



# HYLANDS

— ESTATE —

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

— MAY TO DECEMBER 2018 —





## HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAYS (HH)

FREE  
EVENT

**10am – 4pm (last admission 3pm)**

Hylands House opens its doors free of charge to reveal the secrets of its history. Each month the Friends of Hylands House will have a different exhibition displayed in the library. In addition, Hylands Farmers' & Crafts Market and the artist studios are open for you to browse and purchase unique gifts.

**For further information please visit:**

**[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events).**

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### HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY EXHIBITIONS

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| 3 June | 'World War II at Hylands Estate'                                 |
| 1 July | 'The Hanbury Year at Hylands Estate'                             |
| 5 Aug  | 'World War I on the Estate'                                      |
| 2 Sept | 'Twenty Years at Hylands Estate – From 1966-1986'                |
| 7 Oct  | 'Hylands Families'   |
| 4 Nov  | 'World War I – The Military Hospital'                            |
| 16 Dec | 'Sales of Hylands Estate through the years & Hylands properties' |

## FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKETS

FREE  
EVENT

**First Sunday of the month March to November and  
Christmas Market Sunday 16 December, 10am – 4pm.**

Set in the beautiful surroundings of The Stables, our Farmers' and Crafts Markets feature a wide array of artisan creators and local merchants specialising in locally sourced produce. With stalls selling a wide selection of goods ranging from hand crafted gifts and seasonal plants to freshly baked treats and local fruit and vegetables, there's always something for the whole family to enjoy.

**For further information please visit:**

**[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**

### KEY:

(HH) Hylands House

(GP) Grand Pavilion

(HP) Hylands Park

(Stables) The Stables

(BL) Back Lawn

## MAY

### 18 19 20 THE NATIONAL FLOWER SHOW (HH/BL/GP) 10am – 5pm daily

Prepare to be amazed as you walk through Hylands House which will be filled with beautiful entries from the 2018 Royal Wedding Bells, staged by the multi award winning designer and celebrity florist, Mig Kimpton. Enjoy beautiful flower displays, amazing show gardens, and attend gardening talks held by the regions experts. Discover a world of shopping, from plants and flowers to food and crafts. Plus, we are delighted to welcome Alan Titchmarsh to open the 2018 National Flower Show!

**Advance tickets: Adults £12, Concessions £11, Accompanied Children £2.**  
**For further information and tickets please visit: [www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**



### 27 28 ALL ABOUT DOGS SHOW (HP) 9.30am – 5pm daily

The UK's largest outdoor event dedicated to dogs and all things canine returns to Hylands Park. All About Dogs Show features arena displays, have-a-go attractions and fun competitions. Plus, plenty of dog related products and a crafts and gifts marquee. .

**Adults £12, Concessions £11.50 (pre-booking price), Children 5 – 16yrs £3 (pre-booking price).** For further information and tickets please visit: [www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)

## JUNE

### 3 FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (STABLES) HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH)

10am – 4pm (see panel)

### 26 27 28 THE 3FOOT PEOPLE FESTIVAL (HP)

The UK's largest outdoor festival exclusively for pre-school children! This sell-out, award-winning event welcomes over 14,000 big (and little) people for an array of playful activities and amusements ready to inspire and entertain across three days, within the beautiful grounds of the Hylands Estate. Children, parents and carers alike will be overwhelmed with wonder as they experience this unique festival.

**For further information and tickets please visit:**  
[www.chelmsford.gov.uk/3foot](http://www.chelmsford.gov.uk/3foot)



## JUNE (CONTINUED)

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### THE FLING FESTIVAL (HP)

12noon – 11pm

Our annual Fling Festival is Essex's top event exclusively for adults. With music, cabaret, theatre, comedy, immersive crafts and so much more, this year's festival promises to be bigger and bolder than ever before.

