Thu 1st Oct	**A Patchwork Of Quilts** Tintagel Post Office, 11am-4pm. (Until 11th Oct). The rooms of the Old Post Office will be strewn with quilts of various designs showing how people of the past recycled their old clothing and kept warm throughout the winter. Normal NT admission applies. **Garden Tours** Lanhydrock House, Nr Bodmin. 12noon-4pm. (Also 2nd Oct 6th,7th,8th, 9th 13th,14th,15th,16th 20th, 21st ,22nd, 23rd, 27th 28th, 29th &30th Oct) Tour of the Lanhydrock Garden with an expert guide. Normal NT admission +£2 per person. ☎ 01208 265950 to check tour availability and times. **Seasonal Garden Walk** Gelndurgan Gardens, nr Falmouth.2-3.30pm. Discover unusual and beautiful plants growing in Cornwall's mild maritime climate on this leisurely walk around the garden. Normal NT admission fee. **Old, Gnarly and Beautiful- Lanhydrock's ancient trees** Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin. 11am-5pm (Until 31st Oct). Discover some of the ancient trees growing on Lanhydrock's doorstep in this Gatehouse exhibition. Normal NT admission fee.
Fri 2nd Oct	**Conservation: What Is It, who does it?** Cotehele House, nr Saltash. 11am-2pm. Lecture lunch with the house and collections manager. £18 per adult incl. lunch in the Barn Restaurant. Booking essential ☎ 01579 351346

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	Padstow Arts Festival (Until 4th Oct) The 1st Padstow Arts Festival takes place in early October, Friday 2nd to Sunday 4th. It will focus on being a celebration for two eminent former residents, Sir Malcolm Arnold, composer and Sir John Betjeman, poet and man of letters. For more info look at http://www.padstow-tc.gov.uk/publish/uploads/microsoft_word_-_the_padstow_arts_festival_-_press_release.pdf **Talon- The Best Of The Eagles** Carnglaze Caverns, St Neot. 8pm. Talon are set to bring you their most exciting Eagles music show yet. Featuring all the Eagles classics plus material from the long awaited recent album. Tickets £17.50. ☎ 01579 320251 to book. **Lostwithiel Local Produce Market** Lostwithiel Community Centre 1am-2pm (Also 16th & 30th Oct) Free entry and parking.
Sat 3rd Oct	**Tolgus Tin & Ghost Cycle Ride** Meet The Bike Barn, Elm Farm, nr Portreath (SW 694457). 9.45am. A short ride along the Coast to Coast trail and the new Tolgus Trail for a guided visit to the fascinating and famously haunted Tolgus Tin site. Approx 3 hrs. £10 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01209 891498 (CED) **Deadman's Finger or Poison Pie? ☺** Nr Camborne. 2pm-4pm. Discover the weird and wonderful world of fungi with a local expert. For children 11-16yrs. Free event but donations welcome. ☎ 01872 273939 ext 203. To book and find out more details.(CED)

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	Tudor Treats Trerice, Kestle Mill, nr Newquay. 12noon-2pm. Experience a main course with a difference with recipes inspired by the Tudors. £7.50 per adult. ☎ 01637 875404 to book. **Boscastle Food, Arts and Craft Festival** (Until 4th Oct). This year sees the fourth festival of food, arts and crafts to be held in Boscastle. The event, born out of a sense of community regeneration following the disastrous flooding of 2004, has now become firmly established on the festival scene and is arguably the biggest of its kind to be held in Cornwall. For more info on what's happening look at www.visit.boscastle.com **Classical Guitarist Xuefei Yang** Carnglaze Caverns, St Neot. 8pm. An associate of the Royal Academy of music in London Fei has appeared on numerous radio and television programmes. £10 per adult. ☎ 01579 320251
Sun 4th Oct	**Jack's Misguided Tour Of Godolphin** Godolphin Estate, nr Helston. 11am-1pm & 2pm-4pm. Join Jack,the resident handyman on a journey through 700 yrs of misadventure at Godolphin. Little-known tales of family secrets in this magical setting. £5 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01736 763194. **Lute On Sundays** Trerice, Kestle Mill, nr Newquay. 2.30pm-4.30pm. Listen to the relaxing period sound of the lute drifting through the house at lutenist Brian Wright plays in the Elizabethan Great Chamber. Normal NT admission.

