

Events during JULY (Summer Vacation) 2026

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Wed 1 July – Sun 12 July 2026

[Reading Guild of Artists Exhibition](#)

10:00 – 16:00 daily, FREE

LO4 Art Building, London Road Campus

Wednesday 1 July 2026

[Craft at the Minster](#)

11:00 - 12:30, FREE

Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2HX

Wednesdays 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 2026

[Badminton & Table Tennis with 'Sport in Mind'](#)

12:00 – 13:00, FREE

Sports Hall, Rivermead Leisure Centre, RG1 8EQ

Wednesdays 1, 8, 29 July 2026

[English Conversation Café](#)

13:00 – 14:00, FREE

Global Study Lounge, 230, Edith Morely Building
AND online (Hybrid)

Wednesday 1 July 2026

[Artist in Residence – Open Studio with Olesia](#)

[Ktyvolapova](#)

14:00 - 16:00, FREE

Jelly Studios, 115-116 Broad St Mall, RG1 7QE

Wednesdays 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 2026

[Tai Chi with Steve from 'Sport in Mind'](#)

15:30 – 16:30, FREE

MERL, 6 Redlands Road, RG1 5EX

Wednesdays 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 2026

[People of Reading Hangout](#)

18:30 - 21:30, FREE

Penta Hotel, Oxford Road, RG1 7RH

Wednesdays 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 2026

[Artist Link Up](#)

19:00 - 22:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Wednesdays 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 2026

[What's the Game Improv](#)

20:00 - 22:00, £12.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Wednesdays 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 2026

[Bohemian Night – Weekly Open Mic Night](#)

20:30 - Late, FREE

The Fisherman's Cottage, Kennet Side, RG1 3DW

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Reading Museum Surgery](#)

12:00 – 16:00, FREE

Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, RG1 1QH

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Tennis with Nick and Alison: 'Sport in Mind'](#)

13:00 – 14:00, FREE

Outdoor Tennis Courts, UoR, RG2 7BW

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Bayeux Tapestry Tours](#)

14:30 - 15:30, £10.00

Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, RG1 1QH

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Djembe & Hand Drum Circle](#)

18:00 - 18:45, £11.00 / £16.00

Caversham Hall, St John's Road, RG4 5AN

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[She+Choir](#)

18:00 - 20:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Thursday 2 July 2026

[Creative Connection – Through a different lens](#)

From 18:15, £7.75

Roseate Reading, 26 The Forbury, RG1 3EJ

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Jog and Walk with Sally: 'Sport in Mind'](#)

18:30 – 19:15, FREE

Meet near statue in Palmer Park, RG6 1LF

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Sahaia Yoga: Guided Meditation Classes](#)

18:30 – 20:00, FREE

Oddfellows Hall, 118b Oxford Road, RG1 7NQ

Thursdays 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 2026

[Salsa and Tango Classes](#)

18:30 - 22:00, £8.00 - £10.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Thursday 2 July 2026

[Candlelight Concert: The Music of George Michael](#)

19:30 - 21:45, From £18.50

Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2HX

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Thursday 2 July 2026

[THEATRE PLAY - Kanpur: 1857](#)

From 20:00, From £14.00

South Street Theatre, 21 South St., RG1 4QU

Fri 3 – Sun 12 July 2026

[Reading Cocktail \(& Mocktail\) Week](#)

Daily, From £5.00

Various locations (See link)

Fridays 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 July 2026

[The SU Pantry](#)

12:00 – 17:00, FREE

The Cave, Reading SU Building, Whiteknights

Fridays 3, 17, 31 July 2026

[Friday Get-Togethers](#)

15:00 – 17:00, FREE

Global Study Lounge, 230, Edith Morely Building

Fridays 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 July 2026

[City Life Drawing](#)

19:00 – 21:00, £8.50

Reading Bike Hub, King Street, RG1 2HE OR

Reading Biscuit Factory, Queen's Walk, RG1 7QE

Friday 3 July 2026

[Reading Queer Social](#)