**For further information and tickets please visit:**

**[www.flingfestival.com](http://www.flingfestival.com)**

## JULY

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### FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (STABLES) HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH)

10am – 4pm (see panel)

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### RACE FOR LIFE & PRETTY MUDDY (HP)

**Race for life 5k or 10k at 11am, Pretty Muddy Kids at 10am, Pretty Muddy 5k at 11:45am in Hylands Park.**

We welcome back Cancer Research UK's Race for Life and Pretty Muddy! Please be aware that on the day the entrances, car parks and surrounding roads will be very busy; please allow extra time for your journey.

**For further information please visit: [www.raceforlife.org](http://www.raceforlife.org)**

## AUGUST

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### FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (STABLES) HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH)

10am – 4pm (see panel)

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### INFLATABLES IN THE PARK (BL)

**Two sessions daily: 11am – 1.30pm & 2pm – 4.30pm**

Jump into summer with our inflatable extravaganza in the grounds of Hylands House! Let your little ones bounce, hop and jump their way through the many different attractions set up by Island Inflatables. Make it a day out for the whole family with a relaxing picnic in our expansive parkland.

**£6 per session, £10 for both sessions (12yrs and under), Under 3yrs £3.50. Tickets only sold on day of event. For further information please visit: [www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**



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### OPEN HOUSE AND WORLD WAR ONE EXHIBITION (HH)

10am – 4pm (last admission 3pm)

Hylands House opens its doors to display its extensive World War One Exhibition. Immerse yourself in the tales of the men who worked on Hylands estate and went to war. Our experienced staff will be on hand to answer your questions.



## AUGUST (CONTINUED)

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### HYLANDS ESTATE WEDDING PREVIEW DAY (HH/GP)

10am – 4pm (last admission 3pm)

Hylands Estate proudly welcomes couples looking for a venue to host their special day. View Hylands House and The Grand Pavilion beautifully dressed for a wedding at your own leisure or be shown around by a member of our dedicated wedding team. Hylands' range of celebration spaces presents the perfect setting for intimate weddings or lavish receptions. Meet some local suppliers who regularly provide services at Hylands including florists, caterers and entertainers. We look forward to welcoming you to Hylands Estate. Register to revive your own goodie bag on arrival.

**Free Entry. For further information and to register please visit:**  
[www.hylandsestateweddings.co.uk](http://www.hylandsestateweddings.co.uk)

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### PETER PAN (BL)

2pm – 4pm (Doors open at 1pm)

SOLD  
OUT!



Soar away to Neverland and enjoy the most magical musical to date, PETER PAN. This year's family theatre will be located on the back lawn of Hylands House. Filled with catchy music, heaps of audience interaction, a laugh-a-minute script, and the opportunity to meet the characters after the show, this hilarious and exciting musical of the boy who never grew up promises to have every member of the family entertained throughout...You'll be HOOKED! Bring a chair or blanket and enjoy this outdoor Summer treat in beautiful surroundings.

**Refreshments are available to purchase. Adults £10, Children £8.**

**For further information and tickets please visit:**  
[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events/peter-pan](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events/peter-pan)

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### THE TEMPEST (BL)

7pm – 9pm (Doors open at 6pm)

Join us on the Back Lawn of Hylands House for Shakespeare's spellbinding masterpiece The Tempest – a play of soaring poetry, high comedy and tender love. Be sure to catch The Lord Chamberlain's Men perform Shakespeare as it would have been; all male, in open and in full Elizabethan costume with traditional music and dance. Bring a blanket or chair and make yourself comfortable in the beautiful surroundings.

**Refreshments and full bar available. Advance tickets: Adults £15, Children £8. All tickets on the door if available £17.**

**For further information and tickets please visit:**  
[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/thetempest](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/thetempest)



## SEPTEMBER

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### FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (STABLES) HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH)

10am – 4pm (see panel)

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### NATIONAL HERITAGE OPEN DAYS (HH)

10am – 4pm (last admission 3pm)

Hylands opens its doors free of charge to reveal the secrets of its history, exclusively for Heritage Open Days 2018. Enjoy free guided tours of the House led by our knowledgeable team or walk around at your leisure. Then visit the Twenty Years at Hylands from 1966 to 1986 exhibition to find out about the estates eventful past.

