



Quality Craft Fairs  
in the Southwest

Established 1992

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Dear

Welcome to the  
**West Country Craft Fairs**  
Programme of events for 2019

*Please complete and return your forms  
as soon as possible*

Regards

**2019 Quality Arts & Crafts Fairs, Festivals And Shows**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

**BEFORE RETURNING** your Booking Form please telephone to find out availability as our events fill very quickly

**Saturday  
26<sup>th</sup> January**

**THE CITY OF WELLS INDOOR MARKET  
A Quality Craft Antiques & Gift Fair**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

*England's  
smallest city*

**Saturday  
23<sup>rd</sup> February**

**THE CITY OF WELLS INDOOR MARKET  
A Quality Craft, Antiques & Gift Fair**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
16<sup>th</sup> March**

**WELLS SPRING CRAFT FAIR**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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Smallest city*

**Saturday  
23<sup>rd</sup> March**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
19<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SPRING CRAFT FAIR**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

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**Easter Weekend  
Good Friday &  
Easter Saturday  
19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> April**

**MID SOMERSET'S 25<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
EASTER FESTIVAL OF ARTS AND CRAFTS**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

*One of the South  
West's busiest  
craft events at  
Easter*

**Saturday  
27<sup>th</sup> April**

**THE GLASTONBURY 13<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
SPRING CRAFT & GIFT MARKET**  
Glastonbury Town Hall,  
Glastonbury, Somerset

*Next to  
Glastonbury  
Abbey*

**Saturday  
4<sup>th</sup> May**

**THE SHERBORNE 14<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
MAY DAY CRAFT FAIR**  
The Digby Church Hall, Digby Road,  
Sherborne, Dorset

*Opposite  
The Abbey*

**Saturday  
25<sup>th</sup> May**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
SPRING BANK HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
8<sup>th</sup> June**

**THE CITY OF WELLS SUMMER CRAFT FAIR  
A QUALITY CRAFT & GIFT FAIR**  
*Wells Town Hall  
Wells, Somerset*

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**Saturday  
6<sup>th</sup> July**

**SHERBORNE'S 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SUMMER  
CRAFTS & GIFT FAIR**  
The Digby Church Hall, Digby Road,  
Sherborne, Dorset

*Opposite  
The Abbey*

**Saturday  
27<sup>th</sup> July**

**THE CITY OF WELLS 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
SUMMER ARTISAN MARKET  
(Handmade Craft & Gifts)**  
Wells Town Hall  
Wells, Somerset

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**Bank Holiday Monday  
26<sup>th</sup> August**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
31<sup>st</sup> August**

**THE CITY OF WELLS 22<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL  
SUMMER CRAFT FAIR**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
28<sup>th</sup> September**

**THE CITY OF WELLS 22<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL  
AUTUMN CRAFT FAIR**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
12<sup>th</sup> October**

**THE 23<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL GLASTONBURY  
AUTUM CRAFT FAIR**  
Glastonbury Town Hall,  
Glastonbury, Somerset

*Next to  
Glastonbury  
Abbey*

**Wednesday  
16<sup>th</sup> October**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
AUTUMN CRAFT AND GIFT MARKET**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
19<sup>th</sup> October**

**THE SHERBORNE'S 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
AUTUMN CRAFT FAIR**  
The Digby Church Hall, Digby Road,  
Sherborne, Dorset

*Opposite  
The Abbey*

**Saturday  
26<sup>th</sup> October**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
AUTUMN CRAFT FAIR**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Wednesday  
30<sup>th</sup> October**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
AUTUMN CRAFT AND GIFT MARKET**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
2<sup>nd</sup> November**

**THE CITY OF WELLS ANNUAL  
CHRISTMAS ARTISAN MARKET**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
9<sup>th</sup> November**

**THE CITY OF WELLS 20<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
CHRISTMAS CRAFT & GIFT MARKET**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

*Busy Christmas  
Shopping  
Weekend*

**Wednesday  
13<sup>th</sup> November**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
CHRISTMAS CRAFT AND GIFT MARKET**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
16<sup>th</sup> November**

**CRAFTS FOR CHRISTMAS  
THE 22<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL MID SOMERSET  
CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

*Carnival Weekend  
The busiest weekend of  
the year in England's  
smallest city*

**Saturday  
23<sup>rd</sup> November**

**CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR**  
The Seager Hall,  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Wednesday  
27<sup>th</sup> November**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
CHRISTMAS CRAFT AND GIFT MARKET**  
The Seager Hall  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday & Sunday  
30<sup>th</sup> November &  
1<sup>st</sup> December**

**SHERBORNE'S 16<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
CRAFTS FOR CHRISTMAS**  
The Digby Church Hall, Digby Road,  
Sherborne, Dorset

*Don't miss Sherborne's  
Christmas Craft Event  
of the year & one of  
Dorset's busiest*

**Saturday  
7<sup>th</sup> December**

**SHERBORNE'S 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHRISTMAS  
CRAFT & GIFT FAIR**  
The Digby Church Hall, Digby Road,  
Sherborne, Dorset

*One of Dorset's busiest  
Christmas markets  
Opposite The Abbey*

**Wednesday  
11<sup>th</sup> December**

**THE CITY OF WELLS  
CHRISTMAS CRAFT & GIFT FAIR**  
The Seager Hall  
Union Street, Wells, Somerset

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**Saturday  
14<sup>th</sup> December**

**THE CITY OF WELLS 21<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL  
CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR**  
Wells Town Hall,  
Wells, Somerset

*Busy Christmas  
Shopping Weekend*

## BOOKING FORMS

To avoid disappointment, please complete and return the enclosed booking forms as soon as possible as our Craft Fairs fill up very quickly.

