

# ROSS Neighbourhood NEWS

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Rossbeerfest is building on its success when it returns for 2026! This well-known Beer and Cider Festival will be held alongside the River Wye on the weekend of the early Spring Bank Holiday.



## Ross Beer and Cider Festival 2026

Showcasing locally produced beers and ciders, the event is being organised as a Charity Fund Raiser by Ross Lions and Ross Rotary Clubs. Open on **Saturday 2nd May 12 noon to 11pm and Sunday 3rd May 12 noon to 10pm**, entry is £10 per adult to include a free glass and festival guide. Supervised children admitted during daylight hours £5 each.

Also planned is a full programme of music with live bands and food supplied by the Ross Rowing Club in our large, heated, undercover 'beerhall' marquee. Full details, maps and updates are found on the website: [www.rossbeerfest.org](http://www.rossbeerfest.org) where tickets can also be purchased. See also our Facebook page.

### Be a Ross Beerfest 2026 Volunteer

**We need your help!** Ross Beerfest are looking for volunteers to help with the bar, general stewarding, and admin roles. Help is also needed for set-up days and clearing afterwards. Please contact for further details: [info@rossbeerandciderfest.co.uk](mailto:info@rossbeerandciderfest.co.uk) or message us on Facebook: RossBeerFest.org

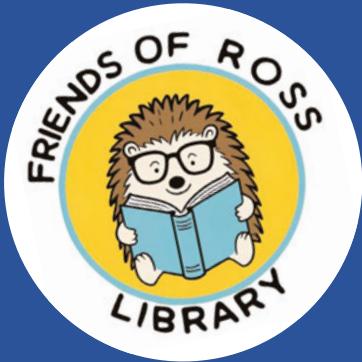


### Ross Nature Recovery Group

The aim of this group is to make Ross a greener, healthier place, not just for residents but for the birds, insects, mammals and plants. To succeed we need your suggestions, help, knowledge and experience. So as a start, do you know of anywhere near where you live that would be improved by trees, wild flowers etc? Do you know anyone who might have a tree in a tub that needs a new home (the tree that is!)? If so, let Rob Taylor know: [robaylor3456@gmail.com](mailto:robaylor3456@gmail.com)

Volunteer. Join. Donate.  
[www.rosscdt.org.uk](http://www.rosscdt.org.uk)

Call us: 01989 313002  
Email: [info@rosscdt.org.uk](mailto:info@rosscdt.org.uk)



## The Friends of Ross Library

This group exists to ensure that our Library remains a vibrant hub for the local community. In the face of upcoming HCC 2026 budget constraints, we are never more relevant to the continued success of the Library. We hold interesting events for members and fundraise towards the 'extras' that Council funding does not cover, e.g. coffee machine, children's activities, etc. We need enthusiastic, committed volunteers to run events and to sit on the Committee. We especially need a Treasurer. This involves simple record keeping, bank reconciliation and annual profit & loss accounts.

Help is available and we handle fewer than a 100 transactions annually. **If you'd like to get involved please email at: [forl.enquiry@gmail.com](mailto:forl.enquiry@gmail.com)**  
**Website: [www.forl.info](http://www.forl.info)**



Ross-on-Wye Civic Society has an exciting and diverse programme of monthly events during 2026. From September to April, we meet at 7:30 at the Larruperz Centre on the second Wednesday of the month, and in the summer, we have visits. In February, there is a talk on the Rotherwas Canary Girls, which will be followed in May by a visit to the former factory site. Other talk subjects include the science of analysing tree rings to

date woodwork and provide information about the past (March); farming high value asparagus and wines (April); commons and public rights of way (September); and railways of Herefordshire and the South Marches (October). The Society will also be visiting the Mordiford Dragon Trail and following the Ross-on-Wye Willow Walk. See <https://rosscivic.org.uk/> for more information.



