

— PREMIUM SEAFOOD —



◆ POOLE ◆  ◆ QUAY ◆

— LIVE MUSIC —

13th & 14th September

LOCAL FISH, PRODUCE & ARTISAN MARKET

LOWER HIGH STREET & POOLE QUAY

FROM 11AM





Welcome back to the 3rd year of our community event Seafood & Sounds.

This year, we've introduced exciting enhancements to elevate the experience... seafood sellers on The Quay: Delight in a variety of fresh seafood from local vendors.

Artisan Market – Our Artisan Market shines in it's new home at the beautifully renovated Scaplen's Court at Poole Museum.

Children's Entertainment – Bring the family to The Quay adjacent to the amusements for joyous activities on Saturday from 11:30am to 4pm and Sunday from 11am to 4pm.

Join us in celebrating as we kickstart the event with a parade on Saturday at 11am, starting at the Slug & Lettuce, winding through the Old Town and down to The Quay, featuring the Mayor and Jamie Jigsaw. We encourage everyone to get involved, dressing up in seafood themed outfits and masks or decorative fish on sticks.

Music filling the air across the Old Town and The Quay throughout the weekend, with an additional music stage at St James' Church.

A grand raffle with fantastic prizes!

Tickets are available at Scaplen's Court at Poole Museum. 20% of the proceeds will support the event charity, Forest Holme, while the remaining funds will help shape Seafood & Sounds 2026.

A heartfelt thank you to all our sponsors, supporters, volunteers, and the local community. Your unwavering commitment makes this extraordinary event possible. Wishing you all a truly inspiring weekend!

Jeanette x

Seafood & Sounds is organised by five local businesses...

Jeanette – Truly Scrumptious

Helen – Coastal Cruises

Nikki – The Custom House

Michelle – Poole Arms

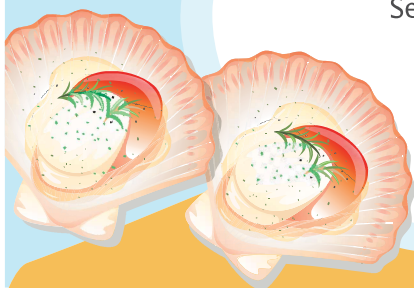
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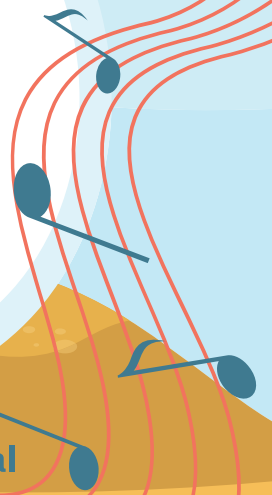
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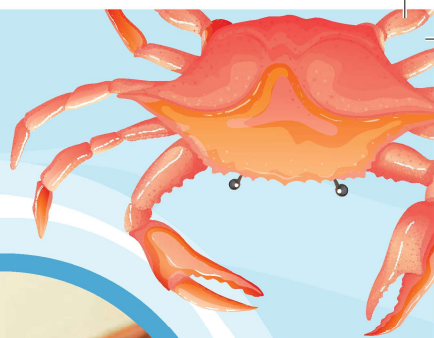


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Parade / Oyster Tail / Kid's Entertainment

The Seafood & Sounds festival will be launched with a **colourful parade** at 11am on Saturday 13th September departing from the Slug & Lettuce (Poole's Old Town).
Led by the fun and fab children's entertainer Jamie Jigsaw.

Followed by the Mayor Of Poole, carnival band Samba Panashe, mermaids from Forest Holme & volunteers from RNLI, children and parents from St James' Church, local Scouts, the brilliant Pirates of Poole plus Be Enchanted. It is going to be spectacular!

Everyone is encouraged to join in with the seafood theme of fancy-dress fun and/or make fishes on sticks & masks. There will be prizes for the best outfits (under 7s, over 7s plus adults) along with the best decorated fish on a stick and the best seafood themed mask. The parade is kindly sponsored by Oriel Restaurant. Join the characters from Be Enchanted for a meet & greet on The Quay following the parade.

