

# National Trust Avebury: What's on

## February and March 2025

## Our main visitor offer:



#### **Avebury Manor Garden**

The garden at Avebury Manor is arranged as a series of 'rooms', each with an individual style. Sit and relax in the quiet spaces. Completely accessible by wheelchair or mobility scooter.



#### Henge and stone circles

Why not take a guided tour around the largest prehistoric circle of standing stones in the world? An experienced guide will help bring the history of this ancient site to life.



#### Alexander Keiller Museum

One of the most important prehistoric archaeological collections in Britain is housed in the museum. Discover finds from the Avebury landscape spanning thousands of years, including a human skeleton from 5,300 years ago.

## What's on: February and March



#### **Wild Winter Spotter Trail**

Sat 11 Jan — Sun 2 Mar, 10am — 4pm, Free

Can you find a possible Neolithic tool, a muddy puddle or a group of feathered visitors? Families can pick up a free wild winter spotter trail from the barn, museum, garden gate or shop to explore Avebury with a new focus.

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#### **February Half Term Bird Search**

Sat 15 Feb — Sun 23 Feb, 10am - 4pm, Free with entry to the Manor Garden

Painted birds have been hidden around the Manor Garden. Pick up a trail sheet and match each bird to its colourful bird house. Families can also find new ways to explore the garden with a free explorer backpack or sensory map.



#### February Half Term Museum Trail

Sat 15 Feb — Sun 23 Feb, 10am — 4pm, Free with entry to the Museum

Visit the Alexander Keiller Museum to learn more about Avebury and follow the clues on your trail sheet to become a museum detective.

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#### **Guided Tour of Avebury Manor Garden**

Thu 27 Mar, 10am — 11:30am, £10 per person, including entry to the garden

Join Garry, Head Gardener at Avebury Manor Garden, to learn about its fascinating history and how his team are working to adapt this fully organic garden to the changing climate. Booking essential. www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/wiltshire/avebury/events



#### **Easter Trail at Avebury**

Sat 29 Mar—Mon 21 Apr, 10am— 5pm, £3.50 per trail plus garden admission.

Easter adventures for families in Avebury Manor garden. Don your bunny ears and follow the trail, with Easter games and challenges along the way, to claim your chocolate egg. No need to book. www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/wiltshire/avebury/events



#### Mother's Day Craft

Sat 29 Mar and Sun 30 Mar, 11am — 3pm, £2 per craft pack

Children can make a colourful photo frame for someone special to celebrate Mothers Day. Pick up a craft pack in the barn. www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/wiltshire/avebury/events



#### **Family Tour**

Weds and Suns during school holidays 24 Mar - Sun 3 Oct, 11am & 1pm, £2.50 per child, free for accompanying adults.

Learn more about the amazing Avebury World Heritage site with a family-friendly tour of the stone circles. Tickets available from the barn in the old farmyard.

### **Looking forward to Spring**

Celebrate the arrival of Spring with Easter crafts, May blossom celebrations, guided walks through the Avebury landscape and tours through the beautiful Avebury Manor Garden.



### **Windmill Hill Anniversary**

Find out about the Neolithic causewayed enclosure at Windmill Hill on the 100th anniversary of its excavation, including displays and family-friendly activities.

Avebury Barn and Alexander Keiller

Museum from March to the end of the year.

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