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## Use it or...use it even more!

We have moved to four programmes per year and will cease posting them out for free to save costs, but you can pick one up from The Plough or from hubs across the region. There will be a digital version on our website which can be viewed at-a-glance or downloaded. You can also opt to send us an A5 SAE should you wish to receive one in the post. Thanks for your understanding of this decision.

Thanks also for supporting The Plough as we approach our 50th anniversary next year. We welcome your ideas as to how we can mark this milestone, celebrate the past and most importantly look to a vibrant and successful future for the arts centre, its audiences, participants and programme. Please do get in touch with us. Meanwhile – we all hope you find exciting, challenging, informative and

joyful events, films, exhibitions and workshops within this new programme. Dig deep and get booking!

Many events and workshops are filling up fast. Some are already sold out! To receive a weekly reminder by e-mail of all that is going on and to hear first about additions to our programme, you can subscribe via our website or contact mail@theloughartscentre.org.uk to join the list.

See inside back cover for March film screenings. For more details and for information on films from April 2024 onwards, please visit our website [www.thploughartscentre.org.uk](http://www.thploughartscentre.org.uk) or pick up a film flier at the box office.

We look forward to welcoming you soon.

**Richard Wolfenden-Brown, Director  
+ all Staff, Volunteers and Trustees**

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general administration.

To find out more, please email us:  
[volunteers@theploughartscentre.org.uk](mailto:volunteers@theploughartscentre.org.uk)

## The Plough Poetry Prize 2024

The competition this  
year will be judged by  
**Roger McGough**

The Plough Prize 2024 is a 40 line Open  
Poetry Competition with cash prizes of  
**£1,750.**

We received over 2,000 entries for the 2023  
competition. The entry fee is £5 per poem  
(£6 for postal entries).

Closing date: 31 March 2024.

Details via [www.theploughprize.co.uk](http://www.theploughprize.co.uk)



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LIVE MUSIC

**SHOW OF HANDS**

**Fri 1 March 8pm** at ThePlough@  
LyntonTownHall

**Sat 2 March 8pm** at The Plough

With a rich history spanning 3 decades the duo are renowned for their unique 'hands-on' cottage industry approach to touring. This upcoming tour of intimate venues promises to be a celebration of their enduring legacy. **£29.50**



LIVE THEATRE

Miracle Theatre of Cornwall presents  
**HELL'S BELLS**

Written & Directed by Bill Scott

**Fri 8 March 7.30pm**

An enthralling blend of detective thriller drama and Miracle Theatre's trademark colourful characters, physical antics, and distinctive humour. Miracle Theatre has been delighting audiences across the South West since 1979.

Age Advisory: 7yrs+

**£15 / £12 Supporters & Unwaged and claiming benefits**



LIVE MUSIC @StANNE'S

**EDDIE GRIPPER**

**Fri 8 March 8pm** at ThePlough@  
StAnne's, Barnstaple

Described as "a critically acclaimed debut that's already garnered comparisons with the greats" (Jazzwise) and "a remarkably mature-sounding trio album" (London Jazz News) the 23 year old jazz pianist, Eddie Gripper, brings his band to Barnstaple for the launch of 'Home'.

**£12 / £10 Supporters**



LIVE MUSIC with FILM

**NEIL BRAND: CHAPLIN, KEATON & HAROLD LLOYD**

**Thurs 14 March 7.30pm**

The three greatest silent comedians come together for one awesome show. These comedy shorts represent the Golden Age of silent comedy and are a guaranteed laugh-maker for the whole family. Neil Brand accompanies on piano in his inimitable style.

**£15 / £12 Supporters / £5 U18s**

**THE PLOUGH OPEN MIC NIGHT**

**Thurs 14 March 8pm – 9.30pm**

in The Gallery. Now in its 11th year!

Share or perform poems, rap, or acoustic songs. The monthly sessions (2nd Thurs / month) offer a friendly space to air your creations & share passions. For info contact [tonywade4@btinternet.com](mailto:tonywade4@btinternet.com) 07708 111991

**£4 / £2 Unwaged Suggested Donations**



LIVE COMEDY

**PAUL FOOT: DISSOLVE**

**Fri 15 March 8pm**

Life is a stress: full of rushed breakfasts, angry people, internal conflict, and Jacob Rees-Mogg. But what happens when everything you thought was important – your problems, grievances against others, your very identity – simply disappears? Multi-award-winning, trail-blazing comedian Paul Foot is back with his most personal, surprising and groundbreaking show ever. **£17.50**



LIVE TALENT!

