CUMBERLAND'S INTERACTIVE CRANKY SHOW: A BEAUTIFULLY FAMILY FRIENDLY, FIRE LIT MUSICAL STORY, TOLD THROUGH THE CREATIVE ARTWORK OF POSSIBLY... YOU!

AND ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON FROM 4PM WE WILL BE BLESSED WITH THE PRESENCE AND MAGIC OF STORYTELLER, MILLIE JACKDAW, WHO WILL BE TAKING US ON A WONDER-FILLED JOURNEY WITH THE TREES.

COME JOIN US IN MAKING MAGIC

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOUR SMILES IN THE FIRELIGHT...

KATE & RIK



# THE CRAFTS COLLECTIVE

THE CRAFT COLLECTIVE IS A GROUP OF YOUNG, PASSIONATE MAKERS. WE ARE A COLLECTIVE OF PEOPLE FROM ACROSS THE UK AND FURTHER AFIELD, WHO ARE INTERESTED IN KEEPING HERITAGE, RURAL AND SUSTAINABLE CRAFTS ALIVE. WE BELIEVE THAT EVERY PERSON SHOULD BE ABLE TO ACCESS THESE SKILLS FOR AFFORDABLE PRICES.

THIS YEAR ON THE LINE UP WE HAVE A WIDE ARRAY OF WORKSHOPS AVAILABLE AND WILL BE RUNNING OVER 50 DIFFERENT SHORT COURSES OVER THE WEEKEND. IN NO PARTICULAR ORDER AND TO NAME BUT A FEW OF THE EXPERT TUTORS WE WILL BE OFFERING LINO PRINT MAKING WITH ROSANNA MORRIS, OCARINA PINCH POTS WITH TOWPATH POTTERY, SASHIKO EMBROIDERY TO MEND AND REPAIR WITH MR. BEN'S HEMP, ROUND WOOD TIMBER FRAMING WITH NORWEGIAN WOOD, BLACKSMITHING WITH THE NOWHERE FORGE AND SPOON CARVING WITH SPARRY HOONS.

## THURSDAY

9:30  
12  
2  
4 SPOON CARVE

## FRIDAY

### THE LARGE CRAFTS MARQUEE

WILLOW  
ETCHING  
LINO  
SPOON CARVING

## SATURDAY

WILLOW  
BRUSH MAKING  
POTTERY  
CLAY LIFE  
MODELLING

## SUNDAY

POTTERY  
ETCHING  
LINO  
LIFE MODELLING

### THE SMALL CRAFTS TENT

9:30  
12  
2  
4 LOOM WEAVING

SASHIKO EMBROIDERY  
LEATHER  
MACRAME  
DROP SPINNING

SASHIKO EMBROIDERY  
LEATHER  
MACRAME  
LOOM WEAVING

LOOM WEAVE  
BRUSH MAKING  
BONE AND ANTLER  
JEWELLERY

### THE DINGLEY DELL

9:30  
12  
2  
4 WILLOW

FOREST SCHOOL  
FISH SKIN TANNING  
FORAGING WALK  
BARK WEAVING

FOREST SCHOOL  
FERMENTATION  
BARK WEAVING  
FORAGING WALK

FOREST SCHOOL  
FERMENTATION  
WILLOW  
HARRY SPOONS

### TFSR AWNING

*SATURDAY 11:45AM*

ROSANNA MORRIS BANNER MAKING

*SATURDAY 2PM*

NATURAL DYEING

*SUNDAY 11:45*

INTRO TO TANNING

*SUNDAY 2PM*

POTTERY WHEEL

**FORGERY EVERY DAY!**

**TIMBER FRAMING  
EVERY DAY!**

### TOOLS FOR SELF RELIANCE CYMRU

TOOLS FOR SELF RELIANCE CYMRU IS A NON-PROFIT CHARITY BASED IN CRICKHOWELL. IT PROVIDES QUALITY DONATED RECYCLED TOOLS AND SEWING MACHINES TO PEOPLE IN RURAL TANZANIA ALONG WITH TRAINING AND SUPPORT.

WE HAVE BEEN AWARDED THE WALES/-AFRICA UN GOLD STAR FOR THIS WORK.

