Country Parks
Events Guide 2018 / 19

Autumn / Winter
The Country Park Events Guide offers a fun packed, diverse programme of events and activities throughout the year.

Come along and discover South Lanarkshire’s Country Parks.

• Children’s craft workshops
• Animal activities at Calderglen Zoo
• Guided talks and tours
• Treasure hunts
• Seasonal and themed events
• Art and photographic displays
• Environmental education
• Toddler and adventure play areas
• Birthday Parties at Calderglen
• Chatelherault’s Oaks Café
• Weddings at Chatelherault
• Meeting and Conference Hire
• Private Function Hire

Opening times

Both country parks are open all year excluding Christmas and New Year public holidays.

**Calderglen**
October to March: 10am – 4pm
Last admission: 3.30pm
April to September: 10am – 5pm
Last admission: 4.30pm

**Chatelherault**
Monday to Sunday 10am – 5pm
Oaks Café and Gift Shop: 10am – 5pm
Chatelherault’s West lodge may be closed due to Weddings or Private Functions.
Contact reception on 01698 426213 for further information.

Details of all events within the country parks are posted on our website and Facebook pages: [www.slleisureandculture.co.uk](http://www.slleisureandculture.co.uk)

• Children’s activities in South Lanarkshire
• Cultural activities in South Lanarkshire
• Leisure in South Lanarkshire

Contact

**Calderglen Country Park**
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**Talks and tours at Calderglen**

**Calderglen Zoo Talk and Tour**
We offer two different animal activities: an animal encounter or a feeding tour.

**Animal encounter:** involves the group getting to meet some animals such as snakes and lizards up close. The animal keeper will tell the group all about the animals. The animal encounter takes place inside the conservatory so weather does not affect it. Animal encounters and feeding tours are specifically for organised groups, nurseries and schools.

Suitable for ages 5+. 40–60 min. Weekdays only. Minimum of 10, maximum of 30.

**Feeding tour:** involves the group getting to watch animals such as the coatis, meerkats, caracara, guinea pigs and rabbits being fed. The animal keeper feeding them will also tell the group all about the animals. The feeding tour takes place in the outside zoo area so groups should wear weather appropriate clothing. Animal encounters and feeding tours are specifically for organised groups, nurseries and schools.

Suitable for ages 7+. 30–40 min. Weekdays only. Minimum of 10, maximum of 25.

**Costs**
All talks and tours need to be booked in advance and have a one off payment which includes entry fees for all adults and children to the Conservatory and Zoo.

Maximum group size for all talks and tours is 25, minimum group size is 10. £31.85

**For further information and booking availability**
Please email us at calderglencountrypark@southlanarkshireleisure.co.uk giving details of your group, including contact person, address, phone number and email address.

Please also include the number of children and number of adults and any additional needs or requirements. All talks and tours are suitable for people with disabilities.

**Birthday Parties at the Glen**
Calderglen offers you a unique children’s birthday party. Exclusive use of the Courtyard Gallery, Calderglen party invitations plus free adult entry to the Conservatory for the party group. Enhance your party with one or both of the activities below:

- **Animal Encounters** – A close up animal session
- **Arty Activities** – Arts and crafts
Tours at Chatelherault
Group lodge tours and guided walks can be booked at Chatelherault Country Park. For more information please contact Reception on 01698 426213 and select option 0.

The Visitor Centre

Gallery at Chatelherault

June 2019
Photographic Exhibition
by The Royal Photographic Society

July 2019
Art Exhibition
By William Hird

All exhibitions are open between 10am and 5pm
Experience what it is like to be a zoo keeper.

Show off your true zoo keeper skills by cleaning out some of our animals. You will have the opportunity to feed the zoo animals including the owls, coatis and the meerkats. You will also get to provide food toys for the animals. Handle a variety of animals including a snake and a lizard.

Available for 7–14 year olds
Morning sessions 10am – 1pm weekdays all year
Afternoon sessions 2pm – 5pm weekdays April to October
Two adult admissions are included in the Little Zoo Keeper package.

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www.slleisureandculture.co.uk

Children’s activities in South Lanarkshire
Cultural activities in South Lanarkshire
Discover and Learn with Calderglen Zoo

Animal experiences

**Little Zoo Keeper** (Weekdays only)
You can feed and provide food toys for the zoo animals and handle a variety of animals including a snake and a lizard. Show off your true zoo keeper skills by cleaning out one of our animal enclosures.

