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# Festivals

# Covent Garden May Fayre and Puppet Festival

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# The Mime Festival



# The Thames Festival



A wide range of bands take part in the festival. Some perform on the pavements, while others play on stages.



# Street performers entertain the crowds



St George and the Dragon  
(in Hay's Galleria)

Transe Express play drums and  
bells  
(in the air, next to the London Eye)



Stalls line the riverfront, selling many types of food and crafts



The Thames Festival has plenty to entertain children as well as adults, with everything from bubbles to beach balls



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# Famous People

Dame Agatha Mary Clarissa Christie  
15 September 1890 – 12 January 1976)  
was a British crime writer of novels,  
short stories, and plays. She also wrote  
romances under the name Mary  
Westmacott, but she is best  
remembered for her 66 detective novels  
and 14 short story collections  
(especially those featuring Hercule  
Poirot or Miss Jane Marple), and her  
successful West End plays.



# Alan Alexander Milne (18 January 1882 – 31 January



# Sir Elton Hercules John (born Reginald Kenneth Dwight on 25 March 1947)

He is an English rock singer-songwriter, composer, pianist and occasional actor. He has worked with lyricist Bernie Taupin as his songwriter partner since 1967; they have collaborated on more than 30 albums to date.