### Ross Designer

We have been so fortunate to have the amazing Isobel Sampson as our volunteer newsletter designer over the last year. Izzy has been in business in Ross for 20 years and wanted to give something back to the community, we can't thank her enough for the vision and creativity she has brought. Thank you Izzy and if you have any design and marketing needs please see her website [www.iscreative.co.uk](http://www.iscreative.co.uk)





## Severn Freewheelers Emergency Voluntary Services (EVS)

Founded in 2007, Severn Freewheelers is a charity organisation, made up entirely from VOLUNTEERS, providing a professional, efficient service to our community, at no cost to the local NHS Trusts that we support - which releases their money for patient care. More commonly known as your local Blood Bikes, we transport by motorcycle or car urgently needed items such as blood, medicines, samples and breast milk across Herefordshire, plus Worcestershire, Gloucestershire, and North Wiltshire. We are funded entirely by generous donations from the public and corporates.

**We hope you can help us make a difference today: ONE DAY YOU MAY NEED US**

If you'd like to hear more about us, volunteer for us or fundraise for us, please contact us via our website: [www.severnfreewheelers.org.uk](http://www.severnfreewheelers.org.uk) or via email: [info@severnfreewheelers.org.uk](mailto:info@severnfreewheelers.org.uk)



## Ross Lions and Ross Rotary Pancake Races Sunday 15th February 2026

Ross Lions and Ross Rotary members are combining efforts to hold traditional-style pancake races in Ross Town Centre on Sunday 15th February 2026.

Competitors can enter on the day, age categories and teams are shown on the flyers. Business and community Groups would be welcome to enter. Every entrant is awarded a certificate, every race winner is awarded a medal and Ross Town Mayor is invited to present the medals. Registration tables will be under the Market house from 11am and races will be declared open by the Mayor at 12 noon. There will be special prizes for Fancy Dress for children. **More information on Facebook: Ross Pancake Races.**





## Ross Juniors FC Community Outreach Programme

Ross Juniors Community Outreach Programme has again had another incredible year in providing football activities for those who cannot take part in mainstream grassroots sessions. They have provided an incredible 248 sessions in the 2025 calendar year and on average 140 individuals take part on a regular basis, with the oldest being 98 years old.

These sessions and activities were organised for Care Homes at West Bank Residential Home, Longhope Manor and Dulas Court, Day Centres for those with learning difficulties at The Horizon Centre and Shepard House, the Pan Disability section, Dementia Groups at Ross Meeting Centre and St Michael's and a newly formed Walking Football Group was created in April. Anyone interested in supporting any of the projects are invited to **contact Jim Loftus (07903010475) or Gareth Nutt (07583232656)**. You won't be disappointed.



## Together Time

Together Time is a new small group designed for very young children who need support with developing their language, communication and play skills. This parent/carer and child inclusive group will be based locally in the centre of Ross-on-Wye. **For more information please contact Jayne Evans: [togethertimeross@gmail.com](mailto:togethertimeross@gmail.com)**



**Free, Practical advice from a trained adviser can help people move forward.**

Please get in touch if you need advice.

## Citizens Advice Herefordshire

We continue to offer a weekly advice appointments service at the Larruperz Centre. We can offer advice on a wide range of issues including debt, benefits, housing/homelessness, consumer issues, family and health access and much more....

If you need free, confidential, impartial and independent advice, contact us directly to book an appointment: **Text 07860077311 to receive a callback from a private number, call 03448269685 or email [advice@citaherefordshire.org.uk](mailto:advice@citaherefordshire.org.uk).**

In addition to our service at the Larruperz, we are currently running a pilot, once a month advice session for clients of @TheHub in Ross-on-Wye. If you are accessing the Hub and would like an appointment, please speak to Hub staff.



## Ross Town Band



The band have enjoyed a busy December with our annual concert at the beginning of the month and then a series of sessions bringing music to the streets of Ross.

We'd like to thank everyone for their generous donations and kind comments - it's always our pleasure to bring that Christmas feeling to you all. As the band receives no funding, your donations are important and allow us bring music to the community and offer musicians the opportunity to play with either the

Main band or develop skills with our Training Band.

If you are interested in joining either band, we meet to rehearse every Friday night at the Larruperz Centre. Training Band 18.15 to 19.15 and Main Band 19.30 to 21.00.