Follow the Oyster Trail... collect a free Oyster Trail form available over the weekend from Scaplen's Court at Poole Museum, Truly Scrumptious Sweet Shop or from our volunteers. Find the oysters hanging in the windows, write down the letters and make a phrase. Along the Oyster Trail route you can discover Thames Street, Church Street which leads into Market Street.

Stop at Hotel Du Vin to enjoy a free shell decorating experience in their hidden garden/terrace whilst the adults can enjoy a glass of wine. You can also take part in the popular biscuit decorating activity at the front of the hotel. More free family activities at St James' Church, head there for creative crafts and they will be serving refreshments all day. Outside there will be music and storytelling (see programme for times).

This Oyster Trail is kindly sponsored by the Hotel Du Vin.

Have fun and good luck!

Free Children's Entertainment... Jamie Jigsaw will be on The Quay adjacent to the amusements on Saturday 11.30am until 4pm and Sunday 11am until 4pm.

If wet weather you will find the children's entertainment inside The Quay Pub.

We also have a children's carousel, trampolines and children's games.

Join the characters from Be Enchanted for a meet & greet on The Quay following the parade.

If you miss the characters on Saturday, join them outside Scaplen's Court for a meet & greet on Sunday 12pm-1pm.

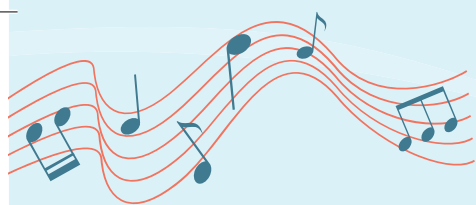


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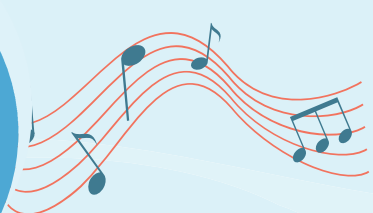


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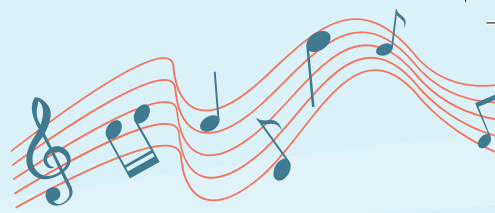


TIME	LOCATION	ARTIST	GENRE
11.30am til 12.15pm	Custom House	State of Undress (trio)	Folk
	Sea Music Sculpture	Steve Faulkner	Folk
	Poole Arms	Frayed Strings	Folk
12pm	The Fish Shambles	Resonate	Pop Choir
12pm til 1.45pm	St James' Church	Purbeck Storm	Sea Shanty
12.30pm til 1.15pm	Kingland Crescent	Lee Rasdall-Dove	Indie/Folk
	Poole Museum	Frayed Strings	Folk
	Custom House	Gary Roberts	Acoustic Rock
	Poole Arms	Steve Faulkner	Folk
	The Fish Shambles	Nory-J	Pop/Indie
1pm till 2pm	Hotel du Vin	TuneBox	Soft Pop
1.30pm til 2.15pm	Custom House	Nory-J	Pop/Indie
	Sea Music Sculpture	Helena Mace	Country/Pop
	Poole Arms	Susie Kimber	Motown/Pop
	The Fish Shambles	State of Undress (trio)	Folk
2pm	St James' Church	Purbeck Storm	Sea Shanty
2pm - 4pm	Nusara	Danny Hall	Acoustic Pop
2.30pm til 3.15pm	Poole Museum	EJ-Replay	Pop
	Custom House	Helena Mace	Country/Pop
	Poole Arms	Spin Out UK	Rock
	The Fish Shambles	David Mein	Pop
2.30pm til 3.20pm	St James' Church	The Ska Contingent	Ska/reggae choir
3.30pm til 4.15pm	Custom House	Susie Kimber	Motown/Pop
	Sea Music Sculpture	EJ-Replay	Pop
	Poole Arms	Spin Out UK	Rock
	The Fish Shambles	David Mein	Acoustic Rock 'n' Roll
3.15pm until 5pm	Hotel du Vin	Lee Rasdall-Dove	Indie/Folk
4pm-6pm	The Courtyard	Carley Varley	Pop/Rock
4.30pm	Poole Arms	John Springett	Party
4.30pm-6.30pm	Custom House	Martin Warman Trio	Blues/Jazz
7pm - 9pm	Nusara	The Soap Box Junkies	
7pm	The Harry Paye	Mojo: Stone Cold Players	Rock/Pop
7.30pm-9.30pm	Custom House	Kaboodle	Blues/Rock R n B
8pm	Lord Nelson	Circus of Thieves	Pop Punk/Alternative Rock
9.30pm	The King Charles	Riffstorm	Rock
9.30pm	The Swan Inn	D J Mark	DJ