19:00 - 22:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Friday 3 July 2026

[Reggae Collective: Sound System Veterans](#)

19:00 - 23:30, £5.00

Culture Mix Arts, 7 Queens Walk, RG1 7QF

Fridays 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 July 2026

[The Butler's Open Mic Night](#)

From 20:00, FREE Entry

The Butler, 85/91 Chatham Street, RG1 7DS

Saturdays 4, 11, 18, 25 July 2026

[Reading Artisan & Farmers' Market](#)

10:00 - 15:00, FREE Entry

Station Hill, Friar's Walk, RG1 1HR

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Clayfield Copse Meadows Day](#)

10:30 - 13:30, FREE

Clayfield Copse, Caversham Park Rd., RG4 6AA

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Caversham Summer Fair](#)

10:30 - 15:30, FREE

Caversham Court Gardens, Church Rd., RG4 7AD

Saturdays 4, 11, 18, 25 July 2026

[Reading Abbey Quarter Tours](#)

11:00 - 12:30, £10.00

Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, RG1 1QH

Saturday 4 July 2026

[National Meadows Day](#)

11:00 - 16:00, FREE

Langley Mead, Aborfield Road, RG2 9EA

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Monthly Art Market](#)

11:00 - 16:00, FREE Entry

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Romany & Traveller Heritage Day](#)

11:00 - 16:00, FREE

MERL, 6 Redlands Road, RG1 5EX

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Henley Regatta Picnic 2026](#)

11:00 - 18:00, Various prices

Henley Business School Greenlands Campus

Saturdays 4, 11, 18, 25 July 2026

[Bayeux Tapestry Tours](#)

14:00 - 15:00, £10.00

Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, RG1 1QH

Saturdays 4 July 2026

[Reading Abbey Gateway Rooftop Tour](#)

14:00 - 15:00, £15.00

Abbey Gateway, Reading, RG1 3BD

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Candlelight Jazz Experience: Ella Fitzgerald vs. Frank Sinatra](#)

From 19:00, From £20.00

Great Hall, UoR, London Rd., RG1 5AG

Saturday 4 July 2026

[Reading Haydn Choir Summer Concert](#)

From 19:30, From £4.00

St. Andrew's Church, Caversham, RG4 7PL

Sundays 5, 12, 19, 26 July 2026

[Caversham Artisan & Farmers' Market](#)

10:00 - 15:00, FREE Entry

Waitrose Carpark, Caversham, RG4 8AY

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Sundays 5, 12, 19, 26 July 2026

[RBGS: Sunday Gaming](#)

13:00 - 18:00, FREE

Penta Hotel, Oxford Road, RG1 7RH

Sunday 5 July 2026

[Reading Interfaith Community Picnic](#)

15:00 - 17:30, FREE

Kings Meadow, Napier Road, RG1 8DF

Sunday 5 July 2026

[Dreading Poetry Slam](#)

19:30 - 22:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Sundays 5, 12, 19, 26 July 2026

[Readifolk Singer-Theme-Guest Nights](#)

20:00 - 22:30, FREE - £10.00

Community Hall, 44 Watlington St., RG1 4RJ

Mon 6 – Sun 12 July 2026

[Wimbledon LIVE at Sutton's Court](#)

Match times, FREE

Green Space between Carluccio's & the Roseate

Mondays 6, 13, 20, 27 July 2026

[Group Walk with Christine: 'Sport in Mind'](#)

11:00 – 12:00, FREE

Meet in middle of Christchurch Foot Bridge,
Caversham, Reading, RG4 8BY

Mondays 6, 13, 20, 27 July 2026

[Refugee Sewing Project](#)

12:30 - 14:30, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Mondays 6, 20, 27 July 2026

[Papier Mache Workshop](#)

18:00 - 20:00, £10.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Mondays 6, 13, 20, 27 July 2026