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Mon 5th Oct	**Lunchtime Lecture: Mayday, Mayday, Mayday.** National Maritime Museum, Falmouth. 12.30pm.The Falmouth Coastgaurd Rescue Centre Manager will take you through some of the famous and not so well known incidents that Falmouth's Maritime Rescue Centre has dealt with over the last 30 years. £12.50 for lecture and lunch. Booking essential ☎ 01326 214546
Tue 6th Oct	**Cornwall Ramblers Walk : Padstow** Meet outside the Lobster Hatchery, Padstow. (SW 921750) 11am. 3 miles. 2hrs. Leisurely walk to include Prideaux House, Tregirls Farm, Harbour Cove and coast path. **The Grapes Of Wrath** Theatre Royal, Plymouth. 7.30pm (Until 10th Oct). A family of impoverished Oklahoman sharecroppers lose everything when their farm is repossessed after a devastating drought. Driven from their home to make the monumental trek westward to California and seduced by the prospect of opportunity and dignity, they invest everything they have in the journey. When forced to face the possibility that California may not after all be the promised land, they have no choice but to go on; nothing is left for them in Oklahoma. Tickets £10-£19. Book your seats at Bodmin Visitor Information Centre.
Wed 7th Oct	**Wildlife Of The Camel Estuary** Meet Countrywise, Eddystone Road, Wadebridge. 10am. (Also 14th, 21st & 28th Oct). A 4 hour guided walk looking at the myriad of wildlife along the Camel Estuary. £2 per adult.

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	Gardeners Tours Trerice, Kestle Mill, nr Newquay. 2pm-3pm. Tour the garden with Gardener In Charge, Tamsin Battell. Learn about garden history, techniques and problem solving. Normal NT admission. **Seasonal Garden Walk** Trelissick, nr Truro. 2pm. Discover the seasonal treasures of this varied garden. Join a member of the team to learn about plants of interest and how the garden is looked after. Norman NT admission. **Callington Honey Fair** Throughout Callington. Up to 100 stalls line the streets of Callington in one of the largest street fairs in Cornwall and the only remaining Honey Fair. Adding to the entertainment are a large fun fair and travelling entertainment. Visit the town hall for the famous Honey Fair cream and see the children's exhibition there. **DV8** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 8pm (Also 8th Oct). A poetic and unflinching exploration of tolerance, intolerance, religion and sexuality, it incorporates dance, text, documentary, animation and film. Suitable for 16+ The show will include some strong language. Tickets £18.50. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office.
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Fri 9th Oct	**Spooky Cotehele** 🕸 Cotehele House, nr Saltash. 6pm-8pm. (Also 16th, 23rd & 30th Oct). Guided tour of the house with a spooky slant, culminating in mulled cider in front of the fire. £15 per adult. Booking essential ☎ 01579 3514346 **The Hanging Oak** St.Petroc's Church. 8pm. Paul Drayton's chilling new opera based on a story by M.R.James Presented by Duchy Opera soloists, chorus and orchestra. Tickets £12 and £10 available from Bricknells Stationers ☎ 01208 78131. **Simon Amstell** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 8pm. Standup comedian. Tickets £18-£20. ☎ 01872 262466 Box office.
Sat 10th Oct	**Cornwall Ramblers Walk : Harlyn Bay** Meet car park (SW 880754). 11am. 6-7 miles. 4hrs. Moderate walk to include coast path, lanes and footpaths. **Fifteen Cornwall Autumn Farmers Market** Watergate Bay, Newquay. 9am-3.30pm. The farmers' market will showcase some of the best producers in Cornwall and the huge variety of produce that they have to offer. Meet the talented people that rear, grow, catch or make the exceptional food that Fifteen Cornwall use and to have the opportunity to buy their produce yourself. From 11.00am, Executive Chef Neil Haydock will present cookery demonstrations, with the help of our apprentices and there might even be the chance for you to get involved!

