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What's On Summer 2019

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March at The Mill: Last Chance to Book!





IVO GRAHAM: Motion Sickness 10th March 8pm



A SUPER HAPPY STORY ABOUT FEELING SUPER SAD 15th March 7.30pm



TWEEDY'S ILLUSION CONFUSION 16th March 11am & 2pm



TWISTED TALES 21st March 7.30pm

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29th March 5pm & 8pm



SOUNDS OF SIMON 22nd March 7.30pm



DIRE STREETS 30th March 7.30pm



REMIX 28th March 7.30pm



On behalf of the team here at The Mill, welcome to our latest season of live events and creative learning, offering a plethora of opportunities to both 'see' and 'do'.

I'm particularly excited to share more details for **Dance Banbury**, where together with our partners Banbury Museum and Castle Quay we will celebrate a full weekend of spectacular cutting-edge dance performance right in the heart of our town centre. This project is very much about blurring the lines between watching and being part of the performance, as well as incorporating non-traditional elements such as parkour and virtual reality.

Alongside hosting work from nationally respected professional dance companies, there will also be a community stage to showcase Banbury's homegrown local dance talent. We'll be producing a full programme and schedule in due course, but for now turn to pages 26 & 27 for a sneak peak of what's in store and for details of how to get involved.

This brochure also sees the launch of **MYGO** - the Mill's Youth Generation Offer, which is our new umbrella programme for the range of opportunities for 0-18-year-olds to join in. We'll be launching MYGO with an open day on Saturday 18th May and I do hope to see many of you there. Turn to page 29 for more information along with details of our new Summer School programme.

Over the past six months, our B-Live project has been enjoying great success in trialling elements of our regular Banbury-based live and learning programmes over in Bicester. The programme culminates in May halfterm with a week-long production of **The Hogwallops** from fast-rising circus company, Lost in Translation. Spectacular circus skills blend with theatrical storytelling and humour in what promises to be a heart-stopping treat for the whole family and certainly well worth the short journey down the M40.

Finally, you may have read in the local press that after months of negotiation Cherwell District Council have agreed to purchase The Mill building from Oxfordshire County Council and to put in place a 25-year lease to The Mill Arts Centre Trust.

I cannot over-state the importance of this for securing the long-term future of The Mill as the cultural heart of Banbury and beyond, and very much look forward to sharing our journey with you as we embark on ensuring

that the building and organisation can grow and adapt to meet the needs of our fastexpanding town.

l look forward to welcoming you back to The Mill in the not too distant future.

Georgia Geary Artistic Director & CEO



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Yorke Dance Project present TWENTY YEARS ANNIVERSARY PROGRAMME

Yorke Dance Project celebrates 20 years of performing exceptional dance by past masters and emerging artists from the UK and USA with an exciting new programme of exceptional and engaging contemporary ballet.

This celebratory programme features works by renowned choreographers Sir Kenneth MacMillan and Robert Cohan alongside emerging Los Angeles choreographer Sophia Stoller and Yolande Yorke-Edgell.

MacMillan's Playground, it's first revival since 1979, will feature special guest artist Romany Pajdek from the Royal Ballet Company.

Cohan's new work Communion for nine highly acclaimed and athletic dancers will be performed to music by Nils Frahm.

This is a rare evening of engaging, thought provoking and inspiring dance and will include a curtain-raiser performance by The Mill's own Remarkable Dance Company.

Date & Details	Tickets & Pricing
Thursday 4th April	Adult £15 /
Starts: 07:30pm	Members £13



Finding the Will and Everyman Theatre Cheltenham present **NAMING THE VIEW**

Shakespeare's comedy The Taming of The Shrew concludes with a speech by the once feisty Katherine declaring unreserved obedience to her newly married husband. Her character has certainly changed, but is it because of their mutual love and understanding or the bullish controlling ways of her husband?

Naming The View is a modern day reimagining of Katherine after thirty years of marriage.

"It is never too late to explore new horizons."

"A story of rekindled friendship and healing. Touching and funny, riven with humour and hope" **Stage Talk Magazine**



POP-UP BOWIE

Paul Anthony was voted the UK's No.1 David Bowie tribute act at the National Tribute Awards in 2016.

With a full band, Paul will perform 2 hours of Bowie's biggest hits taking the audience on a musical journey experiencing the masterpieces that made the late, great David Bowie the immortal legend he is today.

Pop-Up Bowie aims to inspire, uplift and celebrate the life of a true genius by experiencing the magic of Bowie's music live with thrilling artistry.

A theatrical performance that honours the revolutionary icon himself in the most respectful of ways.

Date & Details	Date & Details
Friday 5th April Starts: 07:30pm	Saturday 6th April Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £15 / Members £13	Adult £20

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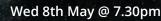
THE OLD MAN AND THE GUN (12A)

Wed 24th April @ 7.30pm

Based on the true story of Forrest Tucker (Robert Redford), and his audacious escape from San Quentin at the age of 70 to an unprecedented string of heists that confounded authorities and enchanted the public.



THE FAVOURITE (15)



Early 18th century. England is at war with the French. Nevertheless, duck racing and pineapple eating are thriving. A frail Queen Anne (Olivia Colman) occupies the throne and her close friend Lady Sarah (Rachel Weisz) governs the country in her stead.



would become the pair's triumphant farewell tour.



MARY POPPINS RETURNS (U)

Now an adult with three children, Michael and his sister beloved nanny from their childhood - arrives to save the day and take the Banks family on a magical, fun-filled adventure.

MINUSCULE VALLEY OF THE LOST ANTS (U) Sat 29th June @ 10.30am.

In a peaceful little clearing, the remains of a picnic hastily abandoned spark warfare between two tribes of ants. A bold young ladybug befriends one of the black ants, Mandible and helps him to save the anthill from the assault of the terrible red ant warriors, led by the fearful Butor. An epic journey at ground level.

IOIN US BEFORE THE SCREENING FOR FUN CRAFTY ACTIVITIES IN OUR ART STUDIO. 9:30am. £5 per child, adults go free.



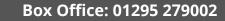
Starring Steve Coogan and John C. Reilly as the inimitable movie icons, Stan & Ollie is the heart-warming story of what

FAMILY FILMS £6 / £20 FAMILY TICKET



Wed 29th May @ 11am

receive the surprise of a lifetime when Mary Poppins - the



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DISCBEDIENCE (15) Wed 10th April @ 7.30pm

THEY SHALL NOT GROW OLD (15)

of the Rings trilogy) allows the story of World War I to be told

Wed 13th March @ 7.30pm. Pre-screening talk: 6:30pm

by the men who were there.

Academy-Award® winner Rachel Weisz (The Favorite) and Rachel McAdams (Spotlight) star in this spellbinding drama about a woman as she returns to the community that shunned her decades earlier for an attraction to a childhood friend. "romantic and gripping" (Parade).

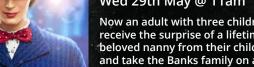
SHOPLIFTERS (15)

Watson to discuss the effects of WW1 and the impact of film during this time.

There will also be a free pre-screening talk with Historian and Oxford University Lecturer Kate

Wed 27th March @ 7.30pm. Award winning film

After one of their shoplifting sessions, Osamu and his son come across a little girl in the freezing cold. Although the family is poor, barely making enough money to survive through petty crime, they seem to live happily together until an unforeseen incident reveals hidden secrets, testing the bonds that unite them. Please note this film is subtitled.



Using state-of-the-art technology and materials from the BBC and Imperial War Museum, filmmaker Peter Jackson (The Lord

TICKETS: £8 / £6 MEMBERS



ALFIE BROWN: Lunatic

Fresh from a sell out run at the Edinburgh Festival, Alfie Brown is going on his first UK tour and he remains charming and disgusting.

