

Northumberland Miners' Picnic 2026

Woodhorn Museum



Picnic Programme 2026

Memorial Service

10:30 – 11:25 Memorial Service and wreath-laying at the Miner's Memorial with Ashington Brass Band and Ashington Male Voice Choir

Main Stage

11:30 – 11:50	Bedlington Brass Band
11.55 – 12:15	Jayess Newbiggin Brass Band
12:20 – 12:40	Ellington Colliery Band
12:45 – 13:05	Ashington Colliery Brass Band
13:10 – 13:20	Massed bands finale
13:45 – 14:00	Bread & Butter Theatre Co
13:15– 13:45	Carboniferous Bugs & Beasties Family Parade
13.45 – 14.30	Northern Proud Voices
15:10 – 15:55	Ladies of Midnight Blue
16.10 – 16:55	Northern Monkey Brass Band

Pop Up Activities

10:00 – 16:00	Bugs & Beasties family parade costume workshop
12.00 – 16.00	Circus & Acro Skills family workshop
13.00, 14.00 & 15.00	Free the Cramlington 8 heritage presentations
13.15 – 13.45	Parade Percussion family workshop
All Day	The Northumbrian Miner art display
All Day	Museum Marras, Woodhorn Weeders, WNGR & Big E community activities

Concessions

Anarchy Brewery, Barista Sistas, Cicarelli Gelato, Dog Hoose, Scott and Wilson Pizza

Event Budget

Expenditure

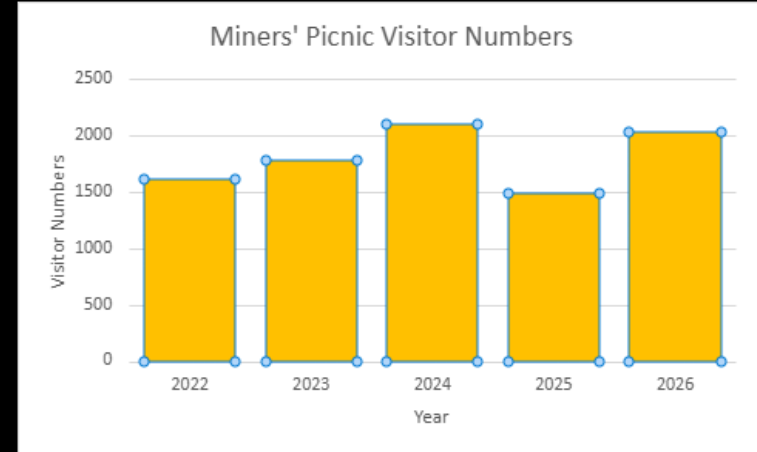
Expenditure	Cost
Event Equipment	£11630
Event Staffing	£6905
Performers	£6850
Marketing	£1660
TOTAL	£27045

Income

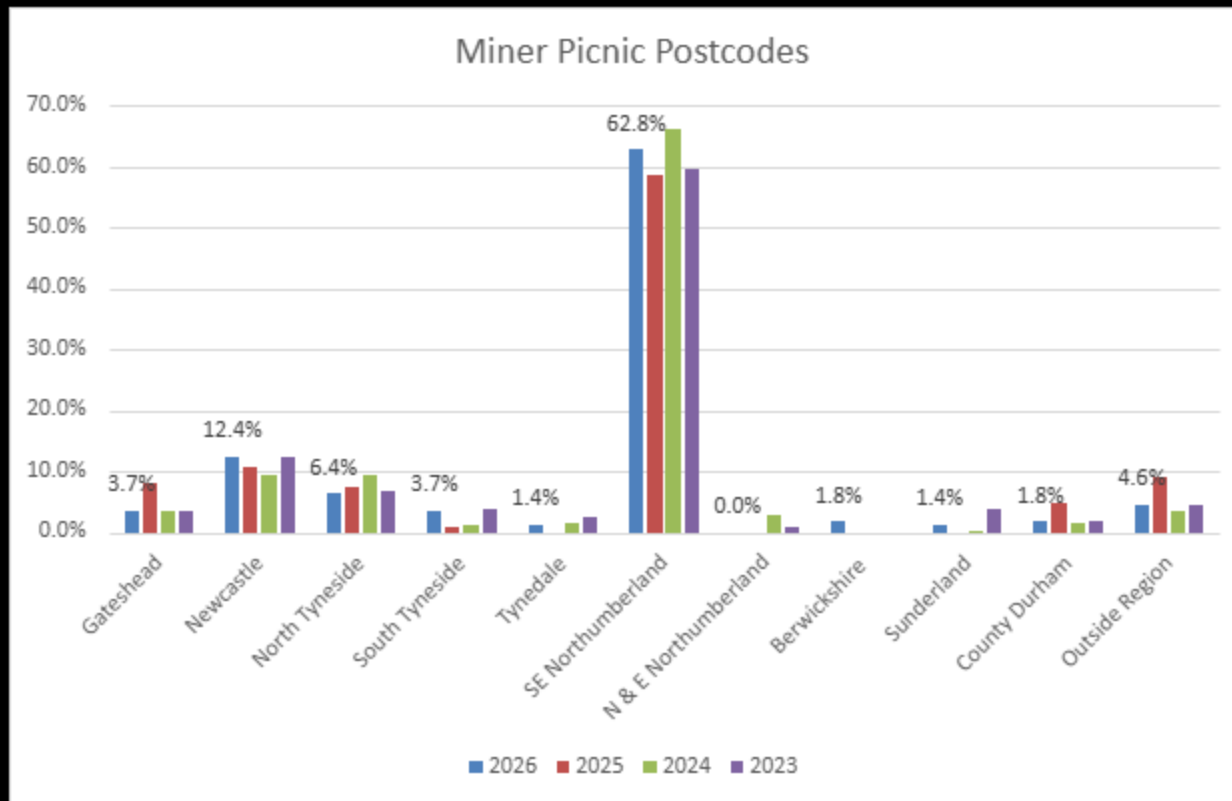
Income Stream	Amount
Car Parking	£1685
Food Concessions	£400
Donations	£855
Shop	£485
Cafe	£1070
ATC Contribution	£5000
TOTAL	£9495