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	Branch Line Weekend Bodmin and Wenford Railway. (Also 11th Oct). A Cornish Branch Line in the 1950s - steam engines and carriages in early British Railways liveries appropriate for the period. □ ALL TRAINS STEAM HAULED . LSWR Beattie 2-4-0WT 30587, GWR 2-6-2T 5552, GWR 0-6-0PT 6435 • □ LOCOMOTIVES WORKING HARD UP GRADIENTS AS STEEP AS 1:37 • □ HOURLY DEPARTURES FROM BODMIN GENERAL—10am to 5pm • □ SATURDAY EVENING FISH & CHIP BRAKE VAN SPECIAL hauled by the 'Port of Par twins' Alfred and Judy ROVER TICKETS, GIFT SHOP, BUFFET, FREE PARKING **Motown On Tour** Hall For Cornwall, Truro.8pm. Celebrating 50 years of Motown, with hits by The Supremes, Martha Reeves and the Vandellas, The Four Tops, The Temptations, Marvin Gaye, Stevie Wonder and Lionel Richie to name but a few. This electrifying evening of nonstop hits features all the classics. Tickets £18-£19.50.☎ 01872 262466 Box Office.
Sun 11th Oct	**Cornwall Ramblers Walk : Luxulyan** Meet Luxulyan opposite bus shelter (SX052581). 9.30am. 16 miles. 6-7hrs. Strenuous walk to include Caerloggas, Carn Grey and Helman Tor.

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	'Mystic Kernow' Guided Walk Meet NT car park at Lizard Point. 11am-1pm. A guided walk exploring the magic, myth and folklore of the Lizard with a local legend. £4 per adult. **Fungi Foray** Pencarrow House, nr Bodmin. 10.30am. Explore Pencarrow's ancient grounds for incredible (and hopefully edible) fungi. £20 to include coffee and a light lunch at approx 1pm. Booking essential ☎ 01208 841369. **Lostwithiel Antiques Fair** Lostwithiel Community Centre. 10am-4.30pm. Over 40 stands with free parking. Refreshments available.
Mon 12th Oct	**Porridge** Theatre Royal, Plymouth. 7.30pm (Until 17th Oct). This hilarious new play features all your favourite characters from the original series. So prepare for laughs-a-plenty as Fletch, played by Shaun Williamson (EastEnders and Extras), as well as Godber and the other inmates of Slade Prison, take on the system under the nose of the ever suspicious Mr Mackay. Tickets £10-£19. Book your seats at Bodmin Visitor Information Centre.
Tue 13th Oct	**Stuart House & Medieval Liskeard** SWEB Club, Lostwithiel Road, Bodmin. 7.30pm. A talk for Bodmin History society by Tony Wood. All Welcome.

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	Jethro Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7.30pm. Jethro has only appeared on TV 9 times in his life, but he has played live to over 3 million. He has never won a comedy award, but he did once win the Fathers' Egg and Spoon Race at St Just Primary School sports day. He continues to fill theatres up and down the country. 18yrs+. Tickets £17-£18. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office. **My Life With The Dogs** Drum Theatre, Plymouth. 7.45pm (Until 17th Oct). Based on the amazing true life of Ivan Mishukov, a young boy from Russia who left home at the age of four to live with wild street dogs. He survived with the dogs for two years before being captured by the police and placed in a children's home. His story was widely reported in 1998 leading to a number of western families attempting to adopt him. Social workers at the children's home in Moscow said that Ivan 'sometimes behaved like a dog and said that dogs were better than people because they did not lie'. Tickets £12. Book your seats at Bodmin Visitor Information Centre.
Wed 14th Oct	**Cornwall Ramblers Walk : Rough Tor** Meet Rough Tor car park (SX 139818). 10.30am. 6 miles. 4hrs. Moderate walk to include Rough Tor, Brown Willy Stannon Stone Circle and Louden Hill.

