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4-18 July '09

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Key:  Shop opening hours **Tickets:**  Advance booking  On the door Note: Information correct at time of going to press.

Event	Title	Address and contact information	Dates '09	Times	Tickets	
Bath	Local MP Don Foster at Bookfest launch	Oxfam Shop, 4/5 Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	4 July			
	Meet Agnes Nairn in-store	Oxfam Shop, 4/5 Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	7 July	7pm - 9pm	 £2  free	
	Jackie Herring on Jane Austen and Bath	Oxfam Shop, 4/5 Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	9 July	6.30pm - 9pm	 £2  free	
	Tim Liardet introduces students poems	Oxfam Shop, 4/5 Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	10 July		 £2  free	
	Barefoot Books for pre-school age group	Oxfam Shop, 4/5 Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	11 July	11am and 1pm		
	Sally Carr, Angela Cleland & Jill Harrison	Oxfam Shop, 4/5 Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	15 July	6.30pm	 £2  free	
	Andrew Miller reads from his latest novel	Chapel Arts Centre, Lower Borough, BA1 1QR. Tel: 01225 469776	16 July	7.30pm	 £3  £3	
Bicester	Tea and coffee while you browse	Oxfam Shop, 38 Sheep Street, OX27 7LT. Tel: 01869 246735	4, 11 July			
	Bideford	Recommended holiday reads	Oxfam Shop, 58 High Street, EX39 2QE. Tel: 01237 472581	4 - 18 July		
		Quiz	Oxfam Shop, 58 High Street, EX39 2QE. Tel: 01237 472581	4 - 18 July		
	Storytelling in the shop	Oxfam Shop, 13a Bridgeland Street, EX39 2QE. Tel: 01237 472581	4 - 18 July			
Bridport	Children's LadyBird Books competition	Oxfam Shop, 20 West Street, DT6 3QP. Tel: 01308 422117	4 - 18 July			
	Bristol	Bristol: A guided tour	Oxfam Shop, 56 Cotham Hill, BS6 6JX. Tel: 0117 9467443	9 July	7pm - 9pm	
		Edward Lear's Epilepsy: Charles Lawson	Oxfam Shop, 56 Cotham Hill, BS6 6JX. Tel: 0117 9467443	14 July	7.30pm - 9.30pm	
	Memories of William Golding by his daughter	Oxfam Shop, 56 Cotham Hill, BS6 6JX. Tel: 0117 9467443	16 July	7.30pm - 9.30pm		
Budleigh Salterton	Summer reading fortnight	Oxfam Shop, 58 High Street, EX9 6LE. Tel: 01395 445436	4 - 18 July			
Cirencester	Book collecting evenings	Oxfam Shop, 7 West Market Place, GL7 2NH. Tel: 01285 658726	6 - 8 July			
Eastleigh	Children's story time	Oxfam Shop, 29 High Street, SO5 5LF. Tel: 02380 610917	4, 11 July	10.30am - 11.30am		
Exeter	Simon Hall book signing	Oxfam Shop, 97 South Street, EX1 1EN. Tel: 01392 253796	11 July	4pm - 5pm		
Exmouth	Summer reading fortnight	Oxfam Shop, 47 The Parade, EX8 1RD. Tel: 01395 279813	4 - 18 July			
Farnham	Children's story time	Oxfam Shop, 4 East Street, GU9 7RX. Tel: 01252 821354	25 July			
Keynsham	Open mic poetry night	Oxfam Shop, 57 High Street, BS31 1DS. Tel: 0117 9861055	16 July	from 7.30pm		
	Children's story time	Oxfam Shop, 57 High Street, BS31 1DS. Tel: 0117 9861055	11 July	Morning		
Liskeard	Competitions, readings, family events	Oxfam Shop, Stuart House, Barras Street, PL14 6AB. Tel: 01579 347053	27 June - 3 July			
	Marlborough	Bookfest launch	Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	4 July	from 10am	
Oxfam in Africa by Mary Malpas, from Oxfam		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	6 July	7.30pm		