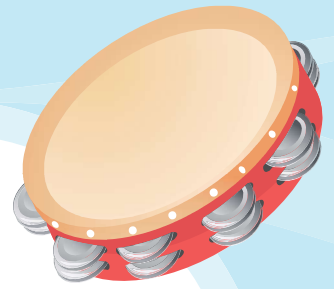
Live Music Sunday



TIME	LOCATION	ARTIST	GENRE
11am til 11.45am	Poole Museum	Sara Harris	Party Classics
	Custom House	Millie Watson	Folk
	Poole Arms	State of Undress (trio)	Folk
	The Fish Shambles	Steve Faulkner	Folk
12pm til 12.45pm	Custom House	Steve Faulkner	Folk
	Sea Music Sculpture	Si Genaro	Folk
	Poole Arms	Sara Harris	Party Classics
	The Fish Shambles	State of Undress (trio)	Folk
12pm til 1.45pm	Kingland Crescent	The Rev	Ska/Reggae
1pm	St James' Church	Plain Craic-ers	Folk/Sea Shanty
1pm-1.45pm	Poole Museum	Relight My Choir	Pop Choir
	Custom House	Si Genaro	Folk
	Poole Arms	Rachel More	Pop/Soul
	The Fish Shambles	Millie Watson	Folk
2pm til 2.45pm	Custom House	Roxanne Phillips	Folk
	Sea Music Sculpture	Gem Rose	Party/singalong
	Poole Arms	The Rev	Ska/Reggae
	The Fish Shambles	Simon Lane	Rock 'n' Roll/Swing
2pm-4pm	Hotel du Vin	Phil Dewhurst	Acoustic Folk/Pop
3pm	St James' Church	Plain Craic-ers	Folk/Sea Shanty
3pm	The Cockleshell	John Springett	Party
3pm til 3.45pm	Poole Museum	Rachel More	Pop/Soul
	Poole Arms	The Rev	Ska/Reggae
	The Fish Shambles	Simon Lane	Rock 'n' Roll/Swing
4.30pm-6.30pm	Portsmouth Hoy	Kitty Stewart	Folk Infused Comedy pop
5pm	Lord Nelson	Peter Burns	Rock
5.30pm-7.30pm	Custom House	Ed Fox	Country, Rock N Roll & Reggae
5pm-8pm	The Swan	Total Madness	Ska

If wet weather, the street music will move inside...
Outside Poole Museum and on the Sea Music Sculpture – Kings Head.
Outside Custom House – inside.
Outside Poole Arms – inside.
Under The Fish Shambles – Lord Nelson.
St James' Church – inside.





Scaplen's Community Players

Scaplen's Community Players is a local, historical theatre group that focuses on storytelling, drama and music.

Meet the cast as they celebrate history.

Saturday 13th September

From 1pm–2pm story telling at St James' Church

Robert's Story

My first voyage to Newfoundland 1621

Jane's Story

My life in Poole 1632

Blood and Tears – 1462

A Child's Eye View of the Beating of the Bounds.

Outside The Antelope

Street Theatre: presented by Scaplen's Travelling Players

The Lovers and the Thief

11.30am & 1.30pm

Sunday 14th September

From 2pm–3pm story telling at St James' Church

Robert's Story

My first voyage to Newfoundland 1621

Jane's Story

My life in Poole 1632

Blood and Tears – 1462

A Child's Eye View of the Beating of the Bounds.

