



Events Calendar 2008

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| Saturday 14th June | Launch Event | 11.30pm-3pm Riverfront Centre Newport | The official launch event of Refugee Week Wales 2008. An exciting programme organised by Newport & District Refugee Support Group, includes live performance, the launch of the Refugee Week Wales 'Encounters' booklet and the launch of the Welsh Assembly's Refugee Inclusion Strategy. | Tel: 01633 856381 |
| Saturday 14th June | Swansea: City of Sanctuary | 12pm-3pm Borders, Fforestfach Retail Park Swansea | Presentations and performances by refugee writers and friends from Hafan Books, under the motto 'Swansea: City of Sanctuary'. | For full details see www.hafan.org Tel: 07736 408064 |
| Monday 16th June | Launch of www.Swansea-Arrivals.net | 9.30am-2pm Grand Theatre Arts Wing Swansea | Swansea University's Department of Adult Continuing Education (DACE) launches the website www.Swansea-Arrivals.net – lunch is provided. | For full details see www.hafan.org Tel: 07809 710175 |
| Monday 16th June | "Suitcases and Sanctuary" | Wrexham Library | Myth busting images and information of refugees and asylum seekers from the area. | Refugeeweek@welshrefugeecouncil.org |

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| <p>Tuesday 17th June</p> | <p>Dragon Arts & Learning Centre Pottery Workshop</p> | <p>11am-1pm, 2-4pm Dragon Arts & Learning, 54 Morfa Rd, The Hafod, Swansea</p> | <p>A pottery workshop, where participants will design and create a collaborative wall painting based on the atlas of the world.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Polly Stone Tel: 01792 467940</p> |
| <p>Tuesday 17th June</p> | <p>Dragon Arts & Learning Centre Photography Sessions</p> | <p>11am-1pm, 2-4pm Dragon Arts & Learning, 54 Morfa Rd, The Hafod, Swansea</p> | <p>Come along and make a portfolio of your photography work.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Polly Stone Tel: 01792 467940</p> |
| <p>Tuesday 17th June</p> | <p>Game Day</p> | <p>10 am-4 pm 307-315 Cowbridge Road East, Canton Cardiff</p> | <p>Spend a day at Taff playing games, enjoying musical entertainment and a free lunch! The staff and tenants of Taff would like to introduce some of Cardiff's refugee residents to some old traditional family games. Learn to play the games during the morning and play a game of BINGO during the afternoon!</p> | <p>Refugee Week</p> |
| <p>Wednesday 18th June</p> | <p>Celebrating Each Other</p> | <p>10am-5pm National Waterfront Museum Swansea</p> | <p>The opening of Celebrating Each Other, an art exhibition organised by Swansea University's Department of Adult Continuing Education (DACE).</p> | <p>For full details see www.hafan.org Tel: 07809 710175</p> |
| <p>Wednesday 18th June</p> | <p>Dragon Arts & Learning Centre Pottery Workshop and Arts and Craft Sessions</p> | <p>11am-1pm, 2-4pm Dragon Arts & Learning, 54 Morfa Rd, The Hafod, Swansea</p> | <p>Art workshop, where participants will design and create a collaborative wall painting based on the atlas of the world.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Polly Stone Tel: 01792 467940</p> |

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| <p>Wednesday 18th June</p> | <p>Celebrating the Diversity</p> | <p>AM – time TBC The Salvation Army Citadel Wrexham</p> | <p>A multi-faith and no-faith gathering, celebrating the diversity of the people of Wrexham and the support given to asylum seekers and refugees. This celebration will include food and singing.</p> | <p>Email: wrassg@btconnect.com Tel: 01978 357826</p> |
| <p>Wednesday 18th June</p> | <p>'Asylum Seeker's Journey' and Exhibition</p> | <p>PM – time TBC Yale College Wrexham</p> | <p>Performance of the 'Asylum Seeker's Journey', a short play written, directed and performed by students, plus an exhibition of photographs on the theme of Migration.</p> | <p>Email: wrassg@btconnect.com Tel: 01978 357826</p> |
| <p>Wednesday 18th June</p> | <p>The Annual General Meeting of WRASSG</p> | <p>Early evening – time TBC Trinity Church Hall Wrexham</p> | <p>The Annual General Meeting of WRASSG, followed by multi-cultural food, entertainment and a traditional dress fashion show, plus an activity by Wrexham Play Development Team.</p> | <p>Email: wrassg@btconnect.com Tel: 01978 357826</p> |
| <p>Wednesday 18th June</p> | <p>Welcome All Asylum Seekers and Refugees</p> | <p>5.30pm-7.30pm Trinity Methodist Church, Four Elms Road (off Newport Road) Cardiff</p> | <p>An evening of gathering and making new friends (Food and drink provided).</p> | <p>E-mail: asylumseekersupport@hotmail.co.uk</p> |
| <p>Thursday 19th June</p> | <p>Kurdish Evening</p> | <p>6pm Cyrenians Community Centre (rear of St Matthew's Church), High Street Swansea</p> | <p>An evening of Kurdish Music and food hosted by the Kurdish Welfare association and open to everyone. <i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>E-mail: Kwa.wales@yahoo.co.uk</p> |