**PROTEST!**

**Sat 16 March 7-9pm**

A special Gallery event created by PloughTheFuture! and Plough Youth Theatre members.

See website for details...

**£Free**



LIVE MUSIC @StANNE'S

**JAMES OLIVER BAND**

**Sat 16 March 8pm** at ThePlough@  
StAnne's, Barnstaple

James Oliver has already rubbed shoulders with many of the greats such as Albert Lee, Bill Kirchen & Greg Koch. Now, he is preparing to write a new chapter of not only his career but also Welsh music history. 'James Oliver is the real deal, a passionate roots rocker loaded with guitar firepower.' - Bill Kirchen  
**£15 / £12 Supporters**

## PLOUGH YOUTH THEATRE



### **PYT seniors present A TALE OF TWO SISTERS**

**Thurs 21 & Fri 22 March 7.30pm**

In a military encampment outside of the law the infamous Niklova sisters are hired to become part of the group. Tension rises as a mole is discovered!  
**£7 / £5 Supporters & Under 18s**

## LIVE MUSIC



### **JOHN ETHERIDGE (solo) & special guest KIT HOLMES**

**Sat 23 March 8pm**  
Enjoy an uplifting evening of blues, folk, jazz, African grooves and much more with two outstanding guitarists. John Etheridge is one of the world's most respected guitarists and an excellent raconteur. Kit Holmes' trademark sultry vocals and virtuoso guitar playing have wowed UK audiences. 'Macy Gray meets Nick Drake' The Observer  
**£20 / £18 Supporters**

## CHILDREN'S THEATRE



### **Above Bounds present BRILLIANT BEE**

**Mon 25 & Tues 26 March  
10.30am & 1pm** at ThePlough@  
StAnne's, Barnstaple

Expect a heart-warming show full of fun and lots of giggles! A perfect introduction to theatre ages 4-8.

Transport Grants available for schools - see website for details.

**£6 all tickets** (Every 11th ticket free)

## PLOUGH YOUTH THEATRE



### **PYT Seniors present THE BEST OF LIFE**

**Tues 26 & Wed 27 March 7.30pm**

The Best Of Life tells of Roksolana's teenage experience of the madness and pain of the war in Ukraine. The debut of young scriptwriter, Kateryna Rudiakova, 15 yrs, who found courage and her voice to tell us about all of it from the first-person point of view.

**£7 / £5 Supporters & Under 18s**

## QUIZ NIGHT



### **THE PLOUGH FAMILY QUIZ AND AUCTION NIGHT**

**Thurs 28 March 7pm – 9.30pm**

A fun fundraising event for The Plough with a quick fire culture quiz and a short auction of high value lots + music, nibbles and a raffle. Come by yourself or bring a group. The young people from PloughTheFuture! will be running this interactive event.  
**£5 all tickets**

## LIVE MUSIC



### **FLEETWOOD MAC SONGBOOK**

**Sat 30 March 8pm SOLD OUT!**  
**Extra dates added: Fri 28 Feb & Sat 1 March 2025**

To find out first about our entire arts programme join our email list via our website or contact our Box Office team mail@theploughartscentre.org.uk.

## COMEDY NIGHT



### **ALISON SPITTLE: SOUP**

**Fri 5 April 8pm**

Comedian du jour Alison Spittle has appeared on *Off Menu*, *You're Dead To Me*, *Guilty Feminist*, *The Gargle*. She's the co-host of BBC Sounds' hugely popular *Wheel of Misfortune* podcast with Kerry Katona. Voted one of British Comedy Guide's best reviewed artists of the Fringe. **£15.50**

## LIVE MUSIC



### **SNAKE DAVIS BAND**

**Sat 6 April 8pm** after a cabaret  
seated meal from 6pm

Something for everybody, from floaty to dance-able, from soul through pop to jazz and world, original material and classic sax pieces such as 'Baker Street' and 'Night Train' His greatest love is to play intimate venues as himself, his own choice of music with his favourite musicians. Passionate heart-felt uplifting music. 'A true virtuoso' Daily Telegraph **£17 / £15 Supporters**

## MUSIC WORKSHOP

SAXOPHONE WORKSHOP  
WITH SNAKE DAVIS

Sat 6 April 3-5pm

Before Snake Davis and His Band play live at 8pm, Snake will tutor this Saxophone Workshop. Snake is a gentle patient teacher, the workshop will be relaxed and non-scary! Good sight-reading is not essential. It may include Breathing and posture, Tone development, Expressive stylistic techniques such as bends and falls and swoops, Vibrato, Approaches to soloing, including jamming along with DJs. The two Devon workshops will be a little different to each other so come to both!