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	Lowender Peran Festival Perranporth. (Until 18th Oct). Lowender Peran is an annual festival celebrating Cornwall's Celtic connections. A fun, family friendly event, the weekend consists of ceilidhs (barn dances), concerts, dance and music workshops, storytelling, music sessions and a Celtic craft market. Tickets are available through the festival office ☎(01872) 553413 or via www.lowenderperan.com **An Evening With Masterchef Winner, Mat Follas** Fifteen Cornwall, Watergate Bay. Mat will spend the day in the Fifteen Cornwall kitchen with Executive Chef Neil Haydock and apprentice chefs, creating a collaborative evening tasting menu, using produce from fantastic Cornish and Italian suppliers. There will be an opportunity to catch up with Mat and Neil throughout the evening where you can put forward your culinary questions and find out all the secrets of the trade! A lively, fun evening of great food and drink! Tasting Menu £55 per person with optional wine package at an additional £40. Places are limited so ☎ 01637 861000 to book your table.
Thu 15th Oct	**Behind The Scenes Tour** Glendurgan Gardens, nr Falmouth. 2pm-3.30pm. Explore areas of Glendurgan not normally seen by visitors and discover ways in which Glendurgan is reducing its environmental impact. Normal NT admission.

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	Falmouth Oyster Festival Events Square, Falmouth (until 18th Oct) Embarking on its thirteenth year, Falmouth Oyster Festival celebrates the start of the oyster dredging season, the diversity and quality of Cornish Seafood and in particular, one of the last remaining traditional oyster fisheries, dredging by sail and hand punt. For a full programme of events look at www.falmouthoysterfestival.co.uk **Tavistock Goosey Fair** This annual fair originally dates back to the 12th century when farmers brought their geese for sale and drove them through the streets to the market. Today the fair attracts market traders and showmen from all over the country. **Classic Legends Of Rock Tour** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 8pm. Three bands who played their part in the history of rock play a great gig in an amazing triple bill featuring The Strawbs, Wishbone Ash and Focus. Tickets £19.50-£21.50. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office
Fri 16th Oct	**Autumn Garden Walk** Trelissick Garden, nr Truro. 2pm-4pm. Join a member of the garden team on a tour on the garden at this very atmospheric time of year. Normal NT admission.

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	Ghost Tours🕸 Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin. 6.30pm-9.45pm. (also 23rd Oct). Enjoy a glass of sparkling wine before a 'spooky' tour of the house, followed by a 3 course supper. £32.50 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01208 265951 **Fascinating Aida** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7.30pm. Britain's top female comedy trio are 25 years old. Dillie, Adele and Liza look forward to entertaining you with some new songs. Thrill to the beauty of the harmonies, marvel at the intricate rhymes and, if you're one of their older fans, remember to switch your hearing aid to the theatre's loop system to avoid unpleasant whistling! Tickets £15-£17. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office.
Sat 17th Oct	**Stargazing** Meet Cardinham Woods, nr Bodmin. 7pm-9pm. Join experienced astronomers for a fascinating talk and a look at the stars above Cardinham through powerful telescopes. £7.50 per adult and children 12yrs+. Booking Essential ☎ 01392 834233.(CL) **Plant Centre Sale** Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin. 11am-5pm. (Until 31st Oct). Pick up a bargin at the end of season plant sale. **Trebah Talk : 'The History of G.C.Fox and Co.** Trebah Gardens, Mawnan Smith. 11.30am in the Vinery. Normal Garden entry fee applies. Booking essential ☎ 01326 252200

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	Roseland Festival Various events around the Roseland Penisula (Until 31st Oct) For a full programme look at www.roselandfestival.co.uk **Ladysmith Black Mambazo** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7.30pm. For more than thirty years, Ladysmith Black Mambazo have married the intricate rhythms and harmonies of their native South African musical traditions to the sounds and sentiments of Christian gospel music. The result is a musical and spiritual alchemy that has touched a worldwide audience representing every corner of the religious, cultural and ethnic landscape. Tickets £23-£25. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office
Sun 18th Oct	**Fungi Foray** Meet Ponts Mill car park, Luxulyan (SX072562). 10am. Discover more about the world of fungi on this gentle walk in the Luxulyan Valley. £1.50 per person. (CED) **Walkies By The Water** Meet Cotehele Quay, nr Saltash (SX422685). 10.30am. Two scenic routes to choose from on this sponsored walk along the banks of the River Tamar to raise money for Hearing Dogs for Deaf People.☎ 01208 79786 to book a place. £3 per adult in advance.(CED) **Batty About Boxes ☺** Meet Allet, nr Truro. 11am-12.30pm & 1.30pm-3pm. Make a bat box to put in your garden for local bats to shelter in. For children 7+yrs. £4 per box. Advance booking essential ☎ 01872 273939 ext 203 for a time slot. (CED)

