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GOOD FOOD



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FREE TO
ATTEND
EVENTS

2026 EVENTS

IN HINCKLEY TOWN CENTRE



GARDEN SHOW



15TH
MOTOR
SHOW

ART TRAILS

WELCOME TO HINCKLEY

**a thriving Market Town
with so much to offer!**

To find out everything you need to know about Hinckley Town Centre, please go to **www.hinckleybid.co.uk** for:



- A complete directory of our 400+ businesses in four sectors: **Food, Drink and Entertainment • Shops & Boutiques • Health and Beauty • Service Businesses**
- A complete listing of all current offers available upon presentation of our **FREE Hinckley BID Loyalty card**. If you are not one of the 15,000+ who currently hold one, please click on the tab on our website to apply
- Details of all the forthcoming events in the Town Centre which are regularly updated
- Car Park locations and information

and much more. For more information, please contact us at:

email **info@hinckleybid.co.uk**

visit **www.hinckleybid.co.uk**



**MORE TO SEE
AND DO**



Alongside the events featured here, Hinckley also hosts a variety of community and charity events across the year throughout the town centre at our many parks, entertainment venues and public spaces.

FEBRUARY

Britannia's Got Talent

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

10.30am - 2.30pm

Hinckley BID's live music event is a showcase of local talent in which pianists will perform live in the mall of Britannia Shopping Centre. Supported by Keysound - the Piano Specialists in Hinckley and local pianists including students of Pianista Music Studio.



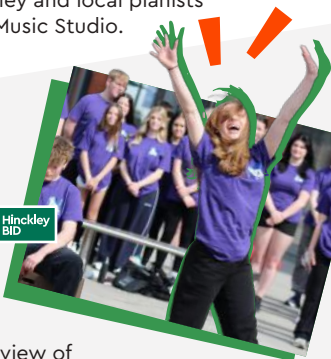
MARCH

Concordia in The Crescent

SATURDAY 28 MARCH

12 noon - 12.30pm

Hinckley BID proudly presents a preview of Concordia Youth Theatre's newest production of this hit West End musical, grab your pink jackets and enjoy the show!



Hinckley BID's Easter Bunny Hunt

28 MARCH - 12 APRIL

Collect an entry form from Cineworld and follow the clues to find the Easter Bunnies on 10 business windows throughout the town centre and enter into our prize draw for a £50 gift voucher, family Cinema tickets, a round of Mini Golf for 4 or a large Easter egg.



HINCKLEY MARKET

Visit Hinckley's vibrant Market, a hub of friendly traders offering great products at reasonable prices. With over 700 years of history, this award-winning market is a favourite for locals and visitors. Market days are every Monday, Friday, and Saturday from 9am to 3pm.

For shopping or trading enquiries, contact the Markets Team at **01455 238141**.

APRIL

St George's Day Celebration & Scout Parade

SATURDAY 25 APRIL

10.00am - 2.00pm

Festivities take place to celebrate our patron saint with crafts, Morris dancers, and Tom the Tale Teller. The Scout Parade will leave Argents Mead at 1.15pm to St Peter's Church.

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MAY

Music in the Mead

SATURDAY 9 MAY

1.00pm - 3.00pm

To coincide with the Airbourne Plaque unveiling this year's Music in the Mead starts with a special vintage themed performance with Julie Sings and Rob Wilson.

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Music in the Mead

SATURDAY 16 MAY

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Sing & Social – join Julie Sings and her over 50's singing group for a fabulous afternoon.

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NEW FOR 2026

Hinckley BID's Garden Show & Wellbeing Event

SAT 16 - SUN 17 MAY

10.00am - 4.00pm

Hinckley BID's town centre Garden Show promises to be a vibrant celebration of horticulture, wellness, and community spirit. Including a variety of show gardens created by garden designers, local businesses and communities, a Craft & Garden Market, Health & Wellness event.

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MAKE A DAY OF IT



Why not make a full day of your visit to Hinckley? Enjoy an event, then explore everything else the town centre has to offer. From catching the latest film at the cinema to relaxing with a drink, coffee or meal in one of the town's many cafes, bars and restaurants. There is always plenty to see and do.

JUNE

ALSO NEW FOR 2026

Hinckley BID's Colour the Town Art Trail



THROUGHOUT JUNE

Hinckley town centre will come alive in vibrant colour with art installations and a trail to follow.