His new show is about identity politics, trying to be a good father in a horrible world and being responsibly horny in the wake of wide-spread male sex crimes. He provides no answers, only questions.

Society's new-found fondness for moral certainty is the subject of a search and destroy mission; it turns out if you believe in something, you'll fall for anything.

The Times

**** The Evening Standard

**** The List

Edinburgh Guide

**** Chortle

Date & Details

Thursday 11th April **Starts:** 07:30pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £13



STRICTLY BANBURY

This year is the 10th Anniversary of Step by Step Dance School's Strictly Banbury back once more to raise money for local charities through some dazzling dancing!

This year our chosen charities are Katharine House Hospice, MacMillan Cancer Support and Age UK Oxfordshire.

With all the usual glitz and glamour returning to entertain you, come along and support a great night for great causes.

Date & Details

Friday 12th & Saturday 13th April **Starts:** Friday 7pm. Saturday 2pm (shortened show) / 7pm.

Tickets & Pricing

Friday & Saturday Evening Performances £17.50

Saturday Matinee (shortened show) Adults £12 / Children & OAPs £10



WEST END AT THE MOVIES

The cast of leading performers from London's West End invite you to join them for a night of magical live entertainment, featuring the very best songs from the smash hit movie musicals throughout the decades.

The talented cast have starred in many West End productions and national tours including *Les Misérables, We Will Rock You, Singin' In The Rain, Starlight Express, Phantom of The Opera, Wicked* and *Cats* to name just a few!

With outstanding vocals and slick choreography, this wonderful concert guarantees to bring you joy' South Wales Evening Post



Star of Live at the Apollo and Michael McIntyre's Roadshow, UK comedy's foremost contrarian takes a break from all the controversy in this new show.

No politics. No religion. No Smut. No Swearing.

Just great jokes and good clean fun.

"Clean sees Andrew Lawrence remind audiences of his ability to write and deliver clean, non-partisan humour just as well as any other comic" **British Comedy Guide**

Date & Details	Date & Details
Thursday 18th April Starts: 07:30pm	Saturday 20th April Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £19 / Members £17	Adult £15 / Members £13

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25th APR **O** 07:30pm COMEDY

SOLD OUT!!

EMILY ATACK: Talk Thirty To Me

Emily Atack takes to the stage in Spring 2019 for her debut comedy show: A live memoir of anecdotes, impressions and tales of an actress in her twenties.

Emily will be unravelling today's anxiety inducing world of scrolling through social media, swiping right, slimming apps and the never-ending search for 'the one'.

Don't miss out on a truly hilarious, tongue in cheek look at 'having it all' and turning 30 in the millennial age.



Hells Bells is Europe's longest running AC/ DC tribute band.

Spot-on, musically impeccable, cover-wise audaciously sensational, Hells Bells put on a fearlessly spirited set, jam-packed with explosive takes of original classics, and exactly the right amount of hell that would have made AC/DC proud.

Playing sell-out shows all over the UK and Europe, they are known for their highenergy performances and relentless touring.

Hells Bells are an act not to be missed by fans of the original Australian rockers.

'Never go on after Hells Bells. They're LETHAL!' Don Airey (Ozzy **Osborne, Rainbow, Deep Purple)**

Friday 26th April
Friday 26th April Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing
Adult £20 / Members £18



Some might be Plink, and others are Boo Why does it matter, what's the to-do? *Jumbled up people and boxes too small*

Come play in our den and discover it all ...

Welcome to the topsy turvy world of *Plink* and Boo. Using acrobatics, live music and mountains of toys, join us in an interactive circus theatre adventure to explore what happens when people don't fit into boxes (even if it is the neatest place to put them).

A circus theatre experience for 2-5 year olds and their grown ups

Please note that *Plink and Boo* is accessible to Deaf and FAL audiences.

Date & Details

Saturday 27th April **Starts:** 11:00am & 02:00pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £10 / Family Ticket £35



BCP present **DEATH KNELL**

Banbury's leading local theatre company present James Cawood's edge-of-your-seat thriller.

Successful Playwright Henry Roth takes delight in telling his neurotic wife, Evelyn, he has a new, 'seismic' play to unleash on the theatrical world. To prepare for its stage debut, he has invited the charming and charismatic (but unknown) actor. lack Willoughby to their remote Highland home to prepare for the leading role of murderer. Jack's arrival sends Evelyn into a flat spin when she realises he is her lover - a relationship developed during her time supposedly in rehab in London. With the arrival of Inspector Lazan from Scotland Yard the play takes another turn sending the audience reeling from one plot twist to another.

Date & Details

Wednesday 1st to Saturday 4th May **Starts:** 7.30pm

Tickets & Pricing

£13 / £12 concession (no concession Friday & Saturday)

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LAUGH YOUR SOCKS OFF WITH OUR ALL NEW REGULAR COMEDY CLUB!

Showcasing up and coming stars of the thriving UK comedy circuit.

Future Comedy Club dates for your diary: Friday 27th September Friday 8th November

Cerys Nelmes

Cerys has had a very colourful and eventful life which she loves talking about to make people laugh. She performs her comedy in a storytelling style with a West Country charm that is easy to warm to.

Cerys is currently making waves as one of the best female TV warm up artists, most recently for Gordon Ramsey and alongside Goerge Lamb on Football tonight for BT Sport, as well as working for ITV and Channel 4.

Cerys is also a regular guest comic aboard cruise ships the world over.



Javier Jarquin

Javier has spent the last 4 years working as a professional award winning comedian in New Zealand and Australia. Javier moved to the UK where he has established himself as a circuit regular and headline act and has performed with the likes of Jimmy Carr, Stewart Lee and Jo Brand.

"High calibre throughout" The Morning Star

"Brilliantly entertaining" The Edinburgh Reporter

Sarah Callaghan

Sarah began performing comedy in 2010, quickly making her mark by becoming a Funny Women finalist the following year. In 2013 she won the Up The Creek 'One To Watch' award and was also a finalist in the Leicester Square Theatre New Act competition.

"The instant she steps on stage you know you're in the presence of someone new and special" ☆☆☆☆☆ The Mirror

"Armed with bags of attitude, she's a refreshing working-class comedy voice.. reminiscent of a young Kathy Burke" 本本本 The Herald

Date & Details	Tickets & Pricing	TET PART
Friday 10th May	£18	
Starts: 08:00pm		



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"AMY" was established by a group of musicians who are genuine fans of Amy and her music. Their love for Amy and her material shines through in their live performances.

"AMY" have left no stone unturned – paying close attention to every detail of recreating her music. Fronted by the tremendously talented Stacey Lou, who not only brings the swagger of Amy, but the raw emotion and flawless vocals too. If you are a fan of Amy this is a show you will not want to miss.

Performing the hits that defined the unique talent that was Amy Winehouse, we look forward to sharing the stories and music that will live on forever.



Featuring breathtakingly beautiful acoustic arrangements of their personal favourites from artistes such as James Taylor, Simon & Garfunkel, Eagles, 10cc, Michael Jackson and many more in a brand new show for 2019.

If you have not seen this show before then you are in for a real treat. Sat on bar stools and armed with no more than their trademark four part vocal harmony, acoustic instruments and laid back banter, Johnny, Chris, Peter and Keith will leave you spellbound.

"Essential listening if you appreciate great musicianship, major label production standards and the tightest harmonies you will hear this side of Crosby, Stills & Nash" MAVERICK

Date & Details	Date & Details
Saturday 11th May Starts: 07:30pm	Friday 17th May Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £22	Adult £20

Box Office: 01295 279002

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DUCKIE by LeGateau Chocolat

Duckie is a reimagining of Hans Christian Andersen's The Ugly Duckling, with a message of respect and self-acceptance at its core.

