

## Typical Strathaven Events Calendar

Revised November 2011

*\*NB Annual Events are shaded*

Ref	Date	Project/ Event/ Activity	Lead Organisation	Brief Description	Confirmed (✓)
1	Last Sat in Jan	ACT Burns Supper	ACT	Annual Burns Supper in Town Mill	✓
2	End Jan	Senior Citizens Lunch	Round Table	Lunch held in Strathaven Hotel for nominated senior citizens	✓
3	February	Annual Ceilidh	Scout Exec Committee		✓
4	March	Fairtrade Fortnight	Fairtrade Group	Primary Schools competition and coffee morning	✓
5	March	Scout Auction	Scout Exec Committee	Annual fundraising Auction held in Scout Hall	✓
6	March	Sportsman's Dinner	Rotary Club	Fundraiser in Strathaven Hotel for local organisations	✓
7	Easter	Crucifixion Re-enactment	Strathaven Churches	Plus other events	✓
8	May	Strathaven Showcase	Steering Group	Showcase event promoting local groups, activities and funding opportunities.	✓
9	May	Drama Production	Rankin File	Comedy musical in Town Mill	✓
10	May	Classic Car Show	Round Table	Second Classic Car Show. RC support.	✓
11	First Sat in June (Gala week)	Raft Race and BBQ	Round Table	Raft Race on Avon followed by family fun day and BBQ at Brewery	✓
12	First Sun in June (Gala Week)	ACT Half Marathon	ACT	Charity half marathon with Chris Moon	✓
13	Second Sat in June	Gala Day	Gala Day Committee	Annual town celebration. RC support.	✓
14	June	Fly-in and Music Day	ACT	Strathaven Airfield Fly-in and Music Day	✓
15	August	Round Strathaven 50		RC support.	✓
16	Last weekend in August	Strathaven Balloon Festival	SBF	Scotland's unique international hot air balloon event, organised by a local volunteer group, and held in the John Hastie Park from Friday evening to Sunday evening.	✓
17	First Sat September	Strathaven Exposition		RC support.	✓
18	Second Sat September	Arts Festival	SBA	A week-long festival of arts and music focussing on the Town Centre and Mill	✓
19	Sept	Strathaven Fair	Strathaven Brewery		✓
20	Sept	Hangarfest	ACT	Hangarfest evening event	
21	Sat closest to 5 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Bonfire and Fireworks	Round Table	Display and entertainment in Strathaven Park	✓
22	Nov	10K Road Race	Strathaven Striders		✓
23	1 <sup>st</sup> Sun Dec	Christmas in Strathaven	ACT	Christmas Tree lighting	
24	December	Annual Pantomime	Rankin File	Annual panto in Rankin Church Hall	✓
25	December	Reindeer Day	ACT	Santa & his Reindeer and Christmas Fair	
26	December	Church Christmas Events	Strathaven churches	Camels and 3 Kings parade to Avondale Church	✓