Evening of music & comedy		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	7 July	from 7.30pm	 £3	
Lantern workshop with Roger Day		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	8 July	7.30pm - 9.30pm	 £5	
Crime & Coffee		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	9 July	7.30pm - 9.30pm	 £3.50	
Jazz Festival: Vinyls, CDs and books		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	10, 11, 12 July	open till 9pm		
Lantern walk with Roger Day		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	14 July	7.30pm - 9.30pm	 £5	
Literary walk of Marlborough		Oxfam Shop, 29b High Street, SN8 1LW. Tel: 01672 515932	16 July	7.30pm - 9.30pm	 £3	
Puppets & picnic		Marlborough Scout Hall, George Lane, SN8 4BX. Tel: 01672 515932	18 July	10am - 1pm	 £2	
Literary quiz		Roebuck Inn, London Road, SN8 4AJ. Tel: 01672 515932	19 July	from 7.30pm	 £5	
Monmouth		Short story competition: 11-18 years	Oxfam Shop, 14 Agincourt Square, NP25 3DY. Tel: 0160 071 2499	17 April - 10 July		
		Travel books promotion	Oxfam Shop, 14 Agincourt Square, NP25 3DY. Tel: 0160 071 2499	4 - 18 July		
		Pulitzer/Booker prize winner books	Oxfam Shop, 14 Agincourt Square, NP25 3DY. Tel: 0160 071 2499	4 - 18 July		
		Design a poster competition	Oxfam Shop, 14 Agincourt Square, NP25 3DY. Tel: 0160 071 2499	4 - 18 July		
Newton Abbott		Short story competition across four shops	Oxfam Shop, 6 Market Walk, TQ12 2RX. Tel: 01626 352376	1 June - 18 July		
	Buy and return a book - and get a free book	Oxfam Shop, 6 Market Walk, TQ12 2RX. Tel: 01626 352376	1 June - 18 July			
	Local history display	Oxfam Shop, 6 Market Walk, TQ12 2RX. Tel: 01626 352376	4 - 18 July			
	Stock a library with Oxfam Unwrapped	Oxfam Shop, 6 Market Walk, TQ12 2RX. Tel: 01626 352376	4 - 18 July			
Oxford	Ox-Tales launch at the Oxford Playhouse	Oxford Playhouse, Beaumont Street, OX1 2LW. Tel: 01865 305305				
		Contact Oxford Playhouse or visit www.oxfordplayhouse.com	3 July	5pm - 7.30pm	 £8.50 	
	Travel books display	Oxfam Shop, 133/135 Cowley Road, OX4 1HU. Tel: 01865 722951	4 - 18 July			
	Volunteer and customer recommendations	Oxfam Shop, 133/135 Cowley Road, OX4 1HU. Tel: 01865 722951	4 - 18 July			
Romsey	Volunteers' favourite reads	Oxfam Shop, 5 Cornmarket Street, SO51 3GB. Tel: 01794 517855	4 - 18 July			
Ross on Wye	Happy Talk: Talk and signing by Ruth Searle	Oxfam Shop, 46 Broad Street, HR9 7DY. Tel: 01989 565005	10 July	7pm - 9pm		
	Signed books on local history promotion	Oxfam Shop, 19 High Street, SP7 8JS. Tel: 01747 854636	4 - 18 July			
Shaftesbury	Tudor Fortnight	Oxfam Shop, 91 Cheap Street, DT9 3LS. Tel: 01935 812983	4 - 18 July			
	Medieval recorder concert, Elizabethan fare	Oxfam Shop, 91 Cheap Street, DT9 3LS. Tel: 01935 812983	11 July	12pm - 2pm		
Southampton	Celebrate Ox-Tales	Oxfam Shop, 31 London Rd, SO15 2AD. Tel: 02380 710406	4 - 18 July			
	Swanage	Extended shopping hours	Oxfam Shop, 21/21a Institute Road, BH19 1BT. Tel: 0192 942 5739	4 - 18 July		
Swansea		Exhibition of poetry by Ceri Thomas and photographs by Deepa Praveen	Oxfam Shop, 34 Castle Street, SA1 1HZ. Tel: 0179 265 4710	4 - 18 July		
	Exhibition opening night: meet Ceri Thomas and Deepa Praveen	Oxfam Shop, 34 Castle Street, SA1 1HZ. Tel: 0179 265 4710	6 July	from 7.30pm		
	Catrin Dafydd reading	Oxfam Shop, 34 Castle Street, SA1 1HZ. Tel: 0179 265 4710	9 July	from 7.30pm		
