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Welcome **to Leek**

We invite you to flick through these pages and discover why you should come to shop in Leek.

It's simple! You'll find a great mix of unique and independent shops and boutiques alongside historic markets, contained in a beautifully compact town. Added to this we are famous for our history, heritage and antiques and when you're ready to stop and refuel, we have numerous award winning places to eat and drink.

Set in the glorious Staffordshire Peak District, Leek provides a great base from which to explore the whole county. Nearby, visit The Potteries home to famous makers like Wedgwood, Moorcroft and Portmeirion or explore the Trentham Estate complete with beautifully restored gardens and unique Monkey Forest. Further afield discover Lichfield Cathedral, the National Memorial Arboretum and Cannock Chase. Not forgetting, Staffordshire is home to Britain's premier theme park, Alton Towers Resort.

Enjoy Staffordshire – a world of possibilities





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Leek – a great day out

By an award-winning travel writer, Stephen McClarence.



I first came to Leek on a bus in the middle of a blizzard. As the snow swept horizontally across the road down from Buxton, the driver hunched over his steering wheel, shook his head and said: "We'll be lucky if we get back tonight." We passengers smiled nervously at each other.

I've been back to Leek many times since then, but no-one has summed up its appeal better than a woman I met in the main street on that first visit. "If my father came back – and he died 50 years ago – he would recognise this street," she said. "This is a time-stood-still place."

That's it exactly. There's no shortage of smart shops (more with every visit), no shortage of antiques and fine buildings, but for me the essence of Leek is its more everyday sense of continuity and community. It's not a high-fallutin' place; it's sturdy, honest and welcoming, taking its Arty-Crafty connections with William Morris very much in its stride. It was, after all, an industrial town (in an unexpected place) so it has no airs and graces.

It clusters around its markets – the open market and the market hall, both bustling with traditional stalls.



Sally Shalam, The Guardian

There are family-owned shops, and teashops where you can sample big, floppy flat-cap-like Staffordshire oatcakes. They all contribute to a tangible sense of pride in local tradition.

My wife and I are regularly lured here from our home in Sheffield. We drive across the Peak District to the hilltop village of Longnor, a sort of Leek-in-miniature, and then head down through the wide, wild Staffordshire Moorlands – a real top-of-theworld road past The Roaches, those gigantic outcrops of rock that rear up like a dragon's back.

They look amazing covered in snow, as I discovered on that first visit. The bus back from Leek did get through safely, incidentally.



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Lose yourself in Leek

Find spectacular architecture, old coaching inns and historic churches and links to the William Morris Arts & Crafts movement.

Visitor walking guides on sale at Leek Tourist Information Centre.







Historic Market Place

'One of England's Oldest Markets'

With a market charter dating back over 800 years the Market Place is steeped in history and tradition.

Our Market Place combines fabulous shops, an attractive outdoor market, vibrant indoor Butter Market and a bustling table top Trestle Market, offering something for everyone.

Surrounded by impressive buildings, the Market Place transports you back in time to another era where you can browse a wide variety of specialist markets, shops and curious backstreet emporia. Whether you are looking for that special gift to take home or scouting for a bargain, you'll enjoy the hustle and bustle as you immerse yourself in the unique atmosphere of the Market Place.

Market Days

General Outdoor Market Wednesdays, for bargains, quality local produce and life's essentials.



Indoor Market

Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays in the restored Victorian Butter Market.



Speciality Markets





Why not indulge in a little of what you fancy? The Fine Food Market brings together local and regional specialist food producers and is held every third Saturday of the month in the Market Place.



Antique and Collectors Market

A fascinating Antique Market with a wide variety of items for sale. Held outdoors on the historic cobbled Market Place every Saturday.



Craft and Collectables

An intriguing Craft and Collectibles Market held in the indoor Trestle Market every Friday.

Cottage Delight

A regular to the Fine Food market, local food producer Cottage Delight, is an award winning, family owned company based in Leek.

Fudge is where the story began, being made in the family kitchen. Later, Cottage Delight expanded to include a range of jams and chutneys using only the finest of ingredients.