Set in an animal circus, we join Duckie on his search to find a tribe and be accepted. Walking a little differently? Sounding a bit strange? Looking unlike the rest? Watch Duckie triumph by realising these are his strengths.

A classic tale of identity and belonging told through music, narration and dress-up, topped with Le Gateau Chocolat's distinctive baritone vocals.

"Totally engrossing... all were won over by the sheer magnetism of the performance." The Reviews Hub



Deeper Purple comprises of a group of seasoned professionals from Spain and the UK who, having given up on the idea of being invited to join the great band, decided to get together and form as authentic a tribute as possible!

Deeper Purple heavily feature the classic MKII line up, faithfully reproducing the excellent 'Made in Japan' album as well as other songs from that line up. They also play a wide selection of material from the equally classic MKIII line up!

With a blistering set consisting of all the classics and the best reproduction of the Purple live sound you're ever likely to hear, Deeper Purple will deliver the ultimate rock experience!



Devil's Drum Productions present LIFE AFTER SHERLOCK

The extended memoirs of Doctor John H Watson: A tale of blackmail, murder, suicide, deceit and treasure all in two acts!

Sherlock Holmes has retired to a life of beekeeping. But back in Baker Street his good friend Dr Watson discovers the reason for his late wife's death may not have been as it seemed at the time.

Old acquaintances Mrs Hudson and Inspector Lestrade help Watson; however Holmes is never far away!

Written by Mike Grogan and based on characters created by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.



Set initially in the early days of the now world-famous Cavern Club in Liverpool, You're My World is a celebration of Cilla Black and The Beatles.

From the early days when the Fab Four invite 'Swinging Cilla' from the cloakroom to the stage, to worldwide fame and performing in front of royalty at the London Palladium.

This fun-packed show celebrates the forefront of the Brit-pop music scene in the 1960s, recreating the atmosphere of the original Cavern Club and the glamour of performing to royalty at the London Palladium.

Featuring many of Cilla's and The Beatles hits of the 1960s including Love of The Loved, I Want to Hold Your Hand, Anyone Who Had a Heart, All My Loving, It's For You, Help, Alfie, She Loves You, Step Inside Love, Twist and Shout and You're My World - plus many, many more!

Date & Details	Date & Details	Date & Details	Date & Details
Saturday 18th May	Saturday 18th May	Friday 24th May	Saturday 25th May
Starts: 02:00pm	Starts: 08:00pm	Starts: 07:30pm	Starts: 08:00pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £10 / £35 Family Ticket	Adult £20 (Standing)	Adult £16 / Members £14	Adult £20 / Members £18

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Lost in Translation in partnership with Jacksons Lane and The Mill Arts Centre

ACKSONS LANE 🖉 THE OAK CIRCUS SHOWZAM!

ST WHAT CIRCUS SHOULD BE" ☆☆☆☆ A Younger Theatre

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"A JOYFUL SHOW FOR ALL THE FAMILY" ☆☆☆☆ Broadway Baby

"COLOURFUL, FUNNY AND SUITABLE FOR ALL AGES"

☆☆☆☆ British Theatre Guide

Spectacular circus skills blend seamlessly with physical comedy, theatrical storytelling and slapstick in this chaotic and colourful tale of a family of misfits. Heart-stopping aerial and floor acrobatics combine with an original score to create an absurd portrayal of everyday life.

Fast-rising UK based contemporary circus company Lost in Translation Circus take inspiration from Roald Dahl's The Twits (celebrating 100 years since the birth of the world's greatest storyteller) and Ettora Scola's film Bruti, Sporchi e Cattivi (Ugly, Dirty and Bad) in this dysfunctional,quirky and funny family show.

"A CAPTIVATING, HIGH ENERGY SHOW... BRILLIANTLY SILLY YET TECHNICALLY IMPRESSIVE" Three Weeks



Venue: The Big Top Whitelands Farm Sports Ground Bicester OX26 1AJ Thursday 30th May

to Sunday 2nd June Starts: 07:00pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £12 / Under 16 £8 / Family Ticket £30

Box Office: 01295 279002

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Under a sweeping and dramatic light show reminiscent of the era, the intricate and powerful music of Genesis is recreated with amazing accuracy.

Los Endos – Ultimate Genesis are back at The Mill with a brand new show for 2019 based around *Selling Lamb by the Pound* with extended suites from the amazing *Lamb Lies Down on Broadway* album interspersed with material from all the other great albums.

The band have been together for over 10 years, painstakingly perfecting the craft of recreating this amazing music. Come and share the experience and keep Prog Rock Live!



seasons at Edinburgh Fringe and a critically acclaimed, award-nominated tour of Australia, The Just Us League are bringing their incredible MARVEL-based comedy show to venues across the UK in 2019.

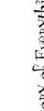
Squeezing (almost) all the MARVEL movies into an action-packed hour of laughs, their short punchy sketches and high-energy style will delight the whole gamut of MARVEL fans; from those that have seen just one movie to mega-officianados who know the franchise inside out.

It's weapons-free comedy that takes no prisoners. Like your super-hero movies? You'll love this.

Nominee Best Comedy Show, Fringe World 2018

Date & Details	Date & Details
Saturday 1st June Starts: 07:30pm	Thursday 6th June Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £25	Adult £16 / Members £13







Oxford Playhouse Plays Out present **THE HISTORY OF EVERYTHING** In the Oxford Playhouse Tent. Written by Ben Watson

From the Legend of Rome to the Millennium Dome, Cave paintings, emojis and the mobile phone. Tudors, Tribes and Ancient Greece,

Dinosaurs, wars and times of peace. Kings and queens who reigned short and long, Columbus at sea and, in space, Neil Armstrong

The Oxford Playhouse Tent is going on tour and we're bringing the whole of history with us!

Everything you ever wanted to know about everything ... ever. Join our two tour guides of time as they go on a silly, surreal and speedy sixty-minute hurtle through history.

Packed with facts and fit-to-bursting with fun, this brings history to life with a bubbling mix of storytelling, comedy, music, puppets and more.

Last year, our Tent visited festivals, parks and schools across Oxfordshire, bringing theatre, craft and family fun to over 4,000 people. This year we're going even bigger with a show about where we are, how we got here and where we're going. Join us for a great big blast through the past for everyone aged 4 to 11 and their families.

Venue

Plays Out Tent, Whitelands Farm Sports Ground, Bicester OX26 1AJ

Date & Details

Thursday 7th June (schools): 9am / 11am / 1pm

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Saturday 8th June: 11am / 1.30pm / 4pm

Sunday 9th June: 11am / 1.30pm

Age guideline: 4 to 11

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £8 / Child £6 / Family Ticket £20 / Schools FREE

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Banbury Therapy Group present UNFORGETTABLE

Since 2009 the Banbury Therapy Centre has been providing counselling and psychotherapy for local people in times of difficulty and distress.

We are celebrating our anniversary with Unforgettable; a cabaret show featuring storyteller and author Cat Weatherill together with comedienne and singer Ruth Graham telling true stories about unforgettable characters.

Ruth, a professional funeral celebrant showcases some poignant and hilarious experiences whilst Cat will treat us to a top 20 of funeral songs.

This will be an entertaining evening with artists bravely examining the raw core of life. Heartfelt, inspirational, loving, thoughtprovoking and ultimately uplifting – this show is chicken soup for the soul.

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Friday 7th June Starts: 07:00pm	Saturday 8th June Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £10	Adult £15 / Members £13



KEEP IT CASH

The most accurate sounding tribute show to Johnny CASH on the planet!

