Bury BID Newsletter

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MARKETING AND EVENTS



Bury BID Comic Con | 28 June 2026

Bury BID Comic Con returns on Sunday 28 June 2026, bringing a full day of pop culture, cosplay, comics, sci-fi, film icons and family-friendly entertainment to venues across Bury town centre. With themed zones, special guests, interactive experiences and thousands of visitors expected, it's a fantastic opportunity for businesses to join in and make the most of the atmosphere.



We encourage businesses to get involved by dressing shop windows, decorating premises, running themed promotions, or hosting Comic Con-inspired activities or quizzes. If you're planning something special, let us know and we'll help promote it across Discover Bury channels. For more information, email sally@burybid.co.uk

Bury BID Food & Drink Festival | 24-26 July 2026

Last year's Bury BID Food & Drink Festival attracted more than 130,000 visitors to the town centre, celebrating the very best of Bury's food and drink scene.

We're inviting local food, drink and hospitality businesses to get involved again this year. Whether you're launching a new menu, hosting a workshop, running live music, offering a special promotion, or planning something unique, we'd love to hear from you.

Festival events and offers will be promoted on the Discover Bury website and across our channels. For more information, **email sally@burybid.co.uk**



Jane Tomlinson's Run for All - Bury BID 10K | 20 September 2026



Businesses can take part in this year's Bury BID 10K and showcase their brand to hundreds of runners, spectators and local families.

Opportunities include sponsoring the popular Junior Race and featuring in the Virtual Goodie Bag sent to all runners before race day, helping drive footfall with special offers and incentives. Free race places are also available for Bury BID members.

To find out more or secure involvement, contact Nigel Shields at **nigel@burybid.co.uk**



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Put Your Event in the Spotlight



Businesses are encouraged to promote upcoming events through the Discover Bury website. From workshops and product launches to tastings, live entertainment and in-store promotions, we want to showcase everything happening in the town centre.

More than 60,000 visitors have already used the website this year, up from 42,000 last year, making it a valuable platform for reaching both local audiences and visitors.

Submitted events may also feature in our weekly **"What's On in Bury"** social media roundup. Submit your event via our website or email **sally@burybid.co.uk**

Scan the QR code to submit here

SAFE AND CLEAN

Bury BID continues to invest in making the town centre clean, safe and welcoming

In May, we carried out deep cleaning across key locations including Bank Street and the car park steps, Broad Street, and Market Street (Colorado's side). Works included jet washing, litter removal and wider environmental improvements to maintain high standards across the town centre.

Our Town Centre Rangers continue to support businesses daily, reporting issues, removing hazardous waste, carrying out spot checks and responding to incidents.

To report town centre issues, contact **nigel@burybid.co.uk**

BACKING BUSINESS

NetSocial Event | 30 June 2026



Join us on Monday 30 June 2026 for an informal lunchtime networking social session at Flight & Green's, featuring virtual golf and darts - a relaxed way to connect with local businesses.

Time: 12:30pm-1:30pm (optional networking until 2:00pm)

Meeting point: Victoria Wood Statue, Library Gardens

Following the success of our NetYoga session, this is another great opportunity to build connections in an informal setting. This event is free to Bury BID levy-paying businesses.

Places are limited. To register, email **imogen@burybid.co.uk**

Bury Business Club | 14 July 2026

Following the success of our previous events, Bury BID, in collaboration with WHN Solicitors and PM+M, is pleased to confirm the next Bury Business Club event.

Time: 5:00pm-7:00pm Venue: The Met, Bury.

Expect an evening of networking with local professionals and businesses in a relaxed setting.

Scan the QR code below and book your place via Eventbrite

Dates for the Diary

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