Their passion for good food has resulted in numerous Great Taste Awards to date.

Committed to their ethos of better tasting food created to homemade recipes, Cottage Delight remains dedicated to supporting independent retailers and will not be found in supermarkets.

www.cottagedelight.co.uk



Discover Derby Street & Getliffe's Yard

Ideal for a little retail therapy and relaxation.





Take a stroll up Derby Street where you can see some excellent Arts & Crafts architecture of the late 19th century and a 17th century inn.

In the past predominantly residential, today finds Derby Street a lively, bustling high street with independent shops, boutiques and regular high street names along the largely trafficfree area, making shopping a truly enjoyable experience.

Sitting alongside this Victorian architecture is an original black and white timber building, The Roebuck. Dating back to 1626, it was originally a private home but soon became an inn and has remained so ever since. Today, Taste of Staffordshire accredited brewery Titanic owns and operates The Roebuck, which is a great place to eat and drink.

Nicholson War Memorial

Standing proudly at the top of Derby Street, The Nicholson Memorial is believed to be the tallest war memorial in the country. It was given to the town by Sir Arthur Nicholson and his wife in memory of their son Basil who was killed in action in World War I.



Tucked Away Treasures?

Tucked away in historic, cobbled Getliffe's Yard you can discover some of Leek's best hidden secrets. Here you can step back in time to another era and enjoy shopping Victorian style.

Getliffe's Yard, built in the early 19th century, was originally home to lodging houses, cottages and stables for the poor. In those days travellers to the town could pay a penny to lean on a post to sleep!

Restored to its former lively character, Getliffe's Yard is a vibrant community of elegant boutiques, excellent eateries and artisan shops selling lovely gift items. Set on original cobblestones below a magnificent glass dome, Getliffe's Yard is a great place to enjoy shopping in a relaxed environment.

Easy to walk past, but impossible to ignore once discovered, Getliffe's Yard is a destination you won't want to miss.

For more information visit www.getliffesyard.com

St Edward Street, step back in time to another era



Antiques in Leek

'Have nothing in your house that you do not know to be useful or believe to be beautiful'. William Morris

Leek is bursting at the seams with all kinds of remarkable antique shops and certainly fulfils the William Morris philosophy.

Given its remarkable heritage, it's no surprise that Leek continues to attract collectors from far and wide all in search of something special. Whether you are looking to buy or browse, or just enjoy seeking out a collectable, Leek, in particular the shops in and around St Edward Street will offer you beautiful objects in wonderful buildings.





St Edward Church

At the top of St Edward Street stands the church of St Edward the Confessor. This is Leek's only medieval church believed to have been a place of worship for over 1000 years. Towering over the community, the church



has been the centre of town life for many centuries. Most Wednesdays and Saturdays you can drop in for a cup of tea or coffee and at the same time enjoy the beauty of the stunning Pre-Raphaelite stained glass window in the north transept, designed by Edward Burne-Jones and made by his friend, William Morris.

Napoleonic French Prisoners

Between 1803 and 1812 Leek became home to over 300 French prisoners. Many went on to marry local girls, some stayed here after the war ended, and others returned to France leaving behind wives and children. There is a memorial in honour of the French prisoners in the cemetery at St Edward's Church.





Taste of Staffordshire, **the mark of quality**

Visitors to Staffordshire can rest assured that in addition to great days out enjoying themselves, they can look forward to great eating experiences as well.



Look out for the Taste of Staffordshire Quality Accreditation Marque. It tells you that our eating establishments, local food producers and retailers have achieved the highest standards of excellence for the quality of their food and drink.

To become a member of the Taste of Staffordshire scheme, businesses are inspected and assessed by experienced, qualified inspectors. Those which achieve the necessary high standards receive accreditation and are entitled to display our quality marque. The 'best of the best' are recognised annually in the Taste of Staffordshire Good Food Awards.

