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# Aberystwyth University Stand Programme

National Eisteddfod - Llŷn and Eifionydd 2023

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# Monday, August 7

11:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

## Education, Time and Place

Recent research on current issues in Welsh education by the School of Education, Aberystwyth University.

- **Dr Rhodri Aled Evans:** 'Transmission in a Pandemic: pupils' and parents' experiences of non-Welsh speaking households of transferring to a Welsh-medium secondary school.'
- **Dr Lucy Trotter:** 'The experiences of single parents studying at UK universities during the COVID-19 pandemic.'
- **Dr Delyth Jones:** 'Why do secondary pupils in Wales choose to study Modern Foreign Languages as a GCSE subject?'
- **Dr Andrew James Davies:** 'Young people as strategic selectors: evaluating the evidence for Welsh-medium post-compulsory education.'

15:20 | Aberystwyth University stand

## The Spirit of the Battle: Celebrating 20 years of the Ifor Davies Prize

The winner of this year's award will be announced at Y Lle Celf and the 'Celebrating 20 years of the Ifor Davies Award' continues on Aberystwyth University's stand with a film screening by Pete Telfer, and informal talks by former award winners.

16:30 | Aberystwyth University stand

## Crowning Ceremony

Come along and watch the Crowning on our big screen over a cuppa and cake.

**Tuesday, August 8**

11:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

***Cafflogion* and Garn Fadryn:  
The Landscape of R. Gerallt Jones's Imagination**

A discussion of R. Gerallt Jones's science fiction novel *Cafflogion* (winner of the Prose Medal in 1979) and its link to the area of his childhood, the village of Llaniestyn and Carn Fadryn mountain (which can be seen from the Eisteddfod Field).

15:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

**100 years of broadcasting in Wales**

The BBC is celebrating a century of broadcasting in Wales this year. This lecture will evaluate the Corporation's contribution to Welsh life since 1923.

16:30 | Aberystwyth University stand

**Clera Podcast**

Come and watch part of Clera's podcast recorded live with Eurig Salisbury, Aneirin Karadog, Gruffudd Antur and special guests!



# Wednesday, August 9

10:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

## **A conversation with Aberystwyth University's Post Graduate Certificate of Education team**

Come for a chat and to meet members of the team to find out more about the PGCE course.

11:00 | Cymdeithasau 1

## **Wales, Geography, and the History of Science**

**EG Bowen Annual Lecture**

Emrys George Bowen FRGS, FSA (28 December 1900 – 8 November 1983) was an internationally renowned geographer with a particular interest in the physical and social geography of Wales. This annual lecture is delivered by a distinguished researcher from the University where Bowen lectured from the 1920s until his death in 1983, Aberystwyth University.

11:30 | Aberystwyth University stand

## **Launch of Professor Emeritus Gruffydd Aled Williams' tribute volume, *Penrhaith ein Heniaith Ni***

The launch of Professor Emeritus Gruffydd Aled Williams' tribute volume, *Penrhaith ein Heniaith Ni*, in the company of Aled and the volume's editors, T. Robin Chapman and Bleddyn Owen Huws from the University's Department of Welsh and Celtic Studies. The event is chaired by Mererid Hopwood and Alaw May Edwards will be in attendance on behalf of Atebol Press. There will be an opportunity to purchase copies on the day and meet some of the contributors.

14:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

## **Aberystwyth University Alumni Reunion**

Studied at Aberystwyth? Come along to the stand to reminisce with old friends!

## Thursday, August 10

11:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

### **The viability of Welsh communities and Tourism**

**Aberystwyth University CWPS and CUPHAt session in conjunction with the Office of the Future Generations Commissioner for Wales**

This session will discuss if there are ways tourism can support the sustainability of Welsh-speaking communities. Looking ahead how could tourism develop to support the viability of Welsh-speaking communities?

13:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

### **Writing for Reciting**

What are the origins of the tradition of reciting poems and prose? What makes a piece suitable for recitation? And what should our poets and writers create for the reciters? #Llwyd@60

15:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

### **Announcing the winners of the DarParu Translation Awards**

An opportunity to celebrate young translators and announce the winners of the translation competition for 16-21 year olds. The competition is sponsored by the DarParu Language Training Centre, Aberystwyth University.

## Friday, August 11

10:00-18:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

### **Nursing Activities**

Come along to the stand to meet our Nursing staff, and have a chance to measure your blood pressure and much more!

11:00 | Aberystwyth University stand

### **Campaigning among young people**

**Aberystwyth University Department of International Politics Session**

What are the opportunities and challenges facing young people in political campaigning? Is there something specifically Welsh about the campaigning seen among young people? Panel discussion with current and former students of the Department of International Politics.

# Friday, August 11

12:00 | Cymdeithasau 1

## **Understanding 'Nationalism of the Poor': Panel discussion**

Centre for Welsh Politics and Society Session, Aberystwyth University

Investigating the idea of the 'nationalism of impoverished regions' and the impact on the strategies of nationalist movement. Discussing IMAJINE project findings that was led by Aberystwyth University and responses from Bangor and Cardiff University experts.

13:30 - 14:30 | Aberystwyth University stand

(Constitutional Future on the stand all day)

## **Wales' Constitutional Future: A Conversation with Professor Anwen Elias and Professor Laura McAlister**

Session of the Centre for Welsh Politics and Society, Aberystwyth University in conjunction with the Independent Commission on the Constitutional Future of Wales

An opportunity to hear and discuss the work that has been done by the Commission to date including the options set out in the report and the ongoing engagement campaign to hear from people across the country.

14:30 | Aberystwyth University stand

## **UMCA Summer Reunion**

An opportunity for current UMCA students to share their stories of all the summer adventures. The band Band Bwca will be performing live on the stand.

16:30 | Aberystwyth University stand

## **Chairing Ceremony**

Come along and watch the Chairing Ceremony on our big screen over cuppa and cake.