Keep an eye on our Facebook page to find out when and where the band will be playing over the coming months, and how to **contact us:**  
**[www.facebook.com/rossonwytownband](https://www.facebook.com/rossonwytownband)**

Want to support Ross CDT by volunteering, joining or donating?  
**Visit [www.rosscdt.org.uk](http://www.rosscdt.org.uk) or call 01989 313002**

Support us!

Volunteer. Join. Donate.  
**[www.rosscdt.org.uk](http://www.rosscdt.org.uk)**

## Friends of Ross Community Hospital



The Friends have had a successful 2025!

We have purchased blue plates for dementia patients and dementia clocks, along with headphones for the TVs, posturing chairs, specialised patient chairs, round dining tables and chairs (so patients can eat together), newspapers, a fridge for the staff kitchen and Christmas stockings, with help from Morrisons.

We have installed a garden shed (thanks to the Lions) and raised beds are being installed (thanks to Walford Timber). The trolley has been reinstated with goods for patients to buy.

**Any volunteer help would be appreciated.**  
**Contact: 01594 543330**  
**[info@friendsofrosshospital.org](mailto:info@friendsofrosshospital.org)**



## New Patio Doors Help Church Groups Grow



New patio doors at the Community Church in Ross-on-Wye are helping children's and youth groups thrive. Installed with support from the Ross Rotary Group, the doors have made the building more welcoming, accessible and practical for family activities.

Over the past year, the church has seen a rise in families attending events and weekly groups. Hoglets, a stay-and-play group for babies to four-year-olds, has been running for nearly a year and continues to support parents through the early years. The improved space has also helped the church host larger events, including its annual Easter Fun Day, taking place this year on Saturday 4 April, with activities for all ages. At a challenging time for many families, the Church remains a place of support, connection and encouragement, going from strength to strength as its groups continue to grow.

## Taurus Healthcare/NHS Weekly Wellbeing Walk

Come and join our Taurus Healthcare and Ramblers Ross-on-Wye Wellbeing Walk for some local movement and chit-chat! We walk every Monday at 11:00am following an easy 2.2km walk along the River Wye, past The Hope and Anchor, before looping around a neighbouring park and heading back to our starting point.

We meet at the first layby on the right following the Wilton Bridge. The route is flat, following either netted or concrete paths, however there are some areas of uneven ground, with 8 steps starting the walk. This can be avoided where needed! The walk takes between 30-45 minutes, depending on the pace of the group. **Contact:** [alice.james@taurushealthcare.co.uk](mailto:alice.james@taurushealthcare.co.uk)



## Ross Namutumba Link Continues to Help Namutumba Farmers

Thanks to a further twinning grant from Ross Town Council, the Ross Namutumba Link Organisation has been able to continue to assist Namutumba district pig farmers construct pens on individual farms.

The pigs provide an invaluable regular money supply to the family farmers enabling them to feed, clothe, refurbish homes and send their children to school. The children are also being trained how to care for the pigs.

Meanwhile, local links with John Kyrle HS have helped build a two storey classroom extension at a local primary school.

The school continues to send books to Kisiki College, their link school and is advertising an adult group visit at Easter 2027. So, if readers would like to see what has been done to improve the lot of a very poor area in Uganda over its forty year link, please contact Mr. Nick Wardale at the school.

Visit [www.rosscdt.org.uk](http://www.rosscdt.org.uk)  
Follow us [@rosscdt](https://www.facebook.com/rosscdt)

## Ross on Wye & District Branch RBL needs you!

Since 1921, The Royal British Legion has been at the heart of a national network supporting our Armed Forces community - ensuring their unique contribution is never forgotten. At Ross on Wye & District Branch RBL, we have been at the heart of amazing events in the past 12 months: monthly Veterans' Breakfasts, Burns Night, Pancake Races, Beer & Cider Festival, day trips, picnics, suppers out, skittles, guest speakers, fish and chip supper, National Arboretum, VE Day Celebrations, Poppy Appeal, Remembrance and so much more! Everyone is welcome - you do not need to be a Veteran to



join us as a member, volunteer, or fundraiser. If you enjoy camaraderie, comradeship, kindness, fun and entertainment, have a look at what we have been doing in Ross and get in touch:

**Email: RossOnWye.Secretary@rbl.community**  
**Tel: 0800 307 7773**  
**FB: Ross on Wye & District RBL**



## Herefordshire Shared Lives - A Different Kind of Care and Support

Being a shared lives carer is more than just providing a service – it's providing a family for someone, it can make such a difference and enable people to live more independent lives and more importantly have fun!