**For further information please visit:**

**[www.heritageopendays.org.uk](http://www.heritageopendays.org.uk)**

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### ESSEX SUMMER OF ART FESTIVAL: OPEN STUDIOS AND GIVE IT A GO (Stables)

10am – 4pm

During Open Studio you can watch new works being created, talk to the makers, participate in 'Give it a Go' activities and learn from the artists! This is also an opportunity to purchase original or commission artworks directly from the artists, makers and designers.

**For further information please**

**visit: [www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**



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### THE NATIONAL COUNTRY SHOW LIVE (HP) 10am – 5pm daily

The annual 2-day National Country Show Live is Chelmsford's largest family event, held on the event fields of Hylands Estate. The show features a vast selection of entertainment, shopping and displays for all the family to enjoy – we even have fun and games for your dog. So, get ready for an action and animal packed weekend! Plus this year come and meet Ben Fogle at the show.

**Adults £9, Concessions £8, Accompanied under 16yrs free, (pre-booking prices). For further information and tickets please visit: [www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**





## OCTOBER

### 7 FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (STABLES) HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH)

10am – 4pm (see panel)

## NOVEMBER

### 4 FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (STABLES) HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH)

10am – 4pm (see panel)

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### 24 25 THE GUILD OF ESSEX CRAFTSMEN (HH) 10am – 4.30pm (last entry 4pm)

With over 40 craft stalls offering shoppers an amazing choice of unique, beautifully designed and handcrafted gifts, The Guild of Essex Craftsmen show is the perfect opportunity to purchase your Christmas gifts. Supporting genuine handmade local arts and crafts, the voluntary non-profit making Guild selects its members for the outstanding quality and originality of their work. With a wide range of quality goods and craft demonstrations taking place on both days, don't miss this wonderful festive event.

**Adults £3 (pre-booking price),  
Concessions £2.50 (pre-booking price),  
Accompanied under 16yrs free.**

**For further information please visit:  
[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**



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### 30 FROST FAIR (HH & GP) 10am – 5pm

Visit our wonderful new Christmas fair, full of festive cheer! Over 120 exhibitors featuring crafts and gifts, fine foods directly from suppliers, Father Christmas, local entertainers and festive food stalls! An excellent way to get Christmas started.

**Adults £6, Concessions £5. Accompanied under 16yrs free.  
Tickets on sale from 1st July. For further information and to  
book please visit: [www.battenburgevents.co.uk/page/frost-fairs](http://www.battenburgevents.co.uk/page/frost-fairs)**

## DECEMBER

### 1 2 FROST FAIR (HH & GP)

10am – 5pm (as above)



## DECEMBER (CONTINUED)

### 11 12 13 HYLANDS HOUSE CHRISTMAS SOIRÉE (HH) 7.45pm

The Cameo Players bring their unique blend of music, drama and joviality to Hylands House with their new Christmas Show. The Victorians certainly knew how to enjoy the festivities – and who could be a more genial host than Mr. Pickwick himself? Join him and a few of his travelling companions for a Pickwickian Christmas with all the features of a Cameo Christmas evening.

**Please note this show is suitable for adults only. Adults £16, Concessions £15. Tickets on the door £18 (where available).**

**For further information and to book please visit:**

**[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**

### 15 CHRISTMAS PARTIES (GP) 7pm – midnight

Join Pink Vanilla Events and Limeberry catering in Hylands Grand Pavilion to celebrate Christmas 2018. Christmas packages from £60 per person, includes 3 course set menu and wine, festive entertainment and much more. Perfect for your office party!