*'Learning with Snake Davis as tutor is totally inspirational'* Julie P

£35 / £25 Supporters

THE PLOUGH OPEN MIC  
NIGHT

Thurs 11 April 8pm – 9.30pm

in The Gallery

(For details see entry re 14 March)

£4 Waged £2 Unwaged (Suggested Donations)

## LIVE MUSIC

DOM MARTIN + SPECIAL GUEST  
DEMI MARRINER

Thurs 11 April 8pm

Belfast's multi award winning singer songwriter, Dom Martin, brings his intimate acoustic show to North Devon. 'UK Blues Acoustic Artist of The Year 2020/2021/2022' & 'UK Blues Instrumentalist of The Year 2022/2023' *'A rare talent of such sheer genius'* Blues in Britain £20 / £18 Supporters

## LIVE MUSIC @StANNE'S



## RICKY KNIGHT

Fri 12 April 8pm at ThePlough@  
StAnne's, Barnstaple

Ricky's performance will be a bit of a 'premiere' for 'Ricky's Juke Box' concept, whereby you, yes, you the audience, will be able to choose which songs you'd like him to play for you. All proceeds from this event will go to 'Surviving Abuse Northern Devon' (SAND). £12 / £10 Supporters

## LIVE MUSIC



## THE MANFREDS

Sat 13 April 8pm

The Manfreds, with original front man, Paul Jones, will be performing many hits, including Do Wah Diddy Diddy, one of the most popular and instantly recognisable songs of the 60s. This special concert will also feature a mix of Jazz and Blues covers and tracks from their individual solo albums. Paul Jones, with his unique harmonica sound, will be joined by Mike Hugg on keyboards, Tom McGuinness on guitar, Rob Townsend on drums, Marcus Cliffe on bass and Simon Currie on saxophone/ flute. £35 / £30 Supporters

## LIVE MUSIC @LYNTON

## SNAKE DAVIS BAND

Sat 13 April 8pm at ThePlough@  
LyntonTownHall

(For details of gig and workshop see info for his Plough gig & workshop on 6 April)

£17/ £15 Supporters

## PLUS SAXOPHONE

WORKSHOP - Sat 13 April  
3-5pm - £35 £25 Supporters

## LIVE MUSIC



Devonshire Association Music and Folklore Section present  
**ELIZABETH-JANE BALDRY - harp music from Devon and beyond**

Sun 14 April 3pm

Award-winning international harpist Elizabeth-Jane Baldry will perform and talk about some of her favourite music, including works by the famous Devon-born 19th century harp maestro Elias Parish-Alvars. (Café and bar open for hot and cold drinks and cakes).

£14 / £10 (Under 18s)

## GALLERY GIG



## REG MEUROSS

Wed 17 April 8pm A Gallery Gig

Reg Meuross - a true modern troubadour representing contemporary English folk writing at its best. Touring now with award winning song cycle about the Transatlantic Slave Trade - Stolen From God. £12



## LIVE COMEDY

**ED GAUGHAN Words And Music****Thurs 18 April 8pm**

Discover UK comedy's best kept secret! First solo show in 18 years from award-garnering idiot. Over many years Ed has written, directed and performed work for and with many of the UK's most loved comedians including Josie Long & Barry Cryer, He's also the voice of Baron Greenback in *Dangermouse*, Gideon in Sky TV's *Brassic* and co-creator & star of the BAFTA nominated movie *'Skeletons'*.

**£12 £10 Supporters**

## LIVE TRIBUTE ACT

**SERIOUSLY COLLINS****Fri 19 April 8pm**

Chris Hayward and his band bring back the most authentic show to Phil Collins and Genesis. A genuine tribute to one of the biggest artists of our generation. **£21.50 / £18 Supporters**

## LIVE TRIBUTE ACT

**KEITH JAMES – CAT STEVENS (YUSAF)****Sat 20 April 8pm**

Well respected and inventive performer Keith James presents an honest and loving reflection of the timeless and insightful music of Cat Stevens (Yusaf). **£18 / £15 Supporters / £14 advance**

