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THE 2017 ILMINSTER LITERARY FESTIVAL

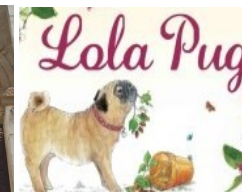
May 31st to June 8th

KEEP THE DATES FREE IN YOUR DIARY!

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE



**June 1 – 9
2016**



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Schedule of Events

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Time	Event	Venue	Ticket Price
Wednesday 1 June			
10.00	Visit to Ilminster Memory Café	The Minster Rooms	Free
15.00	Tim Bates – Children's Story Teller	The Arts Centre	Free
19.00	Dinner with Anthony Gibson	The Shrubbery Hotel	£20
Thursday 2 June			
19.30	“Behind the Scenes at Chelsea” with Sally Nex	Minster Rooms	£5
20.45	“Reverse Migration” with Luke Waterson	Minster Rooms	£5
Friday 3 June			
14.00	“The Making of the Man who made James Bond” - Kathy McNally	Minster Rooms	£7
18.00	Paul Toolan in conversation with Andrew Sutton	Parish Hall	£5
19.30	Marnie Devereux – Poet	Parish Hall	£5
19.00	“A Way with Words”: An Evening's Entertainment	Arts Centre	£5
Saturday 4 June			
10.30	Carina Lagnado and Lola Pug – Story Reading	Sweet Surprise	Free
11.30	Petr Horacek – Children's Story Reading	Sweet Surprise	Free
13.45	Richard Godden – Illustration workshop	Sweet Surprise	£5
14.00	“What Makes a Good Romance Novel - An Editor's Tale” with Sue Laybourn	Minster Rooms	£5
15.30	Alice Lee Thornton in Conversation	Minster Rooms	£5
16.30	Virginia Bergin – Author for Young Adults	The Book Rest	Free

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Saturday 4 June (cont.)			
19.00	David Gordon: “The First World War – A Personal View	Nyanza Lodge	£6
Sunday 5 June			
14.30	Somerset Writers' Group - 10 Minute talks from Five Authors	The Arts Centre	£5
19.00	Mike Pollock, “Plants & People”, and Ian Gibson – Talk and Wine Tasting	Seavington Café	£10 in advance
Monday 6 June			
12.00	James Crowden – Talk and Lunch	Parish Hall	£12
15.30	“A Brief History of the Roman Empire” with Steve Kershaw	Monk's Yard	£6
Tuesday 7 June			
15.30	“Four Sisters: The Lost Lives of the Romanov Grand Duchesses” with Helen Rappaport (with Cream Tea)	The Shrubbery Hotel	£10
19.30	Rt. Hon. Ann Widdecombe in conversation with Malcolm Young (with Glass of Wine)	Warehouse Theatre	£10
Wednesday 8 June			
11.00	Poetry Workshop with Elizabeth Rapp	7, Station Road	£10
15.00	“How to Write the great British Sit Com with James Cary (with Cream Tea)	The Shrubbery Hotel	£10
19.30	Literary Festival Quiz Night	Donyatt Village Hall	£5
Thursday 9 June			
18.00	Children's Poetry Reading, Prize Giving & Closing Ceremony with Rt. Hon. Paddy Ashdown	Greenfyld School	Free