*Available for 7-14 year olds.*

**Meet the Meerkats** (Weekdays only)
A chance to get up close to our mob of meerkats at Calderglen Zoo. You will have the opportunity to feed them and spend some quality time with them.

*Suitable for ages 7+*

**Wake up the Zoo** (Weekdays only)
Wake up the zoo animals with their favourite treats. Participants will get to feed the coati’s, meerkats, kookaburra’s, owls, guinea pigs, rabbits, Scottish wildcats, polecats, monkeys and porcupines.

*Suitable for ages 7+*

Group experiences

**Animal Encounter** (Weekdays only)
Children will have the opportunity to meet some of Calderglen’s friendliest animals up-close including a snake, a lizard and a creepy crawlly. Animal encounters are educational and are specifically for organised groups. Minimum of 12 children.

*Suitable for 5 years +

**Feeding Tour** (Weekdays only)
This keeper-led tour focuses on a few of our visitors’ favourite animals here at Calderglen Zoo. Watch and learn from our zoo keepers feeding the animals including the coatis, meerkats, guinea pigs and rabbits. Feeding tours are educational and specifically for organised groups. Minimum of 12 children.

*Suitable for 5 years +

**Bring a little bit of Calderglen Zoo to You** (Weekdays only)
An animal keeper will bring some of Calderglen’s friendly animals to your school/group or community event. The animal keeper will also provide interesting facts about the animals such as their natural habitats, their diets and their behaviours. *Maximum of 30 children per outreach session.*

For further information or to book
www.sleisureandculture.co.uk
Contact reception on: 01355 236 644
Email: natalie.martin@southlanarkshireleisure.co.uk
September 2018

**Baby Bakers**
Chatelherault Country Park

Every Tuesday from 21 August to 25 September 2018 from 10am – 10.40am

Bring along your budding bakers to make, bake and create!! Simple baking activities, cake decoration and food craft fun. Suitable for children aged 2 years to pre-school

Cost: £3.20 per child/Tiny ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.

**Tiny Arts Adventurer**
Chatelherault Country Park

Selected Wednesday’s from 22 August 2018 to 19 June 2019 from 11am – 11.45am

Come along and explore the great outdoors at our Country Parks. The class provides a safe and social environment in which your little artist can enjoy craft activities both indoor and outdoor (outdoor clothing required). Suitable for children aged 2 years to pre-school.

Cost: £3.20 per child/Tiny ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.

Please contact Reception on 01698 426213 to ensure the class is running before attending.

**Little Diggers**
Chatelherault Country Park

Every Thursday from 23 August to 27 September 2018 from 11am – 11.45am

Learning to grow with a whole lot of craft fun and planting activities. Some of these activities will take place outdoors. Suitable for children aged 2 years to pre-school.

Cost: £3.20 per child/Tiny ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.
**Bookbug**
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 1 September 2018 from 11.30am – 12pm
Join the SLLC Libraries Team and sing songs and rhymes with lots of actions. Have great fun bonding with your child.

**Cost:** Free. Drop in sessions.

**Dahlicious Dress Up Day**
Calderglen Country Park
Thursday 13 September 2018
Join the East Kilbride Libraries Team as they have lots of fun dressing up as favourite Roald Dahl characters with activities and story telling. All details including times and content as well as bookings can be found in advance at any East Kilbride Library.

**Get Crafty at Chatelherault**
Chatelherault Country Park
Friday 21 September to Monday 24 September 2018 from 1pm – 3pm
Come along and get crafty at Chatelherault this September weekend by taking part in some fun craft activities!

Drop in session. Suitable for 5-12 year olds or younger if accompanied by an adult. All materials supplied.

**Cost:** £1 – £3 depending on craft
Ed’s Lab Science Experiments
Chatelherault Country Park
Friday 21 September 2018 at 12pm
Join us in Ed’s Lab for some fun science experiments. Make everything from a volcano to your own goo! This is a messy one so make sure you wear some old clothes!

Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited therefore booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space.
To book, call Reception on 01698 426213.

Creative Clay Day
Chatelherault Country Park
Monday 24 September 2018 at 12pm
Let your imagination run wild and create a beautiful piece of clay art. All pieces can be taken away as we use air dry clay. This may get messy so make sure you wear some old clothes!

Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited therefore booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space.
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October 2018

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Bookbug
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 6 October 2018 from 11.30am – 12pm
Join the SLLC Libraries Team and sing songs and rhymes with lots of actions. Have great fun bonding with your child.
Cost: Free. Drop in sessions.

Room on the Broom
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 6 October 2018 from 12.30pm – 1.30pm
‘The witch has a cat, and a very tall hat …’
Look who’s flying back in to Chatelherault on 6 October 2018! After last year’s sell out event, our Libraries Team return to re-tell the story of Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson. Join us for a walk through Chatelherault with the book characters, crafts and other fun activities! Suitable for children aged 2 years to 10 years. All children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult.
Cost: £1.60 per person/ACE inclusive.
To book, contact Reception on 01698 426213.
Mud Madness
Chatelherault Country Park
Sunday 7 October 2018 from 10am – 1pm
Events include –
10K Elite (16 years+), 10K Social (14 years+),
5K Mud Run (Family – under 8’s to be accompanied by an adult),
1K Mini Mud Run (Ages 4-11 years)
For further information or to book, please visit www.entrycentral.com.

October Ghost and Ghoul Hunt
Calderglen Country Park
Saturday 13 to Sunday 4 November 2018 from 10am – 4pm
Experience some spooky goings on with our Halloween themed hunt to
gather clues hidden all around the Conservatory and Zoo! Treasure maps
and mask available from the gift shop. Suitable for 5-12 year olds or
younger if accompanied by an adult.
Cost: £1.50

Autumn Crafts Workshop
Calderglen Country Park
Monday 15, Wednesday 17 and Friday 19 October 2018
from 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Come along and demonstrate your artistic skills at our drop in craft
workshops. Crafts include plaster and ceramic painting, sun catchers,
wind chimes, badge, fridge magnet and key ring making.
Drop in session. Suitable for 5-12 year olds or younger if accompanied
by an adult. All materials supplied.
Cost: £1 – £3 dependent on craft
Get Crafty at Chatelherault
Chatelherault Country Park
Monday 15, Wednesday 17 and Friday 19 October 2019
from 1pm – 3pm
Come along and get crafty at Chatelherault this September weekend by taking part in ceramic and plaster painting!
Drop in session. Suitable for 5-12 year olds or younger if accompanied by an adult. All materials supplied.
Cost: £3.20 per child

Chilling Critters
Calderglen Country Park
Tuesday 16 and Thursday 18 October 2018
from 11.30am – 2.30pm
Face your fears and meet some harrowing animals up close as the Calderglen Zoo Keeper tells you all about why these creatures aren’t actually as scary as they appear to be. Animal handling sessions at 11.30am and 2.30pm, first come first served basis. Maximum of 30 people per session. Suitable for everyone.
Cost: £2 per person. Pay on the day at the Reception Desk.

Ed’s Lab Science Experiments
Chatelherault Country Park
Tuesday 16 October 2018 at 12pm
Join us in Ed’s Lab for some fun science experiments. Make everything from a volcano to your own goo! This is a messy one so make sure you wear some old clothes!
Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited therefore booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space.
To book, call Reception on 01698 426213.
Cupcake Decorating
Chatelherault Country Park
Wednesday 17 October 2018 at 12pm
Throw on your best apron and help us decorate some Halloween themed cupcakes. We’ll provide you with everything you need to make some seriously spooky treats. This may get a little messy so make sure you wear old clothes!

Cost: £4.50 per child. Spaces are limited therefore booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space.
To book, call Reception on 01698 426213.

Creative Clay Day
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Thursday 18 October 2018 at 12pm
Let your imagination run wild and create a beautiful piece of clay art. All pieces can be taken away as we use air dry clay. This may get messy so make sure you wear some old clothes!

Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited therefore booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space.
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Hansel and Gretel/Witch Potions
Calderglen Country Park
Saturday 20 October 2018
Activities, stories, potion making and lots of great fun with the East Kilbride Libraries Team. All details including times and content as well as bookings can be found in advance at any East Kilbride Library.
Creepy Craft Workshop
Calderglen Country Park
Sunday 28 October 2018 from 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Dare you come along to our craft workshop? Try your hand at creating a suitably scary piece of art at Halloween time.
Drop in session no booking required. Suitable for 5-12 year olds or younger if accompanied by an adult. All materials supplied.
Cost: £1 – £3 dependent on craft.

