

DURING THE AFTERNOON, FAMILIES CAN INDULGE IN A FEAST OF FUN AT RZSS EDINBURGH ZOO, THE BOTANIC GARDENS AND THE NATIONAL MUSEUM.



EXPLORATHON AFTERNOON @ RZSS EDINBURGH ZOO

134 Corstorphine Rd, Edinburgh, EH12 6TS
12pm – 6pm | Admission charges apply
All ages Booking details at:
www.edinburghzoo.org.uk

Enjoy a Zoo-perb opportunity to meet roar-inspiring scientists, educators and researchers from Heriot-Watt and Edinburgh Universities at RZSS Edinburgh Zoo. Get a zoo safari app, join squirrel wars, see inside your belly with mini-robotic sonopills, get creative at cartoon stations, extract DNA from strawberries, watch protein crystals form and come face-to-face with a sabre-toothed tiger.



EXPLORATHON AFTERNOON @ THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF SCOTLAND

Chambers St, Edinburgh EH1 1JF
12pm – 6pm | FREE | All ages
Booking required at some events at
www.explorathon.co.uk/edinburgh

Inspired by Dig It! 2015, meet the experts – Archaeologists and more at the National Museum on Chambers Street, where you can delve deep into the past, play with digital data and discover the destructive power of volcanoes.



EXPLORATHON AFTERNOON @ ROYAL BOTANIC GARDEN EDINBURGH

Arboretum Place, Edinburgh, EH3 5NZ
12pm – 6pm | FREE All ages
Booking required at some events at
www.explorathon.co.uk/edinburgh

Inspired by this year being Scottish Year of Food and Drink and International Year of Soils, come and meet the experts – Botanists, soil and food scientists and feed your curiosity...

CONSIDERING CAREER OPTIONS? - ESPECIALLY FOR 16+

National Museum of Scotland, Chambers St, Edinburgh EH1 1JF
4-5pm | FREE | Ages 16+ | Booking required at
www.explorathon.co.uk/edinburgh

Meet Archaeologists, Earth Scientists and other researchers at the National Museum event in the afternoon.

BRIGHT CLUB - ESPECIALLY FOR 16+

The Stand Comedy Club, 5 York Pl, Edinburgh EH1 3EB
5.30-6.30pm | Tickets are FREE and will be available on the door but due to the limited capacity, book online in advance The Stand Comedy Club. Note a 50p per ticket booking fee will apply | Ages 16+

Enjoy the freshest thing in stand-up – straight from the (research) field to the stage, scientist comedians performing the Bright Club at The Stand.

WAVERLEY FOOD MARKET – LOCALMOTIVE MARKET!

Waverley Train Station, Waverley Bridge, Edinburgh, EH1 1DE
11am – 7pm | FREE | All ages | No booking required

Stimulate your tastebuds and your mind, and discover local Scottish food & drink on Platform 2, Waverley Station.

WHAT MAKES A BRASS INSTRUMENT SOUND BRASSY?

James Clerk Maxwell Building, King's Buildings, Mayfield Road, EH9 3JZ | 5:30-8:30pm | FREE | All ages | No booking required

Have a sneak preview of Doors Open Day and get behind-the-scenes access to some of the leading physics research being done right here in Edinburgh.

GUERRILLA LIGHTING EVENING WORKSHOP ON THE ROYAL MILE

See www.explorathon.co.uk/edinburgh for all details
Ages 16+ | Admission charges apply

Join an interactive and quickly moving tour of some of the darker and less visited Clooses off the Royal Mile. Release your creativity, by revealing and reimagining the architectural and historical stories of each Cloose.

DANCING LIGHT- A LIGHT BASED MOVEMENT WORKSHOP

See www.explorathon.co.uk/edinburgh for all details
Ages 8+ | Admission charges apply

Can you move like a photon? Learn all about the unique properties of light and its applications through dance and movement at this one hour workshop run by the School of Chemistry, University of Edinburgh.

SCIENCE CEILIDH, TEVIOT DEBATING HALL

Debating Hall, Teviot Row House, 13 Bristo Pl, Edinburgh EH8 9AJ
Doors at 7pm, Science Ceilidh begins at 7:30pm and ends at midnight | Ages 18+ | Admission £5
www.explorathonedin.eventbrite.co.uk & available on the door

Enjoy your favourite dances rejigged with a twist of science. From simulating your immune system with the Dashing White Blood Cell to swinging your partner DNA base-pairs in the Orcadian-Strip-the-Helix – celebrate creativity in science.

PHD IN AN HOUR

Akva, 129 Fountainbridge, Edinburgh, EH3 9QG
6pm- close | FREE | Ages 18+

One PhD student, one fascinating topic, one hour. 3 Students will explain their ground-breaking ideas and have fun finding out something new.

CAFÉ SCIENTIFIQUE, BANSHEE LABYRINTH

Banshee Labyrinth, 29-35 Niddry St, EH1 1LG
7-9.30PM | FREE | Ages 18+

For the price of a cup of coffee or a glass of wine, anyone can come to explore the latest ideas in science and technology.

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COME AND JOIN THE EXPLORATHON! SHOWS, TALKS, COMEDY, DEBATES AND HANDS-ON FUN AWAIT AS EDINBURGH JOINS 300 CITIES ACROSS EUROPE TO CELEBRATE EUROPEAN RESEARCHERS' NIGHT 2015.

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FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER

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EXPLORATHON IN ST ANDREWS

MEDICAL SCHOOL BUILDING,
NORTH HAUGH, KY16 9TF,
7PM – LATE ADMISSION FREE

Booking recommended at www.explorathon.co.uk
Ponder the Calcutta Question, be a Sperm Whale, build a salt marsh and enjoy original comedy as the University of St Andrews celebrates European Researchers' Night. Events are suitable for all ages except our Bright Club comedy night which is for those aged 18 and over.



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