Outdoor Entertainment in Cambridge June – September 2015

SUMMER

Organised by Cambridge Live, on behalf of Cambridge City Council, Summer in the City is a range of fun activities taking place from June to September in the city. The Big Weekend is one of the several special summer events which also include Midsummer Fair, one of the country's oldest and biggest travelling fun fairs and also Jazz and Brass in the Parks, eight Sunday concerts throughout the summer weeks taking place in leafy Cambridge parks.

Make the most of what's happening in Cambridge this summer!

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Midsummer Fair

Wednesday 24 – Monday 29 June
Midsummer Common

This historic fair has been visiting the city's Midsummer Common for over 800 years making it one of the county's oldest travelling fun fairs. Expect all the attractions associated with a traditional fun fair along with the very best white-knuckle rides and market stalls.

Wed 24 June 2.30pm – 11pm
Historic civic opening procession 6.30pm
Thur 25 June 5pm – 11pm
Fri 26 June 2.30pm – 11pm
Sat 27 June 12noon – 11pm
Sun 28 June 2pm – 9pm
Mon 29 June 5pm – 11pm

REDUCED PRICE FAMILY NIGHT THUR 25 JUNE £4 PARKING

MON 29 JUNE ALL £1 RIDES

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Jazz & Brass in the Parks

Selected Sundays from June to September 3pm – 5pm

From June to September there will be jazz and brass bands playing in Cambridge's parks and open spaces for you to enjoy. Each event is entirely free, so come along, bring a picnic, enjoy the sounds and relax in the cooling summer breeze!

7 June	**Royston Town Band**	**Cherry Hinton Hall**
28 June	**Harmony in Harlem**	**Jesus Green**
5 July	**City of Cambridge Brass Band**	**Christ Pieces**
23 Aug	**Savoy Jazz**	**Jesus Green**
6 Sept	**Cottenham Brass Band**	**Cherry Hinton Hall**
27 Sept	**March Brass 2000**	**Cherry Hinton Hall**

FREE

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THE BIG WEEKEND

Parker's Piece

Friday 10 – Sunday 12 July

Friday 10 July 6pm – 10.30pm

The weekend starts on Friday night with an evening of live music on the main stage, followed by a spectacular fireworks display to put everyone in the mood for a jam packed weekend.

FREE

Main Stage – Live Music

Comperes: Presenters from Heart 103

Slade

With their unique blend of perfect pop-rock'n'roll, outrageous flamboyance and pure fun, the band will perform all their greatest hits.

Heather Small

Award-winning and international pop star Heather Small performs with her full live band. Hits include: Moving On Up, One Night In Heaven, and unofficial national anthem Search For The Hero.

Other Activities: Bar, Fairground Rides*, Food Stalls, French Market and much more.

The 'Smart of Cambridge' Fireworks 10pm

Enjoy the only free, spectacular summer fireworks display. Sponsored by Smart of Cambridge.

*There is a charge for fairground rides. All artists subject to contract

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Saturday 11 July 12pm – 10pm
Family Fun Day & Music

FREE

Main Stage 12pm – 10pm

Comperes: Presenters from Heart 103

A variety of musical talents will perform on the main stage including: urban acts from Bling Ya Ting, singer/songwriter Isobel Sugden, Americana band Swamp Truck, lively folk group CC Smugglers and hillbilly rockers Hayseed Dixie.

Make and Create Tent Sat only 12pm – 5pm

Organised by University of Cambridge Museums

Join University of Cambridge Museums and others for some hands-on creative fun and get a taste of what's in store for the summer holidays.

The Fun Lab Sat only 12pm – 5pm

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In association with ARM

The Fun Lab offers interactive science activities for all ages to enjoy.
Science at its best from the University of Cambridge and partners.

Cabaret Marquee & Ping Pong Disco Sat only

PINK FESTIVAL BE YOURSELF

Brought to you by Pink Festival

Ping Pong Disco 5.30pm – 8pm with DJ Paul Owens. Fancy dress welcome, balls and bats provided Plus, an evening of cabaret and comedy 7pm – 10pm.