Interested in a paid role working from home as a self-employed Shared Lives carer? You can opt to offer days, short breaks, long-term arrangements or a combination. We match assessed, approved Shared Lives carers with people who have eligible support needs. The person gets to know a Shared Lives carer and household before agreeing to spend time, stay or move in with them. They may stay at the carer's home and/or go out together to agreed places/events of mutual interest.

**Find out more: Shared Lives Scheme - Herefordshire Council. Email: [ginnie.jaques@herefordshire.gov.uk](mailto:ginnie.jaques@herefordshire.gov.uk) or call: 01432260798**

## Ross Scout Group BEAVERS

Ross Scout Group's Cubs and Scouts finished 2025 with the annual Carol Service at St Mary's Church, joined by our friends from Walford Scout Group and the Ross Rainbows, Brownies and Guides.

For 2026 we're working on restarting our Beavers section for 6-8 year olds. If you would like to join Beavers or volunteer as an adult helper then please **get in touch on 07774 667074 or [heretohelp@scoutshw.org.uk](mailto:heretohelp@scoutshw.org.uk)**

We are always looking for volunteers to help the Scout Group grow, whether that is as a regular uniformed leader, as an occasional helper or as a trustee supporting the Group behind the scenes.

Want to support us by volunteering, joining or donating?  
Visit [www.rosscdt.org.uk](http://www.rosscdt.org.uk) or call 01989 313002

# VOLUNTEER

Be part of a more connected community.



## Midlands Air Ambulance Charity

We are urgently looking for **Retail Assistant Volunteers** to join our new Ross-on-Wye shop. Our volunteers are essential to the success of our shops and help raise vital funds for Midlands Air Ambulance Charity, making missions possible across our region including Herefordshire. Join us today and be part of something truly impactful.

**Contact: Alison Hill on 07826522150, alison.hill@midlandsairambulance.com**



## Ross Community Litter Clean Up Crew

Urgently seek a new Co-ordinator. The role would suit someone who loves Ross but hates litter, is well organised and has available transport. **For an informal chat and more information please contact Anne on 07771 521639.**



## Citizens Advice Herefordshire

We're looking to recruit an early summer intake in the following roles: Adviser, Research and Campaigns and Customer Service. We would like to hear from anyone interested in these opportunities. You can find out more about our roles on [www.herefordshirecab.org.uk/get-involved-volunteer-with-us/](http://www.herefordshirecab.org.uk/get-involved-volunteer-with-us/) or contact Steph, Volunteer Operations and Training Manager on 01432 377583 about volunteering.



## Ross in Bloom Needs You!

Ross in Bloom is about bringing people together, taking pride in where we live, and helping to make Ross an even brighter, more welcoming place for residents and visitors alike.

There are many ways to take part, from planting and practical tasks to administration, organising projects and supporting events. Whether you have lots of time or just a little to spare, your contribution can make a real difference.

So, if you would like to meet new people, give something back to the town, and help make Ross look its best, we would love to hear from you: **Contact: 01989 562373 [community@rosstc-herfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:community@rosstc-herfordshire.gov.uk)**

Our next meeting is on Wednesday 4th February at 7pm at the Council Offices, Cantilupe Road, Ross-on-Wye, HR9 7AN. Come along, find out more, and see how you can get involved!

**Call our Helpline: 01989 313002 or email: [help@rosscdt.org.uk](mailto:help@rosscdt.org.uk)**



## U3A Ross

We are looking for a Treasurer and a Speaker and Publicity Secretary.