Baby Builders
Chatelherault Country Park
Every Monday from 22 October to 26 November 2018 from 10.30am – 11.15am
A session of stories, songs and brick toppling fun. Enjoy playing with your baby while they learn a whole bucket load of essential skills.
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November 2018

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Enjoy the Magic of the Season
Chatelherault Country Park
Thursday 29 November 2018 from 5pm – 9pm
For the first time ever, for one night only…
20% off all Gift Shop stock!

Don’t get your tinsel in a tangle and start your Christmas shopping early at Chatelherault Gift Shop’s exclusive 20% discount Shopping Event!

For this one night only, the Gift Shop will be open from 5pm until 9pm where you can sample tasters of locally produced jams and chutneys such as ‘Bucks Fizz’ Marmalade, ‘Christmas Pickle’, ‘Lemon Curd with Gin’, Seasonal Fruit wines, and ‘Grumpy Santa’ and ‘Down the Chimney’ beers!

Enjoy 20% off all stock including new season leather handbags and jewellery, gifts, toys, confectionery, food and drink!

For every £20.00 you spend in the Gift Shop, you will be entered into a free prize draw with the chance to win a luxury hamper!

The Oaks Café Shop and Supper Deal
Chatelherault Country Park
Thursday 29 November 2018 from 5pm – 9pm

The Oaks Café invites you to join us for a delicious two course Christmas menu followed by tea or coffee and a Prosecco mince pie! Licensed bar facilities will also be available for those who fancy a little tipple!

With delicious food, live music and lots of new season gifts in the Gift Shop, there’s no better way to spend a Thursday evening.

Reservations for the two course supper are available between 5pm and 7pm.

Cost: £12.95 per person.

Bookings required in advance.
Call the Oaks Café on 01698 543402 to reserve your table now.
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running before attending

Elf School Craft Workshop
Calderglen Country Park
1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, and 22 December 2018
from 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Come along to Elf School and have fun making your own Christmas
decoration. All materials supplied
Drop in session, suitable for 5 – 12 year olds, younger children are
welcome with an accompanying adult.
Cost: £1 – £3 dependent on craft

Christmas gifts, Shopping with ease,
Christmas is the time to please
Chatelherault Country Park Gift Shop
Saturday 1 and Sunday 2 December 2018 from 10am – 4pm
Nicely priced merchandise with an additional 10% off all weekend
10% off all Gift Shop stock plus confectionery, jam, relish, wine and juice
tasters available over the full weekend. Everything you want for less!
The Christmas Tree Fairy Trail
Chatelherault Country Park
Sunday 2 and Sunday 16 December 2018
10.30am – 12 noon and 1pm – 2.30pm
Oh no … the little fairy that sits at the top of Santa’s tree has fallen off and wandered into the woodland at Chatelherault! Join us for a magical walk around our fairy house trail and help us search for the little fairy. You’ll have to solve some clues and knock on every fairy house door to try and find her and lead her back to Santa who is very worried about her!

Important Fairy Information
Cost: £5.95 per child, £3.95 per adult
Suitable for children aged two years and over. All children must be accompanied by an adult.
Price includes outdoor activity, group meeting with Santa and a little gift for helping him find his Christmas Fairy!
This activity takes place outdoors so suitable footwear and clothing should be worn. Fairy Wings are optional. Spaces are limited. To book contact Reception on 01698 426213.

Santa comes to Chatelherault!
Chatelherault Country Park
Sunday 2 December 2018 from 1pm – 4.30pm
Saturday 8 to Sunday 23 December 2018 from 10am – 4.30pm
Monday 24 December 2018 from 10am – 2pm
Santa’s moved into Chatelherault for the whole of December! Talk a walk through Rudolph’s stable and prepare your letter to Santa with all of your Christmas wishes before visiting Santa himself in his magical log cabin. You’ll even get an early Christmas present from Santa too!
Cost: £7.50 per child (includes a gift from Santa)
Santa is very busy making lots of toys so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.
Santa is also available during the week by booking only for larger group visits. A minimum number of 10 children is required. To book, contact Reception on 01698 426213.
Santa visits Calderglen!
**Calderglen Country Park**

Saturday 1 December and Sunday 2 December 2018 from 1pm – 5pm
Then every weekend in December from 10am – 5pm
You can also book to come along on Friday 14 or Friday 21 December between 3pm – 7pm.

Visit Santa in his grotto within the Courtyard Gallery in Calderglen Country Park. Arrive early and have a seat on Santa’s sleigh then get creative with some festive colouring in before going in to see Santa himself and get an early Christmas present!

