

Discover the Shape of a Nation

Official Opening of the Wales Coast Path

The celebrations are part of three launch events being held in Cardiff, Aberystwyth and Flint.



Saturday 5 May 2012, Aberystwyth Promenade

Come and join in the celebrations to mark the official opening of the Wales Coast Path – 870 miles in which to enjoy spectacular scenery, from soaring cliffs to golden sands.

A continuous path along the whole of the Welsh coast – a world first!

The Programme

Bandstand

- 11.00** TV Weatherman Derek Brockway to begin the day's proceedings and host the day's event
- 11.10** Enjoy music and dancing with the Steppin' Stones Folk trio
- 12.00** Delightful sounds from Côr Meibion Aberystwyth
- 12.30** The official launch of the Wales Coast Path with Ramblers Cymru
- 13.00** Singing from the Heartsong Community Choir
- 13.30** Great music from the Backroom Ceilidh Band
- 14.10** Join in with the Aber Swing dancers
- 14.45** Line Dancing with the Ravin' Stompers
- 15.30** The Backroom Ceilidh Band return to the stage
- 16.00** We end the celebrations with the Aberystwyth Silver Band

Children's Corner

- 11.30** Magic show / balloon modelling with Crazy Clayton
- 12.00** Storytelling with Milly Jackdaw in association with Aberystwyth Arts Centre
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(Timings are subject to change)

Other entertainment taking place throughout the day

- Street theatre
- Face painting
- Jumping stilt demonstrations from the Welsh Bockers

For further information

Please visit www.walescoastpath.gov.uk



The completion of the 870 mile long Wales Coast Path by 2012 has been a key Welsh Government commitment. The development programme has been managed by the Countryside Council for Wales and funded by the Welsh Government, European Regional Development Fund (through the Environment for Growth theme of the Convergence Programme) and the sixteen local authorities and two National Parks through which the path passes.