



# Carrying the Fire 2013

**14th-16th June** at [Wiston Lodge](#) near Biggar,  
South Lanarkshire

An intimate festival of ideas, poetry, music, and performance.  
Exploring the connections between the arts, ecology and cultural resilience.

With talks/performances from:

Jay Griffiths, author of 'Wild' and 'Kith'

Sara Maitland, author of 'Gossip from the Forest'

Chris Fremantle, EcoArt Scotland

Neil Harvey, GalGael Trust      'Metaforestry'

Mairi Campbell & Em Strang

*Dark Mountain "feels like the beginning of the story of the world. Not a world shaped by politicians or by global corporations, but by storytellers and singers who make us feel at home on the earth."*  
*Charlotte Du Cann, The Independent*

For further information go to: [carryingthefire.co.uk](http://carryingthefire.co.uk)

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