**For further information and to book please contact;**

**07535 971292 or**

**[hello@pinkvanillaevents.com](mailto:hello@pinkvanillaevents.com)**



### 16 CHRISTMAS FARMERS' AND CRAFTS MARKET (THE STABLES) 10am – 4pm

Set in the beautiful surroundings of The Stables, our annual Christmas Farmers' & Crafts Market will feature a magnificent range of artisan stalls and local producers offering the finest range of wares. Our Artist Studios will also be open and full of handmade Christmas goodies to buy. Father Christmas may even be popping by to spread some extra Christmas joy and magic!

**For further details please visit:**

**[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)**



### 16 HYLANDS HOUSE OPEN DAY (HH) 10am – 4pm (see panel)

### 27 28 RAPUNZEL (GP) 11.30am and 4pm

The Panto Bus returns to Hylands this year with their take on the classic fairy-tale, Rapunzel! Full of fun and exuberant zany hijinks, let down your hair this Christmas and join us in our stunning Grand Pavilion for a real panto treat.

**Adults £8, Concessions £7. For more details and to book please visit: [www.chelmsford.gov.uk/hylands](http://www.chelmsford.gov.uk/hylands)**





# TUESDAY TODDLES (HH)

Tuesday Toddles are run every other week throughout the year from 10am – 11.30am.

Our fortnightly Toddles are a fantastic opportunity for parents with pre-school children to enjoy a guided walk in the Hylands Park and Gardens, followed by fun-filled crafts in the Hylands House workshop. This is a great opportunity to enjoy our stunning Estate and mix with other parents with children of a similar age in a friendly setting.

Due to its popularity, pre-booking is essential. £4 per child. For further information and to book please visit:  
[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/events)



MAY 29

JUNE 12

JULY 24

SEPT 4&18

OCT 2, 16&30

NOV 13&27

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School Holidays  
Scrapbook

# SAFARI

Guided exploration of Hylands Park followed by craft activities

Perfect for primary school kids



Wednesday

30th May,  
25th July,  
29th August,  
24th October.

Booking essential; £5 per child



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## THE STABLES

The Stables, at the heart of the Estate, offers a welcoming café, eclectic gift shop, Hylands Artist Studios and a second-hand book shop. It is the perfect place to enjoy with friends and family.

## HYLANDS ARTIST STUDIOS

The Artists' Studios are located in The Stables on the ground floor and first floor. Visitors can meet our resident artists and view their work as they create unique bespoke pieces in their studios. The resident artists at Hylands Estate are a diverse collection of skilled designers and makers who not only create their own original work for purchase but also run demonstrations, workshops and exhibitions.

**For further information please visit: [www.hylandsartists.co.uk](http://www.hylandsartists.co.uk)**



## THE STABLES CAFÉ

The Stables Café is operated by Churchill Catering. It offers a fantastic range of food for all the family and Lavazza coffee. The café also has a special and unique area where dogs and their owners are welcome and a wide range of food and home-made cakes to take away.

**OPENING TIMES: Garden Café 9am – 4pm daily**  
**Stables Café 10am – 4pm daily**

## GIFT SHOP

Visit our Gift Shop which is brimming with products including china, candles, children's toys, garden and home wares. The Gift Shop operates as the main tourist information point for the Estate where you can pick up the Hylands Walks and Events leaflets. Don't forget to purchase your duck food before heading to the Pleasure Gardens.

**OPENING TIMES: 10am – 4pm Contact: 01245 605523**

## BOOK SHOP

The second-hand bookshop is managed entirely by volunteers of the Friends of Hylands House. The Bookshop carries a good stock of second-hand books covering many subjects. The Friends rely on donations of all types of books which may be delivered and left at the Bookshop.

