



The 2016 Colonsay Spring Festival

Mon 25th April to Sun 15th May 2016

This will be the sixth year that the Spring Fest has been staged ...which means to date we have had 15 weeks of Spring frivolities on Colonsay!

**great atmosphere | great variety of events | great place to be
what's not to like....?**

A typical couple of days at the festival might look like this: –

10am Guided Nature Walk to Colonsay's most westerly point (tickets £5)

10.30am Book Binding Workshop (tickets £12 inc materials)

2pm Etching Workshop (tickets £12 inc materials)

8pm Foraging for Wild Foods - an evening talk (tickets £4)

10.30am An Introduction to Drystone Walling (tickets £8)

10.30am Basket Weaving (tickets £12 inc materials)

2pm Farm Walk (tickets £5)

2pm Colonsay Ferns - a guided walk (tickets £5)

8pm Wild Colonsay - sound pictures of the Island (tickets £4)

The full 3 week programme can be viewed at www.colonsayevents.co.uk

Monday May 2nd will be an evening to remember on Colonsay. For the first time we're hosting a very special **dinner and auction** in aid of the many events and activities we strive to offer each year. We've got the much admired and respected Auctioneer John Mackie from Lyon & Turnbull to guide us through the Lots on the night. There'll be a selection of interesting, fun and unusual Lots to bid for – everything from a day on a fish farm with salmon producers Marine Harvest, a Hebridean sky flight with the Alex Howard, and trying your hand at sheep shearing - to name but a few. There'll also be a Silent Auction with hampers and artworks and alcohol, and a buffet dinner produced with Colonsay salmon and beef, wine, coffee and live music from our very own musicians.

Look out for the flyer with details of all the Lots. It promises to be a fabulous night.

Come along; eat, drink and be merry!

Tickets are £15.00, so if you want to book contact Sarah Hobhouse on 01951 200318 or

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