Expect a note perfect musical journey from the humble gospel beginnings of the Tennessee two, right through to the final and emotional American Recordings.

Keep it Cash proudly centre their tribute show on the uncanny natural sound-alike quality of Dave Burnham's voice which has been recorded for both television and radio as a sound-a-like of Johnny Cash. His voice starred in the 2010 British Telecom television commercial 'Everywhere' and was recorded by Sony Studios in Belfast.

"This is not just a polished theatre tribute show... it's like a full on Johnny Cash concert" **Brighton Free Press**

5	14th JUN © 08:00pm
	COMEDY
EDINBURGH	+ PREVIEW

JACK GLEADOW: Mr Saturday Night

The multi-award-winning Leicester Mercury Comedian of the Year 2018 previews his latest material for his debut solo show for 2019's Edinburgh Fringe. Jack is one of the most exciting new stand-ups on the comedy circuit featuring stories, props, videos, music and more in his unique one-man variety show.

"Laugh Out Loud Funny" The Scotsman

MATT REES

The deadpan stand-up has generated a huge buzz on the circuit with his unique brand of well-crafted gags and acerbic delivery earning him high praise from audiences and critics alike.

As well as starring in BBC3's This Country and BBC's Edinburgh Fringe Highlights, Matt has also recently recorded an episode of BBC2's Stand Up at the BBC Wales.

"A properly original comedy mind" The Guardian

Date & Details	Date & Details
Friday 14th June	Thursday 20th June
Starts: 08:00pm	Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £13	Adult £23 / Members £21 (Standing)



Join us for the ultimate celebration of the biggest disco floor fillers ever. Boogie Wonderland is the UK's number one disco tribute show and is guaranteed to have you dancing *All Night Long*.

A live 8 piece band of West End musicians present all your favourite disco hits with slick choreography and stunning vocals to deliver the greatest disco party ever.

Revel in the incredible sounds of Earth, Wind & Fire, KC and the Sunshine Band, The Jacksons, Sister Sledge, Bee Gees, ABBA and many, many more.

Celebrate the Good Times and Don't Stop Til You Get Enough!

"If you want to get down with the hippest, funkiest band in the land then go see Boogie Wonderland" **Graham Gouldman, 10CC**

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Let's All Dance present THE PRINCESS & THE FROG

After sell-out tours around the UK, Let's All Dance is delighted to return with this beautiful, classical ballet to charm audiences young and old. An original score, gorgeous costumes and crystal-clear story-telling draw you into the magical world of ballet and make it accessible to all.

Once upon a time there was a beautiful princess. She loved playing with her golden ball but one day she drops it in the pond. When a friendly and very bouncy frog offers to retrieve it in exchange for her friendship, she is far from keen.

Slowly their friendship grows, and the princess is rewarded in true fairytale style.

22nd JUN © 07:30pm
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JAMES PHELAN: Trickster

Being the nephew of British icons Paul Daniels and Debbie McGee, superstardom is in James' blood!

His live shows are a night of light entertainment - an evening of hilarious, traditional mind-blowing magic where anything can happen - and quite often does. People are tricked, phones are destroyed, needles are swallowed, no-one is safe!

'TRICKSTER' is James' latest show, and he's already performed to many sell out audiences across the country, and now he's looking to unleash his prank focused magic on more unwitting audiences. Described by the Radio Times as having "a cheeky charm", his brand new one man show is both jawdropping and laugh-out-loud funny.

Date & Details	Date & Details
Saturday 22nd June Starts: 11:00am & 02:00pm	Saturday 22nd June Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £10 / Family Ticket £35	Adult £15 / Members £13



The Handlebards present MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING

The world's first cycling theatre company, The Handlebards, pedal from venue to venue with all the set, props and costumes necessary to perform environmentally sustainable Shakespeare across the globe.

Join their all-male troupe for a bicyclepowered production of Shakespeare's Much Ado About Nothing like none other. In usual Handlebards style expect riotous amounts of energy, a fair old whack of chaos, and a great deal of laughter.

"Explodes with energy and is a genuine treat from start to finish" ★★★★ The Stage

"There is never a moment when the audience is not laughing" ******** Broadway Baby

"Five stars just don't seem enough" ********The Sunderland Echo

Date & Details	Date & Details
Sunday 23rd June Starts: 07:30pm	Friday 28th June Starts: 07:30pm
Tickets & Pricing	Tickets & Pricing
Adult £16 / Members £13	Adult £19 / Members £17



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AN EVENING WITH THE SPITFIRE SISTERS

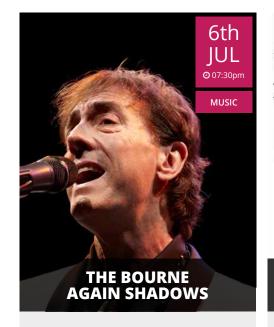
The Spitfire Sisters are an internationally acclaimed vintage inspired band with three part vocal harmony at its core. They are award winning music makers, known for bringing modern matters 'back to date' with their witty and playful commentary on contemporary issues.

The Spitfire Sisters perform an eclectic mix of songs including tunes from their self-penned album 'Put Your Phone Away', classic repertoire from the 1940s and modern songs with a vintage twist.

Louisa, Anna and Hannah will be accompanied by their pianist and co-writer Steve Christie.

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Celebrating 60 years of Cliff Richard and The Shadows.

Simon Goodall and The Bourne Again Shadows are widely acclaimed as the most authentic sounding Cliff/Shadows tribute act (even Sir Cliff said so!).

With Cliff classics like *Summer Holiday, The Young Ones* and *Please Don't Tease!* and Shadows instrumental hits such as *Apache, Wonderful Land* and *Foot-Tapper* you're guaranteed to be tapping your feet down memory lane.

"It's uncanny! When my manager played me the songs from Simon's tribute album, I could have sworn Simon had sampled my vocals... Simon is without doubt the best "Cliff Soundalike" in the business!" Sir Cliff Richard

Date & Details

Saturday 6th July Starts: 07:30pm

Tickets & Pricing

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Adult £21 / Members £19

Banbury's leading local theatre company present Henrik Ibsen's Ghosts – the original Scandi-noir.

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COMMUNITY

Great drama is often about relationships. Such as the relationship between Helen Alving and her son Oswald, or the relationship between Regina and her father, Engstrand, and between Helen and Pastor Manders.

It's also about all their relationships with Captain Alving who doesn't appear but casts a long shadow over the narrative.

All of these relationships have had actions within them long ago that have consequences. Violence, betrayal, deceit.

They create ghosts, and those ghosts from the past have a significant impact on their characters in the present.

Date & Details

Wednesday 10th to Saturday 13th July Starts: 07:30pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £13 / Concession £12 (no concession Fri & Sat)



Spilt Milk present DESERT ISLAND FLICKS

A blockbuster, adventure and rom-com all rolled into one.

Desert Island Flicks sees two leading ladies reimagine, remake and spoof the most memorable movie moments of all time, taking on all the lead roles, stunts and special effects!

From timeless classics to modern day marvels, the show celebrates how iconic characters and thrilling plot twists have captured imaginations the world over, bringing people together to laugh, cry and cheer along in a room full of strangers. Somewhere between a dance performance, sketch show, a night at the movies and an epic game of charades, Desert Island Flicks shines a spotlight on life lessons learnt from the big screen all set to a sensational soundtrack.

Date & Details

Friday 19th July Starts: 07:30pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £16 / Members £13

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DANCE BANBURY is a full weekend of dance events taking place in town centre locations and celebrating cutting edge dance performance from some of the UK's leading professional companies.