[Mates Rates Comedy Raw](#)

From 19:30, From £3.00

The Outlook, 76 Kings Road, RG1 3BJ

Monday 6, 13, 20, 27 July 2026

[Slow Balboa Dance Class](#)

20:30 - 21:30, £5.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Tuesdays 7, 14, 21, 28 July 2026

[Football with Ashley from 'Sport in Mind'](#)

14:00 – 15:30, FREE

Football Courts, Prospect Park, RG30 2ND

Tuesdays 7, 21, July 2026

[Bayeux Tapestry Tours](#)

14:30 - 15:30, £10.00

Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, RG1 1QH

Tuesdays 7, 14, 21, 28 July 2026

[Life in the Sun: Life Drawing](#)

19:00 - 21:30, £9.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Tuesdays 7, 14, 21, 28 July 2026

[The Reinettes Collective](#)

From 19:30, £5.00

Reading Biscuit Factory, Queens Walk, RG1 7QE

Tuesday 7 July 2026

[Still Pointless: BalletBoyz at 25](#)

From 19:30, From £30.50

The Hexagon Theatre, Queen's Walk, RG1 7QF

Wednesday 8 July 2026

[Atmospheric Observatory Tour](#)

15:00 - 16:00, FREE

Atmospheric Observatory, Earley Gate,
Whiteknights

Thursday 9 July 2026

[Allotment Volunteer Day](#)

09:30 - 13:30, FREE

Bulmershe Allotments, Mays Cl., Earley, RG6 1JY

Thursday 9 July 2026

[Candlelight Concert: The Music of Phill Collins](#)

19:30 - 21:45, From £18.50

Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2HX

Friday 10 July 2026

[Drawing on Location](#)

10:00 - 12:00, FREE - £19.00

Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, RG1 1QH

Friday 10 July 2026

[Reading Bingo Loco](#)

18:00 - 22:30, £19.50

Sub89, 110-117 Friar Street, RG1 1EP

Friday 10 July 2026

[National Theatre Live: Les Liaisons Dangereuses](#)

19:00 - 22:00, From £12.00

Reading Rep Theatre, King's Road, RG1 4LY

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Friday 10 July 2026

[Reading Didgeridoo & World Music Community](#)

19:00 - 22:00, £5.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Friday 10 July 2026

[¼ Lyfe Crisis – Live DJ Event](#)

19:00 - 22:00, £3.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Friday 10 July 2026

[Alhambra Inspirations: Katona Twins \(Virtuoso Spanish Music\)](#)

19:30 - 21:30, From £20.21

Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2HX

Friday 10 July 2026

[Poets' Café LIVE](#)

From 20:00, From £4.00

South Street Theatre, 21 South St., RG1 4QU

Sat 11 – Sun 12 July 2026

[Reading's Bastille Day Festival](#)

11:00 – 17:00, FREE Entry

Forbury Gardens, Reading, RG1 3EJ

Saturday 11, 18 July 2026

[DIY Paint Party](#)

11:00 - 16:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Saturday 11 July 2026

[Mikron Theatre presents 'Top of the World'](#)

12:30 - 14:30, FREE – donations welcome

Caversham Court Gardens, Church Rd., RG4 7AD

Saturday 11 July 2026

[Art Space](#)

13:00 - 15:00, Donation – Pay what you can

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Saturday 11 July 2026

[The Kind Hosts of Willie Wimmera Book Launch](#)

14:00 - 15:30, FREE

Watlington House, 44 Watlington St., RG1 4RJ

Saturday 11 July 2026

[Music from around the World](#)

From 19:00, From £5.00

Memorial Chapel. Pangbourne College, RG8 8LA

Saturday 11 July 2026

[Reading Bike Hub Fundraiser and Art Wall](#)

From 19:00, £6.13

Reading Bike Hub, 14-16A King Street, RG1 2HE

Saturday 11 July 2026

[Woodley Concert Band Joint Summer Concert](#)

