

Fairtrade Fortnight in Oxford...

This poster shows just some of the events taking place as part of a packed programme for Fairtrade Fortnight (1st - 13th March) Make sure you make the best of the many opportunities to **Check Out Fairtrade...**

Check www.fairfox.org.uk at any time for the latest Fairtrade news and events in Oxford.

Friday 25 th February	Nicaragua Day , from 4pm, Assembly Room, Town Hall . Salsa, stalls, café bar, exhibition. Salsa lessons 5:30-7.30 pm, dancing from 7:30. Contact mwylie@oxford.gov.uk .
Friday 25 th till Sunday 27 th February	Fair Trade Market, Gloucester Green , 9.30-5.30 (9.30-4 Sunday). Craft and food stalls, information and entertainments. Details at http://busystreets.dyndns.org/fairtrade .
Tuesday 1 st & Monday 8 th March	St. Michael's parish hall , " Working Lunches " on the theme of Fair Trade, 1.15 – 2 pm.
Tuesday 1 st till Sunday 13 th March	fairtrade@stmichaels : Free Divine chocolate voucher with any purchase during the fortnight; special tastings and temptations on the two Fairtrade Saturdays. St. Antony's College , Free samples of Fairtrade coffee and tea at lunch time
Tuesday 1 st till Saturday 20 th March	Starbucks/Borders , Free coffee tasting, 10–11am, throughout Fairtrade Fortnight and Women's International Festival. Every coffee bought will enter you in a raffle.
Friday 4 th March	Oxfam, Broad Street , Free tasting of Fairtrade products outside the shop.
Saturday 5 th till Sunday 13 th March	University of Oxford Botanic Garden , " The Fairtrade Garden ", Display of Fair Trade crops and trail in search of Fair Trade plants. Open during glasshouse opening hours. Details from (01865) 286690 or at www.botanic-garden.ox.ac.uk .
Saturday 5 th & Saturday 12 th March	Jericho Community Association Café , 33A Canal Street, Jericho: Free samples of Fairtrade tea and coffee with every sale, 10 am – 1pm.
Sunday 6 th & Sunday 27 th March	fairtrade@stmichaels , Mothers' Day and Easter Sunday food and gifts display with "Check out the Fairtrade Mark" theme.
Tuesday 8 th March	Friends' Meeting House , 43 St Giles Campesino Craft Women in rural Paraguay Talk by Margaret Hebblethwaite, 1–2 pm (Fair Trade refreshments from 12.15). Contact Alyn Still (alyn.still@gmail.com) or Sylvette Thompson (oxfordpm@yahoo.co.uk). Oxford Town Hall, Alternative Clothes Show , Fashion show celebrating 100 years of fashion and ethically produced designer collections. 7–9.30 pm. Entrance £6, concs. £3. Tickets from Oxford Playhouse Box Office (01865) 305305, www.ticketsoxford.com . Contact Katherine Bradley (01865) 724371 or Chris Eady (01865) 245793. Phoenix Cinema , fairtrade@stmichaels Members' evening with Fairtrade tastings and speaker.
Wednesday 9 th March	Assembly Room, Town Hall, Dinner with Regina Joseph , a Windward Islands' banana farmer. 6 pm. Details tba from www.fairfox.org.uk or 01865 378059. Starbucks/Borders , Mothers and toddlers' coffee morning: free Fairtrade coffee, display of Fair Trade baby products. 10–12.
Thursday 10 th & Thursday 17 th March	Gloucester Green Market, Knitting and Weaving Global Networks , Exhibition and sale of Fair Trade producers from Bolivia and Peru, organic cotton and alpaca products. 11 am – 3 pm. Bring your needles a warm jumper and knit with us.
Friday 11 th March	Ashmolean Museum, "Textiles and Indian Ocean Trade" . Lecture by Dr. Ruth Barnes, 12 noon, Headley Lecture Theatre. Entrance £2 (no booking required); visit to the Eastern Art Print Room £5 (booking essential: 01865 559813). Ashmolean Museum, Exhibition of textiles and fashions from Bangladesh by Fair Trade producer Aranya. Headley Lecture Theatre, 12–3:30, entrance free.
Saturday 12 th March	St. Columba's Church , Talk: "Sweated Labour: women workers in the garment trade" 10.45-4.30. Contact 01865 765 931
Sunday 13 th March	Civic Service at the City Church , St Michael at the Northgate. The Lord Mayor will attend, and there will be a focus on Fairtrade.
Weds 16 th March	Starbucks/Borders , Exhibition and sale of Fair Trade fashion by British designers. 11 am – 6 pm.

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