

Wickham's Seasonal Markets Hit the Spot

The Christmas Market held on The Hill at Wickham Market on Saturday 30th November was a hit with stallholders and visitors alike.

There were 40 stalls and a wide range of goods for sale from artisan beer to handmade homeware, wreaths to pottery; some stalls sold out, they were so successful. The atmosphere was fantastic helped by many visitors of all ages who had the opportunity to buy unique gifts as well hear the Community Choir sing a range of carols.

The Wickham Market Primary School PTA pulled out all the stops with the very popular Santa's Grotto and the pupils hung their hand painted Christmas decorations on the tree before singing to an appreciative audience.

Leanne Castle, deputy parish clerk commented, "The Spring Market will take place on Saturday 29th March, 9am until 2pm on The Hill, just three weeks before Easter."

"With almost all the stalls booked and a great mix of small businesses wishing to showcase their products. There will be a tempting range of food and drink including fresh coffee, handmade cakes, savouries, jams and artisan beer plus fudge, chocolate, fruit and vegetables. As it will be spring, visitors can expect there to be plants, gifts and crafts from local talented producers and makers; the event promises to be a wonderful celebration of spring."

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