## BOOK LAUNCH

**LIZ SHAKESPEARE launches new book 'The Ordeal of Miss Lucy Jones'****Thurs 25 April 2pm**

Torrington, 1879. Church visitor to the poor, Lucy Jones meets with deeply unpopular curate, Rev. Francis. When claims are made that he and Lucy were seen acting improperly, the people of Torrington seize the opportunity to be rid of Francis. The ensuing scandal, culminating in the burning of effigies by a crowd of 3,000 people, makes national news and brings disgrace to Lucy and her family. **£6 to include tea and cake. Signed books available to purchase.**

## GALLERY GIG

**HARBOTTLE & JONAS - WILD GOOSE TOUR****Fri 26 April 8pm A Gallery Gig**

Dynamic Devon-based folk duo Harbottle & Jonas are one of the most exciting acts on the UK circuit today, a great live act combining a love of the richness of traditional folk with their own original and powerful songwriting. *'One of the finest folk duos in the country'* – Alternative Roots **£12 £10 Supporters**

## LIVE COMEDY

**THE COMEDY STORE****Sat 27 April 8pm**

The Plough Arts Centre is one of only nine UK venues to be chosen by The Comedy Store to deliver these special comedy nights. Book early! *'Still the greatest and most influential comedy club on the planet.'* Time Out **£16.50 / £14.25pp (Groups of 4+)**

## LIVE EVENT @StANNE'S

**ROBYN HODE – HIS LIFE AND DEATH****Fri 3 May 7.30pm at ThePlough@****StAnne's, Barnstaple**

Told in words and song by Raventales - Michael and Wendy Dacre. A most vital and authentic account of the English outlaw - violent, earthy, humorous and tragic. These tales are taken from the earliest ballads, with songs of the greenwood twining through this vision of Merrie England. *Just for adults!* **£10/£8**

## LIVE MUSIC

**THIS IS MERSEYBEAT****Sat 4 May 8pm**

'It's 1962 and there's a whole lotta shakin' goin' on...with big Mersey Sound hits from The Beatles, The Pacemakers, The Searchers, Swinging Blue Jeans, The Merseybeats, The Big Three and many more. **£22.50 £20 Supporters**

**THE PLOUGH OPEN MIC NIGHT****Thurs 9 May 8pm – 9.30pm**

in The Gallery

(For details see entry re 14 March)

**£4 Waged £2 Unwaged** (Suggested Donations)**LIVE COMEDY****JACKIE FABULOUS - FULL CIRCLE****Fri 10 May 8pm**

Jackie Fabulous has been carving her place in comedy in her native America since being a semi-finalist in America's Got Talent, even getting Simon Cowell to blush! She is an hilarious and affable stand-up comedian, writer, actor, producer, motivational speaker, and headliner who uses her jokes and sparkling nature to simultaneously entertain, encourage, and empower audiences while keeping them laughing, and easily navigating the comedy gamut from family friendly to naughty. Jackie is set to take the UK by storm as she embarks on her first UK tour

**£15.50 / £14.50 Supporters / £14 Earlybird (up to 1 March)****LIVE TALK****POST OFFICE SCANDAL - THE INSIDE STORY****POST OFFICE SCANDAL - THE INSIDE STORY with Nick Wallis****Sat 11 May 8pm** (60 mins plus 30 min Q&A and Book Signing)

This is the story of how innocent people fought back to clear their names against a background of institutional arrogance and obfuscation, a fight dragged out by the Post Office's refusal to accept responsibility for its failings.

**Stop Press:** Following public outrage, (highlighted by ITV's 'Mr Bates vs The Post Office' drama) Nick Wallis - series consultant on the programme - invites you to join us as he expertly chronicles the very latest twists and turns in this unbelievable story, that is truly jaw-dropping. We also hope to welcome on stage people directly affected by the affair for their own accounts and first-hand testimony.

*'We only made the drama because of Nick Wallis... he is key in bringing this story to light.'* - Patrick Spence, Executive Producer 'Mr Bates vs The Post Office'

**£14 £12 Supporters****LIVE THEATRE**
**Living Spit presents**  
**THE PASSION OF LIVING SPIT**  
**by Stu McLoughlin**  
**Fri 17 May 8pm**

An hilarious journey through the life and unfortunate death of the bearded, ethnically ambiguous offspring of God, Jesus H. Christ. *The Passion of Living Spit* promises to give a whole new meaning to the term 'Cross-dressing'. 14yrs+ (Strong language. Not for the extremely religious).

**£15 £13 Supporters****GALLERY GIG****BILLIE MAREE****Sat 18 May 8pm** A Gallery Gig

Billie Maree, an emerging Devon singer-songwriter/poet unveils her debut EP 'We Belong', a musical journey likened to the ethereal spirits of Judy Tzuke, Kate Bush, and Florence and the Machine. Her songs, tender and evocative, transport listeners to the heart of nature.

