



DREAM ESCAPE

CALENDAR OF EVENTS  
2018







	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	IRELAND
Jan	<p><b>8 Dec 2017-13 May:</b> Charles II: Art &amp; Power, The Queen's Gallery, Buckingham Palace, London</p> <p><b>10-14:</b> London Boat Show, ExCel</p> <p><b>17 Jan-4 Mar:</b> Cirque du Soleil - Ovo, The Royal Albert Hall, London</p> <p><b>17-21:</b> London Art Fair, Business Design Centre</p> <p><b>18-21:</b> Lumiere London</p> <p><b>28:</b> Chinese New Year</p>	<p><b>15 Dec 2017-15 Apr:</b> Splendours of the Subcontinent, The Queen's Gallery, Palace of Holyrood House, Edinburgh</p> <p><b>12:</b> Scalloway Fire Festival, Shetlands</p> <p><b>18 Jan-4 Feb:</b> Celtic Connections Festival, Glasgow</p> <p><b>25:</b> Burns Night Celebrations</p> <p><b>27-28:</b> Aviemore Dog Sled Rally, Glenmore</p> <p><b>30:</b> Up Helly Aa, Shetland</p>	<p><b>5-10:</b> Dublin Bowie Festival</p> <p><b>18-22:</b> Shannonside Winter Music Festival, Bunratty</p> <p><b>24-28:</b> Temple Bar Tradfest, Dublin</p>
Feb	<p><b>3:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Wales Vs Scotland), Cardiff, Wales</p> <p><b>10:</b> Six Nations Rugby (England Vs Wales), Twickenham</p> <p><b>15-18:</b> The London Classic Car Show</p> <p><b>16-20:</b> London Fashion Week AW18, London</p>	<p><b>3-4:</b> Edinburgh Mountain Film Festival</p> <p><b>11:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Scotland Vs France), BT Murrayfield Stadium</p> <p><b>21-25:</b> Fort William Mountain Festival</p> <p><b>21 Feb-4 Mar:</b> Glasgow Film Festival</p> <p><b>24:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Scotland Vs England), BT Murrayfield Stadium</p>	<p><b>3-4:</b> Dublin Racing Festival</p> <p><b>10:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Ireland Vs Italy), Aviva Stadium, Dublin</p> <p><b>14-17:</b> Cork International Poetry Festival</p> <p><b>21-25:</b> The Gathering Festival, Killarney</p> <p><b>24:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Ireland Vs Wales), Aviva Stadium, Dublin</p> <p><b>27 Feb-4 Mar:</b> Audi Dublin International Film Festival</p>
Mar	<p><b>8 Mar-9 Sep:</b> Picasso 1932 - Love, Fame, Tragedy, The Tate Modern</p> <p><b>11:</b> Head of the River Race, London</p> <p><b>13-16:</b> Cheltenham National Hunt Festival, Gloucester</p> <p><b>17:</b> Six Nations Rugby (England Vs Ireland), Twickenham</p> <p><b>17:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Wales Vs France), Cardiff, Wales</p> <p><b>17-25:</b> Oxford Literary Festival</p> <p><b>24:</b> The Cancer Research UK Boat Races, London</p>	<p><b>7-11:</b> StAnza, Scotland's Poetry, St. Andrews</p> <p><b>8-25:</b> International Comedy Festival, Glasgow</p> <p><b>12-23:</b> Ayrshire Music Festival, Ayr</p> <p><b>30 Mar-4 Apr:</b> Edinburgh International Harp Festival</p> <p><b>31 Mar-15 Apr:</b> Edinburgh International Science Festival</p>	<p><b>10:</b> Six Nations Rugby (Ireland Vs Scotland) Aviva Stadium, Dublin</p> <p><b>16-19:</b> St Patrick's Festival, Dublin</p> <p><b>17:</b> St Patrick's Day</p> <p><b>22-25:</b> Dingle International Film Festival, Co Kerry</p> <p><b>30 Mar-8 Apr:</b> Belfast International Film Festival</p>
