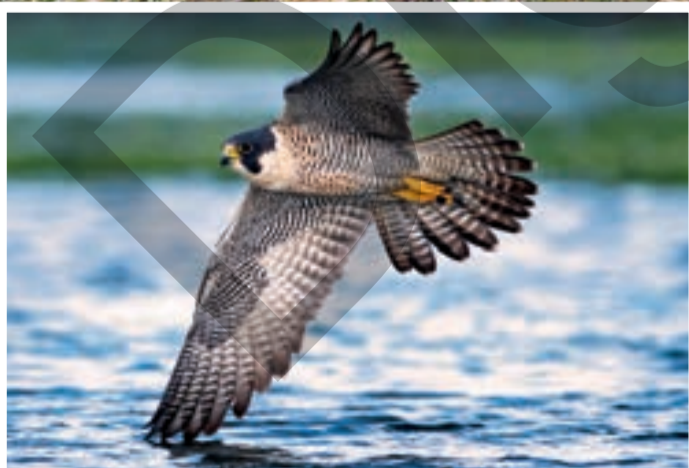


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SUNRISE LAKELAND VISTA

Loughrigg Fell, Cumbria and Peregrine Falcon
 Loughrigg Fell sits in a prominent, isolated position at the junction of five major valley systems, with panoramic views of the Central Fells and the Langdale Pikes. Loughrigg Tarn, below, is a beautiful, secluded tarn, almost circular in form, with many aquatic plants around the margins. Seen on mountainous terrain, moorland and cliffs, the peregrine falcon is a stunning bird in flight. It is a skilful hunter, circling high overhead and dramatically swooping down to feed on smaller birds.

January 2026	
1	Thu <small>New Year's Day</small>
2	Fri <small>Bank Holiday (Scotland)</small>
3	Sat
4	Sun
5	Mon <small>Wk 2</small>
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January 2026

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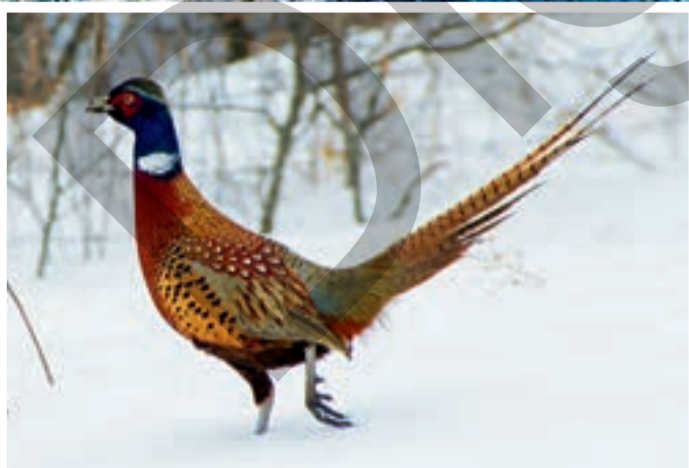
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February 2026

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1 New Year's Day 2 Bank Holiday (Scotland)



TREES AND GRASS COATED IN HOAR FROST

Winter landscape in Somerset and Pheasant

Somerset is characterised by a diversity of landscapes, ranging from the high open remote downland, ancient forests and woodland, and dramatic steep escarpment slopes, to more secluded chalk river valleys with their distinctive pattern of settlement. The pheasant is common here. It rises rapidly in the air almost vertically if disturbed from its nest in the undergrowth, with wings whirring and a loud crowing, but lacks the stamina for sustained flight. The male is colourful with a long tail.

February 2026

1	Sun	
2	Mon	Bank Holiday (Eire) Wk 6
3	Tue	
4	Wed	
5	Thu	
6	Fri	
7	Sat	
8	Sun	
9	Mon	Wk 7
10	Tue	
11	Wed	
12	Thu	
13	Fri	
14	Sat	
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16	Mon	Wk 8
17	Tue	
18	Wed	
19	Thu	
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24	Tue	
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February 2026

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January 2026

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March 2026

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RIPPLED SANDS AND SWEEPING DUNES

Formby, Merseyside and Natterjack Toad

Formby nature reserve encompasses a diverse landscape, from pine woodland to a stunning beach, one of the largest dune systems in Europe, covered by marram grass, and with amazing coastal vistas. The pinewoods form a windbreak for the fields growing the crop of Formby asparagus. The rare natterjack toad breeds in warm, shallow pools on dunes and sandy heaths in just a few UK locations. Smaller than the common toad, with a yellow stripe down its back, it tends to run instead of walking or hopping.