**OPENING TIMES: 10am – 4pm**

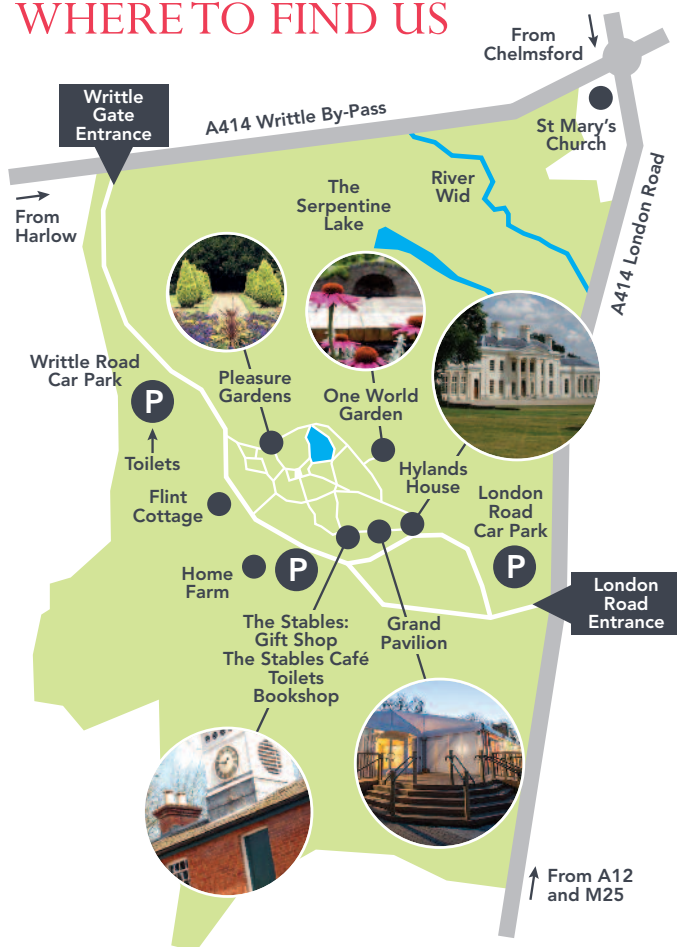
**Contact: 01245 605509**

**[www.friendsofhylandshouse.com](http://www.friendsofhylandshouse.com)**



For further information on The Stables please visit:  
[www.hylandsestate.co.uk/explore/the-stables](http://www.hylandsestate.co.uk/explore/the-stables)

## WHERE TO FIND US



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Essex**



## THE NATIONAL FLOWER SHOW

HYLANDS HOUSE

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**18-20 May 2018**

Hylands House & Estate  
Chelmsford

**Alan  
Titchmarsh  
opening show  
on Friday  
18th May**

BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW ONLINE

[WWW.NATIONALFLOWERSHOW.CO.UK](http://WWW.NATIONALFLOWERSHOW.CO.UK)



## THE STABLES CAFÉ AND OUTDOOR KIOSK

*We offer fresh and locally sourced food choices  
in our recently refurbished café*

### Opening times:

Winter 9am (Kiosk), 10am (Café) - 4pm, Summer 9am - 5pm

### Our menu includes:

- Daily Specials •
- Freshly prepared Sandwiches, Baguettes and Wraps •
- Hot and Cold Snacks • Freshly Baked Cakes •



Telephone 01245 357770

The Stables Café, London Rd, Writtle, Chelmsford CM2 8WQ



# All About Dogs

**Essex's BIGGEST  
Dog Event**

**Hylands Park  
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YOUR  
DOG**

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Hylands Park Chelmsford**

**Come and meet  
BEN FOGLE at the show**



[www.nationalcountryshow.co.uk](http://www.nationalcountryshow.co.uk)

## HYLANDS HOUSE AND ESTATE

Hylands House is a beautiful Grade II\* listed villa set in 574 acres of historic landscaped parkland. With its stunning white Georgian façade, Hylands offers a spectacular venue for events, weddings, corporate & private hires.



## HEAVY HORSE EXPERIENCE DAYS

Hylands Heavy Horse Experience days run at Hylands Park. These include a Carriage Driving Day and a Horse Logging Day. Come and spend time with our horses and learn about these traditional skills.



**For more information, dates and prices visit our website [www.hawthornheavyhorses.co.uk](http://www.hawthornheavyhorses.co.uk)**

## CONTACT US

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