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Napoleon crowns Lincoln's set jetting experience

Lincoln Cathedral is set to be seen in a completely different light this month – playing host to the lavish crowning of Napoleon as Emperor of France. The magnificent 950-year-old Cathedral will be back on the big screen with the release of *Napoleon*, from director Ridley Scott and starring Joaquin Phoenix. To be released in UK cinemas on 22 November before streaming on Apple TV+ at a future date, *Napoleon* is just the latest movie to feature the historic city. <https://bit.ly/3QYqpz7>

Reindeers are on the rampage in a popular Yorkshire Wolds market town

The Beverley Reindeer Rampage is being staged in Beverley through to 31 December. The Christmas trail around the market town gives young families a chance to round-up Santa's reindeer herd. The Cairngorm reindeers have already been spotted creating mischief in shop windows across the town centre and are offering clues to solve a puzzle featured in a free trail sheet available from Beverley Tourist Information Centre. <https://bit.ly/3QvyERK>

“Season's Eatings...”

Pannage refers to the time (usually around six weeks in autumn) when pigs are turned out onto the New Forest to hoover-up all the fallen acorns, which are poisonous to grazing ponies. Those acorn-fed pigs produce a local delicacy: pannage pork, which is available at butchers who support local producers. Butchers and farm shops stocking pannage pork in Hampshire include Hockey's Farmshop, The New Forest Butcher and Stansted Park Farm Shop. <https://bit.ly/3SvIDZQ>

Fresh Air for the Potteries

2024 marks the 150th anniversary of the birth of the photographer, William Blake. From his home and shop in Longton, Stoke-on-Trent, Blake captured an incredible record of the people and landscapes of North Staffordshire. He turned many into postcards for his stationer's shop. Featuring nearly 50 of Blake's iconic photographs and postcards, a new exhibition at The Potteries Museum & Art Gallery from 25 November to 5 May will explore Blake's career and beliefs, the social history of the early 20th century, and the Edwardian 'Postcard Craze' that swept the country in the years before the First World War. <https://bit.ly/47vQs69>

Save the date for a traditional Scandinavian Christmas Market in Hull

The weekend of 25-26 November is likely to be one to remember in Hull. The city is set to stage a Scandinavian Market at The Danish Church on 25 November - the same weekend a Victorian Christmas Market will be held at Hull Minster, and a Victorian Weekend takes place in the Museum Quarter. The Scandinavian Christmas Market will feature 'traditional' food and drink as well as festive candles, decorations and ornaments. <https://bit.ly/3setUYF>

Burghley is in the running

Burghley ends the year with the [Stamford Santa Fun Run](#) on 10 December, and starts the next with the [Burghley 7 Road Race](#) on 10 March. While the spectacle of suited Santas jogging around the parklands is now an established annual event, the seven-mile course offers a 'New-year, New-me' opportunity to runners looking for a spectacular course. <https://burghley.co.uk>

Book launch for market town's 850th anniversary

As the curtain starts to fall on the 850th anniversary year of Newcastle-under-Lyme becoming a borough, the town's Brampton Museum is preparing to host the launch of a new book, *A Market Story: Newcastle-under-Lyme, a history of 'on the Stones'*. The launch of Paul Anderton's latest work on 18 November will see the author give a presentation about the history of this bustling Staffordshire market town and being available to answer questions and sign copies. Newcastle was awarded its first royal charter of incorporation in 1173. <https://bit.ly/3QT08SJ>