March 2026	
1 Sun	St David's Day (Wales)
2 Mon	Wk 10
3 Tue	
4 Wed	
5 Thu	
6 Fri	
7 Sat	
8 Sun	
9 Mon	Wk 11
10 Tue	
11 Wed	
12 Thu	
13 Fri	
14 Sat	
15 Sun	
16 Mon	Wk 12
17 Tue	St Patrick's Day (BH N Ireland/Eire)
18 Wed	
19 Thu	
20 Fri	
21 Sat	
22 Sun	
23 Mon	Wk 13
24 Tue	
25 Wed	
26 Thu	
27 Fri	
28 Sat	
29 Sun	British Summertime starts
30 Mon	Wk 14
31 Tue	

March 2026

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February 2026

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April 2026

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18	27	28	29	30			



MOSAIC OF COLOURFUL FLORA ON WELSH HILLSIDE

Mynydd Carningli, Pembrokeshire and Wild Pony

This 349m-high mountain, with far-reaching views, is the site of an Iron Age hillfort, one of the oldest in west Wales. The area is important for many rare species of plants. A small herd of hardy Welsh wild ponies graze the heathland, which helps prevent the spread of scrub and bracken, and restores the condition of the heath. There are several native UK species of wild pony roaming freely across many wild parts of Britain, known for their hardiness, endurance and a reliable, calm temperament.

April 2026

1	Wed	
2	Thu	
3	Fri	Good Friday
4	Sat	
5	Sun	
6	Mon	Easter Monday Wk 15
7	Tue	
8	Wed	
9	Thu	
10	Fri	
11	Sat	
12	Sun	
13	Mon	Wk 16
14	Tue	
15	Wed	
16	Thu	
17	Fri	
18	Sat	
19	Sun	
20	Mon	Wk 17
21	Tue	
22	Wed	
23	Thu	St George's Day (England)
24	Fri	
25	Sat	
26	Sun	
27	Mon	Wk 18
28	Tue	
29	Wed	
30	Thu	