These are all dance companies pushing the boundaries and combining non-traditional dance elements; from augmented reality to parkour, whilst also blurring the lines between watching, and becoming part of the show.

Full event programme and schedule to be published in local press and The Mill website.

CALLING ALL LOCAL DANCE GROUPS!

We are looking for local dance schools, groups and individuals to be part of Dance Banbury and to perform on our town centre community stage. Contact angharad.arnottphillips@themillartscentre.co.uk for details.

Banbury Market Place

Justice in

Justice in Motion and the Inspire Community marry exciting choreography and parkour athletics with beauty and humour, to tell a stimulating, moving tale that asks - what does freedom really mean?

Atop towering scaffolding, a group of men ricochet around a building site. Their routine may give a sense of purpose and security yet behind the perimeter fencing, all is not as

The riveting, stunning ON EDGE performance involves an international cast including leading parkour athletes. Join them before the show to explore the sensational freedom of moving around the parkour construction site.

A limited number of schools workshop opportunities are available by prior arrangement. Please contact: angharad.arnottphillips@themillartscentre.co.uk

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FREEDOM TOUR

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Banbury Museum

Everything is not as it seems in The Imagination Museum. Allow us to introduce you to Mildred, Henrietta and Harriet, three eccentric tour-guides who will bring to life a series of museum artefacts through words and movement.

The Imagination Museum has been created in collaboration with writer Anna Selby, with original music by Max Perryment. It will awaken everyone's curiosity and desire to explore the nooks and crannies of the museum space.



Castle Quay Shopping Centre

Audiences are invited on a journey into the unconscious mind, where their instincts will guide them to see the story from different perspectives.

This mesmerising hour-long experience merges Physical Theatre, Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality technologies, in an environment that blurs the boundaries between consciousness and unconsciousness, reality and fiction, the physical and the virtual.

Through art and 3D sound installation coupled with cinematic and interactive 360° film, viewers will be immersed in a surreal world of unfolding dreams and fears.







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Banbury Museum







Legendary 70s folk-rock pioneers LINDISFARNE return to form with a classic five-piece line up of long-time members fronted by original founder-member Rod Clements on vocal, mandolin, fiddle and slide guitar.

With a repertoire of unforgettable songs like Meet me on the Corner, Fog On The Tyne, Lady Eleanor, and Run For Home, and a reputation for live performance second to none, LINDISFARNE's power to galvanise festival and concert audiences remains undimmed and is guaranteed to get the crowd on their feet and singing along.

Lindisfarne 2019:

Rod Clements (1969-present) Dave Hull-Denholm (1994-present) Steve Daggett (1986-present) lan Thomson (1995-present) Paul Thomson (ex-Roxy Music)

Date & Details

Wednesday 31st July Starts: 07:30pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £25



SCARLET NIGHTS: Summer Nights

It's Summertime and the livin' is easy!

Scarlet Nights introduces Summer Nights.

Banbury's favourite Burlesque show returns for another night of cheeky, flamboyant fun this time in the summer sun!

A sunset paradise of the best, award winning Burlesque artists in the business paying tribute to the Roaring 20's and the Jazzy 30's.

Hosted by Comic Goddess 'Mysti Vine'.







DISCOVER CREATE PLAY!

We are proud to launch MYGO, The Mill's Youth Generation Offer

MYGO is our exciting new programme of work for 0-18 year olds, that will offer a growing range of opportunities to take part in creative projects and to watch a variety of professional performances created especially for children and young people.

MYGO will include imaginative activities for all young people from dance to visual arts, storytelling to music, as well as opportunities to work alongside professional artists in a professional environment.

MYGO CREATIVE DAY

Join us to celebrate the launch of MYGO with a whole day of creative activities alongside our live performance of Duckie.

Come along and have a go, be inspired to try something new and participate in as many sessions as you like. Find out about upcoming courses and events on offer from The Mill and our partners in Autumn 2019.

With drop in sessions throughout the day. be sure to keep an eye on our website for further information so that you can plan a great day for everyone to enjoy.

Date & Details		
Date	Saturday 18th May	
Time	10am-4pm	
Ages	0-18 year olds and their families	
Fee		

FREE - No need to book

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Date & Details

Friday 16th August

Starts: 07:30pm

Tickets & Pricing

Adult £16 / Members £13

(Format: Cabaret))

Younger Children



Older Children





Little **Creatives** @ The Mill

Spend some quality time with your little ones weekday mornings at The Mill.

Recommended for ages 0 to 5 years.

LITTLE STORIES

Sing along with a welcome song, snuggle down and listen to us spin tales and then stay and have fun with craft and play activities.

There is free tea and coffee for the grown-ups and squash for the little ones.

Date & Details

Starts 29th April Day Held Monday 10.30am-Time 11.30am

Fee

£5 per child OR £4 per session if booking the whole term, adults go free

LITTLE ARTISTS

Bringing together parents and carers, babies and toddlers in a wide range of activities including painting, collage, junk modelling, sticking and gluing.

Date & Details		
Starts Day Held	25th April Thursday	
Time	10.30am- 11.30am	

Fee £5 per child, adults go free



A weekly craft session for budding creatives. Experiment with printing, model making, papier mache and painting.

Recommended for ages 6 – 13 years.

Date & Details

FOR BOTH OPTIONS Day Held Tuesday Time 4pm-5.30pm **OPTION 1** 23rd April Starts **Duration** 5 weeks **OPTION 2 Starts** 5th June **Duration** 6 weeks

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YOUTH GUITAR with Matthew Sullivan

Future guitar heroes everywhere look no further, your journey begins here! Begin with the basics and develop a practice to take your playing as far as you want.

Intermediate students should have one year's tuition experience.

Recommended for ages 6 – 13 years.

Date & Details

Starts	24th April	
Day Held	Wednesday	
Duration	11 weeks	
Time	Beginners: 4.30pm-5.30pm	
	Intermediates: 5.30pm-6.30pm	
Fee		



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SUMMER HOLIDAY **CLASSES**

Monday 29th July -Friday 2nd August

Schools out for summer. so come and join us for a week packed with a whole range of fun and exciting arts activities for 6 - 12 year olds.

Pick and mix; join us for the whole week, every afternoon for the Play in a Week or choose a couple of mornings to create the perfect week iust for vou.

Lunch Times

For those staying all day lunch times will be fully supervised, but participants will need to bring a packed lunch.

Session Times

Breakfast Club 8.45am-9.30am

Morning Sessions 9.30am - 12.30pm

Play in a Week Monday - Friday 1pm - 4pm

Afternoon Club 4pm - 4.30pm

Fees

Breakfast Club £3/dav Morning Sessions £18 each (£15 each if also taking part in play in a week) £75

FREE

Play in a Week Afternoon Club





Breakfast Club 8.45am - 9.30am

MONDAY AM **Clay Creatures**

Get your hands messy as you create your very own weird and wonderful clay creatures.

Be inspired by your favourite characters or let your imagination run wild and see where this magical clay session takes you!



TUESDAY AM Fantastical Drama

Kick start your morning with fun drama games, not only unleashing your inner performer but helping you to get to know new friends.

Follow this by letting your creativity run wild as you improvise around fantastical tales and characters to create short scenes and performances to share with your group.

MONDAY TO FRIDAY 1PM TO 4PM A Play in a Week!



WEDNESDAY AM **Creative Dance**

Get your body moving with this exciting morning of creative dance. Use your imagination to become playful with movement and music.

Have fun with different styles and techniques and over the session learn a short dance routine to take home and impress your friends and family with.



THURSDAY AM Sun Sculptures

Early birds are welcome to have breakfast with us and take part in some craft activities.