Cost: £7.50 per child (includes a gift from Santa).

Santa is very busy making lots of toys so book in advance by calling Reception on 01355 236644.

Little Elf’s Winter Workshops
**Chatelherault Country Park**

Sunday 9 December, Saturday 15 December and Saturday 22 December 2018 from 11am – 3pm

Santa’s elves are so busy this year and they need your help! Can your little elves help Santa’s elves in his workshop?!

**Gingerbread Decorating Workshop at 11am**

‘Run, run as fast as you can!
You can’t catch me I’m the Gingerbread Man!’

Guess what?! We caught the Gingerbread Man and now we need your help to decorate him! We’ll provide you with all the materials you need to decorate your own gingerbread man. We’ll also help you gift wrap your finished masterpiece so that you can give it to someone special as a present!

Cost: £4.50 per child.
Suitable for children aged 5+ or younger if assisted by an adult.
Hot Chocolate Cone Decorating Workshop at 12.30pm
We’ll provide you with all the sweet treats you need to fill your cone and help you decorate the outside to make your cone look like Santa or even Rudolph! These make a great present for someone special!
Cost: £4.50 per child. Suitable for children aged 5+ or younger if assisted by an adult.

Christmas Craft Workshop at 2pm
Try your hand at a range of Christmas themed craft activities!
Cost: £3.20 per child. Suitable for children aged 5+ or younger if assisted by an adult.
Spaces for all workshops are limited so booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space. To book, contact Reception on 01698 426213.

Jingle all the Way 5K
Chatelherault Country Park
Sunday 16 December 2018 at 11am
Join us for a 5K family race around the trails of Chatelherault Country Park! Why not throw on a Santa outfit or even just add a touch of Christmas to your race outfit with a Santa hat or some tinsel (dressing up optional).
Cost: £10 per adult, £6 per child (includes a medal).
Spaces are limited. To book, contact Reception on 01698 426213.
Christmas Lunches in the Banqueting Room
Chatelherault Country Park

Tuesday 11 December 2018 –
- seniors two course menu – £10.50 per person

Wednesday 12 and Thursday 13 December 2018 –
- traditional three course menu £15.50 per person

12.30pm – 2.30pm

Instead of going to the same old restaurant for your Christmas lunch, why not experience Christmas lunch served in style within the magnificent Banqueting Room at Chatelherault! Relax and dine like the Duke or Duchess with a two or three course menu with a variety of options to choose from. It’s the perfect idea for your office Christmas lunch or a catch up with friends and family!

Spaces are limited so booking and pre-payment is required to secure your space. To book, please contact the Oaks Café on 01698 543402.

Elves off the Shelves! Christmas Recall
Saturday 8 and Saturday 15 December 2018
11.30am – 12.30pm and 1.30pm – 2.30pm

The SLLC Libraries Team return to Chatelherault this December! Keep an eye on our Children’s Activities in South Lanarkshire Facebook page for further details of this fantastic show!
January 2019

**Baby Builders**
Chatelherault Country Park
Every Monday from 7 January to 24 June 2019
from 10.30am – 11.15am
A session of stories, songs and brick toppling fun. Enjoy playing with your baby while they learn a whole bucket load of essential skills.
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**Bookbug**
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 5 January 2019 from 11.30am – 12pm
Join the SLLC Libraries Team and sing songs and rhymes with lots of actions. Have great fun bonding with your child.
Cost: Free. Drop in sessions.
Activity Workshop
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 5 January 2019 from 12.30pm – 2.30pm

Slime and clay model making
from 12.30pm to 1.15pm
Come along and have messy fun! Suitable for children aged 3 years and over (children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult).
Cost: £5.00 per child/ACE inclusive.

Lego and Games Club
from 1.45pm to 2.30pm
Join our SLLC Libraries Team and have lots of fun with Lego and board games. Suitable for children aged 5 years and over.
Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.

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February 2019

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**Bookbug**
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 2 February 2019 from 11.30am – 12pm

Join the SLLC Libraries Team and sing songs and rhymes with lots of actions. Have great fun bonding with your child.

**Cost:** Free. Drop in sessions.

**Activity Workshop**
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 2 February 2019 from 12.30pm – 2.30pm

**Valentines Story Time and Crafts from 12.15pm to 12.45pm**

Join the SLLC Libraries Team for story time and followed by a fun Valentines themed craft! Suitable for children aged 18 months and over (children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult).