April 2026

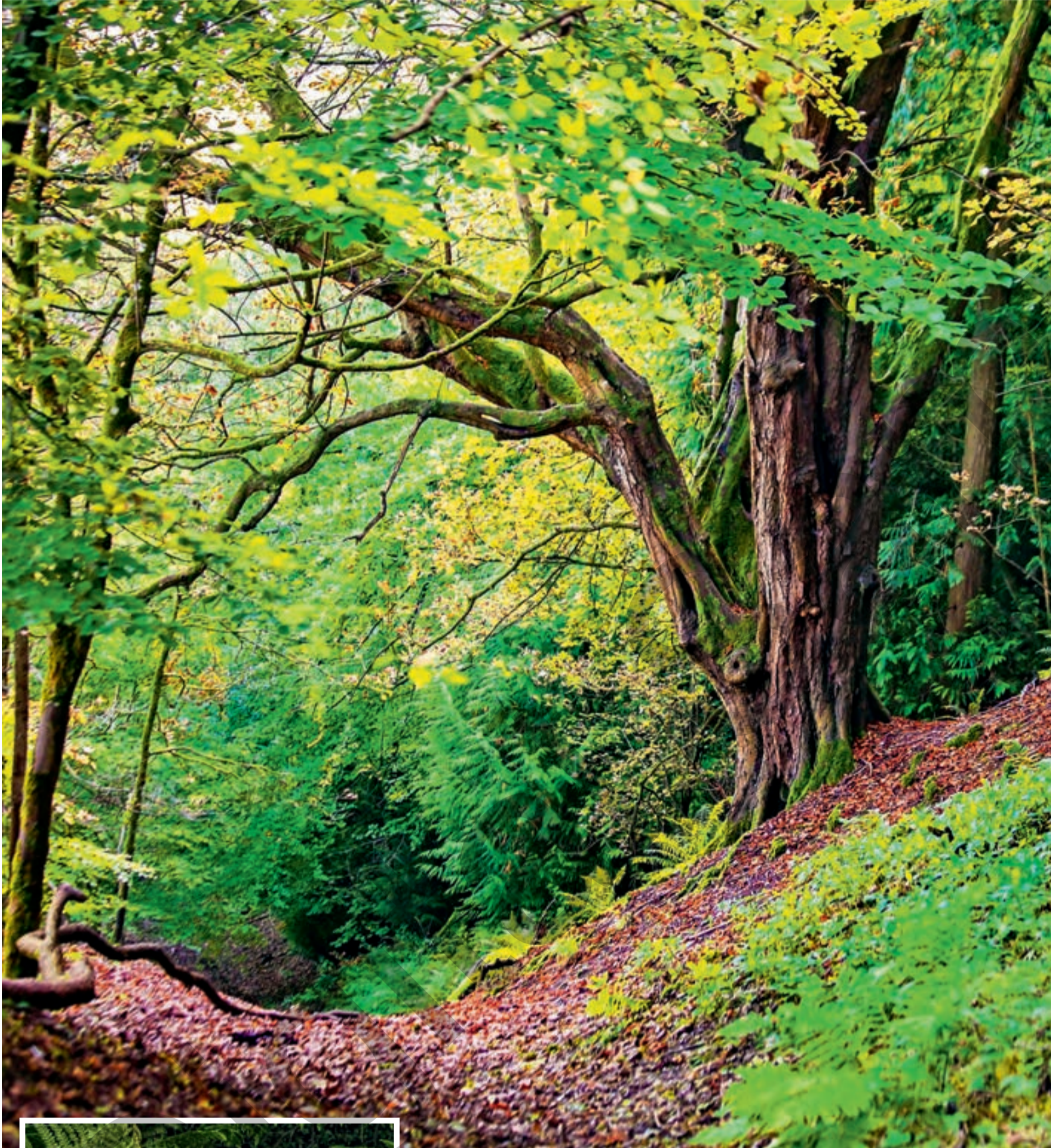
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March 2026

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May 2026

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GNARLED TREE IN UNDULATING DELL

Beech forest in Westbury, Wiltshire and Badger

Many of the clumps of beech on the Wiltshire downs were established in the 19th century, often planted for shelter next to old trackways, but also for their visual effect on the landscape. The market town of Westbury is overlooked by the Westbury White Horse chalk hill figure, probably first cut in the 18th century. Badgers are territorial, keeping to the same woodland tracks. Living in a sett, a system of underground tunnels, they emerge at night to search for worms, insects and berries.

May 2026

1	Fri	
2	Sat	
3	Sun	
4	Mon	Bank Holiday Wk 19
5	Tue	
6	Wed	
7	Thu	
8	Fri	
9	Sat	
10	Sun	
11	Mon	Wk 20
12	Tue	
13	Wed	
14	Thu	
15	Fri	
16	Sat	
17	Sun	
18	Mon	Wk 21
19	Tue	
20	Wed	
21	Thu	
22	Fri	
23	Sat	
24	Sun	
25	Mon	Bank Holiday Wk 22
26	Tue	
27	Wed	
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29	Fri	
30	Sat	
31	Sun	

May 2026

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April 2026

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June 2026

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IDYLIC RIVER FLOWING THROUGH LUSH DALE
River Wharfe, Burnsall, Yorkshire Dales and Brown Trout

This lovely village in Wharfedale lies on a bend in the beautiful River Wharfe, with stunning fells all around. It was once an Anglo-Viking settlement and rare carved Viking stones are found in the church. The Dales Way long-distance trail runs nearby. The River Wharfe is popular for fly fishing and is a fine habitat for brown trout. Widespread in freshwater rivers in the UK, it has a golden body, flanked with pale-ringed dark spots. It is a fierce predator of small fish and flying insects.