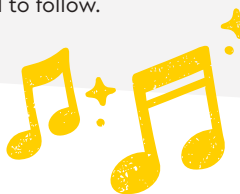
Proms in the Park

Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council

SATURDAY 6 JUNE

6.00pm - 8.30pm

Hinckley's Hollycroft Park will come alive with the sound of music when the popular Proms in the Park concert returns featuring the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire Wind Orchestra. Gates open at 5pm with the concert to begin at 6pm and finish 8.30pm. Capacity is limited in the auditorium area and will be on a first come, first served basis.



Music in the Mead

Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council

SATURDAY 13 JUNE

1.00pm - 3.00pm

The Alternatives are a four-piece band playing indie and rock covers with a twist.

JUNE

Hinckley BID's Classic Vehicle Meet



THURSDAY 18 JUNE

4.00pm – 8.00pm

The first Hinckley BID Classic Vehicle Meet of 2026, returning this year by popular demand. Anyone with a classic vehicle of any kind who would like to pop along would be most welcome. Entrance will be from Station Road. No registration required.



Music in the Mead



SATURDAY 20 JUNE

1.00pm – 3.00pm

No genre is safe with the BoomBox Betties with Rock Emo Lounge Pop Mashup and medleys galore.



Armed Forces Day



SATURDAY 27 JUNE

10.00am – 2.00pm

In partnership with the Hinckley combined Armed Forces and Veterans Community, this annual service of celebration will be led by Churches Together at 11am along with a parade through the town centre and display of military vehicles in the Mead.



JULY

Music in the Mead



SATURDAY 4 JULY

1.00pm – 3.00pm

Beat Thieves, a four-piece Leicestershire-based band will get the party started with their pop and rock covers with a twist.





JULY

Hinckley BID's Independents Shopping Weekend



SAT 4 - SUN 5 JULY

Shop local with Hinckley's independent retailers, eateries and services. Special offers will be available in selected town centre businesses.



Hinckley BID's Classic Vehicle Meet



THURSDAY 16 JULY

4.00pm - 8.00pm

The second of Hinckley BID's Classic Vehicle Meets of 2026. Anyone with a classic vehicle of any kind who would like to pop along would be most welcome. Entrance will be from Station Road. No registration required.



Hinckley BID's Summer of Fun Emergency Services Day



WEDNESDAY 22 JULY

10.00am - 2.00pm

Come along and meet the Police and Fire Service, alongside other emergency services teams too.



Music in the Mead

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SATURDAY 25 JULY

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Solo artist, Charlotte Beaver will be performing live popular music for all the sing along to.



AUGUST

Feast Hinckley

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SAT 1 - SUN 2 AUGUST

10.00am - 5.00pm

Feast Hinckley returns to Argents Mead with a range of Street Food Vendors, Live Music, Local Radio, Entertainment and more!



Snap Dragon Children and Families Festival

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MON 3 - WED 5 AUGUST

11.00am - 3.00pm

Popular Snap Dragon Children and Families Festival is back with three fun-filled days for the family in Hinckley's Argents Mead.



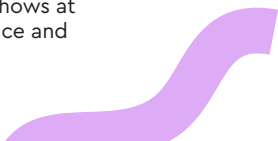
Hinckley BID's Summer of Fun Bike Spectacular



WEDNESDAY 12 AUGUST

10.00am - 2.00pm

BMXtras will provide BMX bike stunt shows at 10am, 11am, 12pm, 1pm. Cycling advice and entertainment available.



AUGUST

Music in the Mead

SATURDAY 15 AUGUST

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Join 'Different Kettle of Fish' a four-piece acoustic band playing an eclectic mix of covers and original songs.

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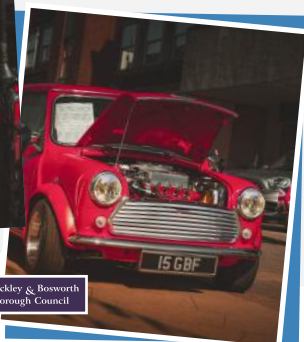


Hinckley BID's Classic Vehicle Meet

THURSDAY 20 AUGUST

4.00pm - 8.00pm

The final Hinckley BID Classic Vehicle Meet of 2026 before our big Motor Show in September. Anyone with a classic vehicle of any kind who would like to pop along would be most welcome. Entrance will be from Station Road. No registration required.