From 19:30, From £5.00

Great Hall, UoR, London Rd., RG1 5AG

Sunday 12 July 2026

[Walking Tour: Reading – Home of Photography](#)

10:00 – 11:00, £9.00

Meet: Abbey Medical Cent., Russel St., RG1 7XD

Sunday 12 July 2026

[The Sunday Alternative: Coffee & Chat](#)

11:00 - 13:00, FREE

Reading Biscuit Factory, Queens Walk, RG1 7QE

Sunday 12 July 2026

[DIY Paint Party](#)

11:00 - 16:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Sunday 12 July 2026

[Flamenco from Spain: Rebecca Ortega and Ramon Ruiz](#)

From 19:00, £23.99

St. Laurence Church, Friar Street, RG1 1DA

Monday 13 July 2026

[Trip to Winchester](#)

09:00 - 17:00, £5.00

Meeting departure point given on booking

Tuesday 14 July 2026

[This Girl Can Festival](#)

09:30 - 13:30, FREE

Palmer Park, Wokingham Road, RG6 1LF.

Tuesday 14 July 2026

[Stitch & Natter at the Minster](#)

11:00 - 12:30, FREE

Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2HX

Tuesday 14 July 2026

Summer School & PSE Get-Together

14:00 – 16:00, FREE

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Tuesday 14 July 2026

[Reading Geek & Quiz Night: A Taste of Programming](#)

19:00 - 21:00, FREE

Zerodegrees, 9 Bridge Street, Reading, RG1 2LR

Wednesday 15 July 2026

[Cianna's Smile Art Drop-In](#)

10:00 - 13:00, FREE

10 Eaton Place, Reading, RG1 7LP

Wednesday 15 July 2026

[Vivace Voices Summer Concert](#)

From 14:30, £8.00

English Martyrs Roman Catholic Church, 64 Liebenrood Road, RG30 2EB

Wed 15 – Sat 25 July 2026

[Hamlet in Reading Abbey Ruins](#)

19:30 – 22:15 (Matinees 14:30 – 17:15)

From £20.48 - £37.73

Reading Abbey Ruins, Abbey Street, RG1 3BA

Friday 17 July 2026

[Life's A Rodeo: A Nashville Country Music Experience](#)

From 19:00, From £12.50

Sub89, 110-117 Friar Street, RG1 1EP

Sat 18 – Sun 19 July 2026

[Marvellous: The Tribute Festival](#)

11:00 – 23:00 daily, From £54.00

Dinton Pastures Country Park, Davis Street, Hurst, Wokingham, RG10 0TH

Saturday 18 July 2026

[Royal Berkshire Charity Garden Party](#)

From 13:00, £5.00

Englefield Estate, Theale, RG7 5EN

Saturday 18 July 2026

[Fiesta on the Footbridge!](#)

From 15:00, FREE

Transfer Deck Footbridge, Reading Train Station

Saturday 18 July 2026

[Reading Sinfonietta: Music from A Midsummer Night's Dream](#)

From 19:30, £7.50

All Saints Church, Downshire Sq., RG1 6NN

Saturday 18 July 2026

[The Latin Vibe](#)

20:00 - 01:00, £10.00

Penta Hotel, Oxford Road, RG1 7RH

Sunday 19 July 2026

[Arriba at All Saints Concert](#)

From 16:30, From FREE

All Saints Church, Wokingham, RG40 1TN

Sunday 19 July 2026

[Reading Trans Peers Monthly Meet-Up](#)

17:00 - 19:00, FREE

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Monday 20 July 2026

[Summer School & PSE Get-Together](#)

14:00 – 16:00, FREE

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Tuesday 21 July 2026

[Tuesday Together at the Minster](#)

11:00 - 12:30, FREE

Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2HX

Tuesday 21 July 2026

[Community Chatty Café](#)

14:00 - 16:00, FREE

MERL, 6 Redlands Road, RG1 5EX

Tuesday 21 July 2026

[Seed Talks: History of Folk Horror](#)

From 18:45, From £13.50

Sub89, 110-117 Friar Street, RG1 1EP

Tuesday 21 July 2026

[Appreciating Humanism through the Arts](#)

19:30 - 21:30, FREE

Quakers Friends Meeting House, 2 Church Street, Reading, RG1 2SB.