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Mon 19th Oct	**3 Day Adult Art Class** Trebah Gardens, Mawnan Smith (Until 21st Oct). Three day course with Janet Judge in the Vinery. £100 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01326 252200.
Tue 20th Oct	**Insane In The Brain** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 8pm. (Also 21st Oct). The classic story of One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest is injected with a large dose of hip hop energy by Bounce. This exciting company is known for creating high energy, imaginative street-dance theatre. The show features a fantastic soundtrack including hits from stars like Missy Elliot, Dizzie Rascal, Gotan Project, David Holmes and Cypress Hill. Tickets £14-£16. ☎ 01462 262466 Box office.
Wed 21st Oct	**High Muck-A-Muck** Drum Theatre, Plymouth. Various Times (Until 24th Oct). A humdinger of a show for five to ten year olds featuring live acts, live music and stupendous puppets. Yes-indeed-ee! Tickets £12. Book your seats at Bodmin Visitor Information Centre.
Thu 22nd Oct	**Fowey River Crafts** Fowey Town Hall. 10am-5pm. (Also 23rd Oct & 29th & 30th Oct) Craft demonstrations at every fair, free admission.

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	Bloc Party UK Tour Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7.30pm. The month long **BLOCTOBER** tour will see the band play 23 shows around the UK throughout the month of October. Tickets £22.50. ☎ 01872 262466. Box Office
Fri 23rd Oct	**Osiligi Maasai Warrior Dance Troupe** St Petroc's Church, Bodmin. Tickets £10. **Patchwork and Applique Day** Pencarrow House, nr Bodmin. A day of patchwork and appliqué with Christmas in mind led by Jo Colwill of Cowslip Interiors. Booking essential ☎ 01208 841369
Sat 24th Oct	**Heligan Harvest Display** Lost Gardens of Heligan, nr Mevagissey. (Until 1st Nov). 10am-5pm. Heligan's outstanding and varied range of produce is harvested and lovingly arranged in spectacular traditional displays. Free entry to Harvest display. **Halloween Trail ☺🕸** Cardinham Woods, nr Bodmin. (Until 1st Nov). Track down the clues on this spooky adventure and unravel the mystery to claim a scary treat. £2 per trail sheet available from the café.(CED) **Halloween Garden Trail ☺🕸** Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin 11am-4pm (Until 31st Oct). Prize trail through the gardens. £1.50 per trail.

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	Kiki Dee and Carmelo Luggeri Carnglaze Caverns, St.Neot. 8pm. A unique acoustic guitar show featuring some of Kiki's original hits and covers of other songs. An intimate and spontaneous evening. Tickets £15. ☎ 01579 320251 to book. **Haunted Halloween ☺ 🕸** Pendennis Castle, Falmouth. 10am-4pm (Until 31st Oct). Enjoy spooky storytelling, colouring and face painting before daring to venture out on one of the tummy-trembling tours of the castle. Adults £5.70, Child £2.90. Advance booking for tours essential ☎ 01326 316594 **Half Term Surprises ☺ 🕸** Trebah Gardens, Mawnan Smith. (Until 31st Oct). Children,s trails and lantern making workshops. Look at www.trebahgarden.co.uk for more info. **Halloween Trail ☺ 🕸** Newquay Zoo. (Until 1st Oct). Listen to spooky stories at lunchtime (12.15pm), make a Halloween mask and create a pumpkin face in the art workshop. Normal Zoo entry applies.
Sun 25th Oct	**Arundells to Aclands** Trerice, Kestell Mill, nr Newquay. 11.30am-4.30pm. (Until 28th Oct). Celebrate the Tudor Arundells (Sun & Mon) and the Victorian Aclands (Tue &Wed) with period music, historic falconry and flying displays. Normal NT admission.