Music in the Mead

SATURDAY 22 AUGUST

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Solo artist, Rachel Ball will be covering classic hits spanning the decades for all to enjoy.

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SEPTEMBER

Music in the Mead

SATURDAY 5 SEPTEMBER

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Timepieces Duo, Mike & David will be performing their classic interpretations of great hit songs.

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SEPTEMBER

Heritage Weekends

**FRI 11 – SUN 13 SEPTEMBER
& FRI 18 – SUN 20 SEPTEMBER**

A celebration of Hinckley's heritage across 2 weekends with Hinckley Museum, the Atkins Building and others opening their doors to the public, as well as other heritage activities including a medieval festival in the mead.

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Medieval Festival Hinckley Heritage Day

SATURDAY 12 SEPTEMBER
10.00am – 5.00pm

As part of Heritage Open Days the mead will become a medieval festival with displays of leatherworking, spinning and weaving along with have-a-go archery and medieval music.

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Music in the Mead

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER
1.00pm – 3.00pm

Join us to celebrate this year's final music in the mead performance with the Arden Quintet, a brass band playing an eclectic repertoire of classical, pop, musical and jazz.

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15TH ANNIVERSARY

Hinckley BID's 15th Annual Motor Show

SUNDAY 20 SEPTEMBER
10.00am – 3.00pm

Join us to celebrate the 15th Motor Show with hundreds of vehicles on display throughout Hinckley Town Centre and Argents Mead, and with some extra special surprises, this will be a show not to be missed. Many of the town's fabulous cafes, bars and shops will be open for your enjoyment too. If you attend one motor show this year, make sure it's this one!

Register to enter a vehicle at hinckleybid.co.uk

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OCTOBER

OctoBIDfest Music Festival



SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER

2.00pm - 10.00pm

Hinckley BID, together with The Clarence, Baton Rouge, and the businesses along Regent Street and beyond, invite you to a day of live music and entertainment on Regent Street with food and drink stalls, outdoor seating, a rodeo bull, and much more. No tickets required, all welcome.



Hinckley BID's Halloween Treasure Hunt



SAT 17 - SAT 31 OCTOBER

FUN & FREE Treasure Hunt for all of the family, just follow the clues located on shop windows around the town to find the hidden treasure! Hundreds of pounds worth of prizes to be won, you can't afford to miss out!



Spooktacular Saturday



SATURDAY 31 OCTOBER

10.00am - 3.00pm

Come along to the Britannia Centre and enjoy Pumpkin Bowling, Creepy Crafts and a Best Dressed competition with medals for everyone who takes part (subject to availability).



NOVEMBER

Remembrance Sunday

SUNDAY 8 NOVEMBER

10.30am – 11.30am

Hinckley's annual Remembrance Day Service and Parade.

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Christmas Lights Switch-On and Tin Hat Fair

(Switch On Friday only)

FRI 20 & SAT 21 NOVEMBER

Starting at 4pm on Friday with live music, a range of market stalls and street entertainment followed by the lights switch-on in Market Place and Argents Mead at 6.30pm. The Tin Hat Fair will be in Regent Street on Friday 4 – 10pm and on Saturday 12noon to 10pm.



Lights in the Mead

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FRI 20 NOV - WED 6 JAN 2027

'Lights in the Mead' – thousands of twinkling fairy lights in hues of green, blue and pink around the trees, pathways and bandstand in Argents Mead, Hinckley. The 'Lights in the Mead' will be turned on in zones on the night of Hinckley's Christmas Lights Switch On (20 November) the lights will then be on daily every evening thereafter until 6 January 2027.

Hinckley BID Small Business Saturday



SATURDAY 28 NOVEMBER

Hinckley BID celebrates the small businesses that make Hinckley town centre unique.



DECEMBER

Christmas lights Car Trail

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WEDNESDAY 2 DECEMBER

6.00pm - 8.00pm

Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council and the United Reformed Church invite local disabled and elderly residents to come into Hinckley to see the Christmas lights. Upper Castle Street will be opened to traffic from 6pm to 8pm. Anyone is welcome to come and drive at your leisure to view the Christmas lights and then exit onto Regent Street.