A range of breakfast items will be available alongside some gentle activities to wake you up and get you ready for the creative day ahead. Must be booked in advance.

> Get creative with wire and tissue paper as you design your own 3D sun catcher sculpture.

Play with colour and shape to create a brilliant and vibrant sculpture to take home and hang in the summer sun!

Music Mayhem Discover different sounds.

FRIDAY AM

beats and rhythms in this upbeat musical session.

Using your body as your instrument there is no need to have any musical experience to get you into the summer vibe and enjoy this fantastic morning of musical fun.

MONDAY TO FRIDAY 1PM TO 4PM A Play in a Week!

Spend the week on a theatrical adventure, as you and your group create a short play to perform in our professional theatre, in front of your family and friends.

Let imaginations run wild and have fun as you explore the wonderful world of stories and characters, while trying out and developing different theatre techniques.

Our professional theatre practitioners will guide you on your fun-filled journey, exploring both scripted and devised theatre, all whilst having an amazing week making new friends.

Afternoon Club 4pm - 4.30pm



For those who just need that little bit of extra theatre time, stay with us for half an hour of theatre-based fun and games.

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Weekly Classes



Spring term begins **Tuesday 24th April** and ends week commencing 8th July. Half term is week beginning 27th May.

Classes starting Monday 29th April will finish on Monday 15th July. Please note that classes will not be running on bank holidays.

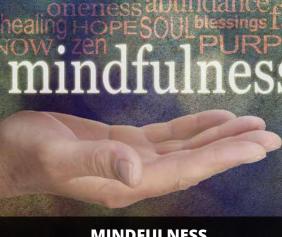
If you are in receipt of any means tested benefits you may be entitled to discount off course fees on weekly classes.

You will need to bring your membership card with you to the box office when you book in order to receive the member's discount.

All course fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.

DISABLED

Regrettably, due to the historic nature of the building, not all classes are accessible by wheelchair. Please contact the box office should you have particular access requirements.



MINDFULNESS with Kizzy Horgan

Join Inclusive Arts Facilitator, Kizzy Horgan, for a 60 minute session of Mindfulness.

Each session will include relaxation and reset techniques, encouraging an open mind.

We will acknowledge our present moment; mind, body and surroundings from a neutral perspective and explore how we can move forward with improved self-awareness.

4th June

6 weeks

OPTION 2

£40 / £35 Members

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Dates & Details

FOR BOTH OPTIONS			
Day Held	Tuesday		
Time	12.30pm-1.30pm		
OPTION 1		OPTION 2	
Starts	23rd April	Starts	
Duration	5 weeks	Duration	
		Fees	
	OPTION 1		

£35 / £30 Members



EXPLORATIONS with Rachel Cronin

Formerly called Traditional Watercolour, this evening course is for both beginners and those with some experience of this fascinating medium. The classes will take you through tone, composition, colour theory and how to build up a watercolour painting in a structured, demonstration-led setting. We tackle lots of different subject matter alongside both traditional and modern techniques.

Dates & Details

FOR BOTH OPTIONS Day Held Tuesday 7pm-9pm Time **OPTION 1** Starts 23rd April **Duration** 5 weeks **OPTION 2** 4th June Starts **Duration** 6 weeks Fees **OPTION 1** £60 / £55 Members

OPTION 2

£70 / £65 Members



Do you love singing, meeting new people and most importantly having fun? Then joining our new contemporary choir is the thing for you! Come and have fun while singing the most uplifting and feel good songs ever written.

Enjoy music, friendship and build your confidence in our new, no audition choir perfect for singers of all abilities.

Date & Details FOR BOTH OPTIONS Day Held Tuesday 7pm-9pm Time **OPTION 1 OPTION 2** Starts 23rd April Starts 4th June **Duration** 6 weeks **Duration** 5 weeks Fees **OPTION 2 OPTION 1**

£60 / £55 Members

£70 / £65 Members





WATERCOLOUR PROJECTS with Rachel Cronin

A stimulating class full of exciting approaches to watercolour, we tackle a variety of different subject matter whilst exploring both traditional and experimental techniques. Students will build up a portfolio of completed work whilst also building up a sketchbook of ideas and smaller studies. All abilities are welcome in this class.

Date & Details

Starts 24th April Day Held Wednesday Time 10am-12.30pm **Duration** 11 weeks

Fee

£140 / £130 Members





YOGA with Louise Willis

An inclusive, ninety minute guided class suitable for those who are new to yoga or wishing to progress their practice. Whilst challenges will be offered to those ready to deepen their practice – all practitioners are encouraged to work at their own level and pace.

Dates & Details

FOR BOTH OPTIONS Day Held Wednesday Time 12.30pm-2pm **OPTION 1** 24th April for 5 weeks **OPTION 2** 5th June for 6 weeks

Fees

OPTION 1 £50 / £45 Members **OPTION 2** £55 / £50 Members SINGLE SESSION £10



WATERCOLOUR **TECHNIQUES:** Fast & Loose with Rachel Cronin

Do you have some experience with watercolour but wish vou could loosen up your brushwork and find the confidence to work quicker? This is a structured watercolour course that will allow you to develop the techniques and confidence to approach watercolours with fast and fluid brushwork. We will work with a variety of different subjects from landscapes to still life. All materials are included but you may want to bring your own brushes.

Date & Details

24th April Starts Day Held Wednesday Time 1.30pm-3.30pm **Duration** 5 weeks

Fee

£60 / £55 Members



PAINTING & DRAWING with Chrissie Borland

Mixed ability class in which students are encouraged to find their own style through experimenting with different media. Full of creative entertainment, these classes are supported and guided by tutor Chrissie Borland.

Date & Details			
OPTION 1		OPTION 3	
Starts	29th April	Starts	23rd April
Day Held	Monday	Day Held	Tuesday
Time	2.30pm-5pm	Time	2pm-4.30pm
Duration	10 weeks	Duration	11 weeks
OPTION 2		OPTION 4	
Starts	23rd April	Starts	30th July
Day Held	Tuesday	Day Held	Tuesday
Time	10am-12.30pm	Time	10am-12.30pm
Duration	11 weeks	Duration	4 weeks
Fees			
	OPTION 1		OPTION 4
£130 / £120 Members		£50/	' £45 Members
OPTION 2 & 3			
£140/	′ £130 Members		



DRAWING & SKETCHING with Ruth Broadbent

This course, which is suitable for both beginners and those looking to further their skills, is packed with information and techniques to help develop drawing skills and individual styles. There are opportunities to try out different approaches to varied subject matter and look at work by other artists. New themes and techniques are explored each term in this challenging and lively course.

Date & Details		
Starts	29th April	
Day Held	Monday	
Duration	10 weeks	
OPTION 1		
Time	10am-12.30pm	
OPTION 2		
Time	7pm-9pm	
Fees		
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£130 / £120 Members **OPTION 2 & 3** £105 / £95 Members

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MONDAY MAKERS

Every Monday we run crafty sessions in our gallery space. Come along and eniov some gentle activities, meet like-minded people and perhaps even inspire a new hobby!

All materials are supplied.

Dates & Details Date & Details 5th June Starts 29th April Starts Day Held Monday Day Held Wednesday Time 3pm-4.30pm Time 1.30pm-3.30pm **Duration** 6 weeks **Duration** 10 weeks Fee Fees £70 / £65 Members £6 I

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WATERCOLOUR **TECHNIQUES:** Experimenting with Mixed Media

with Rachel Cronin

Many modern watercolourists now paint with a more experimental approach which includes using inks, drv media and watercolour mediums to create interesting textures and effects. If you like a non-traditional approach to watercolour and want to create rich and modern paintings then this class is for you. We will spend time practicing a number of different techniques before working on a number of different paintings, helping you develop your style and build up a portfolio of work.