**Apply via the website**  
[ross.u3asite.uk](http://ross.u3asite.uk)



We currently run Cubs (age 8 to 10.5 years) and Scouts (age 10.5 to 14 years) and are looking for volunteers to join our team of leaders, so that we can continue to support young people in Ross, and we are working on restarting our Beavers section (age 6-8 years) in early 2026. We are also looking for volunteers to join our Trustee Board to help with governance of the Group. You don't need to have children in Scouting, have prior experience or be available every week so any time you can give to volunteering with Scouting would be very welcome. **For more information please email [heretohelp@scoutshw.org.uk](mailto:heretohelp@scoutshw.org.uk)**

The logo for Ross Pancake Races features a cartoon hedgehog holding a pancake. To the right is a photograph of the pancake race in progress on a town street. The text "Ross Pancake Races" is written in a white, sans-serif font next to the hedgehog.

**Volunteers welcome to help with Ross Pancake Races**

General stewarding or seated paperwork type roles available. Date of event Sunday 15th February 2026, from 11am to around 2pm. **Contact [suewilding@rossonwyelions.org](mailto:suewilding@rossonwyelions.org) or Facebook: Ross Pancake Races**



## Severn Freewheelers Emergency Voluntary Services (EVS)

Are you an Advanced motorcycle or car licence holder? We are always on the look out for volunteers. There are also co-ordinating roles - despatching the bikes and cars from the comfort of your own home.

If you'd like know more about volunteering for us, please contact us via our website: [www.severnfreewheelers.org.uk](http://www.severnfreewheelers.org.uk) or email: [info@severnfreewheelers.org.uk](mailto:info@severnfreewheelers.org.uk)



# What's On

## Regular Events

### St. Marys Church HR9 5HN

Every Sunday - 09:30

#### St Mary's Church Service

In person and streamed live

Every 1st Wed - 13:00

#### Lunchtime Concert

Every 1st Sat - 10:30- 12:00

#### Coffee & Sgwrs

Coffee, tea, homemade cakes and a chance to chat in Welsh!

#### Further info:

Tel: 01989 562175

[www.rossparishes.uk](http://www.rossparishes.uk)  
church notice board.

Every 3rd Sat - 9.00

#### Armed Forces & Veterans' Breakfast Club

Tea, coffee and a chat.

**Further info:** Tel: 01989 565599  
or email: [rossafvbc@gmail.com](mailto:rossafvbc@gmail.com)

Every Monday 9:30-11:00 &

Friday 11:30-13:00

#### Mental Health Wellbeing Support Group

**Further info:** Laura Pugh.  
Tel: 07802 672278

### St. Marys Church Hall HR9 5HN

1st Tuesday of the month 18:00 - 20:00

#### Ross Cancer Support Group

For anyone affected by cancer, or post-cancer treatment - just drop in for a while if you don't want to stay for the whole meeting.

**Further info:** Tel: 07501 211779  
[rossonwyecancergroup@gmail.com](mailto:rossonwyecancergroup@gmail.com)

### The Larruperz Centre HR9 7QD

Last Sat of month - 19.30

#### Ross Country Music Club

Live country music to accompany line dance or partner dance. £5 entry.

**Further info:** Anne Gray, email: [aegrayblue@hotmail.com](mailto:aegrayblue@hotmail.com)

Every Friday 9.30-12.00

#### Information & Advice

Confidential, non-judgemental service delivered by expert advisors on subjects such as welfare benefits, residential care and local services. Free of charge - appointment required.

#### Further info:

[www.ageuk.org.uk/wyvern/](http://www.ageuk.org.uk/wyvern/)  
our-services/information-advice

### Ross Baptist Church

Broad St HR9 7DY

Every Sunday - 10:30

#### Sunday Church Service

#### Further info:

[admin@rossbaptist.org](mailto:admin@rossbaptist.org)  
01989 566966 [rossbaptist.org](http://rossbaptist.org)

### Ross Cancer Support Group

#### Coffee Club

Various locations

Monthly 13.00-15.00

An informal drop in for local people affected by Cancer, free coffee at one of our local Ross on Wye partners. Reservation required

**Further info:** Paul Middleton  
[rossonwyecancergroup@gmail.com](mailto:rossonwyecancergroup@gmail.com)

### Forest & Wye Community Church

Henry Street HR9 7AA

First Wed of the month (4 Feb, 4 Mar, 1 Apr) 10:30-12:30

#### Ross Carers Group

The group provides support for unpaid carers. Our meeting gives those who are caring for family members an opportunity to speak to others who are facing similar challenges, thus reducing isolation, and improving their wellbeing.