Carols Around the Tree

FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER

4.15pm - 5.00pm

Come along to Market Place and join in well-known carols around the town centre Christmas Tree. In partnership with Churches Together.

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Festive Feast and Crafts Market

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SUNDAY 13 DECEMBER

10.00am - 4.00pm

Come along to Market Place and enjoy a selection of Street Food, warming mulled wine, local crafts and live music.



HOLLYCROFT PARK

HINCKLEY TOWN CENTRE MAP

HINCKLEY MUSEUM

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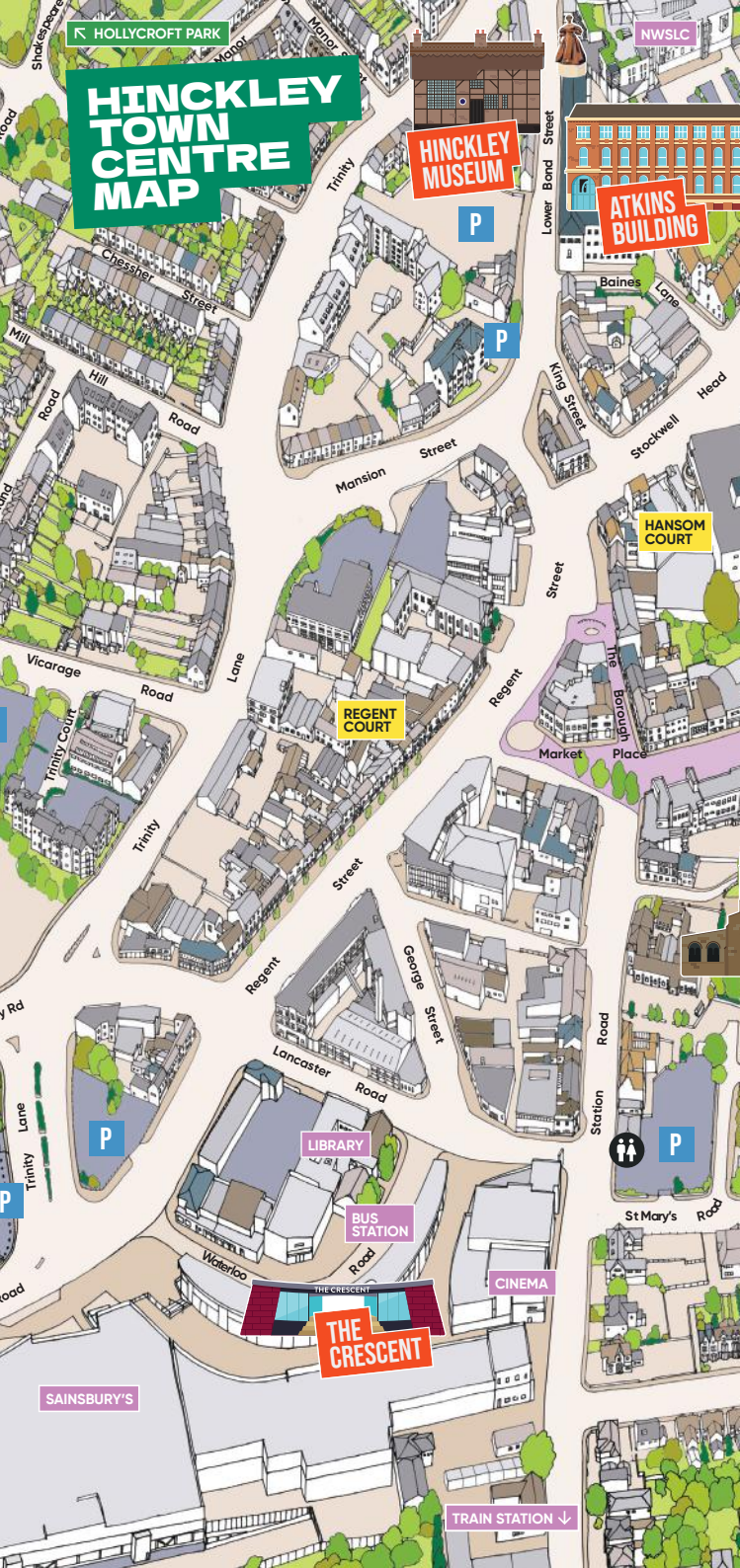