Food Hall Sat Only 12pm – 5pm

Enjoy wonderful produce from local businesses.

Saturday 11 July 12pm – 5pm

Home Front Marquee

FREE

How We Used To Live

Come along to the home front marquee and take tea 1940s style and learn more about how people used to live in the 1940s in Cambridge.

Activities will include:

1940s Music Wagon

Two period musicians playing music from the period on a WWII music wagon.

Tea Tent

1940s exercise class, vintage bicycles, Lindy Hop, live music, exhibition and reminiscence pieces.

Also includes information and workshops on Gardening and Growing, Rationing, Butter Making, Wash Day, and Make Do and Mend

Brought to you in partnership with the Museum of Cambridge.

Saturday 11 July & Sunday 12 July 12pm – 5pm

Changing Spaces Pop Up Art Gallery FREE
Sat & Sun 12pm – 5pm

Pop up art gallery created by Changing Spaces, the city wide pop up exhibition project.

l'Alliance Et Ses Amis Sat & Sun 12pm – 5pm
L'Alliance Française, with the participation of the Cambridge Spanish Centre, will bring live music, children's activities and great atmosphere all weekend.

The Sports Zone Sat & Sun 12pm – 5pm
The Sports Zone will host a variety of local sports clubs and organisation that will showcase their sports through workshops, demonstrations and taster sessions.

Ubuntu World Village Sat & Sun 12pm – 5pm
Music, food and crafts from around the world – celebrating ethnic diversity in Cambridge.

BBC Make It Digital Sat & Sun 12pm – 5pm
Anglia Ruskin University

With generous support from Anglia Ruskin University.
Additional support from University of Cambridge

Get creative with coding, programming and digital technology. Celebrate the digital past and present from the morse code to mobile phones, Q&A sessions with BBC presenters and guests. Plus, get interactive using computer science to predict the weather. Control and move the Dalek robots in the Dalek Maze, and play the Dr Who game on ipads.

Other Activities throughout the day include: French Market, Face painting, Storytelling, Fairground rides*, bar, food from around the world, and much more.

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VEEKEND

10 – Sunday 12 July

Sunday 12 July 12pm – 8pm

International Day & Cambridge Mela

Sunday brings an international flavour to the day's music and events – a celebration of Asian culture with the Cambridge Mela, world music and dance.

Main Stage

Flamenco and latin music from Fernandos Kitchen, high energy sounds from The Fontanas, 50s Klezmer vibes from Yiddish Twist Orchestra, and many more.

Dance and World Music Marquees

This area will feature DJs and bands from around the world, including a kaleidoscope of music from Follow The Rats, iyatra Quartet and Ozmia.

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Cambridge Mela

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One of the city's most popular summer events, the Cambridge Mela is a celebration of Asian culture growing in popularity every year.

Main Stage

Music and dance from top national and local acts.

Mela Food & Traders Marquee

Featuring Asian arts and crafts, fashion and delicious food.

Mela Community Performance Marquee

More workshops and performances from the local community.

Other activities throughout the day include: Festival of Rugby, French Market, Fairground rides*, a bar, food from around the world, and much much more.

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Sunday 12 July 12pm – 6pm

Festival of Rugby

Cambridgeshire RFU and Cambridge University RFU

With the eyes of world rugby on England in 2015, Cambridge is part of the celebration of rugby's biggest year. The Rugby Zone at the Big Weekend will showcase local clubs, offer the chance to try your hand at some of the skills of rugby and demonstrations of different forms of the game - sevens, touch, tag and the full game.

Why not come along and see for yourself how the game is one in which all can benefit. Oh, and you even might win tickets for an England game at Twickenham!

- Short demonstration matches
- Activity Area – coaching for evasion skills, tagging and ball handling
- Rugby Fun Fair – fairground type stalls and challenge games in ball passing, speed and agility, scrum machine, crossbar challenge – test your skills!
- Appearances from England Women and Northampton Saints
- Mini World cup with teams drawn from local schools
- Great prizes

30th Anniversary of the

The Mayor's Day Out

GREAT YARMOUTH
Tuesday 11th August 2015

On Sale 2 June

The Mayor's Day out on Tuesday 11 Aug. The Mayor would like to invite local senior citizens to Great Yarmouth to enjoy sun, sea, shopping and an exciting Summer Circus and Water Spectacular show.