Outside The Antelope

12pm & 2pm

Street Theatre: presented by Scaplen's Travelling Players

The Lovers and the Thief

(If wet weather, you can find them at St James' Church).

www.scaplenscommunityplayers.com



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St James' Church programme...

Friday 12th September 7.30pm

Acoustic Connections will be performing, tickets £10; available online, in the office, on the door, nibbles provided and licensed bar.

www.stjameschurchpoole.weebly.com

Saturday 13th September 11am until 4pm

Outside Activities

- 12pm ~ Purbeck Storm
- 1pm ~ Scaplen's Court Theatrical Story Telling
- 2pm ~ Purbeck Storm
- 2.30pm ~ The Ska Contingent.

Inside Activities

Refreshments all day.
Creative crafts for all ages.

Sunday 14th September 10.30am until 4pm

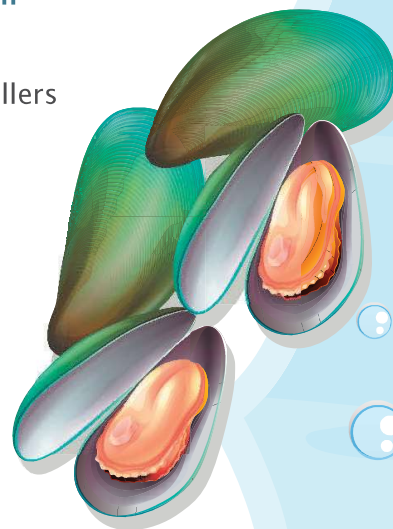
Outside Activities

- 1pm ~ Plaine Crac-iers
- 2pm ~ Scaplen's Court Theatrical Story Tellers
- 3pm ~ Purbeck Storm.

Inside Activities

10.30am ~ Church Service followed by Tea, Coffee and Biscuits
Refreshments all day
Creative crafts for all ages.

Thank you to Deborah and the team.



Visit the Poole Coastguard Rescue Team throughout weekend. Lookout for their vehicle on The Quay (providing they don't get called out!)



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Where to find the best seafood...

Why not start your day with a delicious breakfast at The Fisherman's Café, they will be also serving fresh prawn cocktails throughout the weekend. Grab your's stocks last.



Brewhouse & Kitchen, Dear Hay Lane

Champs, Old Town

Custom House, The Quay

Da Vinci's, The Quay

The Fisherman's Café, Old Town

Guildhall Tavern, Old Town

Harbour View, The Quay

Hinar Kitchen, Old Town

Hotel du Vin, Old Town

Italian Diva, Old Town

The Jolly Sailor, The Quay

La Lupa, The Quay

La Mia's, The Quay

Pi, The Quay

Poole Arms, The Quay

Mungo's Corner, Old Town

Nusara, Old Town

Oriel Restaurant, The Quay

Pickled Berry, Old Town

Rosso's Italiano, The Quay

Sage, Old Town

Slug & Lettuce, Old Town

St TrOpez Lounge, The Quay

The Angel, Old Town

The Harry Paye, High Street

The King Charles, Old Town

The Kings Head, Old Town

The Lord Nelson, The Quay

The Old Town Salt Pig, Scaplen's Court

The Portsmouth Hoy, The Quay

The Rope & Anchor, Old Town



*There will be
an Oyster Bar
outside St TrOpez
Club, come
along and enjoy
fresh Oysters &
Champagne.*

Don't Miss!

One of the highlights of the weekend is the Seafood Afternoon Tea

Harbour Cruise with Coastal Cruises departing from The Quay.

This relaxing cruise offers a unique chance to enjoy locally sourced seafood delights while taking in the stunning views of Brownsea Island, Sandbanks, and the surrounding coastline. Sip on fizz, indulge in seafood delicacies, and let the live commentary on board set the perfect tone for a leisurely afternoon on the water. Please book to avoid disappointment.

Also pay a visit to Dorset Gifts Poole Quay and Poole Museum, as they have a wonderful range of nautical goodies. Outside Truly Scrumptious, Old Town find some edible shelled filled treats on sale by Lizzie.