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	Pumpkin Fun Day ☺🕸 Trengwainton Garden, nr Penzance. 11am-3pm. Pumpkin crafts, food, facts and fun. Carve a pumpkin lantern, have a go at pumpkin games and feast on pumpkin dishes. **Lunchtime Dining Train** Bodmin and Wenford Railway. 12noon. Enjoy a delicious 3 course meal served in the beautiful 1st class dining coaches with table service for drinks. Adults £32.50, children £22.50. Booking essential ☎ 0845 125 9678
Mon 26th Oct	**Feed The Birds** ☺ Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin. 12noon-3pm. Make a bird feeder and decorate a bird box for your garden. £1.50 per person. **Horrible Halloween Happenings** ☺ 🕸 National Maritime Museum, Falmouth. 12noon-3.30pm. (Until 1st Nov) Make something devilishly different everyday with free drop in activities from scary skeletons to monster masks. Normal museum entry applies. **Halloween Hunt** ☺ 🕸 National Maritime Museum, Falmouth. 10am-5pm. (Until 1st Nov). Can you find the petrifying pumpkins and follow the ghostly trail? Normal museum entry applies.

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	Newton Faulkner Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7pm. Newton Faulkner returns to Cornwall as part of his UK tour to support the release of his 2nd album which is due for release in September. Expect a blend of beautifully crafted songs, new and old delivered with warmth and his usual charm! Tickets £16. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office **Celebrate The Big Draw** Shire Hall, Mount Folly Square Bodmin (Until 31st Oct). Join us at the Shire Hall, to celebrate the Big Draw's 10th birthday. The Big Draw is a nationwide campaign to get people of all ages and abilities to enjoy drawing, so come along and pick up a pencil! Free event.
Tue 27th Oct	**Cornwall Ramblers Walk : Heligan** Meet outside Lobb's Farm Shop (SW996467). 1pm. 4.5 miles. 3hrs. Moderate walk to include new permissive paths to Mevagissey. **Meet The Mice ☺** Meet Cardinham Woods, nr Bodmin. 2pm-4pm. Meet some of Cardinham's smallest and shyest residents and learn how to spot signs of other animals. £5 per child 8+yrs, accompanying adults Free. Booking essential ☎ 01392 834233.(CL)

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	Pentargon Circular Walk Meet Boscastle Visitor Centre. 10am-2pm. A 7 mile walk out of Boscastle Harbour, along the coast path then onto Valency Valley.(CL) **Halloween week at Antony ☺ 🕸** Antony House, Torpoint. 12noon-5pm. (Also 28th & 29th Oct). Spooky fun at Antony, complete the Halloween trail around the gardens, take part in the scary handicrafts. Prize given for the best fancy dress at 2pm each day. £1.50 garden trail, £1 for handicrafts. **It's Time For Bed** Cotehele House, nr Saltash. 11am-4pm (Until 31st Oct). Take a closer look at the bed in King Charles's room; learn about its history and how it is looked after. Normal NT admission. **Halloween 'drop in' Workshop ☺ 🕸** Trebah Gardens, Mawnan Smith. 11am-1pm. Normal Garden entry applies + £2 per child for materials. **6 Characters In Search of An Author** Theatre Royal, Plymouth. 7.30pm (Until 31st Oct). Six strangers appear unannounced during the editing of a docu-drama declaring themselves fictional characters in search of an author. As their compelling narrative unfolds, their story is filmed and reality and fiction become increasingly blurred. This stunning play is a parable for a media obsessed age and an exhilarating exploration of how we define ourselves in the 21st Century. Tickets £10-£21. Book your seats at Bodmin Visitor Information Centre.