**TOOLS**  
For Self Reliance  
**CYMRU**

# FAMILY AREA

## MOSSY CROW

MOSSY CROW IS AN INTERACTIVE EXPERIENCE DESIGNED TO ENGAGE CHILDREN BY RECRUITING THEM TO JOIN A MOSSY QUEST.

THE STORY IS THAT ALL THE MOSSY CREATURES ARE VANISHING FROM THE MOSSY REALM. THE OWL QUEEN NEEDS THE HELP OF YOUNG AND POWERFUL MINDS TO REIMAGINE HER CREATURES.

PARTICIPANTS ARE WELCOMED INTO THE MOSSY REALM WITH A STORY TELLING AND PUPPET PERFORMANCE AND GUIDED ON A QUEST PACKED WITH INTERACTIVE EXPERIENCES DESIGNED TO HELP THEM CREATE A CREATURE OF THEIR OWN. THE CORE OF THE EXPERIENCE IS THE INTERACTIVE NATURE OF THE PERFORMANCE. AUDIENCES ARE ALWAYS INVOLVED IN HANDS ON ACTIVITIES AND INVITED INTO THE FABRIC OF OUR STORY.



## ADVENTURE BUREAU

A MADCAP IMPROVISED STORYTELLING SHOW, COMPLETE WITH SOUND EFFECTS AND SONGS MADE UP ON THE FLY! KATIE AND SIMON WILL WEAVE YOUR IDEAS INTO A BRAND NEW INCREDIBLE ADVENTURES!

## CAPOEIRA FOR ALL

CAPOEIRA FOR ALL ARE A COLLECTIVE FROM LIVERPOOL BRINGING THE AFRICAN-BRAZILIAN ART-FORM OF CAPOEIRA TO FITM. CAPOEIRA IS A RICH CULTURAL TRADITION COMBINING MOVEMENT, DANCE, MARTIAL ARTS, ACROBATICS, MUSIC AND PLAY. PERFECT FOR KIDS AND GROWN-UPS ALIKE, YOU'RE WARMLY INVITED TO JOIN OUR FAMILY FRIENDLY WORKSHOPS RAN BY DUO AKIL AND ELEANOR, GETTING YOU PLAYING, MOVING, SINGING, SMILING AND LEARNING TOGETHER!

## JAKE EVANS - STORYTELLER

WORKS ALL AROUND THE COUNTRY AS A STORYTELLER IN SCHOOLS, FESTIVALS, HOSPITALS AND MANY MORE WEIRD WONDERFUL EVENTS AND VENUES. HE TELLS MYTHS, LEGENDS, FOLK TALES, TRUE STORIES AND ANYTHING IN BETWEEN... ANY STORY TO KEEP HIS AUDIENCE ENTERTAINED! JAKE PARTICULARLY LIKES TO INSPIRE PEOPLE TO THINK ABOUT NATURE AND THE ENVIRONMENT IN HIS STORIES AND WILL BE LEADING THE FITM PROCESSION ON SATURDAY.

## SOLE REBEL

SOLE REBEL ARE A TAP DANCE AND CREATIVE MOVEMENT AND MUSIC COMPANY WHO LOVE RHYTHM, STORYTELLING AND MAKING MUSIC WITH THEIR FEET.

WE WILL BE LEADING PERCUSSIVE DANCE TASTER WORKSHOPS FOR ALL THE FAMILY TO MOVE TOGETHER. WITH ANY FOOTWEAR YOU HAVE; BAREFOOT, WELLIES OR CROCS, COME ALONG TO MAKE SOME NOISE WITH YOUR FEET AND BODY. LEARN SOME MOVES, PLAY SOME GAMES, AND HAVE FUN DANCING!

## SOPHIE NINA - ART

SOPHIE NINA IS AN ARTIST FROM NORTH WALES, WHO MAKES ECO CLOTHING PRINTED WITH HER ARTWORK. HER WORK IS FULL OF JOY AND COLOUR. SHE WILL BE HOSTING FUN AND COLOURFUL KIDS WORKSHOPS AND AN IN DEPTH MANDALA CLASS FOR OLDER KIDS AND ADULTS.