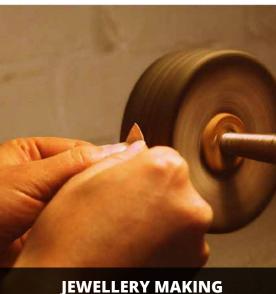


CREATIVE WRITING with Gabrielle Mullarkey

On this course, we'll continue to explore and adopt ideas and techniques for developing creative writing within and beyond the sessions. We'll have ample opportunities to share and discuss both published extracts and our own work, developing and refining our individual voices as writers on the page. You do not need to have attended previous courses.

Dates & Details Starts 24th April Day Held Wednesday Time 1.30pm-3.30pm **Duration** 5 weeks Fees

£60 / £55 Members



with Sue Collins

This course is open to anyone interested in learning how to make silver jewellery using traditional techniques.

Beginners will learn a variety of techniques such as cutting, sawing, annealing, texturing, soldering and polishing, whilst more experienced students will develop their skills and work on more advanced pieces.

This is a relaxed, friendly and informal class where students work on their own designs at a pace appropriate to their skill level. Students receive individual tutor guidance within a group of 10 students.

All tools are supplied but you will need to pay for the silver for your design. Your tutor will discuss this with you during the first class. Spaces are limited to 10 so book early to avoid disappointment.

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Fees				Duration	11 weeks
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£115/	£105 Members	£40/	£35 Members	£60/	£55 Memb



LEARN GUITAR with Matthew Sullivan

Always wanted to learn to play guitar?

This is your chance to learn theory, technique and sight reading with experienced jazz/flamenco musician and tutor Matt Sullivan. Students will need to bring their own guitars.

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Day Held	Wednesday
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	Intermediates: 8pm-9pm
Ouration	11 weeks
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TEXTILE EXPLORATIONS with Sue Green

With up to date knowledge on new techniques and cutting edge materials, projects to spark your imagination and opportunities to exhibit your work as well as develop your sketchbooks, this class is ideal for anyone wishing to explore the wonderful world of textiles.

	Dates	& Details	
Day Held		OPTION 3 Starts Day Held Duration	1st August Thursday 4 weeks 10am-3pm
	F	ees	
	OPTION 1 £220 Members OPTION 2 £120 Members		OPTION 3 / £95 Members



Do you have an instrument lying around getting dusty, used to play an instrument and still have a passion for music, have nowhere to practice or would like to play with others? Then why not come along to a fun weekly jam session?

Bring along your own instrument or borrow one of our electric / acoustic bass guitars, keyboard, darbuka drum, maracas or even an electric drum kit!

Date & Details Day Held Thursday Afternoon: Time 1pm-3pm Evening (acoustic only): Żpm-9pm Fee

£3 per session



TEXTILES with Sue Green

These short courses offer you the chance to discover the fascinating world of experimental textiles. Blend fabric, paper and plastic to create wonderful mixed media effects and experiment with dyes, paints, slashwork and couching to create interesting textures. All materials provided.

Date & Details

FOR BOTH OPTIONS Day Held Thursday 6pm-8pm Time **OPTION 1** 25th April for 5 weeks **OPTION 2**

6th June for 6 weeks Fee

OPTION 1 £65 / £60 Members **OPTION 2**

£75 / £70 Members



CREATIVE CRAFTS

A perfect mixed arts and crafts class for those who want to experiment with different techniques without committing to a longer course. This is a drop in course where you can come as often as you like.

Date & Details

Starts 26th April **Day Held** Friday Time 10am-12pm **Duration** 11 weeks Fee

£10 per session



with Sue Collins

Ever wanted to wear jewellery you had made yourself? Learn how to make a pair of silver bangles on this informal and friendly course.

This class will teach you the basic silversmithing techniques of sawing, forming, soldering and polishing to create your beautiful bangles.

All tools are provided, but you will need to purchase silver from the tutor. Students can expect to spend approximately £29 - £32.

Spaces are limited to 10 so book early to avoid disappointment

Date & Details

Starts 26th April Day Held Friday Time 1.30pm-3.30pm **Duration** 5 weeks

> Fee £65 / £60 Members

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Workshops

We have a great variety of weekend workshops this season. Whether you want to try something new or make something unique, we're sure to have a workshop that will suit you.



FASHION WORKSHOP: Design & Make Your Own Bag

with Bobbie Seagroatt

Spring Holidays and weddings are coming up, so make something really different for the event.

Learn the design process including research, design, make or adapt a pattern to finally making your own bag!

Get your ideas flowing and adapt basic bag pattern shape and size, and embellish as you choose.

Embroidery, appliqué or just keep it plain and sculptural. This should be fun, and you can make a totally unique bag of your own design.

		D	Date & Details		
Date & Details			Saturday 8th		
Date Time	Saturday 11th May 10.30am-4pm	Time	June 10.30am-4pm		
	Fee		Fee		
	£50		£50		



MONOPRINTING with Chrissie Borland

Explore this simple but effective printing method. Make a series of dynamic works from diverse images provided or bring along a theme of your own.

D	ate & Details
Date	Saturday 8th June
Time	10.30am-4pm
	Fee
	£50



RING IN A DAY with Sue Collins

Learn how to make a beautiful stone-set silver ring in this friendly and informal class. Students will learn the basic techniques of sawing, forming, soldering and polishing to create a stunning silver ring set with a beautiful semiprecious gemstone.

All tools are supplied but there will be a charge of approximately £18 to £22 for the silver made payable to the tutor.

Spaces are limited to 10 so book early to avoid disannointment

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Date Time	Saturday 15th June 10.30am-4pm	Date Time	Saturday 22nd June 10.30am-4pm	Date Time	Saturday 29th June 10.30am-4pm	
	Fee		Fee		Fee	
£50			£50		£50	



The Cyanotype process was developed in 1842, just after the announcement of Photography. It was invented by the English chemist John Herschel. Alternatively known as the Blue Print this process allowed photographers to make large scale prints.

This workshop will get you creating photographs without using a camera. Experimenting with paper and fabric you will learn how to mix the solutions. coat your materials, exposing prints, toning and caring for them after

with Ruth Broadbent

A chance to try out some of the exercises and subjectmatter used in the Drawing and Sketching weekly course at The Mill. Suitable for both beginners wanting to have a go at using different drawing materials and try out some simple techniques, as well as those looking to experiment and nush their drawing further

	All Materials provided.		
D	Date & Details		
Date	Saturday 29th June		
Time	10.30am-4pm		
	Fee		

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SUMMER FLOWERS IN WATERCOLOURS with Rachel Cronin

Spend the day splashing watercolour around painting summer flowers. We will work from a selection of garden and wild flowers including roses, aquilegia, Queen Anne's lace, poppies and alliums. Students will have the opportunity to practice composing a still life painting as well as experimenting with different approaches to painting flowers.

All materials are included but you may wish to bring your own brushes as well as some flowers from your garden.



SUMMER YOGA

This workshop is suitable for anybody with some experience of movement based yoga. The first part of the practice will place emphasis on alignment and the relationship between movement and breath. After a short break for lunch or refreshments together, we will return for a shorter restorative practice. If you are new to restorative, prepare for a treat.

A great opportunity to meet new people and ease yourself in the summer.

All props and equipment will be provided, but consider bringing along a rug or eye pillow for your restorative relaxation.

