



Terms & Conditions

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The Lyme Regis Fossil Festival is a free event, but certain lectures and films require a ticket to be purchased via the Marine Theatre in Lyme Regis at <https://www.marinetheatre.com>. For ticket sale terms and conditions, please refer to the Marine Theatre website.

By attending the festival, visitors agree to comply with all rules, regulations, and instructions given by the festival organisers and staff.

The festival organisers reserve the right to refuse entry or remove any person from the festival grounds for any reason, including disruptive or inappropriate behaviour.

Traders will be present at the event, selling products related to fossils. Food stalls will also be available. All transactions with traders and food stalls are separate from the festival organisation and any purchases made are at the visitor's own discretion and risk.

Festival and Event Programme

All programme details are correct at the time of publication. We reserve the right to change programmes and artistes if circumstances dictate. In the event of cancellations the face value of tickets will be refunded.

Festival Rules

- All visitors must respect the natural environment and not cause any damage to the festival site, including the cliffs, beaches, and surrounding areas.
- Fossil collecting is permitted only in designated areas and must be done in accordance with the Fossil Collecting Code of Conduct.
- Visitors must not remove or disturb any fossils or rocks from the festival site without prior permission from the festival organisers or relevant authorities.
- Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- Visitors must follow any safety instructions provided by the festival staff, particularly when participating in guided walks, workshops, or other activities.

- Smoking is prohibited inside any festival venues, marquees, or tents.
- Pets are welcome at the festival but must be kept on a leash at all times and under the owner's control. Owners are responsible for cleaning up after their pets.
- Visitors must not engage in any form of harassment, discrimination, or offensive behaviour towards other festival attendees, staff, or volunteers.
- The sale or consumption of illegal substances is strictly prohibited.
- The festival organisers reserve the right to ask any visitor who does not comply with these rules to leave the festival site immediately.

Ticketed Events

For ticketed events, tickets are available via <https://www.marinetheatre.com>. For ticket sale terms and conditions, please refer to their website.

Competitions

From time to time we run competitions. We will let you know about these competitions but will never share your contact details with these partners or anyone else. Specific competition terms are detailed in the copy.

All competitions at the Lyme Regis Fossil Festival are free to enter.

- Competitions are open to all festival attendees, unless otherwise specified (e.g., age restrictions).
- Employees of the Lyme Regis Fossil Festival, its partners, and their immediate family members are not eligible to participate in the competitions.
- To enter a competition, participants must follow the instructions provided at the festival or on the festival's website or social media channels.
- Winners will be selected by a panel of judges or by random draw, depending on the nature of the competition.
- Prizes are non-transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash or other alternatives.
- The festival organisers reserve the right to substitute prizes with items of equal or greater value if the original prize becomes unavailable.
- Winners will be notified by email or phone within 30 days of the competition closing date. If a winner does not respond within 60 days of being notified, the festival organisers reserve the right to select an alternate winner.
- By entering a competition, participants agree to have their names and photos used for promotional purposes by the Lyme Regis Fossil Festival and its partners.

Liability

- The Lyme Regis Fossil Festival and its organisers are not liable for any loss, damage, injury, or illness incurred by festival attendees, except where such liability cannot be excluded by law.
- Festival attendees are responsible for their personal property, and the festival organisers will not be held liable for any loss, damage, or theft of personal belongings.
- The festival organisers are not responsible for any transactions, products, or services provided by traders or food stalls at the event.

Data Protection

By attending the Lyme Regis Fossil Festival or entering a competition, visitors agree to have their personal data collected and processed in accordance with the festival's privacy policy.

The festival organisers will not share attendees' personal data with third parties, except where required by law or for the purposes of administering competitions.

Data Custodian

In accordance with GDPR changes coming into effect on 25th May 2018 our Data Custodian is Eleanor Wentzell. We will never sell your data onto a third party and your email information is safe with us. You can unsubscribe at anytime at the footer of our Mailchimp emails.

Changes to Terms and Conditions

The Lyme Regis Fossil Festival reserves the right to modify these terms and conditions at any time without prior notice.

The most current version of the terms and conditions will be available on the festival's website.

Contact Details

If you have any questions regarding our event or any related information please do not hesitate to contact us.

Email us at: chat@fossilfestival.com

Or write to us at:

Lyme Regis Fossil Festival
c/o Lyme Regis Museum
Bridge St, Lyme Regis DT7 3QA

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We have made every effort to ensure that the information provided in this Terms and Conditions policy is accurate, complete and up to date.

However, if you discover any errors or omissions, please notify us using the contact information provided above. We will promptly correct any inaccuracies or omissions and update the Terms and Condition's policy accordingly.

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