

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### Country Market

FRIDAYS 9.00 - 12.15

Local and homemade produce - come early to avoid disappointment.  
Lyttleton Rooms, Church Street, Malvern, WR14 2AY.

### Colwall Orchard Group

[www.colwallorchardgroup.org](http://www.colwallorchardgroup.org)

THUR 7 MARCH 10.00 - 13.00

**Fruit Tree Planting** - in the Community Orchard as part of Climate Week.  
Colwall Village Garden, Old Church Road (just past Orlin Road) WR13 6HB.

SAT 9 MARCH 19.30 for a 20.00 start

**Ceilidh** - with 'The Laune Rangers Ceilidh Band' from 19.30 at Colwall Village Hall. Tickets £10 (including food) from Malvern Event organiser 01684 566511, John Goodwins in Colwall 01684 540300 or Dee 01684 540920.

FRI 22 MARCH 19.30

**Colwall Orchard Group AGM** - all welcome.

Colwall British Legion, 8 Crescent Rd, Colwall, WR13 6QW.

SUN 28 APRIL 11.00 - 15.00

**Blossom Picnic** - childrens activities and bug hunts etc. Venue tbc, and subject to cancellation in poor weather. See web site for further details.

WED 22 MAY 14.30 - 16.00 18.00 - 'til dark

**Colwall Village Garden Open Day and BBQ** - all welcome.

Colwall Village Garden, Old Church Road (just past Orlin Road) WR13 6HB.

### Malvern Community Forest

[www.malverncommunityforest.org.uk](http://www.malverncommunityforest.org.uk)

SUN 17 MARCH 10.00 - 13.00

SUN 21 APRIL 10.00 - 13.00

SUN 19 MAY 10.00 - 13.00

SUN 16 JUNE 10.00 - 13.00

**'Gathering in the Woods'** led by the Chairman, Mike Goodfellow-Smith.

Meet opposite Whiteacres Medical Centre on Townsend Way at 10.00 (note change of meeting point) for some coppicing, clearing invasive species, etc.  
Malvern Hills Conservators Community Woodland at Townsend Way, Malvern.

### Wilderness Regeneration Group

For more information on events and activities call Cat on 07757657256 or see website [www.thewildernessregenerationgroup.webs.com](http://www.thewildernessregenerationgroup.webs.com)

Bring your gardening gloves, wellies and cake!

Wilderness Garden, Elgar Avenue, Malvern.

### Malvern Cube

[www.malverncube.com](http://www.malverncube.com)

EVERY THIRD WEDNESDAY 17.30 - 19.30

**Hackspace** - Meet up to make things together, anyone is welcome. We have made boomerangs, electronics, planes, rockets, jewellery, drawings, paintings. for more information look at [www.malvernhackspace.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.malvernhackspace.blogspot.co.uk)

SAT 23 MARCH 19.30 - 22.30

**Beowulf Story Telling** - Hugh Lupton's presentation of this unique poem creates an atmosphere that raises the hairs on the back of your neck. The story is told using fantastic on-stage sounds from one of Britain's leading percussionist 'Rick Wilson'. Tickets £8.50 and £6 concessions 01684 575363 or call into Malvern Cube

Malvern Cube, Albert Road North, Malvern, WR14 2YF.

### Malvern Food Festival

SAT 25 MAY

The Town will be hosting its 3rd food festival, it will be a day packed full of delicious events including cookery demonstrations, food stalls and street entertainment.

Abbey Gateway, Abbey Road, Great Malvern, WR14 3ES.

Transition Malvern Hills have speakers available to give free talks to other local groups on local Transition initiatives.

For more details or to book a speaker, contact

Nathan Burlton on 01684 892581.

Would you like to know more or perhaps get involved?

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# Transition Malvern Hills

Calendar of Events

March - June 2013



As we begin the move away from fossil fuel dependency towards a more sustainable way of life, we need to look at what resources our local area can provide to meet our community needs.

Food provision is one of the areas where we can make this happen. This will greatly improve our control over what we eat and our health, as well help us create more resilient local economies and communities.



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## SCIENCE AND FAITH WEEKEND

The challenge to care for the earth is found in all of the major religious faiths. For 2013, Malvern Science and Faith Weekend explores the theme of sustainability from a multi-faith perspective as well as offering science workshops for children by leaders in Science for Sustainability education.

### FILM - THE ECONOMICS OF HAPPINESS

**FRI 1 MARCH 19.30 - 21.30**

Film and discussion - This film reveals how globalisation is accelerating climate change, destroying jobs, fraying the fabric of communities and adding to the stress of modern life.

Malvern Cube, Albert Road North, Malvern, WR14 2YF

### MODEL BUILDING WITH PROJECT EARTH

**SAT 2 MARCH 10.00 - 16.00**

What's your vision of a sustainable town or city? Help build a model with Jackie Zammit and Andrew Simons from Project Earth.

Holly Mount URC, Queens Drive, Great Malvern, WR14 4RE

### SAVE THE PLANET!

**SAT 2 MARCH 10.00 - 12.00**

A morning of art and science activities for children, come and meet the RSPB. Free admission, but there will be charges for some activities.

Holly Mount URC, Queens Drive, Great Malvern, WR14 4RE

### SCIENCE FOR SUSTAINABILITY

**SAT 2 MARCH 14.00 - 16.00**

Curriculum-based workshops for 6-11 year olds provided by the School of Physical and Geographical Sciences at Keele University. Free admission, but places on the workshops must be booked. Hands-on demonstrations provided throughout the afternoon for adults with older children.