Visitor Number Performance

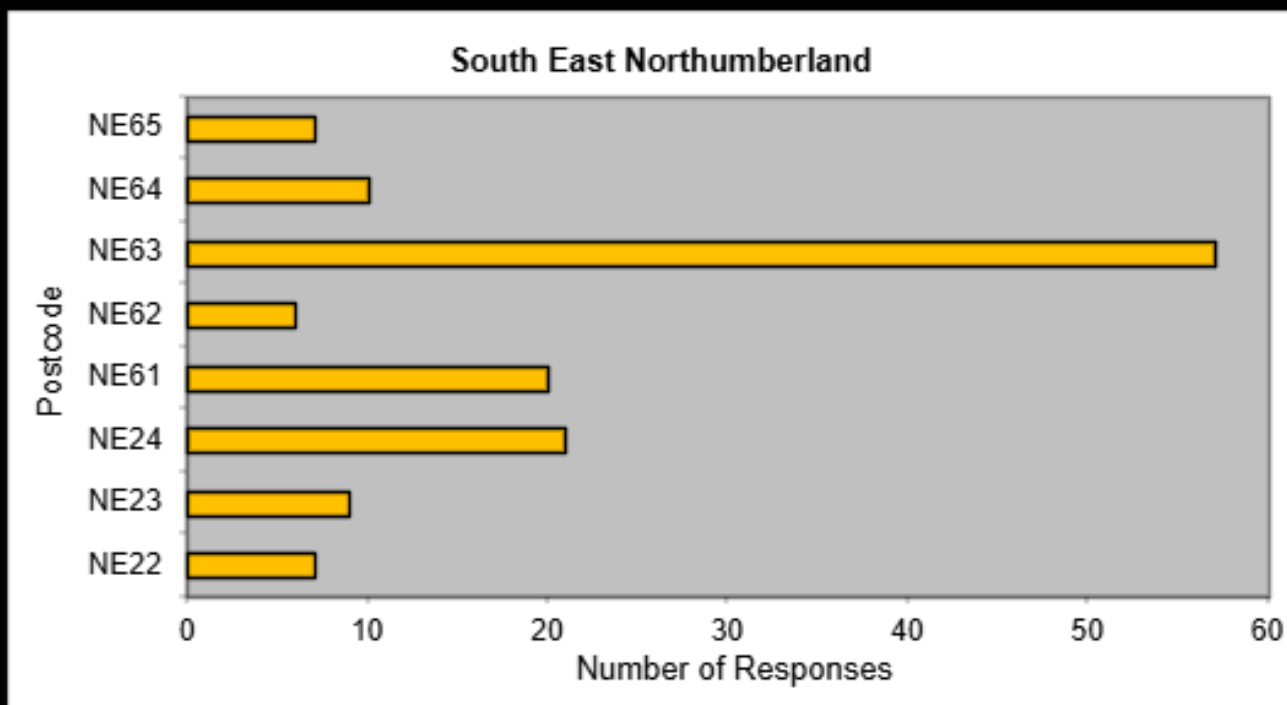
- The 2026 Miners' Picnic event attracted 2035 people
- Weather was dry but windy. All activities went ahead but some moved location for safety
- Memorial Service particularly well attended



Visitor Postcodes: North East



Visitor Postcodes: SE N'land



Event Image Selection



Visitor Feedback (social media)

Thank you for a fantastic day had a great time so did my granddaughter and grandson see you next year x 

It was the best day. Family time. Memories. And memories made. Thank you until next year xxx

Lovely day, thanks

Lovely day again . Keep the Tradition Alive  . Thank you everyone x

Wonderful day! 

Such a great day, fabulous performers and a great atmosphere! Looking forward to next year

I really enjoyed it this year too! Thank you

We had a great time thank you!

Brilliant here this morning

What a wonderful day at the Woodhorn Museum. The service was lovely. All the Bands were great. And great music. The singers. And a big shout out to the Entertainers. They were just brilliant. And kept everyone entertained xxx

Visitor Feedback Word Cloud



Thank you to everyone who visited,
took part and supported the event!