June 2026

1	Mon	Bank Holiday (Eire)	Wk 23
2	Tue		
3	Wed		
4	Thu		
5	Fri		
6	Sat		
7	Sun		
8	Mon		Wk 24
9	Tue		
10	Wed		
11	Thu		
12	Fri		
13	Sat		
14	Sun		
15	Mon		Wk 25
16	Tue		
17	Wed		
18	Thu		
19	Fri		
20	Sat		
21	Sun	Longest Day	
22	Mon		Wk 26
23	Tue		
24	Wed		
25	Thu		
26	Fri		
27	Sat		
28	Sun		
29	Mon		Wk 27
30	Tue		

June 2026

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May 2026

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July 2026

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31	27	28	29	30	31		



POPPIES DANCING IN THE BREEZE

Poppy field near Corbridge, Northumberland and Weasel
 Sunlight illuminates a field of scarlet poppies, which thrive in uncultivated fields, producing a vibrant carpet of colour. Situated near Hadrian's Wall, Corbridge was once the most northerly town in the Roman Empire, known as Coria, where a fort was established in AD 85. The weasel is the UK's smallest carnivore, making its habitat in lowland pasture, woodland, marshland and moors, where prey is plentiful. Its small, narrow body allows it to search through tunnels and runways of mice and voles.

July 2026

1	Wed	
2	Thu	
3	Fri	
4	Sat	
5	Sun	
6	Mon	Wk 28
7	Tue	
8	Wed	
9	Thu	
10	Fri	
11	Sat	
12	Sun	
13	Mon	Bank Holiday (N Ireland) Wk 29
14	Tue	
15	Wed	
16	Thu	
17	Fri	
18	Sat	
19	Sun	
20	Mon	Wk 30
21	Tue	
22	Wed	
23	Thu	
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25	Sat	
26	Sun	
27	Mon	Wk 31
28	Tue	
29	Wed	
30	Thu	
31	Fri	

July 2026

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June 2026

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27	29	30					

August 2026

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35	24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30



SHARPLY CONTOURED CHALK SEA STACKS
Old Harry Rocks, Dorset and Lion's Mane Jellyfish
 Old Harry Rocks were once part of a long stretch of chalk cliffs, eroded by the sea. The chalk sea stacks form the tip of Ballard Down, the headland sheltering beautiful Studland Bay, with stunning views along the Jurassic Coast. The lion's mane jellyfish uses its stinging tentacles to capture, pull in, and eat prey such as fish, zooplankton, sea creatures and smaller jellyfish. It is found in cold waters around the UK, including the English Channel, and is one of the largest species of jellyfish.

August 2026	
1	Sat
2	Sun
3	Mon <small>Bank Holiday (Scotland & Eire)</small>
4	Tue
5	Wed
6	Thu
7	Fri
8	Sat
9	Sun
10	Mon <small>Wk 33</small>
11	Tue
12	Wed
13	Thu
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15	Sat
16	Sun
17	Mon <small>Wk 34</small>
18	Tue
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21	Fri
22	Sat
23	Sun
24	Mon <small>Wk 35</small>
25	Tue
26	Wed
27	Thu
28	Fri
29	Sat
30	Sun <small>Bank Holiday (excl. Scotland)</small>
31	Mon <small>Wk 36</small>

August 2026

wk	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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34	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
35	24/ 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

3 Bank Holiday (Scotland & Eire) 31 Bank Holiday (excl. Scotland)

July 2026

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September 2026

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39	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
40	28	29	30				



PURPLE HEATHER IN BLOOM ON WINDSWEEP MOOR
 Near Bamford, Peak District, Derbyshire and Nightingale
 Bamford is a pretty village in the Hope Valley, a wide valley separating the deeply carved limestone dales of the 'White Peak', and the gritstone edges and moors of the 'Dark Peak'. Bamford Edge, an overhang of gritstone rock, is to the north, while the three Upper Derwent Valley reservoirs lie to the south. Nightingales nest in dense scrub, from where they sing their beautiful, melodious song by day and at night; hence their name. These summer visitors are shy, secretive brown birds, rarely seen.