**Further info:** Tel: 07932 831658  
or contact Ali Field:  
[alimay.field@btinternet.com](mailto:alimay.field@btinternet.com)  
or Mark Eardley:  
[mark.eardley@btinternet.com](mailto:mark.eardley@btinternet.com)

Every Thurs 10:00-12:00

#### Warm Café

All welcome for tea, coffee and a chat plus mobile charging facility.

**Further info:** Dan Hawken  
[dan@fcchurch.co.uk](mailto:dan@fcchurch.co.uk).

### Ross-on-Wye Library

Cantilupe Road HR9 7AN

Every Tuesday 10.00-12.00

#### Ross Digital Café

We can help you to use your mobile phone or computer, whilst having a cuppa and cake! Bring your phone, tablet, or laptop to the café and get individual expert help.

**Further info:**  
[www.ageuk.org.uk/wyvern/activities-and-events/upcoming-events/digital-cafes/](http://www.ageuk.org.uk/wyvern/activities-and-events/upcoming-events/digital-cafes/)

To advertise your event in the next newsletter, email details to [comms@rosscdt.org.uk](mailto:comms@rosscdt.org.uk)

## Ross Sports Centre

Wilton Road HR9 5JA

Saturdays - 10:00 - 11:00

### Ross Juniors FC PAN Disability Football Squad

Contact: Gareth Nutt:

gbnutt@gmail.com 07583 232656

### @The Hub

Corpus Christi Lane HR9 7AE

Breakfast club 8.30-1230

admin@at-the-hub.co.uk

### Friends Meeting House

Brampton Street HR9 7EQ

Every Sunday - 10:30

### Southern Marches Area

#### Quaker Meeting

#### Further info:

[www.smquakers.org.uk/  
local-meetings/ross-on-wye/](http://www.smquakers.org.uk/local-meetings/ross-on-wye/)

### RVS Tearooms - Pigs Alley

(between High St & Corn Exchange car park)

Tues & Thur 9:30 - 11:30

### RVS Tearooms

Lonely, bored or just need a cuppa & a chat? Come along!

Raffles and days out. £1 a cuppa/£5 annual membership

**Further info:** Tel: 07974 786457

### Sellack Village Hall

Every 1st Thurs - 12:00

### Sellack Good Neighbour Scheme Lunch

Two course lunch plus raffle - £8

**Further info:** Carole Ajinkya on 01989 565562 to book your place

## Tudorville & District Community Centre

Walford Ave HR9 5PZ

Every Thurs 11:30-16:00

### Ross Meeting Centre Dementia Group

Friendship, fun and activities for people with dementia and carers. Quizzes, games, armchair exercises, crafts, indoor gardening, music & singing plus a simple lunch for - **booking essential** £15 per couple.

Elaine Leney: 07506 992971  
[rossmeetingcentre@gmail.com](mailto:rossmeetingcentre@gmail.com)

Every 3rd Thurs of month  
11:30 - 15:00

### Carer drop-in clinics

A safe space for carers to come and chat to our care advisors and access information, advice and signposting.

**Further info:** Carer Links - Crossroads Together  
[www.crossroadstogether.org.uk](http://www.crossroadstogether.org.uk)

First Friday of month 14.00-15.30

### Ross Memory Café

A comfortable, social gathering allowing people experiencing memory loss and their families/carers to socialise & build support networks. Cost: £5 per couple incl. refreshments & activities - no need to prebook

**Further info:**

Elaine Leney: 07506 992971  
[rossmeetingcentre@gmail.com](mailto:rossmeetingcentre@gmail.com)

Last Friday of month 14.00-15.30

### Ross Dementia Carers Group

For anyone caring for a loved one who has dementia. We create an informal, safe space where you can share concerns without judgement, find peer support and make friendships. No need to book, just come along where a warm welcome awaits you.