April	<p><b>1:</b> Easter Sunday</p> <p><b>9 Apr-29 Jul:</b> Monet &amp; Architecture, The National Gallery, London</p> <p><b>12-14:</b> Randox Health Grand National Festival, Aintree, Liverpool</p> <p><b>21:</b> The Queen's Birthday Gun Salutes, London</p> <p><b>22:</b> Virgin Money London Marathon</p> <p><b>23:</b> St. George's Day</p>	<p><b>1:</b> Easter Sunday</p> <p><b>14:</b> Melrose Rugby Sevens, Scottish Borders</p> <p><b>20-21:</b> Coral Scottish Grand National Festival, Ayr</p> <p><b>26-6 May:</b> TradFest, Edinburgh</p> <p><b>30:</b> Beltane Fire Festival, Edinburgh</p>	<p><b>1:</b> Easter Sunday</p> <p><b>1-3:</b> Horse Racing Easter Festival, Mallow, Co. Cork</p> <p><b>18-22:</b> Cork International Choral Festival</p> <p><b>20-22:</b> West Waterford Festival of Food, Dungarvan</p> <p><b>23-29:</b> Cuirt International Festival of Literature, Galway</p> <p><b>27-29:</b> Connemara Mussel Festival. Renvyle, Co. Galway</p> <p><b>28-30:</b> Rally of the Lakes. Killarney, Co. Kerry</p>
May	<p><b>2-6:</b> Mitsubishi Motors Badminton Horse Trials, Gloucestershire</p> <p><b>2-7:</b> Cheltenham Jazz Festival</p> <p><b>9-13:</b> Royal Windsor Horse Show</p> <p><b>16-19:</b> Museums at Night</p> <p><b>19:</b> The Emirates FA Cup Final, Wembley Stadium, London</p> <p><b>19-26 Aug:</b> Glyndebourne Festival, East Sussex</p> <p><b>22-26:</b> RHS Chelsea Flower Show, London</p> <p><b>26:</b> BMW PGA Championships, Wentworth</p> <p><b>26 May-8 Jun:</b> Isle of Man TT Races</p>	<p><b>3-6:</b> Shetland Folk Festival</p> <p><b>3-7:</b> Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival, Speyside</p> <p><b>13:</b> City of Edinburgh Horse Show</p> <p><b>17-26:</b> Perth Festival of the Arts</p> <p><b>19:</b> World Whisky Day</p> <p><b>25 May-2 Jun:</b> The Islay Festival of Music and Malt</p> <p><b>26-27:</b> Edinburgh Marathon Festival</p>	<p><b>19-27:</b> International Literature Festival, Dublin</p> <p><b>31 May-4 Jun:</b> Bloom in the Park, Dublin</p>
June	<p><b>2:</b> Investec Derby, Epsom Racecourse, Surrey</p> <p><b>6-10:</b> RHS Chatsworth Flower Show, Derbyshire</p> <p><b>8-10:</b> Chestertons Polo in the Park, Hurlingham Park, London</p> <p><b>9:</b> Trooping the Colour, Horseguards Parade, London</p> <p><b>9-10:</b> Open Garden Squares Weekend</p> <p><b>12-15:</b> Goodwood Festival of Speed, Chichester</p> <p><b>12-19:</b> The Royal Academy of Arts Summer Exhibition, London</p> <p><b>19-23:</b> Royal Ascot, Berkshire</p> <p><b>22-24:</b> Blenheim Palace Flower Show, Oxfordshire</p>	<p><b>1-3:</b> Gardening Scotland, Edinburgh</p> <p><b>2-3:</b> UCI Mountain Bike World Cup, Fort William</p> <p><b>20 Jun-1 Jul:</b> Edinburgh International Film Festival</p> <p><b>21-24:</b> Royal Highland Show, Edinburgh</p> <p><b>22-27:</b> St Magnus International Festival, Orkney</p> <p><b>27 Jun-1 Jul:</b> East Neuk Festival</p> <p><b>30 Jun-1 Jul:</b> Scottish Traditional Boat Festival, Portsoy</p>	<p><b>9:</b> Mourne Way Marathon, Co. Down</p> <p><b>13:</b> Yeats Day, Co. Sligo</p> <p><b>16:</b> Bloomsday, Dublin</p> <p><b>29 Jun-1 Jul:</b> The Dubai Duty Free Irish Derby, The Curragh, Dublin</p> <p><b>29 Jun-8 Jul:</b> West Cork Chamber Music Festival, Bantry</p>