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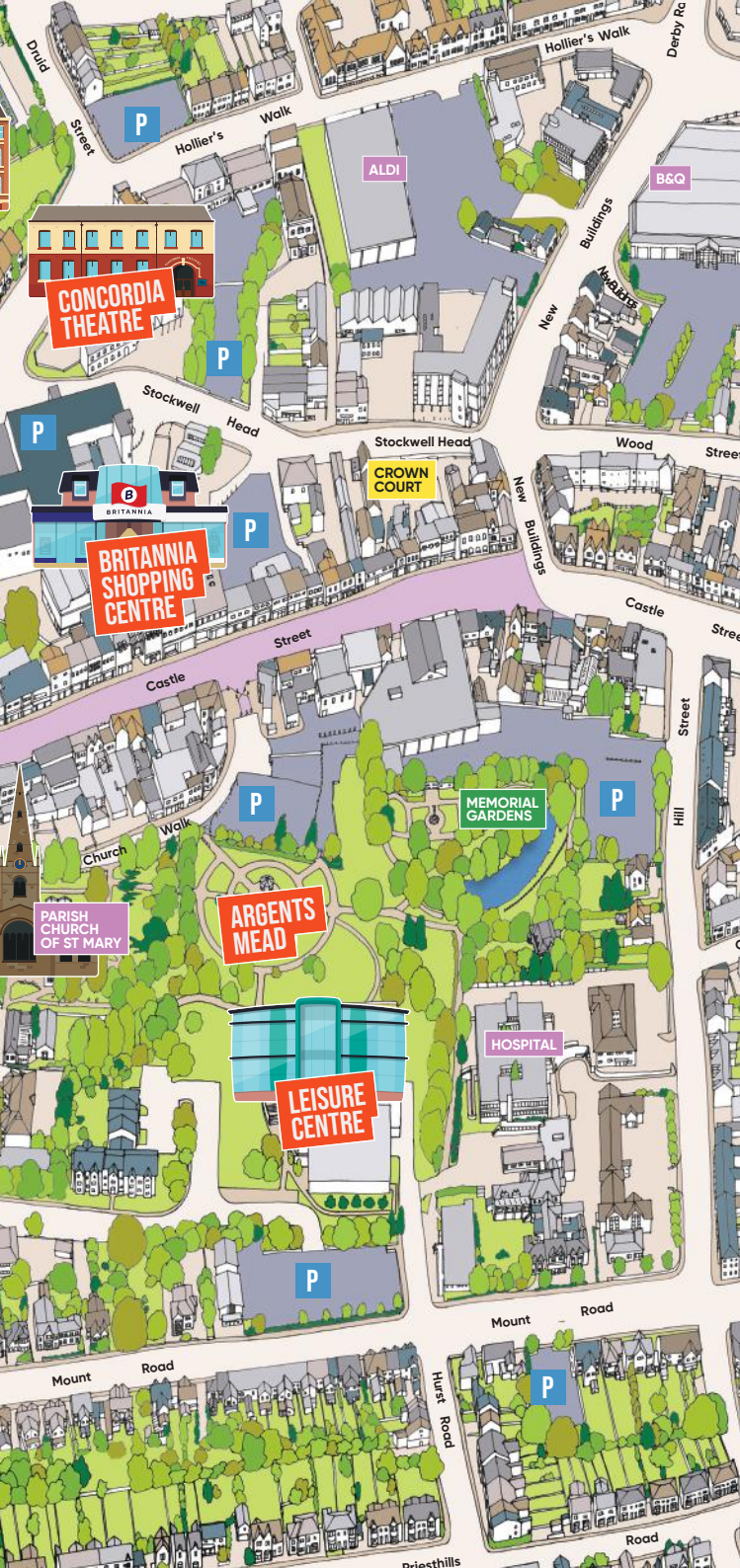
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CROWN COURT

MEMORIAL GARDENS

ARGENT'S MEAD

LEISURE CENTRE

HOSPITAL

PARISH CHURCH OF ST MARY

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Earl Shilton Camera Club
HLB Animal Photography
NWSLC Photography Students



ALL FREE EVENTS*



For more information on any of
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hinckleybid.co.uk
or **hinckley-bosworth.gov.uk/ourevents**

*Some activities may be chargeable



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