

DOWNTON



CUCKOO FAIR





drift out of control: slowly lose the ability to keep things organised

seal of approval: endorsement

marvel: be amazed by sth

quaint: nicely old-fashioned

produce: fruit and vegetables

hive of activity: extremely busy place

wares: goods to be sold

lined: in a row on both sides

surplus: extra

critics: people who judge

parting with: letting go of

distracted: had their attention caught by sth else

hustle and bustle: busy, noisy activity

purchase: something bought

confess: admit

wander: to walk aimlessly

shrieks: screams

gazing: staring

bargains: things bought at a good price

cope: deal

explore: investigate

weaved: moved in and out of

procession: parade

crowning: awarding a title

significance: importance

prolong: extend

feature: aspect

What time of year does the Cuckoo Fair take place?

How old is this fair?

How many people attend the fair?

What kind of live entertainment do they have?

What do they sell at the stalls?

What does Susan sell?

What do the children in bright costumes dance around?

When does the crowning of the Cuckoo Princess take place?