## CONTADANCE

CONTAKIDS IS A FUN AND CONNECTING WAY FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR PARENTS/CARERS TO ENJOY PHYSICAL PLAY TOGETHER, AND TO SHARE 1:1 QUALITY TIME. THE GROUP WILL BE LED THROUGH VARIOUS GAMES AND CHALLENGES THAT ENCOURAGE YOU TO EXPLORE WAYS TO MOVE, LIFT, BALANCE, FALL AND LAUGH TOGETHER.

# FAMILY AREA

## CIRQUE DE ECONOMIQUE

WILL BE BRINGING A VARIETY OF CIRCUS EQUIPMENT TO THE FESTIVAL FOR PEOPLE TO PLAY WITH: FROM AERIAL AND FLOOR AEROBATICS, TO JUGGLING AND SPINNING PLATES!

WE HAVE FREE ACTIVITIES IN THE DAY AVAILABLE FOR ALL AGES, INCLUDING DAILY DEDICATED SLOTS TO TEENAGERS. (CHECK OUT OUR NOTICE BOARD FOR TIME SLOTS ON ARRIVAL) SO THIS WILL BE A SPACE TO COME LEARN A NEW SKILL, IMPROVE AN EXISTING ONE, OR EVEN DO SOME SKILL SWAPPING WITH OTHERS!

THERE WILL ALSO BE AN OPPORTUNITY TO COLLABORATE TOWARDS A SMALL CIRCUS SHOW TO PRESENT ON THE SUNDAY! THIS CAN INCLUDE ANYTHING FROM DECOR, TO PERFORMING, TO STAGE MANAGEMENT!

## FAMILY YOGA

TOR, OUR YOGA TEACHER ENERGY THERAPIST, ARTIST AND STORY TELLER, IS LOOKING FORWARD TO SHARING SOME OF THE LAND WISDOM THROUGH SOME KIDS YOGA, AND DROPPING INTO OUR BODIES TO FIND SOME NEW WAYS OF CONNECTING TO OUR BEAUTIFUL MOTHER EARTH. WE WILL USE MUSIC DANCE AND OUR BODIES TO MAKE A CONNECTION BETWEEN THE STARS AND THE EARTH AND WEAVE SOME STORIES OF CREATION USING OUR BODIES AND VOICES! WE CAN'T WAIT TO YOGA WITH YOU!



## JOIN US IN CRAZY BEANZ

WHERE THERE ARE FUN GAMES, DANCING, BUBBLES AND MAGIC. CRAZY BEANZ WILL GUIDE THE CHILLI BEANZ (CHILDREN) ON AN ADVENTURE IN THEIR IMAGINATIONS TO MEET UNICORNS, DINOSAURS AND FAIRIES. WITH HIGH LEVELS OF PITCH AND PACE, THE CHILDREN ARE FULLY ENGROSSED FROM START TO FINISH. ADULTS AND OLDER CHILDREN LOVE TO GET STUCK IN TOO! WE DON'T LEAVE ANYBODY OUT!

## WAKE AND SHAKE

A FAMILY FRIENDLY WAY TO SHAKE OFF THE BED HEAD AND GET YOUR BODIES INTO ACTION FOR A FUN PACKED DAY. COME ALONG EVERY MORNING AND BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY FOR AN EXPLORATION OF MUSIC AND DANCING.

## DOUBLE BASS DAN!

BRINGS HIS INFECTIOUS MIX OF DOUBLE BASS PLAYING, SINGING, AND GROUP PERCUSSION (AN AMOUNT SUPPLIED BUT PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN, INCL. ANY KIND OF INSTRUMENT YOU'D LIKE) TO FIRE IN THE MOUNTAINS WAKEY WAKEY MORNING SHAKEY.

## FESTIVAL FAVOURITES!

### BABY BATH TIME

BRING ALONG YOUR TOWEL AND HAVE AN OUTDOOR FESTIVAL BATH WITH YOUR PALS.

### CHILL OUT AREA

BOARD GAMES, TEDDIES, AND BOOKS IN THE BLUEBELL YURT WHERE ITS SNUGGLY AND COZY.

### DRESS UPS

PICK OUT YOUR FAVOURITE ENSEMBLE FROM THE DRESS UP BOX.

### DANCE

LEARN SOME NEW MOVES, MAKE UP YOUR OWN, OR DO WHATEVER YOU FEEL.