September 2026

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3	Thu	
4	Fri	
5	Sat	
6	Sun	
7	Mon	Wk 37
8	Tue	
9	Wed	
10	Thu	
11	Fri	
12	Sat	
13	Sun	
14	Mon	Wk 38
15	Tue	
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29	Tue	
30	Wed	

September 2026

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August 2026

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October 2026

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WOODED BANKS OF FAMOUS SCOTTISH LOCH

Loch Lomond, Argyll and Bute, and Pipistrelle Bat
 Loch Lomond is the largest freshwater lake in mainland UK, 39km long by 9km wide, and lies on the Highland Boundary Fault. It has many lovely bays and 37 wooded islands, and is popular with sailors, water sports enthusiasts and fell walkers. Ben Lomond (974m) dominates the tranquil eastern shore of Loch Lomond near its northern end. The pipistrelle is the UK's smallest and most common bat. It is nocturnal, emerging at night to feed on flying insects that it finds in the dark by using echolocation.

October 2026

1	Thu	
2	Fri	
3	Sat	
4	Sun	
5	Mon	Wk 41
6	Tue	
7	Wed	
8	Thu	
9	Fri	
10	Sat	
11	Sun	
12	Mon	Wk 42
13	Tue	
14	Wed	
15	Thu	
16	Fri	
17	Sat	
18	Sun	
19	Mon	Wk 43
20	Tue	
21	Wed	
22	Thu	
23	Fri	
24	Sat	
25	Sun	British Summertime ends
26	Mon	Bank Holiday (Eire) Wk 44
27	Tue	
28	Wed	
29	Thu	
30	Fri	
31	Sat	

October 2026

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September 2026

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November 2026

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47	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
48	23/30	24	25	26	27	28	29



WATER RUSHES THROUGH WOODED VALLEY

Kennall Vale Nature Reserve, Cornwall and Common Shrew
 Kennall Vale was the site of a gunpowder factory in the 19th century. The fast-flowing River Kennall, cascading down the valley, provided a source of power. It was diverted into leats that powered waterwheels. Today, everything is carpeted in a layer of green moss with ferns and trees. The site is managed by the Cornwall Wildlife Trust and is a haven for woodland life, such as the common shrew. This small, insectivorous mammal has tiny eyes and a large nose, giving it a keen sense of smell.

November 2026	
1	Sun
2	Mon Wk 45
3	Tue
4	Wed
5	Thu
6	Fri
7	Sat
8	Sun
9	Mon Wk 46
10	Tue
11	Wed
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14	Sat
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16	Mon Wk 47
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21	Sat
22	Sun
23	Mon Wk 48
24	Tue
25	Wed
26	Thu
27	Fri
28	Sat
29	Sun
30	Mon St Andrew's Day (Scotland) Wk 49

November 2026

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October 2026

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December 2026

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SUN RADIATING THROUGH SNOWY WOODLAND
Epping Forest, Essex and Muntjac Deer

This ancient woodland is the largest public open space in the London area, at almost 6,000 acres. A former royal hunting forest, it was saved from destruction in the 19th century, and its ownership and care entrusted to the Corporation of London. Woods with good ground cover are a habitat for small muntjac deer, who browse the undergrowth. Introduced from China in the early 20th century, it is now common in south-east England. Male muntjacs have short, unbranched antlers that slope backwards.

December 2026

1	Tue	
2	Wed	
3	Thu	
4	Fri	
5	Sat	
6	Sun	
7	Mon	Wk 50
8	Tue	
9	Wed	
10	Thu	
11	Fri	
12	Sat	
13	Sun	
14	Mon	Wk 51
15	Tue	
16	Wed	
17	Thu	
18	Fri	
19	Sat	
20	Sun	
21	Mon	Shortest Day Wk 52
22	Tue	
23	Wed	
24	Thu	
25	Fri	Christmas Day
26	Sat	Boxing Day
27	Sun	
28	Mon	Bank Holiday Wk 53
29	Tue	
30	Wed	
31	Thu	

December 2026

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November 2026

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January 2027

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