

SPECTACULAR JOUSTING

CAERLAVEROCK CASTLE

Saturday 26
and
Sunday 27
July

11.00am
to
4.00pm

Welcome to the annual jousting tournament - a day full of thrills and excitement as our daring knights battle it out in a dramatic show of bravery and skill. Support your hero!

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
11.00am	Dressing for battle Come and see what it takes to get a King and his men ready for battle.	Castle Arena
11:30am	Falconry Display View beautiful birds in flight as our court falconer explains the role of falconry in medieval society.	Castle Arena
12.30pm	Spectacular Jousting! Hear the thunder of hooves, the clash of lances and shields in a thrilling spectacle of daring and horsemanship as our brave knights test their mettle at the tilt.	Jousting Arena
1.30pm	Kids' Army Bring your budding soldiers to the Castle Arena to try out some training in preparation for joining the Kids' Army.	Castle Arena
2.00pm	Foolish Fun The jesters are hoping to be given a knighthood and will be displaying their unique style of jousting. Acrobatic silliness and tomfoolery for all.	Jousting Arena
2.30pm	Spectacular Jousting! The brave knights return to the arena for another showdown, testing their mettle once more at the tilt.	Jousting Arena
3.30pm	Siege of Caerlaverock Castle Edward is marching his way from Carlisle to capture castles from Scots hands. Watch as the Maxwell defenders try to keep the castle for Scotland.	Castle Arena

Historic Environment Scotland requests that adults ensure children stay outside the jousting arena at all times.

ON THROUGHOUT THE DAY

CASTLE GROUNDS

Living History Camp

Wander through the encampment and experience life in medieval times.

Squire School

Calling all aspiring knights! Test your skills at squire school.

Falconry

Meet the court falconer and find out about the traditional training and hunting techniques used by the Scottish nobility.

Gatia

The medieval music ensemble entertains throughout the day.

JOUSTING FIELD

Stables

Visit the knights' horses, see how they are looked after and what they like to eat.

ACTIVITIES MARQUEE

The Art of Eternal Connections

In the late 1990s, on the site of old Caerlaverock Castle, archaeologists discovered three small fragments of Islamic glass. Thought to have once belonged to a medieval drinking vessel, join visual artist Alice Martin, creator of The Art of Eternal Connections display, to discover more about these unique finds.

Castles Rock: Glasgow Science Centre

11.15am, 12 noon, and 3.20pm

Delve into the science and engineering that underpin our amazing castles. This fun, interactive science show will bring castles to life, from their construction to destruction and how we preserve the castles that remain.

From the Archives

Uncover your local heritage from our archives. Discover out new service trove.scot to freely explore millions of records for your research and enjoyment.

Traditional Skills

Watch our stonemasons demonstrating the traditional trade of stone-carving and try your hand at the skill yourself.

Please note: programme may be subject to change.