	CREATE night: poetry, film, music + knitting	Oxfam Shop, 34 Castle Street, SA1 1HZ. Tel: 0179 265 4710	14 July	from 7.30pm		
Taunton	A celebration of children's books	Oxfam Shop, 2-4 The Bridge, TA1 1UG. Tel: 01823 270205	4 - 18 July			
	Teignmouth	Buy and return a book - and get a free book	Oxfam Shop, 3 Den Road, TQ14 8AJ. Tel: 01626 774922	1 June - 18 July		
		Short story competition	Oxfam Shop, 3 Den Road, TQ14 8AJ. Tel: 01626 774922	1 June - 18 July		
	Children's lucky dip	Oxfam Shop, 3 Den Road, TQ14 8AJ. Tel: 01626 774922	4 - 18 July			
	School-sponsored book reading	Oxfam Shop, 3 Den Road, TQ14 8AJ. Tel: 01626 774922	4 - 18 July			
	Guess the book	Oxfam Shop, 3 Den Road, TQ14 8AJ. Tel: 01626 774922	4 - 18 July			
Thame	Sealed bid auction	Oxfam Shop, 9B Cornmarket, OX9 3DX. Tel: 01844 214645	4 - 18 July			
	Tiverton	Gardening promotion with specialist's tips	Oxfam Shop, 10 Fore Street, EX16 6LH. Tel: 01884 243203	4 - 11 July		
		Pampering in shop with massage specialist	Oxfam Shop, 10 Fore Street, EX16 6LH. Tel: 01884 243203	12 - 18 July		
Torquay	Short story competition across four shops	Oxfam Shop, 26 Fore Street, St Marychurch, TQ1 4LY. Tel: 01803 325900	1 June - 18 July			
	Buy and return a book - and get a free book	Oxfam Shop, 26 Fore Street, St Marychurch, TQ1 4LY. Tel: 01803 325900	1 June - 18 July			
	Short story competition across four shops	Oxfam Shop, 95 Union Street, TQ1 3DW. Tel: 01803 297346	1 June - 18 July			
	Buy and return a book - and get a free book	Oxfam Shop, 95 Union Street, TQ1 3DW. Tel: 01803 297346	1 June - 18 July			
Totnes	Literary walk	Oxfam Shop, 60 High Street, TQ9 5SQ. Tel: 01803 864062	9 July	from 8pm		
Trowbridge	Children's writing competition	Oxfam Shop, 5 Silver Street, BA14 8AA. Tel: 01225 752133	4 - 18 July			
Wallingford	Come and read our poems	Oxfam Shop, 54 St Marys Street, OX10 0EL. Tel: 01491 835831	4 - 18 July			
Wantage	Literary quiz with a local flavour	Oxfam Shop, 30 Market Place, OX12 8AJ. Tel: 01235 766857	4 - 18 July			
	Guess the sold price	Oxfam Shop, 30 Market Place, OX12 8AJ. Tel: 01235 766857	4 - 18 July			
	Design a book mark competition	Oxfam Shop, 30 Market Place, OX12 8AJ. Tel: 01235 766857	4 - 18 July			
	Design a book mark competition	Oxfam Shop, 37 South Street, TA21 8NR. Tel: 01823 667031	4 - 18 July			
Wellington	Literary quiz	Oxfam Shop, 74 Parchment Street, SO23 8AT. Tel: 01962 841627	1 - 31 July			
Winchester	Rare, collectable and interesting books	Oxfam Shop, 14 High Street, OX28 6BH. Tel: 01993 776985	4 - 18 July			
Witney	Weird and wonderful book week	Oxfam Shop, 79 Middle Street, BA20 1LN. Tel: 01935 476621	4 - 11 July			
Yeovil	Oxfam meets the world of sci-fi	Oxfam Shop, 79 Middle Street, BA20 1LN. Tel: 01935 476621	4 July			
	Transport books promotion	Oxfam Shop, 79 Middle Street, BA20 1LN. Tel: 01935 476621	11 - 18 July			

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Rhyl	Chester College designs for Bookfest	Oxfam Shop, 83 High Street, LL18 1TR. Tel: 0174 533 7087	4 - 18 July	
Mold	Chester College designs for Bookfest	Oxfam Shop, 6 Daniel Owen Centre, CH71AP. Tel: 0135 275 7156	4 - 18 July	
Porthmadog	Local schools design posters for Bookfest	Oxfam Shop, 10 Lombard Street, LL49 9AP. Tel: 0176 6513 448	4 - 18 July	

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