**Cost:** £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive.

**Chinese New Year Craft Session from 1.45pm to 2.30pm**

It’s the Year of the Pig so join our SLLC Libraries Team and make some crafts themed around Chinese New Year. Suitable for children aged 18 months and over. Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive.

Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.
Baby Bakers
Chatelherault Country Park
Every Thursday from 28 February to 4 April 2019 from 1.30pm – 2.10pm
Bring along your budding bakers to make, bake and create!! Simple baking activities, cake decoration and food craft fun. Suitable for children aged 2 years to pre-school
Cost: £3.20 per child/Tiny ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.

SLLC Annual Photographic Competition
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 9 February to Sunday 17 March 2019
An exhibition displaying all of the entries from the 2018 competition. All photographs are taken in South Lanarkshire and this show certainly gives a wonderfully diverse view of the county and its people. An exhibition not to be missed!

February crafts
Calderglen Country Park
Monday 11 February 2019 from 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Come along and demonstrate your artistic skills at our drop in craft workshops. Drop in sessions. All materials supplied. Suitable for 5-12 year old or younger is accompanied by an adult.
Cost: £1 – £3 dependent on craft.
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Cost: £3.20 per child/Tiny ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.
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Baby Bakers
Chatelherault Country Park
Every Thursday from 28 February to 4 April 2019 from 1.30pm – 2.10pm
Bring along your budding bakers to make, bake and create!! Simple baking activities, cake decoration and food craft fun. Suitable for children aged 2 years to pre-school
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Bookbug
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 2 March 2019 from 11.30am – 12pm
Join the SLLC Libraries Team and sing songs and rhymes with lots of actions. Have great fun bonding with your child.
Cost: Free. Drop in sessions.
Activity Workshop
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 2 March 2019 from 12.30pm – 2.30pm

Dance with Mother
from 12.30pm to 1.15pm
It’s Mother’s Day soon so bring Mum or Gran along to a party with dancing and games. Suitable for children aged 18 months and over (children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult).

Cost: £3.20 per child/ACE inclusive.

Make it for Mum Craft Activity
from 1.45pm to 2.30pm
Join the SLLC Libraries Team and make something special for your Mum or Gran for Mother’s Day. Suitable for children aged 18 months and over.

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Cost: Free. Drop in sessions.

Stick Man Trail
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 23 March 2019 from 12.30pm – 2pm
Go a walk through the woods as the SLLC Libraries Team re-tell the story of The Stick Man and collect things to make your own Stick Man. Suitable for children aged 18 months and over (children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult).

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Mothering Sunday Afternoon Tea  
Chatelherault Country Park  
Sunday 31 March 2019  
12pm – 4pm  
Treat your Mother to an afternoon she will never forget with afternoon tea served in style within the grand Banqueting Room at Chatelherault!  
For more information or to reserve a table, please contact the Oaks Café on 01698 543402.  
Cost:

Make Mums Day  
Calderglen Country Park  
Sunday 31 March 2019 from 1.30pm – 3.30pm  
Show mum just how special she is, come along to Calderglen conservatory and make your mum a unique mother’s day gift. Drop in session. Suitable for 5-12 year olds. Younger children welcome with an accompanying adult.  
A small charge will apply.

Easter Hunt  
Calderglen Country Park  
Saturday 30 March to Tuesday 23 April 2019 from 10am – 4pm  
Roll up, roll up and join in our Easter hunt, have fun exploring the conservatory, ornamental gardens and zoo following the clues to solve the Easter puzzle. Drop in session, suitable for 6-12 year olds, younger with an adult. Treasure maps and gift available from the gift shop  
A small charge will apply.
April 2019

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Little Diggers
Chatelherault Country Park
Every Thursday from 18 April to 23 May 2019
from 11am – 11.45am
Learning to grow with a whole lot of craft fun and planting activities. Some of these activities will take place outdoors. Suitable for children aged 2 years to pre-school.
Cost: £3.20 per child/Tiny ACE inclusive. Spaces are limited so book in advance by calling Reception on 01698 426213.
Spring Craft Workshops
Calderglen Country Park
Monday 1, Wednesday 3 and Friday 5 April 2019 from 2pm – 4pm
Get Crafty this Easter and join us at Calderglen conservatory and have an eggciting afternoon.
All materials supplied. Suitable for 5-12 year old or younger if accompanied by an adult.
Cost £1 – £3 dependent on craft

Easter at Chatelherault
Chatelherault Country Park
Friday 19 April 2019 from 12pm – 4pm
Easter themed craft activities and quizzes and outdoor Easter hunt!
A charge for each activity will apply.

