

# WEST PENNINE MOORS Events

## Spring 2009



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### Sunnyhurst Wood - a hidden treasure!

- Gateway to the West Pennine Moors
- Idyllic woodland walks and family wildlife trail
- Start of the Tacklers trail (Witton Weavers Way)
- Visitor Centre
- Free activities, events and guided walks
- Art exhibitions
- Free admission
- Open Thursday - Sunday and bank holidays 1.00pm to 4.30pm

Off Earnsdale Road, Darwen. Tel: 01254 701545

Email: [countryside@blackburn.gov.uk](mailto:countryside@blackburn.gov.uk)

[www.blackburn.gov.uk/parks](http://www.blackburn.gov.uk/parks)



### Turton Tower



- Historic Country House open to the public, please check opening times (admission charge)
- Pleasant grounds with woodland walks
- Tea room
- Toilet facilities
- Exhibitions and Events

Chapelton Road, Turton, Nr Bolton.

Tel: 01204 852203

## March

### Saturday 7th to Sunday 8th

10am to 4pm. The R.S.P.B. and United Utilities will be providing information on the bird life in and around Jumbles Reservoir. There will be an information stand and from 11am a walk and talk.

Meet Jumbles Information Centre off Bradshaw Road, Bolton. For more information ring 01204 691549.

### Saturday 7th to Sunday April 19th

#### People & Places

An exhibition of paintings by Karen Alvarez, Elizabeth Crabtree, Anne Done and Amelia Watts. Venue: Sunnyhurst Wood Visitor Centre, Earnsdale Road, Darwen. Tel: 01254 701545

### Saturday 21st A Make for Mother!

1pm to 3pm. Today is world poetry day! Create a poem inspired gift to give to your mum on Mothers day.

There is a small charge to cover the cost of materials.

No need to book. For more details ring Turton Tower on 01204 852203.

## April

### Tuesday 7th Bird Box Building

12.30 to 4pm. Family activity. Build a bird box with Lancashire County Council Countryside Officers! One bird box per family. This is a free event. No booking. Venue: Turton Tower.

### Wednesday 8th Tick Tock Clock

1pm to 3pm. Family craft activity inspired by the Grandfather clocks at Turton Tower! There is a small charge to cover cost of materials. No need to book. For more details ring Turton Tower on 01204 852203.

### Saturday 11th Hunting for Unicorns

1pm to 3pm. Family craft activity inspired by the tapestries in the tower and these mythical beasts. There is a small charge to cover costs. No need to book. For more details ring Turton Tower on 01204 852203.

### Monday 13th

6.30pm to 8.00pm. The R.S.P.B. and United Utilities will conduct an evening walk around Jumbles Reservoir to talk about the bird life in and around Jumbles. Meet Jumbles Information Centre off Bradshaw Road, Bolton. For more information ring 01204 691549.

### Tuesday 14th Woodland Treasures

12.30pm to 1.30pm or 2.30 to 3.30pm. Family activity. Hunt for the treasures of nature with Lancashire County Council Countryside Officers in the grounds of Turton Tower. Free event. No booking.

### Wednesday 15th Dangerous Dragons

1pm to 3pm. Family craft activity inspired by these mythical beasts. There is a small charge to cover cost of materials. No booking. For more details ring Turton Tower on 01204 852203.

### Saturday 18th Let Battle Commence

12.15 to 4.15. Family activity. Academia Glorianna display a series of swordmanship displays from Mediaeval time to Tudor times charting the development of this art. A different display every hour. Free event. No booking. Venue Turton Tower.

### Saturday 25th to Sunday June 7th

#### An exhibition of paintings by Jack Lacey

Venue: Sunnyhurst Wood Visitor Centre, Earnsdale Road, Darwen. Tel: 01254 701545.

## May

### Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd

10am to 4pm. The R.S.P.B. and United Utilities will be providing information on the bird life in and around Jumbles Reservoir. There will be an information stand and from 11am a walk and talk. Meet Jumbles Information Centre off Bradshaw Road, Bolton.

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### Sunday 3rd Jolly Jousting

2pm to 4pm. Family craft activity inspired by the Tudor sport for Kings. There is a small charge to cover the cost of materials. No booking. For more details ring Turton Tower on 01204 852203.

### Wednesday 27th Jumping Jack-in-the-Box

1.30pm to 3.30pm. Family craft activity inspired by this traditional toy. There is a small charge to cover cost of materials. No booking. For more details ring Turton Tower on 01204 852203.

### Thursday 29th Family Wildlife Walk

2pm. Free event.

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### Sunday 31st 'Origami Orrors'

1pm to 4pm. Free event.

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