

Event Calendar 2024

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| TBC | Toddler Safety Week Free activities and resources suitable for the under 5s, aimed at helping children stay safe near water. You can use these at home or in nursery. | Toddler water safety Canal & River Trust (canalrivertrust.org.uk) |
| TBC | Greenham Lock Open Day | Greenham Lock open day Canal & River Trust (canalrivertrust.org.uk) |
| 22 nd – 28th April 2024 | Be Water Aware The aim of Be Water Aware is to encourage people to spend time in and around water safely. The campaign week runs in April, but messaging can be used throughout the year. | Be Water Aware - NFCC |

| | The messaging supports the aims and objectives of the Strategy National Water Safety Forum and that of other member organisations of the National Water Safety Forum. By aligning our messaging and supporting a calendar of campaigns, we aim to reduce the number of accidental drownings in the UK. | |
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| 13 th - 19th May 2024 | International Learn to Swim Week With more than 150 Swim Star Swim Schools, 20 Swim Academies and 150,000+ STA swimming teachers world-wide, we can make a huge impact together during International Learn to Swim Week in 2024. Together we can help encourage people of all ages and abilities to learn a life-long skill, have fun and get water-ready for the summer holidays. Help STA preserve human life through the teaching of swimming, lifesaving, and survival techniques, and let's make this our biggest #LoveWaterSafely campaign yet. | International Learn to Swim Week 2024 — STA.co.uk |
| 18 th - 24 th May 2024 | National Safe Boating Week National Safe Boating Week will be held from May 18-24, 2024, reminding all boaters to brush up on boating safety skills and prepare for the boating season | National Safe Boating Week Press Release - Safe Boating Campaign |
| | Summer Water Safety To enjoy the water safely and make the right call. | Summer Water Safety Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK) |
| 15 th - 22 nd June 2024 | Drowning Prevention Week (DPW) Drowning Prevention Week (DPW) aims to equip everybody across the UK and Ireland with the skills and knowledge, to make the right decisions about water safety. | Royal Life Saving Society UK's Drowning Prevention Week (rlss.org.uk) |

| | Open Water Swimming Instruction event: for adults and children Sessions | Home of Open Water Swimming Swim England |
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| TBC | Don't Drink and Drown Freshers. | Don't Drink and Drown Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK) |
| | Don't Drink and Drown is the Royal Life Saving Society UK's national campaign that encourages smart decision making whilst intoxicated around water. | |
| 16 th – 22 nd | Don't Drink and Drown Winter | RLSS UK's Don't Drink and Drown |
| Sept and 12 th - 20 th Dec 2024 | Don't Drink and Drown is the Royal Life Saving Society UK's national campaign that encourages smart decision making whilst intoxicated around water. | <u>campaign</u> |
| | Ice Safety Message | Winter Water Safety Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK) |