### THE LITTLE FOLKS' STAGE

SING AND PERFORM ON OUR HORSE BOX STAGE

### KIDS SILENT DISCO

DOES WHAT IT SAYS ON THE TIN, BOOGIE AWAY ONLY YOU CAN HEAR IT!

# WELLBEING AREA

## THE WELLBEING YURT

MEANDER DOWN THE DINGLY DELL AND SAY HI TO US AT THE WELLBEING YURT. WE OFFER A DRY, COZY AND SHADY AREA FOR YOU TO REST, RECUPERATE AND FIND QUIETER MOMENTS DURING THE FESTIVAL. ENJOY THE BABBLING BROOK, BARDIC FIRE, ART MATERIALS AND HERBS FOR HEALING. WE OFFER SKILLED LISTENERS TO TALK THROUGH YOUR UPS AND DOWN OVER A CUP OF TEA WITH PRIVACY AND CONFIDENTIALITY. ALL ARE WELCOME. OPEN 3-8: FRI-SAT, 12-5: SUNDAY

MASSAGE - THIS YEAR WE HAVE FOUR BODYWORKERS. SESSIONS CAN BE BOOKED 24 HRS AHEAD. PLEASE CONSULT THE THERAPIST ON THEIR FEE. PAYABLE IN ADVANCE. CASH ONLY.

**OPEN 3-8: FRI-SAT, 12-5: SUNDAY**

## WELLBEING WORKSHOPS

### TAI CHI

MORNING TAI CHI AT 9-10AM WITH SI BY THE BARDIC FIRE.

### YOGA

YOGA IN THE TRAVELLING BARN AT 10:00-11:00 WITH FRANKIE AND ON SUNDAY IN THE WELLBEING AREA. BYO MAT/RUG.

## HERBALISM

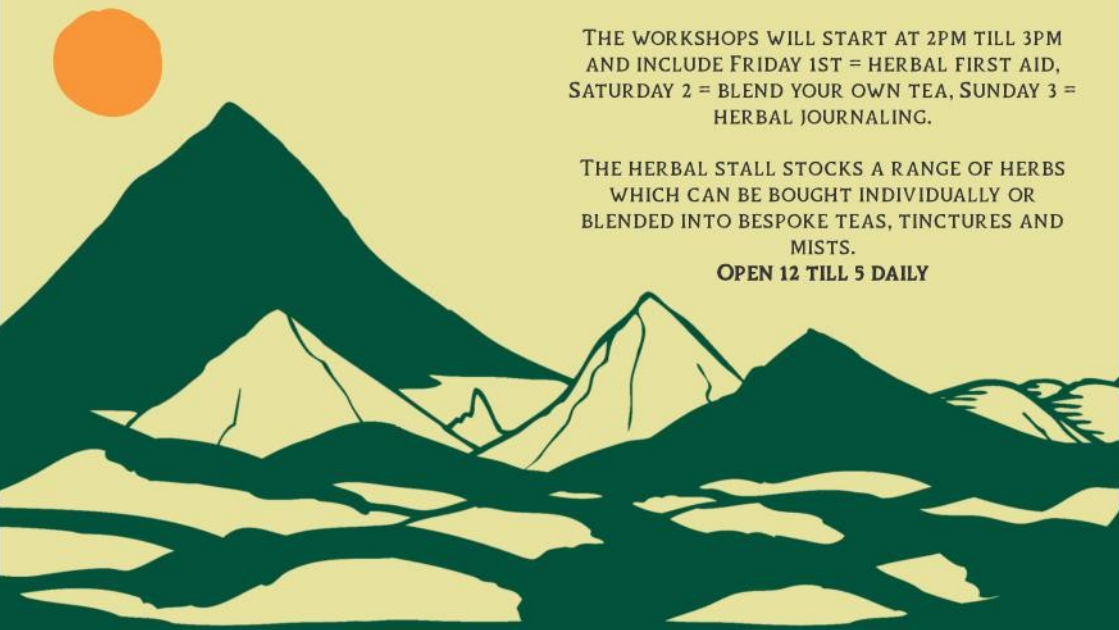
CARMARTHENSHIRE BASED HEARTWOOD HERBS / PERLYSIAU RHUDDIN BRINGS HERBAL FIRST AID, HERBAL STALL AND WORKSHOPS.

