

CASTLEMILK PARK



WINTER 2015 EVENTS CALENDAR



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XX COMMONWEALTH GAMES
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Welcome



This winter we have lots of FREE events and activities taking place in the woods of Castlemilk Park. You can discover snowdrifts of snowdrops, walk off the excess of Christmas or help spring clean the park.

From this year we will be publishing an annual events calendar that runs from April to March. Look out for your copy from late March.



Walk off your Christmas Spirit

Saturday 3rd January 11.30am - 3.00pm

Walk off the excesses of the festive period with a refreshing walk around the woods of Castlemilk Park and the surrounding countryside. Please wear suitable footwear, dress for the weather and bring a snack.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Community Centre,
121 Castlemilk Drive, Castlemilk, G45 9UG.



Winter Tree Identification

Sunday 25th January 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Do you struggle to tell your Ash from your Elm? Come along to our winter tree identification event in the woods of Castlemilk Park.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Stables,
59 Machrie Road, Castlemilk, G45 0AZ.



All about Owls

Tuesday 10th February 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Owl Magic will be back with a different selection of owls. You will get a chance to see these birds close up and learn more about these beautiful creatures. With arts and crafts and a self-led trail something for everyone to enjoy.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Stables,
59 Machrie Road, Castlemilk, G45 0AZ.



Big Spring Clean

Saturday 28th March 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Get involved, grab some gloves and help to spring clean your local park with your local community. All litter picking equipment will be provided.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Community Centre,
121 Castlemilk Drive, Castlemilk, G45 9UG.



Snowdrop Strolls

Sunday 15th February 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Saturday 21st February 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Saturday 28th February 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Join us as we stroll through the woods of Castlemilk Park; along the way we will seek out the park's wildlife and discover snowdrifts of snowdrops on this guided walk.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Stables,
59 Machrie Road, Castlemilk, G45 0AZ

Volunteer group (Fortnightly on Thursday's)

Thursday 15th January 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Thursday 29th January 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Thursday 12th February 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Thursday 26th February 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Thursday 12th March 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Thursday 26th March 1.00pm – 3.00pm

This is your opportunity to do some practical work in Castlemilk Park, learn new skills and meet other people. Activities range from woodland management to wildlife surveys or park clean ups. Dress for the weather. All tools and equipment provided.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Stables,
59 Machrie Road, Castlemilk, G45 0AZ.

How old are Yew? (Bi-monthly Local history group)

Friday 16th January 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Friday 20th March 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Interested in the history of Castlemilk? If so, why not join Castlemilk Park's local history group with talks, guest speakers, trips and our latest discoveries to share.

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Photo walking club (Second Monday of each month)

Monday 12th January 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Monday 9th February 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Monday 9th March 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Photo walking is the act of walking with a camera for the purpose of taking photos of things that you find interesting along the way. Each month we will have a short 30 minute indoor session looking at how to get the most out of your photography before setting off on our photo walk in the woods of Castlemilk Park.

Meet: Castlemilk Stables, 59 Machrie Road, Castlemilk, G45 0AZ.

Cup of tea in the park (Second Friday of each month)

Friday 9th January 11.00am – 1.00pm

Friday 13th February 11.00am – 1.00pm

Friday 13th March 11.00am – 1.00pm

A woodland walk with a warm cuppa in the woods! Why not join us as we explore the woodlands of Castlemilk Park and use bush craft to brew up under the trees. Dress for the weather.

Meet: Outside Castlemilk Community Centre, 121 Castlemilk Drive, Castlemilk, G45 9UG.



Contact Details

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