For a full list of Taste of Staffordshire accredited businesses visit www.tasteofstaffordshire.com

Staffordshire Oatcakes

In the good old days, long before fast food, one local snack kept the factory workers going from dawn 'til dusk; the



Staffordshire Oatcake. On their way to work, locals bought them from windows of ordinary homes throughout the area.

A simple recipe of oatmeal, flour, salt, yeast, milk and water, oatcakes are delicious wrapped around just about anything savoury or sweet. Most locals fill them with various combinations of cheese, bacon, sausage, tomatoes, eggs and what have you. Look out in local eateries for fresh Staffordshire oatcakes on the menu!



White Hart Tea Room



'I order a Staffordshire Oatcake at the friendly White Hart Tea Room and it's delicious....'

Steve McClarence, Yorkshire Post Magazine.

There's nothing quite like a good cup of tea, whether it's enjoyed in the morning with a hearty home-made breakfast or in the afternoon as part of a delicious cream tea.

A Grade II listed building, The White Hart Tea Room was lovingly restored by owners Julie and Eric in 2006. All meals are freshly prepared on site using the finest locally sourced produce by a team of dedicated staff.

Julie, invites you to, 'Come along and try our White Hart Cream Tea – a pot of tea, served with a home-made scone, jam or lemon curd, butter and cream'. Sounds just too good to miss!

The White Hart Tea Room is a Taste of Staffordshire accredited Tea Room and has been a runner-up in Taste of Staffordshire Tea Room of the Year on several occasions.

The Roebuck

Recent refurbishment by Titanic Brewery has made this historic pub on Derby Street a great place to meet, eat and relax.

Serving the majority of locally brewed cask ales, Titanic Brewery director Dave Bott says, 'The Roebuck is a stunning building and we

are delighted to have acquired it'. Dave goes on to say, 'We pride ourselves on creating welcoming pubs which sell good local produce and are used by customers of all ages.' Titanic Brewery is a Taste of Staffordshire Accredited Local Producer.



The Nicholson Museum & Art Gallery Telling the story of Leek's heritage the Nicholson Museum & Art Gallery is a great place to discover the fascinating history of this town. Come along and visit The Nicholson Museum & Art Gallery where throughout the year you'll find a regular rolling program of exhibitions and events. Delight in stepping back in time to enjoy some of Leek's fascinating history.



Free Admission.

Stockwell Street, Leek, ST13 6DW Tel: 01538 483741 Email: tourism@staffsmoorlands.gov.uk

www.staffsmoorlands.gov.uk/nicholson

Nicholson Museum and Art Gallery

Dating back to the 1880's the Nicholson Museum and Art Gallery dominates the skyline of Leek and today is home to a collection of oil paintings, ceramics, local history and a fine selection of the famous Leek Embroideries.



In days gone by many distinguished figures passed through the doors, including renowned Arts & Crafts designer William Morris and D.H. Lawrence along with other celebrity artists and writers. Famous faces from all over the world came to the Nicholson Museum and Art Gallery where it came alive with music recitals and lectures by the likes of Oscar Wilde, Mark Twain and John Betjeman.

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The Foxlowe 'Impressive Georgian Arts Centre'

Inspiration and tea await you at the Foxlowe Arts Centre. Housed in a stunning Grade II listed building, the Foxlowe has a regular programme of exhibitions, films, workshops, lectures along with local arts and crafts for sale. Visit the café for a warm welcome and a selection of delicious dishes ranging from homemade cakes and scones to light lunches.

www.foxloweartscentre.org.uk





Brindley Mill

James Brindley, the great canal engineer, spent his formative years in Leek and it was here that he developed the skills that made him one of the greatest engineers of his age. Brindley Mill, built in 1752, is now a working water-powered cornmill and museum dedicated to his life and achievements.

www.brindleymill.net



Staffordshire Peak District, waiting to be discovered

Experience the magnificent, unspoilt beauty of the Staffordshire Peak District, where amongst the carpet of heather you can see a vast array of birds and wildlife.

Explore the wild and rugged crags of the Roaches, where you can take in views over the Cheshire Plains, the hills of Shropshire and, on a clear day, the Mountains of North Wales.



