



Kent 2012 Calendar of Events

As of 02/08/2012

Date	Event	Venue	Contact
August 2012			
August	Paralympic Pre-Games Training Camps	Various Venues Countywide	Kentsport.org/london2012
3 rd	Gravesham Big Screen Event: Meopham Cricket Club	Gravesham, Meopham Green	http://www.gravesham.gov.uk/index.jsp?articleid=6313
3 rd – 4 th	Sandwich Festival	Sandwich	http://www.open-sandwich.co.uk/community/events/index.htm
4 th	Olympic Super Saturday	Nationwide	london2012.com
4 th	Gravesham Big Screen Event: Higham Parish Council	Gravesham, Higham Recreation Ground	http://www.gravesham.gov.uk/index.jsp?articleid=6313
5 th	Gravesham Big Screen Event	Gravesham, Ebbsfleet Football Club	http://www.gravesham.gov.uk/index.jsp?articleid=6313
5 th	Summer Band Concert – Band of The Corps of Royal Engineers	Tonbridge Castle	tonbridgecastle.org
10 th	Gravesham Big Screen Event: History Project	Gravesham, Riverview Junior School	http://www.gravesham.gov.uk/index.jsp?articleid=6313
10 th – 17 th	Broadstairs Folk Week	Broadstairs	broadstairsfolkweek.org.uk
11 th	Gravesham Big Screen Event	Gravesham, Istead Rise Recreation Ground	http://www.gravesham.gov.uk/index.jsp?articleid=6313
11 th	Dartford Mela	Dartford	
12 th	Olympic Games Closing Ceremony		
12 th	Olympic Closing Party (Rio)	New Civic Square, Gravesham	
13 th	Olympic Athletes Departure		
14 th	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	AdiZone, Gravesend	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm

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15 th	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Cyclopark, Gravesend	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
15 th	VJ Commemoration	Garden of Remembrance, Folkestone	http://www.discoverfolkestone.co.uk/events/thedms.aspx?dms=13&feature=1719&GroupId=1&venue=3032656&easi=true
16 th	Swanley Pre-Games Paralympic Celebration	Swanley Recreational Ground, possibly town centre.	
16 th	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Swanley Town Centre	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
17 th	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Ashford Retail Outlet	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
18 th	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Dover Sea Front	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
18 th / 19 th	Midnight Iron Man/ Woman	Dartford	http://www.bridgetriathlon.co.uk/midnightman/
18 th – 26 th	Herne Bay Festival 2012	Herne Bay	hernebayfestival.com
19 th	Triathlon	Julie Rose Stadium, Ashford	thestourcentre.co.uk/the-julie-rose-stadium.html
20 th	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Maidstone United New Football Ground	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
21 st	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Hop Farm, Paddock Wood	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
22 nd	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Tunbridge Wells Town Centre and Calverly Gardens	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
22 nd	Paralympic Village Opens	London	london2012.com
23 rd	Kent's Paralympic Roadshow	Medway Park, Gillingham	http://www.kentsport.org/news_paralympic_roadshow_jan12.cfm
23 rd -26 th	British Transplant Games	Medway Park, Gillingham	transplantsport.org.uk
24 th – 27 th	Paralympic Flame Festivals –London, Belfast, Cardiff, Edinburgh, Stoke Mandeville	Nationwide	http://www.london2012.com/paralympic-torch-relay
25 th	KM Group Donor Run (linked to British	Great Lines Heritage	kentononline.co.uk

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	Transplant Games)	Park	
25 th -26 th	Sandgate Sea and Food festival	Granville Parade, Prom and Beach	http://www.sandgate-sea-festival.co.uk/
25 th – 27 th	Military Odyssey- Kent County Showground	Kent County Showground	military-odyssey.com
26 th -27 th	Notting Hill Carnival	London	Nottinghill-carnival.co.uk
27 th August – 11 th September	London Media Centre open for Paralympic Games	Central London	
29 th	Paralympic Games Opening Ceremony		
29 th	Paralympic Opening Night In	Nationwide	London2012.com/get-involved/local-leaders
30 th August – 9 th September	PARALYMPIC GAMES		
September 2012			
1 st – 2 nd	Whitstable Biennale Events	Whitstable	info@whitstablebiennale.com
1 st -2 nd	Faversham Hop Festival	Faversham	Favershamhopfestival.org
3 rd – 4 th	Kent Paralympic Road Cycling Practice Days (Partial Road Closures)	Brands Hatch, Sevenoaks	Kentsport.org
5 th September – 7 th October	British Equestrian Venue run by Haldlow College opens to Students	South East London	
5 th – 8 th	Paralympic Road Cycling Events	Brands Hatch	http://www.london2012.com/paralympic-cycling-road
7 th	Gravesham Paralympic Lantern Event	Gravesham	http://www.gravesham.gov.uk/index.jsp?articleid=6313
8 th	Will Adams Festival	Gillingham	medway.gov.uk/leisureandculture/.../willadamsfestival.aspx
8 th – 9 th	Whitstable Biennale Events	Whitstable	info@whitstablebiennale.com
8 th -9 th	Maidstone Mela	Maidstone	maidstonemela.com
8 th – 9 th	Tonbridge Castle Medieval Fair	Tonbridge Castle	tonbridgecastle.org
9 th	Paralympic Games Closing Ceremony		
9 th	Paralympicnic	Nationwide	london2012.com

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9 th	Paralympic Event.	Gamecock Meadow, West Kingsdown	
9 th	Horsmonden Horse Fair	Horsmonden	Horsmonden.co.uk
13 th -15 th	Deal Maritime Folk Festival	Astor Theatre and local pubs	Facebook.com/pages/deal-maritime-folk-festival
14th	Olympic Park Closes		
15 th – 16 th	Whitstable Biennale Events	Whitstable	info@whitstablebiennale.com
22 nd – 24 th	Salute to the 40s weekend	The Historic Dockyard, Chatham	http://www.thedockyard.co.uk/salutetothe40s
30 th	Folkestone Half Marathon	Coastal Park and Promenade	http://folkestonerotary.org/HalfMara2012EntryForm.pdf
October 2012			
5 th - 7 th	Broadstairs Food Festival (East Kent)	Broadstairs	broadstairsfoodfestival.org.uk
12 th -14 th	British Superbike Championship	Brands Hatch	Brandshatch.co.uk
13 th – 27 th	Canterbury Festival 2012	Canterbury	canterburyfestival.co.uk
19 th	Tunbridge Wells Achievement Awards	Tunbridge Wells	
21 st	Trafalgar Day Celebrations		
tbc	Canterbury Multicultural Festival	Canterbury	
November 2012			
tbc	Celebration of Olympians, Paralympians, and Sport in Kent	University of Kent, Canterbury	Kent.ac.uk
3 rd	Bonfire Night/Traditional Fireworks Night	Great Line	http://www.whatsonmedway.co.uk/festivals
3 rd	Lions Fireworks Event	Central Park, Dartford	dartfordlions.org.uk
14 th	Try Angle Spirit Award		Tryangleawards.co.uk
25 th	Tonbridge Christmas Festival	Tonbridge	
28 th – 16 th Dec	Dickens Bicentenary Event: Christmas Market	Rochester Castle Grounds	dickens2012.org
December 2012			

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1 st -2 nd	Dickensian Christmas	Rochester	whatsonmedway.co.uk/whats.. ../dickensian-christmas- p464501
5 th	Christmas Farmers' Market at Penshurst Place and Gardens	Penshurst Place	Penshurstplace.com