Friday 24 July 2026

[Victorian Schoolroom Experience](#)

At 11:00 & 14:00, £2.00

Abbey Gateway, Reading, RG1 3BD

Friday 24 July 2026

[Friday Get-Togethers](#)

15:00 – 16:30, FREE

MERL Studio, 6 Redlands Road, RG1 5EX

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Friday 24 July 2026

[Outdoor Cinema: Mamma Mia](#)

19:00 – 23:10, £17.00 - £27.00

Dinton Pastures Country Park, Davis Street,
Hurst, Wokingham, RG10 0TH

Sat 25 July – Sun 23 August 2026

[Reading Dino Trail](#)

Daily, FREE, Reading Town Centre

Saturday 25 July 2026

[Meeple of Reading Gaming Meet-Ups](#)

12:00 – 23:00, FREE - £5.00

Reading Ukrainian Community Centre, RG1 4QZ

Saturday 25 July 2026

[Outdoor Cinema: Dirty Dancing](#)

19:00 – 23:10, £17.00 - £27.00

Dinton Pastures Country Park, Davis Street,
Hurst, Wokingham, RG10 0TH

Sunday 26 July 2026

[Walking Tour: Reading at War](#)

10:00 – 11:00, £9.00

Meet: Reading Minster, St Mary's Butts, RG1 2LG

Sunday 26 July 2026

[RISC Roof Garden Summer Event](#)

12:00 – 16:00, FREE donations welcome

RISC, 35-39 London Street, RG1 4PS

Sunday 26 July 2026

[The Star School of Tarot](#)

13:00 - 15:00, £12.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Sunday 28 June 2026

[Variety Night](#)

19:30 - 23:00, £5.00

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

Monday 27 July 2026

[U3A Talk: London Street Markets](#)

From 14:00, FREE

Abbey Baptist Church, Reading, RG1 3BE

Monday 27 July 2026

[Quiz Night](#)

From 19:30, £3.50

Reading Biscuit Factory, Queens Walk, RG1 7QE

Tuesday 28 July 2026

[Study Advice & Academic English Summer](#)

[Writing Retreat](#)

09:30 – 12:30, FREE

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Friday 31 July 2026

[Outdoor Cinema: Magic Mike](#)

19:00 – 23:10, £17.00 - £27.00

Dinton Pastures Country Park, Davis Street,
Hurst, Wokingham, RG10 0TH

Friday 31 July 2026

[Future Transmissions Film Screenings](#)

19:00 - 22:00, £7.70

Rising Sun Arts Centre, Reading, RG1 2ST

NB: The Events included above, which are not run by or at the University of Reading, are not necessarily endorsed or supported by the Global Study Lounge or the University of Reading. The events are included to showcase what is available across Reading during July (Summer Vacation period). Usual safety precautions should be taken as when attending any event.

If you would like to be the first to hear about trips and events by the Global Study Lounge or for international students throughout the year, [please join the mailing list](#).

To find out more about events in Reading during July, check out the [What's On Reading](#) and [Visit Reading](#) webpages.

Check the [Student Union's](#) webpage and [social media](#) for other events during the vacation.

Check out the [Essentials webpages](#) for information about student services during July.

The [24/7 Student Helpline](#) is available all throughout the year and can provide help with a wide variety of questions and concerns from loneliness to money worries. They offer support in over 240 languages and via a variety of media such as phone calls, live chat, and video calls. This is completely confidential.