The Staffordshire Peak District is a favourite destination for walkers, cyclists, horse riders and rock climbers alike.

Enjoy the calm and tranquil waters of Rudyard Lake or make a splash in a canoe, hire a kayak or try something new to recharge your batteries. Peak Pursuits at Tittesworth Water has lots of exhilarating healthy outdoor activities, all set to leave you with a smile on your face!



Discover the secret of the ancient market town of Cheadle. Follow the trail of celebrated Victorian gothic architect, A.W.N. Pugin, taking in the splendour of St Giles' Catholic Church, considered to be his finest work.

Savour the beauty of the changing seasons in the glorious gardens of Biddulph Grange and Consall Hall. Relive nostalgic days of steam by taking a steam train journey with the Churnet Valley Railway, Foxfield Steam Railway or Rudyard Lake Steam Railway.

On the other hand, if you are feeling more adventurous, Alton Towers Resort has the most fantabulous selection of whiteknuckle rollercoaster rides and



attractions for the whole family. The fun never stops!

For more information get a FREE copy of the Staffordshire Peak District mini guide. Pick one up from a Staffordshire TIC, call



0844 870 7097 or visit www.enjoystaffordshire.com

Historic Market Place

Alive



Established women's wear boutique situated in Leek's Market Place. Beautiful clothes, shoes and accessories, designer labels and also small individual quirky brands. Discover the very latest trends which we source from all over Europe.

Staffordshire ST13 5HH 01538 388000

Bo-Belles Boutique



Charming children's boutique bursting with fabulous clothes and accessories for babies, boys and girls from birth to nine years. Soft toys, gifts and vouchers. For that extra special something **Bo-Belles!**

7 Stanley Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5HG 01538 383452 F. sales@bo-belles.co.uk



Foxlowe Arts Centre



Open Wednesday to Sunday. Gallery exhibitions displaying the work of local artists; weekly film night; Saturday youth theatre workshops; Music nights and café serving delicious home made cakes to light bites! Leek heritage exhibition and fortnightly talks program with guest speakers. Rooms available for hire.

Market Place Leek ST13 6AD

- 01538 386112
- E hello@foxloweartscentre.org.uk
- www.foxloweartscentre.org.uk W

Monty's



Monty's is a traditional British Fish and Chip shop situated in the historic 13th Century Market Place. We specialise in excellent quality value for money fish and chip meals which can be either taken away or eaten in our 65 seat. air conditioned café. We have a number of special offers and children's meals. For those looking for something different, we also sell freshly made pizzas.

24 Market Place, Leek. Staffordshire ST13 5HJ

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kc-montgomery@sky.com

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Bamboo Fashion



Bamboo Fashion stocks designer ladies wear and accessories offers you an intimate shopping experience. Call in for one to one advice tailored to your own individual fashion style.

23 Market Place. Leek. Staffordshire ST13 5HJ

т 01538 383441

- E enquiries@bamboo-fashion.co.uk
- W www.bamboo-fashion.co.uk

Becalmed



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Historic Market Place

Picture Book



We are an old fashioned bookshop with specialist sections in local history, natural history, especially birds, fiction, walking and maps.

6 Stanley Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5HG

- T 01538 399033 01538 384337
- E info@leekbooks.co.uk
- W www.leekbooks.co.uk

Pronto



A passion for good food and excellent service is what drives us in everything we do. We are bursting with food ideas, speciality breads, home cooked continental meats, artisan cheeses, sumptuous olives, enticing biscuits, pickles and jams for the perfect hamper gifts, plus mouth-watering cakes and delicacies. Don't miss a Cappuccino with our Italian dolci.

10 Sheep Market, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5HW

01538 384455

E carolewalsh@btinternet.com

The Alphabet Store



The A-Z of everything you need but can never find. A-Z is the ultimate gift store selling a wide range of letters and gifts depicting words and sayings.

15 Sheep Market, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5HN

T 01538 388554 E sales@thealphabetstore.co.uk

www.thealphabetstore.co.uk

moorlands markets

something for everyone

Visit the historic market town of Leek in the Staffordshire Peak District and enjoy a great family day out.