**Deposits** - a £10 non-refundable and non transferable deposit is required for each show booked (i.e. 5 shows = £50).

**Balances** - Post-dated cheques for balances **must** accompany your booking form, dated one month prior to each event.

**Alternatively** – If you wish to pay by Bank Transfer please ensure you tag your name with your payment. All balances **must** be received one month prior to the event. Please be responsible for your balance payment as West Country Fairs will not contact you, and your stand/space will be re-let.

Also, please contact West Country Fairs first to ensure there are spaces available on 01749 677049.

Our Bank details are as follows:

West Country Fairs

Lloyds Bank

Sort code: 30-99-29

Account Number: 01030164

**Electricity** is provided free at all our venues, but please note that power points are very limited at Wells.

Please bring your own extensions leads, multi-plug sockets and lighting to all shows - Exhibitors are responsible for ensuring that all of their electrical equipment has been P.A.T. tested.

*N.B. No halogen lighting is allowed at Wells Town Hall.*

**Tables and chairs** are provided free of charge at all our venues. Please state whether or not you require tables.

**Demonstrations** are an added attraction to the public and, as they often help to boost sales, we encourage exhibitors to demonstrate their craft whenever possible. If you need extra demonstrating space, please mention it in the special requirements section of your booking form. *N.B. Demonstration space is limited and is only available at our larger events of 50+ stands.*

**Cancellations** - Should you for any reason need to cancel your booking, please contact us as soon as possible *in writing five weeks before the event* so that your space/stand can be offered to another exhibitor on our waiting list. You will be given credit for the balance only if your space/stand can be filled.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Venues

**Glastonbury Town Hall** is situated next to the Abbey. This historic Somerset town is known for its spiritual and healing experiences and is famous for its Tor.

**Wells Seager Hall**, set in a Medieval Street next to the City's main car park next to the busy High Street.

**Sherborne - The Digby Church Hall** is situated opposite the Abbey in this historic Dorset market town.

**Wells Town Hall**, in England's smallest city, is set in the medieval market square next to the Bishop's Palace and only yards away from Wells Cathedral and Vicar's Close - Europe's oldest inhabited medieval street.

## Parking and unloading

**Finding the venue** - Directions are sent to all exhibitors which include the setting up times, an area map, a street map of the town, plus a floor plan of the venue highlighting your table / stand number.

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**Glastonbury Town Hall.** Offloading is from the side and rear of the building, with numerous car parks close by.

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**Wells Seager Hall,** Unloading is from both the front of the hall with numerous car parks close by.

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**Sherborne - Digby Church Hall.** Unloading is from the front and there are numerous car parks close by.

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**Wells Town Hall.** Unloading is from the front of the Town Hall in the Market Place and there are numerous car parks close by.

The markets or fairs will open for trading from 10 am and will close at 4 pm. Exhibitors should not set up or take down within this period without prior consent from West Country Fairs.

## Venue Postal Codes

Glastonbury	BA6 9EL	Wells (Seager Hall)	BA5 2PU
Sherborne	DT9 3NL	Wells (Town Hall)	BA5 2RB

## Other Information

**Advertising** - Our craft fairs, festivals, shows and markets are well advertised locally, regionally and nationally, and are both local and tourist attractions.

**Liability** - WEST COUNTRY CRAFT FAIRS, being one of the South West's most successful organisers, does everything possible to ensure that you have a busy fair. However, we cannot be held responsible for damage to or theft of your stock (for which you should arrange suitable insurance), failure of press advertisements or anything else beyond our control.

**Stalls cannot** be transferred, sub-let, franchised or sold to any other person; nor can they be shared without prior written consent from West County Fairs.

**No refunds or credits** are given for the cancellation of markets or for reduced trading hours due to adverse weather conditions.

**Insurance** - You are responsible for all your own goods at our craft fairs and no responsibility is accepted by the organisers for any loss or damage. Inexpensive public liability insurance can be obtained.

All stall holders must have their own public liability and product liability insurance. West Country Fairs reserve the right to refuse entry if proof of such insurance cannot be provided.

**Setting up times** - You will find the off-loading times on your floor plan.

**Public opening times** - Events are open to the public from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm at all venues.

**Disabled exhibitors** - Limited portorage is available, free of charge, to all of our disabled exhibitors at all our events.

**Charities** must provide proof of charitable status.

**Please note** - we request that exhibitors do not leave any rubbish behind, i.e. boxes, paper or any other litter.

West Country Fairs reserves the right to reject applications and not enter into any correspondence or otherwise explain the reasons for the decision. All decisions made by the organisation are final.

### About West Country Craft Fairs

***WEST COUNTRY CRAFT FAIRS** always puts exhibitors first. We like to think we offer a service that is efficient, friendly and caring, with our exhibitors' best interests at heart.*

The aim of **WEST COUNTRY CRAFT FAIRS** is to provide you with quality venues at reasonable prices, keeping your outlay to a minimum and at the same time giving you a first class service.

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