Easter at Chatelherault
Chatelherault Country Park
Saturday 20 April 2019 from 10am – 4pm
Hop along to Chatelherault this Easter Saturday and join the Easter Bunny for breakfast in the Oak’s Café Foyer! Available between 10am and 12pm, enjoy a full breakfast with tea or coffee for £6.00 per adult and £3.85 per child.
To book breakfast with the Easter Bunny please contact the Oaks Café on 01698 543402.
There will also be Easter themed craft activities and quizzes and an outdoor Easter quiz!
A charge for each activity will apply.
Easter at Chatelherault
Chatelherault Country Park
Sunday 21 April 2019 from 10am – 4pm
Hop along to Chatelherault this Easter Saturday and join the Easter Bunny for breakfast in the Oak’s Café Foyer! Available between 10am and 12pm, enjoy a full breakfast with tea or coffee for £6.00 per adult and £3.85 per child.

To book breakfast with the Easter Bunny please contact the Oaks Café on 01698 543402.

There will also be egg decorating and rolling with the Easter Bunny, Easter themed craft activities and quizzes and an outdoor Easter Hunt!

A charge for each activity will apply.

Easter Craft Workshop
Calderglen Country Park
Sunday 21 and Monday 22 April 2019 from 2pm – 4pm
Get Crafty this Easter and join us at Calderglen and have an eggciting afternoon. Suitable for 5-12 year old or younger is accompanied by an adult. Drop in session no booking required. All materials supplied.

Cost: £1 – £3 dependent on craft

Easter at Chatelherault
Chatelherault Country Park
Monday 22 April 2019 from 12pm – 4pm
Easter themed craft activities and quizzes and outdoor Easter hunt!

A charge for each activity will apply.
Save the Date!
Wedding Open Day at Chatelherault
Chatelherault Country Park
Sunday 28 April 2019 from 12pm – 4pm
Come along to Chatelherault Country Park and enjoy a complimentary glass of our Duke and Duchess punch whilst you view our magnificent Banqueting Room dressed for a Wedding Ceremony and Celebration Meal. All couples who book on the day will receive a free goody bag and all couples who confirm their booking within three weeks will receive a complimentary glass of sparkling wine for each of their day guests on their big day!
South Lanarkshire Leisure and Culture offers a fantastic range of themed birthday party packages. For more information, booking and ACE members discount, visit our website or contact one of our venues.

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Discount available.
Global Treasure Apps are fun, interactive and informative, shining a new light on tourist attractions.

Explore Chatelherault Country Park, home to the Duke of Hamilton’s 18th Century Hunting Lodge and over 500 acres of countryside, by following the clues to collect rewards. Treasure Hunts are available for the whole family with audio descriptions in English, Spanish and German.

**How it works:**

The App is free to download to your mobile device and is available on the iPhone App Store and Google play.

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Details of all events within the country parks are posted on our Facebook pages:

- Children’s Activities in South Lanarkshire
- Cultural Activities in South Lanarkshire
- Leisure in South Lanarkshire
Chatelherault Oaks Café

Calderglen and Chatelherault Gift Shops

Visit all seasons to buy gifts for all reasons
The entrance to the country park is within the village of Ferniegair, 2.5 km south east of Hamilton on the A72 Hamilton, Larkhall / Lanark, Clyde Valley tourist route. The park is also accessible by train with daily half hour service stopping at Chatelherault Station on the Hamilton, Larkhall line.
Calderglen Country Park

Map

Key

1. Conservatory, shop and toilets
2. Portaloo’s
3. Infants play area
4. Adventure play area
5. Golf starters office
6. Ranger Station
7. Gallery enter via Courtyard
8. Courtyard
9. Barbecue site
10. Courtyard Café enter via Courtyard
11. Trail start point
12. Car park
13. Picnic area main lawn
14. Zoo and Ornamental Gardens entry via Conservatory
15. Duck pond and picnic area

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Stewartfield
Whirlies Roundabout
Train station
Town Centre
Whitemoss Roundabout
Kingsway
A749 to Glasgow
A725 to M74 Junction 6
A725 to Paisley
A726 to Strathaven
Calderglen Country Park

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