Don't miss our markets on:

Wednesday Outdoor Traditional
Charter Market

Friday - Indoor
 Collectors Market

Wednesday and Saturday
 - Indoor Trestle Market

 Wednesday, Friday and Saturday - Indoor
 Victorian Butter Market

> Saturday - Outdoor Antiques Market

 Every third Saturday in the month - Outdoor Fine Food Market.



For further information please contact Leek Tourist Information: 01538 483741

www.staffsmoorlands.gov.uk/moorlandsmarkets

Derby Street

Anne Morris Boutique



'A airl should be two thinas classy and fabulous' Coco Chanel

Three floors of glorious fashions, from casual to Mother of the bride and groom. Just recognised as a flagship store for Joseph Ribkoff, also featuring Betty Barclay and much, much more! Now stocking larger sizes, 6-22.

6-8 Getliffe's Yard. Leek. Staffordshire ST13 6HU

т 01538 373330

- E anne@leekparkside.co.uk
- W www.annemorrisltd.co.uk

Edna Dale



Offering a fitting and measuring service, stocking AA – K cup bras including Triumph, Fantasie, Playtex, Panache, Lepel, Bestform and Royce. We also carry a wide range of sports, nursing and mastectomy bras.

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15 Russell Street, Leek, Staffordshire Moorlands ST13 5JF

- т 01538 383106
- F marsh906@btinternet.com

Flaming Gorgeous



We have a fantastic range of Yankee Candle and accessories. Complimented, by Wax Lyrical and Jelly Belly candles as well as the Milford Glass collection. Just look for the flame!

25/27 Getliffe's Yard, Derby Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 6HU 01538 381214 E

flaminggorgeous@hotmail.co.uk

Over the Rainbow



Over The Rainbow is a toy shop specialising in education, traditional and fun toys. The ranges we stock are Orchard Toys, Le Toyvan, Plan Toy, Puppet Company, Schliech, Playmobil and many more. Call in and have a look around whilst your child plays at the play table.

36 Derby Street, Leek Staffordshire ST13 5AB

- T. 01538 371683
- hello@overtherainbowtoys.co.uk E
- W www.overtherainbowtoys.co.uk

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Treasure Trails Staffordshire

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- E staffordshire@treasuretrails.co.uk
- W www.treasuretrails.co.uk

St Edward Street Area

Housey House



Visit one of Leek's favourite shops, 'Housey House'. We have thousands of different items in stock, many of which you won't find anywhere else! We stock home furnishing, decorative items, furniture, lighting, jewellery and unusual gifts. Come and browse and take a look.

6 Broad Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5NS

- T 01538 381883
- E heath@xlninternet.co.uk

Leatherbarrow & Lovatt



Antique and painted country furniture from England, Ireland and Eastern Europe can be found at Leatherbarrow & Lovatt. Also a wide range of antiques and contemporary accessories for the home and aarden.

57 St Edward Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5DN

- T 01538 399300
- M 07973 189468 07811456499
- E leatherbarrowlovatt@gmail.com

Leek Pet & Fishing Centre



The Moorland's largest pet and fishing shop. We have a wide range of products, from food to accessories in store and in the Buttermarket. We also sell fresh bait, day tickets and fishing tackle for all abilities.

31-33 St Edward Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5DN T 01538 398958

Odeon Antiques



Specialists in antique and vintage lighting. We also have an extensive stock of lighting parts. Showrooms displaying antique pine, Victorian mahogany, vintage industrial and Scandinavian style furniture.

76-78 St Edward Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5DL

- T 01538 387188
- M 07973 317961
- E odeonantiques@hotmail.com

Period Features



We have worked hard to recreate a traditional Victorian ironmongers with original shop fittings and atmosphere. We stock a wide range of period accessories, including period hardware, traditional bathroom accessories, Farrow & Ball paint and much more!

17 Broad Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5NR

- 01538 372202
- E enquiries@periodfeatures.net
- W www.periodfeatures.net

The Moorland Cookshop (Electricaire)



The Moorlands Cookshop and Electricaire sell a large selection of top brand cookware, kitchen gadgets and small electrical appliances at highly competitive prices.