WE ARE DELIGHTED TO HOST A SPACE FOR ALL ROUND HERBAL APPRECIATION AND NATURE MAGIC, ALONG WITH SOME WORKSHOPS. FIRST AID WITH ANY INITIAL REMEDY FOR FREE OR DONATION.

THE WORKSHOPS WILL START AT 2PM TILL 3PM AND INCLUDE FRIDAY 1ST = HERBAL FIRST AID, SATURDAY 2 = BLEND YOUR OWN TEA, SUNDAY 3 = HERBAL JOURNALING.

THE HERBAL STALL STOCKS A RANGE OF HERBS WHICH CAN BE BOUGHT INDIVIDUALLY OR BLENDED INTO BESPOKE TEAS, TINCTURES AND MISTS.

**OPEN 12 TILL 5 DAILY**





# FESTIVAL FORUM

THE FESTIVAL FORUM WILL RUN ON FRIDAY 31ST MAY

## **10AM : ELENA GRICE AND ANNIE RANDALL : REWILDING WITH COMMUNITY**

"COMMUNITY RIGHT TO BUY AND REWILDING; LAND JUSTICE IN THE FACE OF THE BIODIVERSITY CRISIS". ELENA GRICE AND ANNIE RANDALL WORK WITH WILDCARD A CITIZENS' MOVEMENT MOBILISING THOUSANDS OF ORDINARY PEOPLE TO CALL FOR THE UK'S BIGGEST LANDOWNERS TO REWILD THEIR LANDS: [WWW.WILDCARD.LAND](http://WWW.WILDCARD.LAND)

## **11AM : EMILIA MELVILLE : RECOMMONING**

AS WE SEARCH FOR ALTERNATIVES TO CAPITALISM, WE NEED AN ALTERNATIVE WAY OF ORGANISING PRODUCTION, DISTRIBUTION, AND ALLOCATION OF RESOURCES. THE COMMONS ARE INCREASINGLY SEEN AS A SOLUTION. THIS WORKSHOP WILL EXPLORE THE GOVERNANCE OF TRADITIONAL COMMONS AND THE HISTORY OF ENCLOSURE. IT WILL UNPACK SOME OF THE CHALLENGES AND PROBLEMS OF COMMONS INSTITUTIONS, AND NAME SOME OF THE BENEFITS OF ANONYMOUS, URBAN MARKET CAPITALISM THAT MIGHT BE LOST IN A COMMONS-BASED ECONOMIC SYSTEM.

## **12PM : JUSTINE GENS : CANNABIS AND ANARCHY**

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM IS NO LONGER HEALTHY OR CARES? LEARN HOW CANNABIS CAN HELP LIBERATE YOUR HEALTH AND WELLBEING FROM THE CORPORATE CAPTURE OF BIG PHARMA AND THE STATE! JUSTINE GENS IS A BADASS ANARCHO FORAGER, HERBALIST AND CANNABIS GEEK! SHE IS A CO-OP MEMBER AT HEMPEN.

## **1PM : HANNAH LEIGH-MACKIE : THE RIGHT 2 FOOD**

FIGHTING FOR ACCESS TO HEALTHY, AFFORDABLE, SUSTAINABLE FOOD FOR ALL

## **2PM : JYOTI FERNANDES : ADVENTURES AND REVOLUTIONS IN RADICAL POPULAR EDUCATION**

STORIES FROM ACROSS THE WORLD ABOUT THE INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT RECLAIMING LAND, SKILLS, JUSTICE AND JOY.