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| <p>Thursday 19th June</p> | <p>DPIA and The Parade ESOL Service Cultural Exchange</p> | <p>9.30am Plas Newydd Community Hall, Shakespeare Road Cardiff</p> | <p>DPIA and The Parade ESOL Service are hosting their annual Cultural Exchange. This is a morning of music, food, games, art, crafts and stalls from play and youth organisations from both charity sectors and mainstream facilities.</p> | <p>Booking forms and more information are available on the Refugee Week Website (Booking forms need to be in by 9th June) E-mail: ruthdpiawales@yahoo.co.uk Tel: Ruth 07967 054973 or Victoria 07816 929719</p> |
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| <p>Thursday 19th June</p> | <p>Ethnic Food Tasting and Henna Tattooing</p> | <p>2pm-5pm Cyrenian's Community Centre (rear of St Mathew's Church), High Street, Swansea</p> | <p>An event to taste and enjoy food from around the world. <i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Polly Stone Tel: 01792 467940</p> |
| <p>Thursday 19th June</p> | <p>Doll Making</p> | <p>11am-4pm Butetown History & Arts Centre, 5 Dock Chambers, Bute Street (opposite the Baltimore Arms), Cardiff Bay</p> | <p>A doll-making workshop with artist Babi Badalov from Azerbaijan.</p> | <p>Tel: 029 2025 6757</p> |

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| <p>Thursday 19th June</p> | <p>Patrick Jones and Friends</p> | <p>7.30 pm Butetown History & Arts Centre, 5 Dock Chambers, Bute Street (opposite the Baltimore Arms), Cardiff Bay</p> | <p>A night of poetry and acoustic music, celebrating diversity as well as raising awareness about asylum seekers and refugees issues.</p> | <p>Tel: 029 2025 6757</p> |
| <p>Friday 20th June</p> | <p>Kurt Burrows As ELVIS</p> | <p>7.30 pm Greenmeadow Golf Club Newport</p> | <p>Music and dancing with bar Tickets £10 Available from Greenmeadow Golf Club</p> | <p>Trish: 07708103544 Emmy: 07974750419</p> |
| <p>Friday 20th June</p> | <p>Women's Night</p> | <p>From 7pm Swansea Museum, Swansea</p> | <p>For more information visit: www.hafan.org</p> | <p>For full details see www.hafan.org Tel: 07809 710175</p> |
| <p>Saturday 21st June</p> | <p>Arts Call for Darfur Workshops</p> | <p>11am-4pm Butetown History & Arts Centre, 5 Dock Chambers, Bute Street (opposite the Baltimore Arms), Cardiff Bay</p> | <p>Art workshops and slideshow with leading Welsh artists. <i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Tel: 029 2025 6757</p> |
| <p>Saturday 21st June</p> | <p>Weekend Festival, Swansea</p> | <p>11am-5pm National Waterfront Museum Swansea</p> | <p>Performances, art and craft workshops, circus skills, plus awareness stalls throughout the day. <i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>For full details see www.hafan.org Tel: 07736 408064</p> |

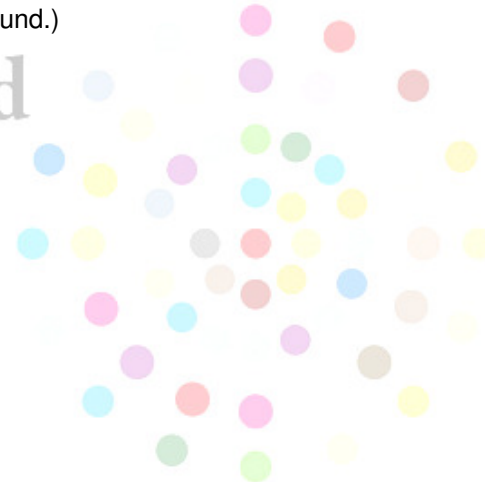
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| <p>Saturday 21st June</p> | <p>The Coed Cae Connecting Communities Festival</p> | <p>6pm Coed Cae Community Centre Blaenau Gwent</p> | <p>Members of the Coed Cae young people's theatre company will be performing music and songs. This will be followed by a World Food Feast, and music and dancing with Love Africa.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Tel: 01495 291962</p> |
| <p>Saturday 21st June</p> | <p>Our Lives, Our Stories: Refugee Voices from Multi- Ethnic Wales</p> | <p>Butetown History & Arts Centre, 5 Dock Chambers, Bute Street (opposite the Baltimore Arms), Cardiff Bay</p> | <p>A life-storytelling event in the gallery.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Tel: 029 2025 6757</p> |
| <p>Saturday 21st June</p> | <p>Celebration of Sudanese and Welsh Culture</p> | <p>6pm St. Dyfrig & Samson Churchhall Pentra Street CF11 6QX Cardiff</p> | <p>Musical performances from Welsh and Sudanese musicians, with traditional food from Wales and Sudan.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Muddassi Hassan Tel: 07765625885 E-mail: sudcommwales@yahoo.com</p> |
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| <p>Thursday 26th June</p> | <p>Somali Integration Society Event – a celebration of Somaliland Independence Day</p> | <p>Seligman Room Millennium Centre Cardiff</p> | <p>Celebrating Somaliland independence day.</p> <p><i>This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.</i></p> | <p>Tel: 029 2039 7881</p> |

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| <p>Sunday 29th June</p> | <p>Refugee Football World Cup Final</p> | <p>Police Station Bridgend</p> | <p>The final of the Refugee Week Wales 2008 World Cup, organised by DPIA and hosted by South Wales Police.</p> | <p>Tel: 029 2038 8389</p> |
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The following events will also take place during Refugee Week:

- Save the Children Art Competition award ceremony
- Interactive story telling workshop at Coleg Glan Hafren in Cardiff by Zimbabwe Development Support Association. (This event is supported by the Refugee Week Wales Community Activities Fund.)

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