

# Ullswater Outdoor Festival

24th Sept - 2nd Oct 2011

A nine day  
programme of  
outdoor activities  
in and around  
England's most  
beautiful lake.

## FESTIVAL LAUNCH DAY

Glenridding - Saturday 24th September 2011

10.30am until 5pm

A great day out for all the family

- Taffy Thomas - Storytelling Laureate\*
- Laura J - Children's Entertainer & Fire Performer
- Bushcraft Demonstrations
- Bird of Prey Display
- Cumbrian Folk Music & Morris Dancing
- Local Arts & Crafts
- Lakeland Conservation Activities
- Fire Service vs Mountain Rescue Challenge
- Face painting, balloon modeling, bouncy castle & crafts

\* Tickets for Taffy Thomas can be purchased in advance by visiting [www.ullswater.com](http://www.ullswater.com)



More activities available across the festival week including guided walks, sailing, kayaking, ridge scrambling, canoeing, Nordic walking & navigation skills. For further information call **017684 82414** or visit **[www.ullswater.com](http://www.ullswater.com)**

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## EVENING EVENTS PROGRAMME

We have our best ever line up of evening speakers this year! To book tickets please visit our [www.ullswater.com](http://www.ullswater.com) website or ring the Ullswater 'Steamers' on 017684 82229. Tickets for the Chris Bonington lecture sold separately, see below for details



### Chris Bonington - Annapurna South Face

Friday 23rd September, 8pm-10pm, Rheged, Penrith, £18  
An evening with Chris as he speaks about the biggest technical challenge on an 8,000 metre ridge that any British expedition had attempted. Followed by a Q&A session. To book tickets for this talk please call Rheged now on 01768 868000.

### James Lancashire - 'Seven Summiteer'

Sunday 25th September, 7.30pm, Greystones Coffee House, Glenridding, £3

An unmissable opportunity to hear locally based adventurer James regale us with tales of his most recent achievement - climbing the highest summit in each continent!



### Warren Allison - 'Greenside Mines'

Tuesday 27th September, 7.30pm, Ramblers Bar, Inn on the Lake, Glenridding, £3

Local historian Warren knows Glenridding's Greenside Mines like the back of his hand and will be giving a fascinating insight into the history of the mine. His archive of old photographs alone are worth the admission fee!

### Robert Farrah - 'Megaliths and Mountains'

Wednesday 28th September, 7.30pm, Glenridding Steamer Pier, £3

The author of 'A Guide to the Stone Circles of Cumbria' (Lakeland Book of the Year Award Winner), Robert Farrah, describes some of Lakeland's best known megalithic monuments and their relationship to the areas most prominent landmarks - the mountains. This is a slide presentation. Books will be available for purchase and signing after the event.



### Jane Yates - 'Scrapes & Dares'

Thursday 29th September, 7.30pm, Greystones Coffee House, Glenridding, £3

Parenthood has not deterred Jane from travelling to remote and wild places around the world and she has trekked, sailed and cycled in Chile, Argentina, Nepal, Morocco and Lithuania with her two young children. Jane will share stories about these adventures and talk about the importance of taking off the cotton wool and letting children get into scrapes and dares.