July	<p><b>2-15:</b> Wimbledon</p> <p><b>3-8:</b> RHS Hampton Court Flower Show</p> <p><b>4-8:</b> Henley Royal Regatta, Henley-on-Thames</p> <p><b>4-15:</b> Cheltenham Music Festival</p> <p><b>6-8:</b> British Grand Prix, Silverstone</p> <p><b>21 Jul-30 Sep:</b> Buckingham Palace Summer Opening</p> <p><b>28 Jul-10 Aug:</b> Lake District Summer Music Interational Festival</p> <p><b>31 Jul-4 Aug:</b> Qatar Goodwood Festival</p>	<p><b>12-15:</b> Aberdeen Asset Management Scottish Open, Gullane, East Lothian</p> <p><b>13-22:</b> Edinburgh Jazz &amp; Blues Festival</p> <p><b>15-22:</b> The 147th Open, Carnoustie</p> <p><b>18-21:</b> Hebridean Celtic Festival, Isle of Lewis</p> <p><b>26-29:</b> The Senior Open, The Old Course, St Andrews</p> <p><b>26 Jul-26 Aug:</b> Edinburgh Art Festival</p>	<p><b>5-8:</b> Dubai Duty Free Irish Open. Ballyliffin. Co. Donegal</p> <p><b>15-19:</b> Killarney Racing Festival</p> <p><b>16-29:</b> Galway International Arts Festival</p> <p><b>24-29:</b> Sligo Jazz Project</p> <p><b>30 Jul-5 Aug:</b> Galway Races</p>
Aug	<p><b>2-5:</b> Ricoh Women's British Open, Royal Lytham &amp; St. Annes Golf Club</p> <p><b>2-5:</b> Cambridge Folk Festival</p> <p><b>4-11:</b> Lendy Cowes Week, Isle of Wight</p> <p><b>24-26:</b> Notting Hill Carnival, London</p> <p><b>30 Aug-2 Sep:</b> Land Rover Burghley Horse Trials, Stamford</p>	<p><b>3-25:</b> Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo, Edinburgh</p> <p><b>3-27:</b> Edinburgh Festival Fringe</p> <p><b>3-27:</b> Edinburgh International Festival</p> <p><b>11-27:</b> Edinburgh International Book Festival</p> <p><b>18:</b> Stirling Highland Games</p> <p><b>23-26:</b> Blair Castle International Horse Trials, Blair Castle</p>	<p><b>3-27:</b> Dublin Fringe Festival</p> <p><b>8-12:</b> Dublin Horse Show</p> <p><b>10-12:</b> Dingle Races</p> <p><b>10-12:</b> Puck Fair, Killorglin Co. Kerry</p> <p><b>17-21:</b> Rose of Tralee Festival, Co. Kerry</p> <p><b>23-26:</b> Charlie Chaplin Comedy Film Festival, Waterville</p>
Sept	<p><b>7-9:</b> Goodwood Revival, Chichester</p> <p><b>8:</b> The Great River Race, London</p> <p><b>15-19:</b> London Fashion Week SS19</p> <p><b>22-23:</b> Open House London</p>	<p><b>1:</b> Braemar Gathering, Royal Deeside</p> <p><b>1-9:</b> Largs Viking Festival, Largs, North Ayrshire</p> <p><b>21-30:</b> Wigtown Book Festival, Wigtown, Dumfries and Galloway</p>	<p><b>7-8:</b> The Belfast International Tattoo</p> <p><b>7-16:</b> A Taste of West Cork Food Festival, Skibbereen</p> <p><b>27 Sep-14 Oct:</b> Dublin Theatre Festival</p> <p><b>28-30:</b> Galway International Oyster and Seafood Festival</p>
Oct	<p><b>5-14:</b> Cheltenham Literature Festival</p>	<p><b>4-7:</b> Alfred Dunhill Links Championship, Old Course St Andrews, Carnoustie &amp; Kingsbarns</p> <p><b>12-20:</b> Royal National Mòd, Dunoon</p> <p><b>19-31:</b> Scottish International Storytelling Festival, Edinburgh</p>	<p><b>19-22:</b> Cork Guinness Jazz Festival</p> <p><b>19 Oct-4 Nov:</b> The Wexford Festival Opera</p>
Nov	<p><b>10:</b> Lord Mayor's Show, London</p> <p><b>11:</b> Remembrance Day</p> <p>Winter Wonderland, Hyde Park, London</p>	<p><b>11:</b> Remembrance Day</p> <p><b>30:</b> St Andrew's Day</p> <p>Edinburgh Christmas Festival</p>	<p><b>9-11:</b> Sneem International Folklore &amp; Storytelling Festival, Co. Kerry</p> <p><b>11:</b> Remembrance Day</p>
Dec	<p><b>25:</b> Christmas Day</p> <p><b>31:</b> New Year Celebrations</p>	<p><b>25:</b> Christmas Day</p> <p><b>30 Dec-1 Jan:</b> Edinburgh's Hogmanay 2018/2019</p>	<p><b>25:</b> Christmas Day</p> <p><b>31:</b> New Year Celebrations</p>



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