		D	ate & Details		Date & Details
ate	Date & Details Saturday 6th July	Date	Saturday 13th July	Dat	August
ime	10.30am-4pm	Time	10.30am-1.30pm	Tim	e 10.30am-5pm
	Fee		Fee		Fee
	£50		£40		£50



HYDRANGEAS IN WATERCOLOUR with Rachel Cronin

Beautiful blowsy hydrangeas are the subject for this day of watercolour experimentation! The class will be playing with ink and wash as well as metallic colours combining them with deep and rich pinks, purples and blues to create dramatic and daring paintings.

This workshop will encourage students to go large and go vibrant. No murky browns in this workshop!

Exhibitions

OXFORDSHIRE

Artweeks

WEEKS Monday 29th April - Sunday 2nd June 2019

We are proud to celebrate our continuing partnership with Oxfordshire Artweeks, an initiative that provides the opportunity for people to see amazing art in wonderful places across the whole of Oxfordshire.

This year we are dedicating our gallery space to artists aged 16 – 25 years to



Kitty Frilling is a print maker and illustrator based near Banbury.

Her work in 2019 so far has been an exploration of place and memory.

Scenic Imprint is an exhibition focusing on the local area; looking at Banbury with the eyes of an outsider.



Sarah Miles spends her working week teaching three art groups, and painting story themed art or working on commissions in her studio. Her work is on display in two galleries plus regular yearly exhibitions, stretching from London to Derbyshire. This exhibition showcases Sarah's work inspired by early fairy tales and folklore; can you identify the stories?



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We will also be hosting a pop up exhibition from the 18th – 26th May in Castle Quay Shopping Centre. Here you will see an array of wonderful work created by our talented students who attend our weekly classes.

> THE MILL'S STUDENT SHOWCASE

Watercolours, acrylics and oil paintings sit side by side with the work of mixed media artists and jewellery makers in this vibrant and varied display.

Join us on Friday 5th July from 6pm where you can talk to students about their work displayed in the gallery and see the first showcase of the performance and creative writing students.

Date	Date	Date
Friday 5th - Sunday 28th April	Monday 3rd - Sunday 30th June	Monday 1st - Sunday 28th July

Are you an artist and interested in displaying your work in our gallery? For more information, please contact emma.nooney@oxfordshire.gov.uk.

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9th November 7.30pm



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Finding The Mill from the M40

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Bookings & Seating Plan

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Payment is required when booking. We regret that tickets may not be exchanged or refunded after purchase, except when an event is cancelled.

For missed classes through tutor absence we will endeavour to schedule catch up sessions where possible.

Please note that all tickets are inclusive of a £2 booking fee, and a £1 restoration levy.

For full T&Cs please look online at www. themillartscentre.co.uk

CUSTOMERS WITH DISABILITIES

Please advise the Box Office or fill in your access requirements when booking so that we can readily provide assistance. Tickets are available for carers with no charge in some cases.

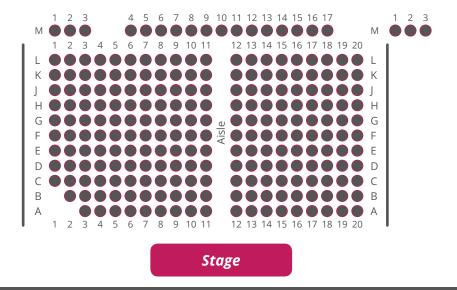
CONCESSIONS

There are discounts available for classes for recipients of certain benefits with evidence/proof of benefit. Please contact the Box Office for more information.

BOX OFFICE: 01295 279002

Monday-Saturday | 10am-7pm Or book online: www.themillartscentre.co.uk

To book wheelchair seats please contact the Box Office



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DATA PROTECTION

The Mill Arts Centre collects information for administrative purposes and in the event of cancellations or emergencies.

If you wish to be added or removed from our postal or emailing list, please do so online or contact our Box Office.

Live Events Diary

		April	Fri	07	U
Thu	04	Yorke Dance:	Sat	08	K
Г.::	05	Twenty Years Anniversary	Fri	14	Ja
Fri	05	Naming The View	Thu	20	В
Sat	06	Pop-up Bowie	Sat	22	D
Thu	11	Alfie Brown	Sat	22	Ja
Fri-Sat	12-13	Strictly Banbury	Sun	23	N
Thu	18	West End At The Movies	Fri	28	Т
Sat	20	Andrew Lawrence	Sat	29	N
Thu	25	Emily Atack - SOLD OUT			V
Fri	26	Hells Bells			
Sat	27	Plink & Boo	Sat	06	T
		Мау	Wed-Sat	10-13	В
Wed-Sat	01-04	BCP: Death Knell	Fri	19	D
Wed	08	The Favourite	Sat-Sun	20-21	D
Fri	10	The Mill's Comedy Club	Wed	31	Li
Sat	11	Amy - Amy Winehouse Tribute			
Fri	17	Talon	Wed	07	В
Sat	18	Duckie	Fri	16	S
Sat	18	Deeper Purple			
Fri	24	Life After Sherlock		Ου	ır
Sat	25	You're My World		e would	
Wed	29	Mary Poppins			
Thu-Sat	29-01	The Hogwallops		Whitley St	0 813963
		June		FOYLE F	OUNI
Sat	01	Los Endos		W	
Thu	06	MARVELus		Garfield	
Thu-Sun	06-09	The History of Everything			

	07	Unforgettable		
	08	Keep It Cash		
	14	Jack Gleadow & Matt Rees		
	20	Boogie Wonderland		
	22	Duckie		
	22	James Phelan		
	23	Much Ado About Nothing		
	28	The Spitfire Sisters		
	29	Minuscule: Valley of The Lost Ants		
		July		
	06	The Bourne Again Shadows		
at	10-13	BCP: Ghosts		
	19	Desert Island Flicks		
۱	20-21	Dance Banbury		
	31	Lindisfarne		
		August		
	07	Beauty & The Beast Sing-A-Long		
	16	Scarlet Nights: Summer Nights		
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Creative Learning Diary

	Weekly Classes
	Monday
10am	Drawing & Sketching
2.30pm	Painting & Drawing
3pm	Monday Makers
7pm	Drawing & Sketching
	Tuesday
10am	Painting & Drawing
12.30pm	Mindfulness
2pm	Painting & Drawing
4pm	Paintbox
7pm	Watercolour Explorations
7pm	Adult Choir
7.30pm	Banbury Cross Players
	Wednesday
10am	Watercolour Projects
12.30pm	Yoga
1.30pm	Watercolour Techniques
1.30pm	Creative Writing
4.30pm	Youth Guitar
6.45pm	Learn Guitar for Beginners
7pm	Jewellery Making
8pm	Learn Guitar for Intermediates
	Thursday
10am	Textile Explorations
10.30am	Little Artists
1pm	Rusty Musicians
6pm	Experimental Textiles
7pm	Rusty Musicians (Acoustic)
	Friday
10am	Creative Crafts
1.30pm	Silver Bangles
1.30pm	Jewellery Making

Workshops		
Мау		
Sat 11	Fashion Workshop	
June		
Sat 08	Monoprinting	
Sat 15	Stone Set Ring In A Day	
Sat 22	Cyanotype Printing	
Sat 29	Drawing & Sketching One Day Workshop	
July		
Sat 06	Summer Flowers in Watercolours	
Sat 13	Summer Yoga	
August		
Sat 31	Hydrangeas In Watercolour	

Summer Holiday Classes

Mon 29 Jul - Fri 02 Aug	MYGO Summer School
Starts Tue 30 Jul Tuesdays at 10am for 4 weeks	Painting & Drawing
Starts Thu 01 Aug Thursdays at 10am for 4 weeks	Textile Explorations
Starts Fri 02 Aug Fridays at 1.30pm for 4 weeks	Jewellery Making

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