27 St Edward Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5DN T 01538 372355 M 07976 670683 E sales@electricaire.co.uk W www.themoorlandscookshop.co.uk

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Taste of **Staffordshire**

Ramblers Retreat



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Dimmingsdale, Red Road, Alton, Staffordshire Moorlands ST10 4BU

T 01538 702730

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- E info@ramblersretreat.co.uk
- W www.ramblersretreat.co.uk

The Roebuck



The newest member in the Titanic Fleet. After extensive refurbishment and a new kitchen, the Grade Two listed Coaching Inn has a warm welcome for all. Centrally located on Derby Street, we have some ten ales to enjoy alongside a new menu using local produce, all inspired by our team of chefs ready to tempt your taste buds!

18 Derby Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5AB T 01538 385602 W www.titanicbrewery.co.uk

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Buxton Road, Blackshaw Moor, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 8TW

- T 01538 300296
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White Hart Tea Room



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1-3 Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 6DH

- T 01538 372122
- E info@whiteharttearoom.co.uk W www.whiteharttearoom.co.uk





Taste of the Moorlands

Very happy and award winning bakers. Wholesale to shops and sell direct to the public at Leek, Stone, Stafford and Shrewsbury farmers markets plus many shows throughout the year.

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W www.tasteofthemoorlands.co.uk

The Hollybush



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Stanley Road, Stockton Brook, Staffordshire ST9 9NL

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Out & About

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Leek Road, Waterhouses, Staffordshire ST10 3JR

- T 01538 308313
- M 07779 320975
- E sriley01@gmail.com
- W www.manifoldcyclingbrownendfarm.co.uk



Newfields Gallery



Woodcarvings and Ceramics designed, made and sold at Newfields Farm by Roger Sutton and Gail Keep. Oak carved panels of trees and foliage, fine detailed relief ceramics, plaques, boxes and jewellery.

Newfields Farm, Foxt, Nr Froghall, Staffordshire Moorlands ST10 2HS

- T 01538 266334
- W www.peakdistrictartisans.co.uk/ newfields

The Threshing Barn



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Events & Festivals in and around **Leek**



February

 Half Term Fun, Alton Towers Resort

March

- Pugin Bi-Centenary, Cheadle
- Midlands Grand National, Uttoxeter Racecourse
- Start of Season, Alton Towers Resort

April

- Peak District Walking Festival
- Fun Day at Peak Pursuits, Tittesworth Water



May

- Leek Arts Festival
- Leek Embroideries Exhibition, All Saints Church, Leek

- Meerbrook Scarecrow Festival
- Endon Well Dressing
- Scooterfest, Leek
- Olympic Torch Relay & Evening Celebration, Stoke-on-Trent

June

- Staffordshire County Show
- Queen's Diamond Jubilee Celebrations
- Flash Tea Pot Parade & Flower Festival
- Flash Well Dressing
- Mayfield Well Dressing

July

- Britannia Leek & District Show
- Louis Wain, 'The Man Who Drew Cats' exhibition, Nicholson Museum & Art Gallery
- Leek Club Day

August

- Manifold Valley Agricultural Show
- Dovedale Sheepdog Trials
- Leek Embroideries Exhibition, All Saints Church, Leek
- Just So Festival, Rode Hall

September

- Longnor Races, Longnor
- Abbots Bromley Horn Dance
- Dovedale Arts Festival



October

- Stone Food & Drink Festival
- Halloween Scarefest, Alton Towers Resort
- Wallaby Walking Festival

November

- Ultimate Fireworks, Alton Towers Resort
- Poppies & Silk: Leek's Nicholson Legacy, Nicholson Museum & Art Gallery
- Christmas Light Switch On, Leek
- Christmas Light Switch On, Ipstones

December

- Leek Dickensian Market
- Christmas Light Switch On & Market, Cheadle
- The Ilam Folk Painting: The story of a village, Nicholson Museum & Art Gallery



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