

# Brixham (and surrounding area)

# Events 2019



Festival/Event	Dates	Location	Details
Pirate Festival	4 - 6 May	Brixham (Harbour area)	A swashbuckling mix of piratical fun and entertainment! The Brixham Pirate Festival is an annual gathering of the worlds most infamous pirates and lowly scallywags.
Dartmouth Music Festival	10 - 12 May	Dartmouth	The Dart Music Festival is an annual music event over three days. There are over 100 acts performing in over 20 closely sited town venues.
Devon County Show	16 - 18 May	Westpoint, Clyst St Mary, Exeter, EX5 1DJ	Three days of the year when the county is revealed in all its glory! The best of food, farming and entertainment.
Brixfest	25 - 29 May	Brixham (Harbour area)	BrixFest enters 2019 in its eighth year having firmly established itself as one of Brixham's leading festivals. We pride ourselves on getting bigger and better each year, and BrixFest 2019 is no different!
Brixham Heritage Sailing Regatta	25 - 26 May	Brixham (Harbour area)	The Brixham Heritage Sailing Regatta has its roots in the Sailing Trawler races that have been held in Torbay since the early 1800's. In 1914, King George V presented the Perpetual Challenge Cup also popularly known as the 'King George V Cup'.
Torbay Airshow	1 - 2 Jun	Visible from all around the bay	Some of the best military and civilian airshow performers will soar through the skies over Torbay in June 2019 and will be complimented by a host of activities on the ground.
Lemonfest	8 - 9 Jun	Newton Abbot	Independent boutique music festival.
Occombe Festival	14-15 Jun	Occombe Farm, Paignton	Two days of live foot-stomping music, over 40 varieties of beers and ales to try alongside ciders, wine, Prosecco and Pimm's, and a feast of delicious local food too.
Trawler Race	15 Jun	Brixham (Harbour area)	Skipper's dress the boats with bunting and battle it out with two lap race around the Bay and fun and festivities on the quay all raising money for local charities.
Kingsbeer Festival	12 - 14 Jul	Kingswear	The annual KingsBeer Festival will be on the embankment at Kingswear and has uninterrupted, panoramic views of the River Dart. Sample fantastic beers sourced from across the UK and there will be live music and a BBQ too!
Brixham Dinghy Racing Regatta	13 - 14 Jul	Brixham (Harbour area)	Mixed handicap racing, full social programme.
Paignton Festival	27 Jul - 4 Aug	Paignton	9 days of entertainment for the whole family, raising money for local charities.
Brixham Yacht Racing Regatta	26 - 28 Jul	Brixham (Harbour area)	IRC class, NHC progressive handicap class, Sonata one design, full social programme.
Paignton Harbour Festival	27 Jul	Paignton (Harbour area)	Craft and food stalls, chef demonstrations, boat trips, kids activities and live entertainment.
Cockington Fayre	7 Aug	Cockington Village	Come and join in a traditional old English village summer fair in beautiful Cockington.
Torbay Steam Fair	2 - 4 Aug	Churston Ferrers, Brixham	Steam working and vintage gathering - steam demonstrations, traction engines, vintage cars, commercials, moterbikes, military tractors, stationary engines, fairground rides and more!
Brixham Gig Club Regatta	3 Aug	Breakwater Beach	The races will take place off Breakwater Beach where there will be excellent viewing along the Breakwater itself.
Paignton Regatta	10 - 18 Aug	Paignton	Paignton Regatta is a good old-fashioned week of traditional seaside fun, mainly taking place on and around Paignton Green.
Torbay Lifeboat Seaside Special	11 Aug	RNLI Lifeboat Station, Brixham	One big day of water side activities and events around the Lifeboat Station and Breakwater.
Brixham Society Arts Show	17 - 24 Aug	Scala Hall, Brixham	A wonderful art show displaying outstanding works by local and regional artists. Many paintings are for sale.
Torbay Royal Regatta	23-26 Aug	Torquay	One of the premiere sailing regattas in the South West, the event remains as popular as ever and this year promises to be another great occasion with over a 100 yachts and dinghies expected.
Dartmouth Royal Regatta	29 - 31 Aug	Dartmouth	The Regatta is based around a programme of rowing and sailing events, but also incorporates a busy programme of activities including air displays, fireworks, a large fair, and many other smaller events that happen in and around the town centre.
Abbfest	20-22 Sep	Fermoy's Garden Centre, Ipplepen, Newton Abbot	Beer, food and drink festival that aims to raise money for local charities, organisations and good causes.
England's Seafood FEAST	20 Sep - 6 Oct	All around Torbay	Immerse yourself in England's Seafood FEAST, eating some of the best seafood in the world and experiencing the very best the English Riviera has to offer.
Dartmouth Food Festival	18 - 20 Oct	Dartmouth	With street entertainers, food and drink stalls, cooking contests to enter and children's activities, cooking demonstrations and classes, you and your children will have a wonderful day out.
Lanterns, Lights & 'luminations	23 Nov	Brixham (Harbour area)	Brixham will celebrate its Christmas Lights Switch on with a 'Lanterns, Lights and 'luminations' parade.

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