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That's why Dorset Chamber is proud to support Seafood & Sounds Festival – a brilliant celebration of local food, live music, and community spirit.

This event brings people together, boosts local trade, and shines a light on the fantastic businesses that make our coastal towns special. Events like this help them grow, connect, and thrive.

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The Guildhall Tavern has been serving the local community for over twenty years with locally sourced fresh seafood and grills in our elegant dining room.

As a privately owned venue we pride ourselves on meeting the most discerning needs of our valued guests and ensure they have a memorable experience when they dine with us. In addition to our main restaurant, we have a nautically themed cocktail lounge serving a range of canapes with fine wines, exquisite cocktails, premium spirits and craft beers to diners and non-diners.



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Don't Miss The Grand Raffle

We are holding a grand raffle before and during the weekend with fantastic prizes.

You could win...

Wine tasting for 4 people and dinner Hotel Du Vin

£50 voucher for The Custom House

£50 voucher for Poole Arms

£50 voucher for St TrOpez Club

£50 voucher for Rockfish

Family of 4 Jurassic Cruise

2 course lunch for 2 from Prix fixe menu for The Guildhall Tavern

Overnight bed & breakfast at The Merchant House

Afternoon Tea – Pickled Berry

Tickets to a show at Poole Lighthouse

A silver Sarah Storm bracelet & vase

Bottle of wine for two from Flavours of Asia.

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Just £1 each or a book of tickets for £5.

Tickets can be purchased during and before the festival weekend from our 5 businesses...St TrOpez Lounge, Coastal Cruises kiosk, Custom House, Poole Arms, Truly Scrumptious & The Angel.

There will also be a stall at Scaplen's Court Poole Museum during the weekend selling tickets and our brand new Seafood & Sounds tote bags & badges.

**Tote bags are £3.50 sponsored by Hotel du Vin.
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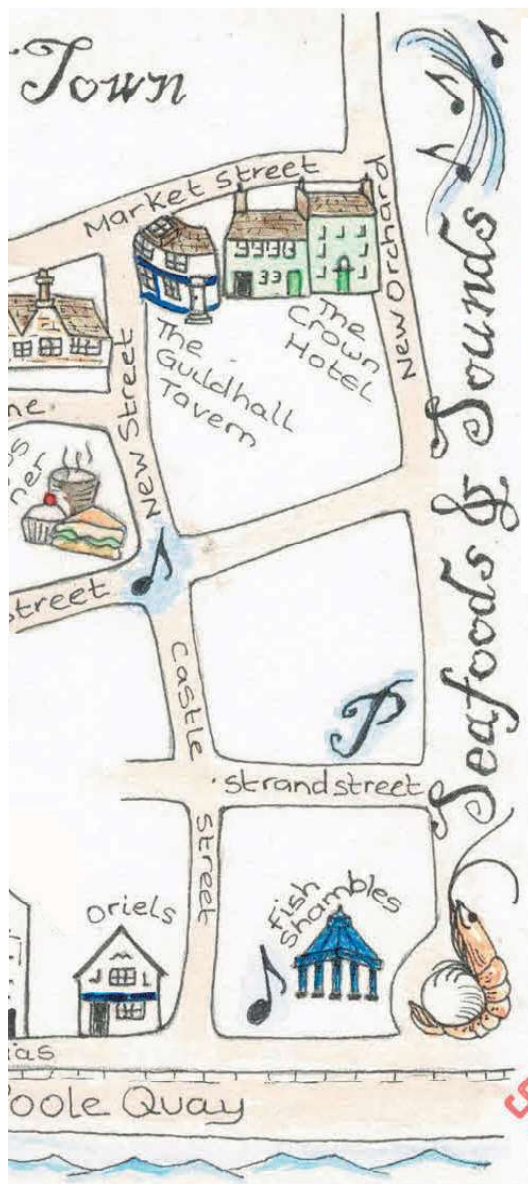




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Follow the Oyster Trail...collect a free Oyster Trail sheet available over the weekend from the Seafood & Sounds stall in Scaplen's Court, Truly Scrumptious or any volunteers.



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