Wed 28th Oct	**Wadebridge Wanderer** Meet Guineaport, Wadebridge (SW994719). 10am. A 3.75 mile scenic stroll taking in some of the best views in the area. Approx 2 hrs. Free event – donations appreciated. (CL) **Fungus Foray** Meet Cardinham Woods, nr Bodmin. 10am-12.30pm & 1.30pm-4pm. A foray with a local expert looking at both edible and inedible fungi. £5 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01392 934233. **Stargazing Strolls** Meet Boscastle Visitor Centre. 7.30pm. Discover the magic of the night sky with other likeminded novices. Bring a torch and warm clothing. ☎ 01840 250010 to book a place and for more info. (CL) **Spooky Hallowe'en Crafts** ☺ 🕸 Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin.12noon-3pm. (Until 29th Oct). Frighten your family! Spiders and spooks to make and take. £1.50 per child. **Discovery Talks: Ghost Ships and Bad Trips** National Maritime Museum, Falmouth. 6.30pm. Talk looking at modern piracy and current global hot spots of piracy and how to deal with this international crime. £16 for talk and two course buffet. Booking essential ☎ 01326 214546

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	Family Fun Day ☺ 🕸 Trevarno Gardens, nr Helston. 10.30am-4pm. Family Fun Day, go slightly spooky today! Come join the not-so-wicked witch and have a wonderspell time! **Charlie Landsborough** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7.30pm. Charlie and his five-piece band are well known for keeping concertgoers enthralled. His heartfelt, telling lyrics and his very human anecdotes captivate his audiences wherever he performs. His music, which ranges from inspirational to country, from ballad to anthem, truly hits the spot. Tickets 14.50-£16. ☎ 01872 262466. **Spooky Time at The Shire Hall** ☺ 🕸 Shire Hall, Bodmin. 1pm-2pm. Get in the mood for Halloween with some spooky tales by Jill Lamede, the Tintagel Storyteller, told from the spooky original Victorian holding cells. Free treat for any children in Halloween costume. Suitable for 5yrs+. Free entry but spaces limited please arrive early to avoid disappointment.
Thu 29th Oct	**Ghost Tours** 🕸 Pendennis Castle, Falmouth. 7.30pm & 10pm. Take part in the adult only Halloween ghost tour. Then warm up with a Cornish pasty and a hot drink. 16yrs+. £12 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01326 316594.

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	Grand Guignol Drum Theatre, Plymouth. 7.45pm (Until 14th Nov). 1903. In the back streets of Monmartre, the Theatre du Grand Guignol opens its doors to an unsuspecting public. The plays performed, rife with madness and murder, are sold out every night. A psychiatrist obsessed with the playwright's gruesome dramas ingratiates his way into the company. But when he starts to unpick the author's mind, the boundaries between theatre and truth begin to blur…Tickets £12. Book your seats at Bodmin Visitor Information centre.
Fri 30th Oct	**Halloween Lantern Walk and storytelling on the Beacon.**🕸 Meet Bodmin Beacon car park. 6pm-8pm. Walk with local storyteller Jo Tagney. Bring a torch and warm clothing. ☎ 01208 262857 for more info. **Fright Night on Cotehele Quay** ☺ 🕸 Cotehele House, nr Salatsh. 5.30pm-8.3pm. Come and be scared - if you dare! Spooky goings on at t'Mill and Quay. Adults £6, Child £3. Booking essential ☎ 01579 351346 **The Great Seed Hunt** ☺ Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin. 10am-12.30pm. A tractor ride with the estate team to find acorns, beech nuts and chestnuts. Plant your seed to take home or to plant in Lanhydrock's woods in the future. £4 per adult, £2 per child. Booking essential ☎ 01208 265950

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	Spooky Sleepover ☺ 🕸 Royal Cornwall Museum, Truro.7pm-9am. Spend a night at the museum and see what comes to life! Spooky storytelling and a monster midnight feast this will be a scary night to remember. Ages 7+ £25 per child with an accompanying adult. Booking essential ☎ 01872 240514 **Halloween Evening Special** ☺ 🕸 Bodmin and Wenford Railway. A frightening experience, a party, a murder mystery, scary fun for all! Adults £19.50, children £9.50. Advance booking essential ☎ 0845 125 98678 **Paranormal Investigation Night** 🕸 Jamaica Inn, Bodmin Moor. You'll have the opportunity to be part of a team which will be led by two paranormal investigators who will have access all night to the main haunted bedrooms, the courtyard, the museum and bar areas. The price includes a meal before the investigation starts. Don't miss this once in a lifetime opportunity! £70 per adult. To join the ghost tour and find out more about what the investigations include or to book your place please call ☎ 01566 86250 - before it's too late. **Dave Spikey** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. 7.30pm. Probably best known for co-writing and costarring with Peter Kay as Jerry St Clair in Phoenix Nights and as team captain on C4's 8 out of 10 Cats and the host of Bullseye. More recently he has written and co-starred in ITV comedy, Dead Man Weds and BBC1's Magnolia. Tickets £18.50.☎ 01872 262466