## **2:30PM : RICHARD ANDERSEN : OVER THE SEA**

RICHARD TELLS THE TALE OF A SAILING MISSION TO NORWAY CONNECTING PEOPLE TO ANCESTRAL PATHWAYS AND KNOWLEDGE OF THE SEA

## **15:00 : JAVIER SANCHEZ - RODRIGUEZ : COLUMBIAN REVOLUTION TO WEST WALES**

JAVIER BRINGS TO LIFE THE COLUMBIAN REVOLUTION AND HOW THE REVOLUTIONARY SPIRIT FEEDS INTO THE WORK OF THE ANNE MATTHEWS TRUST, A LOCAL PROJECT IN RURAL WALES CONNECTING MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES TO THE LAND

## **16:00 : MAC MCCARTNEY AND TUGBA KIRHAN THE MOUNTAIN SPEAKS IN TONGUES OF FIRE**

MAC MCCARTNEY AND TUGBA KIRHAN TAKE US INTO THE HOT, RAW, WILD HEART OF THESE EXTRAORDINARY TIMES; THE CRUCIBLE OF CHOICE, LONGING, FIERCE LOVE, VULNERABILITY, AND TENDERNESS THAT PAVE THE JOURNEY OF ALL THOSE WHO CHOOSE TO RAISE A HAND AND STEP FORWARD. THIS IS THE PATH TO WHICH WE ARE INVITED. ITS ROOTS ARE HIDDEN IN A SHADOWED SCARCELY KNOWN PAST WHEN OUR SPIRITUALITY WAS BLESSED AND INFORMED BY THE WILD, AND ITS FUTURE DEPENDS UPON OUR CAPACITY TO ENGAGE HEAD, HEART AND HANDS, SIMULTANEOUSLY, POWERFULLY AND WISELY.

## **17:00 : LEO MURRAY : BADVERTISING**

WHAT IS THE PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT OF BEING BARRAGED BY LITERALLY THOUSANDS OF ADVERTISEMENTS A DAY? HOW DOES THE COMMERCIALISATION OF OUR PUBLIC SPACES WEAKEN OUR SENSE OF BELONGING? HOW ARE CAR MANUFACTURERS, AIRLINES AND OIL COMPANIES LOBBYING TO WEAKEN CLIMATE ACTION? EXAMINING THE DEVASTATING IMPACT OF ADVERTISING ON OUR MINDS AND THE PLANET, BADVERTISING ALSO CRUCIALLY EXPLORES WHAT WE CAN DO TO CHANGE THINGS FOR THE BETTER.

# THE SUNDAY MARKET

SUNDAY FARMERS MARKET  
10AM - TILL WE SELL OUT 😊  
THE BEAUTIFUL COURTYARD

COME! TINKERS AND TAILORS, CRAFTER AND MAKERS, BRING YOUR GOODIES AND YOUR WARES. COSTUME YOURSELF IN YOUR FINEST ATTIRE, BE THAT PATTERNED PYJAMAS OR A GOWN OF SAPPHIRE.

THIS YEARS GATHERING OF BAKERS AND JEWELLERS TAKES PLACE ON THE SLEEPYEST OF DAYS, THEY'LL BE THERE AWAITING IN THE COURTYARD WHILE YOU RECOVER FROM SATURDAYS HAZE.

FROM 10AM SHARP BEGINS SUNDAYS SHOW FROM COSTUMES TO LOCAL HONEY, KINKY BOOTS TO MUNCHIES ... OOOOO YUMMY!!

POP BY FOR A QUICK "HELLO"

THE TREASURE HUNT BEGINS AND IT'S TIME TO FIND ALL SORTS OF THINGS, FROM ONE OF KIND GARMS AND VEGAN CAKES TOO, OUR LOCAL TRADERS ARE GATHERING ESPECIALLY FOR YOU...

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SO PLEASE COME AND JOIN US AND CELEBRATE LOCAL PEOPLE, MARVEL AT THEIR CRAFTS, WE WELCOME YOU WITH OPEN ARMS FOR A WEE SHOP AND A FEW LAUGHS.

THIS YEARS ANNUAL SUNDAY FARMERS MARKETS WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE COURTYARD HOSTING 15+ LOCAL TRADES PEOPLE FROM DRESS AND TOY MAKERS, VINTAGE CLOTHING SELLERS AND A WOOD CARVER TO LOCAL FOOD PRODUCERS, JEWELLERS, DAIRY FARMERS, ARTISTS AND MORE. WE REALLY HOPE YOU CAN JOIN US IN SUPPORTING LOCAL PEOPLE, SHOPPING SMALL AND CHAMPIONING ART IN ALL ITS FORMS FROM PEOPLE LIVING OUT THEIR DREAMS AND HOPEFULLY MAKING YOU SMILE.



