Events in Perthshire

From internationally acclaimed festivals to sporting events, celebrations of Scottish culture to commemorative art, Perthshire is bursting with a vibrant calendar of events that are sure to offer something for everyone.

If you are visiting Perthshire to enjoy one of our fantastic events this summer then why not stay a few days and explore more of the area. The bustling Perth City Centre makes a fantastic base from which to tour the area and see more of our wonderful region.

Whilst you’re here make sure you do a little shopping with our fabulous Perth City Indies, enjoy a meal, drink or light bite, or book into one of the many shows and exhibitions that gives Perthshire its worthy place on Scotland’s cultural stage.

The Southern Fried Festival

10th to 25th September
Location: King Edward Street, Perth and various locations
Booking: No Booking required

Soldiers of Killiecrankie

30th to 31st July
Location: Killiecrankie Battlefield, 100 metres outside Killiecrankie on the B8079 to Blair Atholl.
Booking: No Booking required

The Perth Kilt Run

Saturday 13th August
Location: The North Inch, Perth
Booking: You have to book to enter the race. www.perthkiltrun.co.uk

Poppies: Weeping Window

30th June to 25th September
Location: The Blackwatch Castle and Museum
Booking: Booking not required

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Book a short break in Perth City and catch a fantastic event
In the Area...

Whilst you are visiting Perthshire’s fantastic events why not take advantage and enjoy some of our other fantastic places of interest, great shops and restaurants and beautiful countryside.

**The Southern Fried Festival**
- **Eat:** Various Street Food, The Postbox, The Twa Tams
- **Do:** A tour of Blair Castle, Visit Scone Palace, Famous Grouse Experience
- **See:** A show at Pitlochry Festival Theatre, Elcho Castle, Ben Vrackie

**Festival of Architecture**
- **Eat:** Kisa’s, Paco’s Restaurant, The North Port Restaurant
- **Do:** Tour of Scone Palace, Perth Museum and Art Gallery, Fergusson Gallery
- **See:** Branklyn Gardens, the Inches, Moncrieffe Island

**Soldiers of Killiecrankie**
- **Eat:** Blair Castle Restaurant, Atholl Arms Hotel, The Loft Restaurant
- **Do:** Visit inside Blair Castle, Go Fishing, shop at the House of Bruar
- **See:** Falls of Bruar, Loch Tummel, Visit Blair Castle

**The Perth Kilt Run**
- **Eat:** Bells Sports Centre, Café Coco, City Café
- **Do:** An activity at Bells Sports Centre, Visit the Blackwatch Castle & Museum, Visit the Perth Museum and Art Gallery
- **See:** Show at Perth Concert Hall, Quarrymill woodland park, The Hermitage

**Poppies: Weeping Window**
- **Eat:** The Copper Beech Café in the museum, Duo, Grand Italia
- **Do:** Crannog Centre tour, shopping in the city centre, Tour of Blair Castle
- **See:** Elcho Castle, Dupplin Cross, Fair Maids House

**Perth Racecourse**
- **Races on from May - September at Park Place, Perth**
  Nestled in the stunning parklands of Scone Palace, Perth Racecourse is Scotland’s most northerly course and one of the UK’s favourite days out. From the excitement of hooves thundering down the track to the crowd cheering in unison, a day at the races is unlike any other. At Perth Racecourse they have built a national reputation for fantastic racing, a thrilling atmosphere, beautiful surroundings and the very best in Scottish hospitality.

**The Black Watch Castle and Museum**
- **Open 7 days at Balhousie Castle, Hay Street, Perth**
  The Black Watch Castle and Museum is a Five Star Visitor attraction based in Perth which includes The Black Watch Museum, the Copper Beech Cafe and an excellent gift shop. The Museum is housed in the dramatic and historic Balhousie Castle which itself is set in beautiful gardens and grounds. A visit to this ancestral home of The Black Watch truly brings this glorious regiment’s past vibrantly to life.

**Perth Concert Hall**
- **Open Monday - Saturday (Sunday if show on) at Mill Street, Perth**
  Perth’s stunning concert hall offers a year-round programme of music, theatre and visual art and of course, comedy, dance and film. Look out for their fabulous Southern Fried Festival in summer 2016, and for the unique Threshold artspace, Perth’s one of a kind museum for contemporary art which presents curated international exhibitions daily.

**Birnam Arts Centre**
- **Open 7 days at Station Road, Dunkeld**
  The Birnam Arts Centre is a fantastic multi-purpose arts, conferencing and entertainment venue encompassing the fantastic Foyer Cafe, Potter’s Junction Gift Shop and the Beatrix Potter Exhibition. Book into one of the amazing shows, pop in to the Foyer Cafe for breakfast or enjoy a light lunch whilst browsing on the free WiFi or browse around upstairs to view the latest monthly art exhibitions.

**Pitlochry Festival Theatre**
- **Open 7 days at Port Na Craig, Pitlochry**
  Occupying a magnificent setting on the banks of the Tummel River, surrounded by the spectacular scenery of Highland Perthshire, PFT enjoys an international reputation for the high quality and scale of its productions. Boasting a unique repertoire system which allows visitors to see a different show every night of the week - two on matinee days – we recommend you look out this summer for Damsels in Distress, an Alan Ackbourn trilogy, and the wonderul Carousel.

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