#### Further info:

Elaine Leney: 07506 992971  
[rossmeetingcentre@gmail.com](mailto:rossmeetingcentre@gmail.com)

### The Venue Hill Street HR9 7AD

Every Tues, Wed, Thur 18:00-20:00

**Basement Youth Trust** Youth club open to all 11-17 year olds. Sports, fun and loads of supervised activities. Free entry.

#### Further info:

[www.facebook.com/RossBYT](http://www.facebook.com/RossBYT)

### Hereford City Centre

Last Thurs of month

### Autism West Midlands Social group

Held in Hereford City Centre, this group is for anyone over the age of 16 who identifies as autistic. Facilitated by Autism West Midlands staff and free to join.

#### Further info:

email: [herefandworcs@autismwestmidlands.org.uk](mailto:herefandworcs@autismwestmidlands.org.uk) / Book via Eventbrite: Hereford Social Group by Autism West Midlands.

**More events listed on back cover...**



# What's On

## The Royal Hotel HR9 5HZ Table 28

Every Mon & Weds 10.30

### Ross SOLO Group

For anyone living on their own, the SOLO Group welcomes you for a friendly chat and cuppa - Table 28 in the Royal. Free to join – there is always someone there to greet you. We regularly organise cinema, theatre, coach trips, garden parties, lunches, walks, games events, evening meals.

**Further Info:** 07947 065247 or email [rosssologroup@gmail.com](mailto:rosssologroup@gmail.com)

## Ross Town Council Cantilupe Road, HR9 7AN

1st & 3rd Tuesday of month  
9.30-15.30

### Herefordshire Veteran Support Centre – Ross Drop-In Hub

Whether you're a veteran, a serving member returning to civilian life or a family member seeking advice, support, guidance or simply someone to talk to, the team is here to help. No appointment needed – just come along for a warm welcome and confidential support.

**Further Info:** [community@rosstc-herefordshire.gov.uk](mailto:community@rosstc-herefordshire.gov.uk)

Ross CDT is very grateful for support from these current and recent funders:



Ross Good Neighbours is a project of Ross-on-Wye Community Development Trust, registered with the Charity Commission No. 1185655

## Women's Institute

### Upton Bishop WI

meet 2nd Tuesday of each month, 7.00-9.00pm at The Hub, St Mary's Garden Village, HR9 7WP.

**Bishopswood WI** meet 2nd Friday of each month, 4.00-6.00pm at Bishopswood Village Hall.

**Sparkling Wye WI** meet on the 2nd Wednesday of each month, 7.30-9.30pm at Ross Bowling Club.

**Peterstow WI** – meet 1st Wednesday of each month, 2-4pm at Bridstow Village Hall.

**Further Info on all WI meetings listed:** 07947 065247

## St. Marys Church Hall HR9 5HN

Saturday 28 February, 10am-2.30pm

### Come and Sing - West Side Story

Hosted by Ross Penyard Singers in St Marys Church Hall (opposite the church) Tickets £10, includes music. For more information and to purchase tickets, please see [rosspenyardsingers.org.uk](http://rosspenyardsingers.org.uk)

Singers of all abilities welcome, including those new to singing.



## Community Church

Henry Street, HR9 7AA

Saturday 4 April 2026 - 10am-2pm  
**FREE Easter Family Fun day!**

Hop on over for a day packed with egg-citing activities for the whole family! Drop in anytime to get crafty, crack a puzzle and enjoy some refreshments.

## The Larruperz Centre HR9 7QD

Monday 16th February 14.30  
U3A Talk by Dr Javan Hashemi: **An Image of Afghanistan**

Monday 16th March 14.30  
U3A Talk by Alan Hill: **Talking the Train - railway travel in Victorian times**

Monday 20th April 14.30  
U3A Talk by Ash Jones: **Dracula - the man behind the myth**

The above U3A events are free to members. Non-members very welcome. A small charge on the door.



**Call our helpline  
01989 313002**



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help@rosscdt.org.uk

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www.rosscdt.org.uk**