

Awareness and Celebrations days/weeks/months

1st - 8th February is National Storytelling week: This takes place in bookshops, pubs, libraries etc. and could be a really nice way of getting people to go out in Hythe. We could hold writing/storytelling workshops at the Town Hall.

February is LGBT Month: LGBTQ+ history workshops at the Town Hall. Work with local organisations such as Folkestone Pride.

8th March is International Women's day: Speakers and history workshops, forums. Support W.I groups to put on events.

12th May is International Nurses Day: Special event at bandstand?

10th -16th May is Mental Health Awareness Week: This year's theme is Nature and the Environment.

Third Monday of May for 1 week is National Vegetarian Week: Involve the restaurants. Workshops at the Town Hall.

June is Pride Month: Fly flag and support organisations who want to put on celebrations.

5th June World Environment Day: Workshops and speakers.

8th June: World Oceans Day

14th July: International Disability Awareness Day.

October is Black History Month: History workshops at the Town Hall. Work with and support local organisations.

<https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/campaigns/mental-health-awareness-week>