# FOOD AND DRINK

## ALE FESTIVAL

**PURPLE MOOSE**  
(OUR HOUSE BREWERY, PORTHMADOG)

ANTLERED IPA  
MŴSH (LAGER)  
SNOWDONIA  
GLASLYN  
YSGAWEN  
MADOGS

DARK SIDE OF THE MOOSE  
WHAKAHARI  
HIGH HOPS TROPICAL IPA



**WYE VALLEY**  
BUTTY BACK  
WHOLESOME STOUT  
HOPFATHER

**MANTLE**  
ROCK STEADY  
MOHO  
DARK HEART

**SALOPIAN**  
SHROPSHIRE GOLD  
ORACLE  
DARWIN'S ORIGIN  
LEMON DREAM  
GOLDEN THREAD

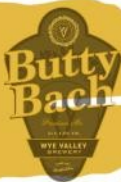
**MONTY'S**  
OLD JAILHOUSE  
MPA  
SUNSHINE  
MASQUERADE  
MISCHEIF

**GREY TREES**  
DIGGERS GOLD  
BLACK ROAD (STOUT)  
AFGHAN

**CWRW CADER**  
AUR CADER  
CWRW COCH

**BLUE STONE**  
BEDROCK BLONDE  
STONE COLD  
MOONSTONE

**SNOWDON CRAFT**  
IPA  
SUMMIT  
PORTER



## FOOD

CENTRAL KITCHEN  
BEAN THERE DRUNK THAT  
FRYER IN THE MOUNTAIN  
MEDINA (ABERYSTWYTH)  
WOOD FIRED PIZZA  
FAMILY TUCK SHOP  
BURGER THEORY  
LUFFY'S COFFEE  
INAFIELD INDIAN  
COLUMBIAN COFFEE COMPAY  
REAL TING - JAMAICAN STREET FOOD  
SHEPHERDS ICE CREAM

## MORE DRINK!



**DA MHILE**  
DISTILLERY

DA MHILE DISTERILLY (CEREDIGION)  
FIRE IN THE BELLY RUM  
FLOWERS OF THE MOUTNAIN GIN  
MOUNTAIN MOONSHIE  
OUR SPIRITS ARE PRODUCED LOCALLY.



**SHIRE MEADERY**  
FINE MEADS

**mydflower**

SPARKLING ELDERFLOWER WINE (BRECON)



# CAMPFIRE IN THE MOUNTAIN

MONDAY 26TH AUGUST -  
SATURDAY 31ST AUGUST  
2024

A WEEK OF CAMPING ON OUR  
BEAUTIFUL FESTIVAL FARM

JOIN A SMALLER NUMBER OF GUESTS FOR  
AN INTIMATE AND RELAXED WEEK ON  
THE FARM, PACKED WITH LOADS OF  
ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES.

DAILY FOREST SCHOOL, SAUNA, HOT SHOWERS,  
COMMUNAL FEASTING, LIVE MUSIC, CEILIDH AND BARN  
DANCES, BAR WITH YUMMY LOCAL ALES, IPAS AND  
CIDERS, BRING AND SHARE ACTIVITIES, CAMPFIRES,  
SING SONGS, AND ALL THE WONDER OF NATURE

BOOKINGS OPEN 15TH JANUARY 2024

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FIRE IN THE MOUNTAIN

# MUSIC CAMP

19TH - 24TH AUGUST 2024

A WEEK-LONG FAMILY FRIENDLY MUSIC CAMP  
ON A BEAUTIFUL FARM IN MID WALES

TUITION AVAILABLE IN:

DIRK POWELL (USA) - BANJO

VERA VAN HEERINGEN - GUITAR

JOCK TYLDESLEY - OLD TIME AND CAJUN FIDDLE

STEVE BLAKE - BANJO BEGINNER AND INTERMEDIATE

EMILY SMITH - BEGINNERS FIDDLE

JERRY BLOOM - FIDDLE TECHNIQUE

ED HICKS - MIXED INSTRUMENTS

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

WORKSHOPS / SLOW JAMS / HONKY TONK CHOIR

SAUNA / LATE BAR / DELICIOUS FOOD

EVENING DANCES: CEILIDH, CAJUN AND BARN DANCES

FIRESIDE SINGSONGS AND JAM SESSIONS

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