Sat 31st Oct	**Cornwall Ramblers Walk : Fowey** Meet Coombe Farm car park (SX 109512). 10.30am. 7.5 miles. 4.5hrs. Moderate walk to include Fowey, Golant and Readymoney Cove. **Halloween Horrors** 🕸 Meet Cardinham Woods, nr Bodmin. 6pm-8pm. An evening of spooky tales around the campfire set deep in the woods. Adults and children aged 8+ yrs £6 per person. Booking essential ☎ 01392 834233. (CL) **Fright Night** ☺ 🕸 Tintagel Old Post office. 4.30pm-7.30pm. Spooky Halloween fun at the Old Post office. Visit the property at night and join in the scary activities. £2 per adult, £3 per child. Booking essential ☎ 01840 770024. **Pumpkin Lantern Walk** ☺ 🕸 Lanhydrock House, nr Bodmin. 5.30-7pm. Carve a pumpkin to light your way around a spooky walk on the estate. Prize for best fancy dress. £6 per adult and £4 per child. Booking essential ☎ 01208 265950. **Halloween Treats** ☺🕸 Stowe Barton Orchard. (SS212114). 3pm-6pm. Join in lantern making and display, bat box building, face painting and Halloween games and activities. £3 for activities.

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	Halloween Special- The Witches ☺ 🕸 National Maritime Museum, Falmouth. 6.30pm. Showing of the Roald Dahl classic followed by a spooky torch lit tour of the museum- watch out for any unexpected 'visitors' lurking in the dark! £6 per adult and £4 for children. Booking required ☎ 01326 214546 **'Spooky' Face Painting** ☺ 🕸 Trebah Gardens, Mawnan Smith. Have your face painted in tiem for all those Halloween parties! £2 per child. **Beast Burning** Colliford Lake, Bodmin Moor. 7pm. Take part in this ancient Celtic tradition as a monstrous 30 ft high wooden sculpture of the Beast of Bodmin is set alight along with fireworks. Adults £7, children £6. **Paranormal Ghost Walk Nights** 🕸 Bodmin Jail. 10.30pm-7am. The night will be hosted by Mark Rablin, an experienced and professional pyscic medium & energy therapist who has many years experience of research into paranormal fields. Various group workshops will be undertaken in elected areas of both the main civil prison, and also the naval prison, and it is expected that you will enjoy the night and gain a better understanding into the paranormal field. Tea and coffee facilities are available throughout the night and a function room and toilets will be on hand. The night will finish at approx 7am with a full English breakfast. £70 per adult. Advance booking essential ☎ 01208 76292

	Halloween Monster Bash ☺ 🕸 Newquay Zoo. 6.30pm-9.30pm. Follow the challenging trail around the zoo with goulish games and prizes for the best fancy dress, animal encounters, trick and treat bags. A hot drink and cookie is included with the entry fee. Adults £9.50, children £7.50. Booking essential ☎ 01637 873342. **The Orchestra (Former members of ELO)** Hall For Cornwall, Truro. Legendary past members of the Electric Light Orchestra are back together to re-create the mega-hits from one of the supergroups of the 70s & 80s. These internationally renowned artists have performed to sell-out audiences in theatres, arenas and stadiums in over 50 countries, from the Carnegie Hall to the Royal Albert Hall. Hear all the hits: Last Train To London, Wild West Hero, Hold On Tight, Mr Blue Sky and the rock anthem Don't Bring Me Down. Tickets £25-£27.50. ☎ 01872 262466 Box Office.

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