Booking opens 2nd June 2015.
Buy a copy of Cambridge News on the 2nd June to get the booking form.
Tickets will be available to purchase from Cambridge Live Ticket Office, Wheeler Street.
Please note the office opens from midday. Tickets £8

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Thinking of hosting an outdoor event?

Can't think of a space in Cambridge City centre?

Did you know that Cambridge City Council has 90 parks and open spaces which can be hired for outdoor activities?

Our range of competitive rates cover all events, large or small, a major public attraction or simply a local community gathering, charitable or commercial…

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To discuss your event idea contact the Streets and Open Spaces Events Team on **01223 458520** or email **events@cambridge.gov.uk**

Looking to advertise your event or show?

The Cambridge Streets and Open Spaces Distribution Service offers leaflet and poster distribution as a cost-effective way of publicising your event or show, with hundreds of outlets around Cambridge.

- **Central leaflet distribution**
- **Targeted leaflet and poster distribution**
- **On poster boards located on key open spaces in the city**

To find out more and for specific options, prices and online booking please visit: www.cambridge.gov.uk/cambridge-arts-distribution-service

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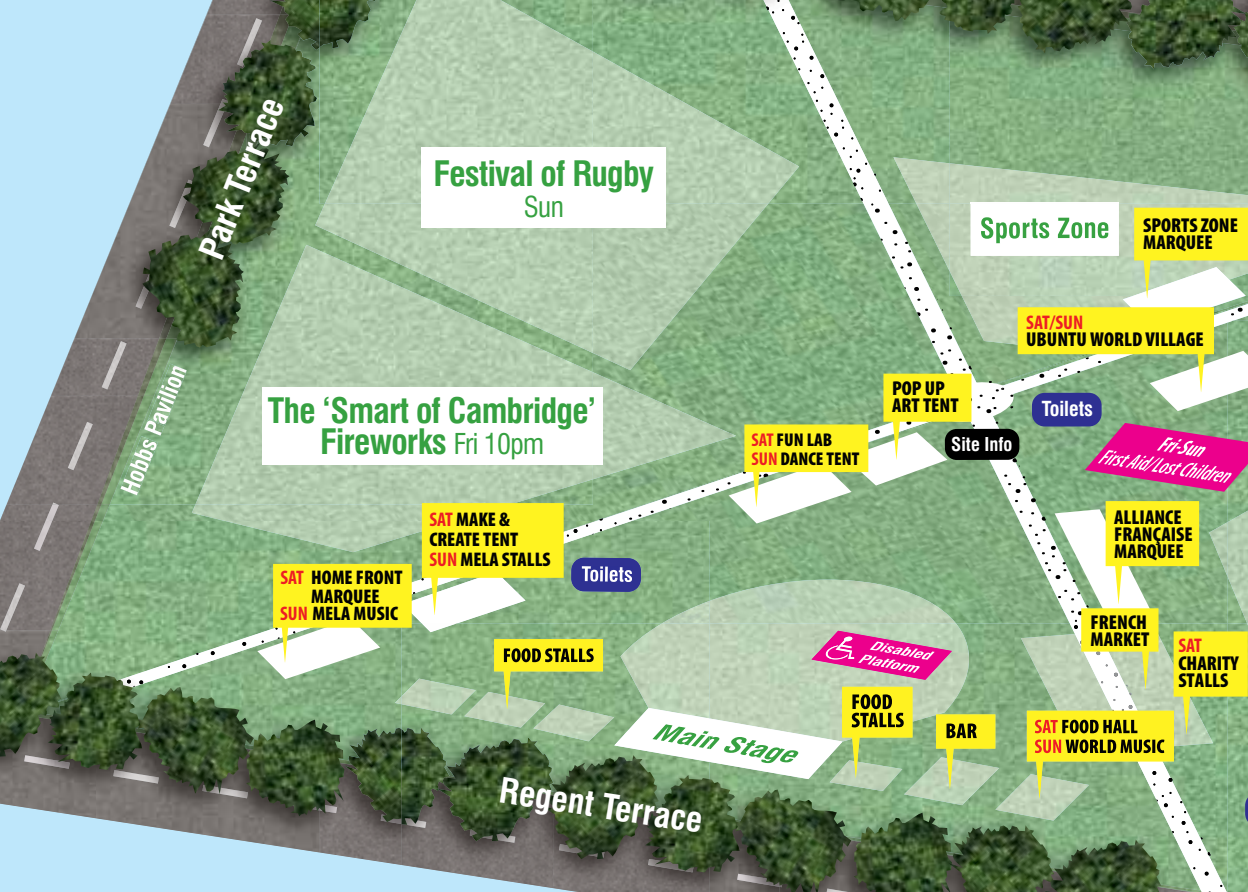
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Sports Zone
SPORTS ZONE MARQUEE
SAT/SUN
UBUNTU WORLD VILLAGE
Hobbs Pavilion
The 'Smart of Cambridge'
Fireworks Fri 10pm
POP UP
ART TENT
Toilets
SAT FUN LAB
SUN DANCE TENT
Site Info
Fri-Sun
First Aid/Lost Children
SAT MAKE &
CREATE TENT
SUN MELA STALLS
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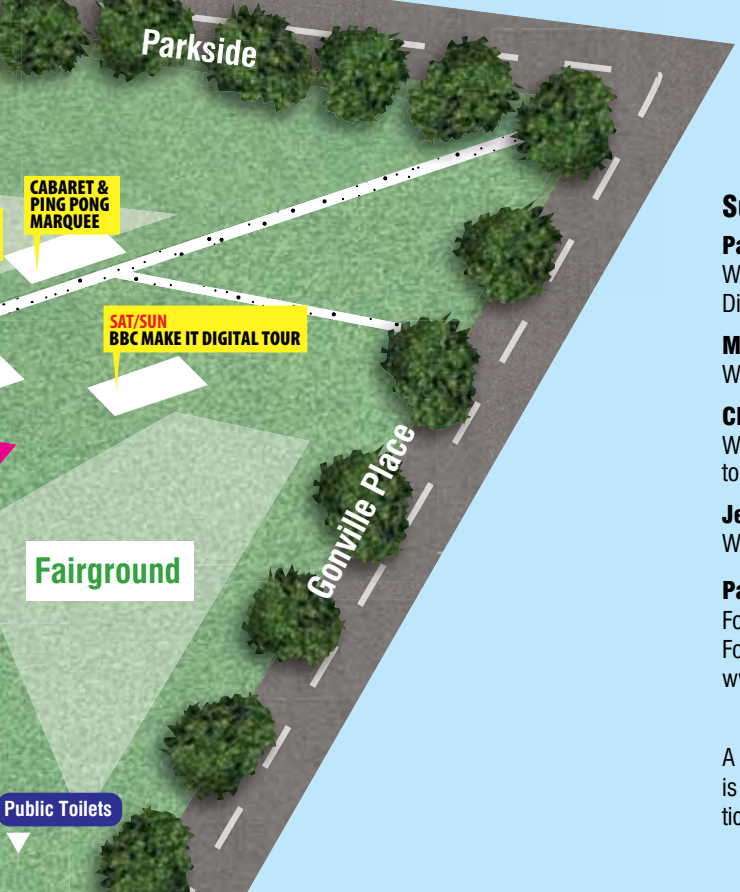

Summer In The City Access Information

Parker's Piece
Wheelchair accessible. Disabled toilets on site.
Disabled viewing area available.

Midsummer Common
Wheelchair accessible. Disabled toilets on site.

Cherry Hinton Hall Grounds
Wheelchair accessible. Some toilets accessible
to wheelchairs (RADAR Key).

Jesus Green
Wheelchair access from Park Street or Victoria Avenue.

Parking
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www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/transport

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