Holly Mount URC, Queens Drive, Great Malvern, WR14 4RE

### PROJECT EARTH SEMINAR

**SAT 2 MARCH 14.00 - 15.30**

Earth (Environment and Religious Transformation Hub) seeks to engage faith communities to take action on sustainability. This seminar will introduce the project and explain how to become involved.

Friends Meeting House, 1 Orchard Road, Malvern, WR14 2DA

### AN EVENING WITH SATISH KUMAR AND RIANNE TEN VEEN

**SAT 2 MARCH 19.30 - 22.00**

The Spirituality of Sustainability - Satish Kumar editor-in-chief of Resurgence & Ecologist magazine; founder and Visiting Fellow of the Schumacher College International Centre for Ecological Studies. Creation Care: Shared Opportunity for People of Faith to do Good - Rianne ten Veen a humanitarian aid worker and member of the management team of Islamic Foundation for Ecology & Environment Sciences.

St Matthias' Church, Church Road, Malvern WR14 1NP

### HEARING THE VOICE OF CREATION GROANING

**SUN 3 MARCH 11.00 - 12.30**

Morning worship led by Revd Dr Rosalind Selby.

Holly Mount URC, Queens Drive, Great Malvern, WR14 4RE

### SONGS OF HARMONY

**SUN 3 MARCH 14.30 - 16.30**

Songs to remind us to live in harmony with the natural world and with our fellow human beings.

St Ann's Well, Octagon room St Ann's Road, Malvern, WR14 4RF

## MARCH

### AMNESTY MALVERN HILLS & CHASE SCHOOL GROUP - PRESENT CRUEL BRITANNIA

**FRI 8 19.00 - 21.30**

Cruel Britannia - A Secret History of Torture. A talk by Guardian journalist Ian Cobain on Britain's recent involvement in torture. Tickets £5, unwaged or students FREE. For more details ring Sue 01684 562804.

Main Hall, The Chase School, Geraldine Road, Malvern, WR14 3NZ

### GREEN FORUM CAFE

**WED 13 12.30 - 13.30**

Open discussion on sustainable living, local resourcefulness and topical news.

Malvern Cube, Albert Road North, Malvern, WR14 2YF

### INTRODUCTION TO TRANSITION TOWNS

**WED 13 19.30 - 21.30**

Inspiring film followed by a discussion on how this is happening locally.

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### REPAIR CAFÉ

**SAT 16 10.00 - 14.00**

A Repair Café provides a relaxed, friendly meeting place where people can bring their broken and/or damaged items to be repaired for free by volunteer specialists at the same time as picking up DIY skills. For more details contact Jan Dyer greenleafjan@gmail.com or phone 01684 438539 or 07565 909654. www.facebook.com/MalvernHillsRepairCafe

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### WORLD CAFE

**SUN 17 10.00 - 14.00**

Come and join us for veggie brunch and sharing ideas on a positive future. Families welcome.

The Grove, 8 Avenue Road, Great Malvern, WR14 3AG

### BREAKFAST ON THE BEACON

**THU 21 09.00**

Start the day with a hike to Worcestershire Beacon, for breakfast and views to be relished. Meet at the Beacon.

Worcestershire Beacon

### INNER TRANSITION

**MON 25 18.30 - 21.00**

Meetings start with shared soup and bread, followed 'Why isn't Transition easy?' talk with Raphael Bate.

Malvern Cube, Albert Road North, Malvern, WR14 2YF

### TMH DRINKS

**THU 28 19.30 - 21.30**

Come and enjoy a drink and a chat - everyone welcome.

The Morgan, Clarence Rd, Malvern, WR14 3EQ

**GREEN FORUM 2nd Wednesday of the month**

**BREAKFAST ON THE BEACON 3rd Thursday of the month**

**TMH DRINKS last Thursday of the month**

**REPAIR CAFÉ usually every four to six weeks**

## APRIL

### GREEN FORUM CAFE

**WED 10 12.30 - 13.30**

Open discussion on sustainable living, local resourcefulness and topical news.

Malvern Cube, Albert Road North, Malvern, WR14 2YF

### RESILIENT LOCAL FOOD SYSTEM

**WED 17 19.30 - 21.30**

Herefordshire's Local Food Advocate Peter Norton will give a talk and Chris Dyer will introduce our newly formed Local Food Alliance initiative and opportunities to get involved.

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### SEED SWAP/TOOL SHARPENING

**SAT 27 10.00 - 15.00**

Seed and plant swap. Tool sharpening - Tools for Self Reliance take tools to pass on and have some for sale.

Greenlink Organics, Graham Road, Malvern, WR14 2HR

### INNER TRANSITION

**MON 29 18.30 - 21.00**

Meetings start with shared soup and bread, followed by topics for discussion.

Malvern Cube, Albert Road North, Malvern, WR14 2YF

## MAY & JUNE

### AMNESTY MALVERN - CEILIDH

**SAT 4 MAY 19.30 - 23.00**

Ian Craigan (caller) and the Compost Band. Tickets £7 inc light Supper. Bar available. Proceeds to Amnesty International.

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### INNER TRANSITION

**MON 20 MAY 18.30 - 21.00**

Meetings start with shared soup and bread, followed by topics for discussion.

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### NEILL LEWIS AECB - TALK ON A RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED ECO HOUSE

**WED 19 JUNE 19.30 - 21.30**

Talk on Eco House being heated entirely by solar gain and is independent of mains water and drainage.

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### INNER TRANSITION

**MON 24 JUNE 18.30 - 21.00**

Meetings start with shared soup and bread, followed by topics for discussion.

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