**£12 £10 Supporters****LIVE MUSIC**
**THE MYSTERY GUEST TOUR -**  
**Daisy Chute, Hollie Rogers, Lady Nade**
**Fri 24 May 8pm**

Award-winning folk & Americana songstress Lady Nade joins forces with Hollie Rogers And Daisy Chute for a 'Celebration of Collaboration, Togetherness and Community.' Includes a mystery local guest for an uplifting, emotional, and unexpected experience.

**£18 £16 Supporters £15 Earlybird****LIVE MUSIC****THE OGGIE BAND CEILIDH****Sat 25 May 8pm**

The 'Oggie Band' enjoy a reputation as one of the liveliest, most entertaining ceilidh dance bands in the South West. Featuring fiddle, melodeon, banjo, guitar, whistle and drums, the six-piece, multi-instrumental line up creates a rich, lively and varied sound that won't let you keep still!

**£12 / £10 Supporter / £8 U18s**



## LIVE EVENT


**Imùlè Theatre presents Ayodele Scott and David Evans in the 'Agbo play' NATIVE WIT**
**Fri 31 May 4pm + Workshop**

Ayodele Scott and David Evans blend drumming, song and physical theatre to present an hilarious, humane and ultimately life-affirming exploration of their childhood experiences of colonial West Africa.

Age advisory: Families with children 10yrs+

**£10/ £8 Supporters / Under 18s + 'DRUMMING AND AGBO PLAY' WORKSHOP.**

**Fri 31 May 1pm – 3pm**

Develop skills in African drumming, dance, singing, and physical theatre. These elements combine to give participants a unique experience of performing in 'Agbo Play' street theatre. Ayodele and David have been combining their talents for many years as workshop leaders and are expert at tailoring each workshop to the needs and experience of participants. Suitable for adults and children 10 years plus. If you have a drum, please bring it along.

**£10 / £8 Supporters / Under 18s**

## GALLERY GIG


**RAKES ADRIFT**
**Fri 31 May 8pm A Gallery gig**

Featuring fiddle, melodeon, banjo, guitar, whistle and bodhran, four-piece group 'Rakes Adrift' combine traditional and contemporary music and song to create an exciting and varied sound, ranging from rousing jigs, reels and lively songs to softer tunes and ballads.

**£10 Full Price £8 Supporters**

## LIVE MUSIC


**NICK WYKE & BECKI DRISCOLL**
**Sat 1 June 8pm**

After selling out the Gallery last year, popular local folk duo Nick Wyke & Becki Driscoll return with their innovative blend of bewitching melodies, driving fiddle chords and powerful vocals: 'folk music at its best' The Living Tradition

**£12 £10 Supporters**

## LIVE MUSIC


**A NIGHT OF GLASS - DAN WHITEHOUSE With Special Guest GUSTAF LJUNGGREN**
**Wed 5 June 8pm**

A musical journey into the heart of glass, exploring community and connection through three award winning albums. Black Country singer-songwriter/poet/artist Dan's expressive vocals and emotionally rich songs, alongside Swedish musician/producer Gustaf's versatility, offer a fusion of art and music.

**£12/10**


**THESTIVAL - A Celebration of North Devon School Drama and Youth Theatre**
**Thurs 6 June 7pm - 10pm**

A collection of highlights from scenes and excerpts from devised and scripted work created for exams and public performances. If your school or youth theatre group would like to be involved please email [richard@theploughartscentre.org.uk](mailto:richard@theploughartscentre.org.uk).

**£5**

## LIVE MUSIC @RESURGENCE


**ROSEANNA BALL**
**Fri 7 June 8pm at ThePlough@ Resurgence, Hartland**

Singer/songwriter and multi-instrumentalist Roseanna is based in North Devon. She shares a large array of self penned folk songs plus country and Americana classics and has performed many times for The Plough Arts Centre.

**£12 / £10 Supporters**

## LIVE MUSIC @StANNE'S


**Swimbridge Consort with Emma Collingham: FEEL THE LIGHT**
**Sat 8 June 7.30pm at ThePlough@ StAnne's, Barnstaple**

Join this dynamic vocal quartet and cellist, Emma Collingham. An exciting evening of music entirely composed by women: from early trailblazers to the contemporary choral scene.

**£10 / U18's £5 - Proceeds in aid of North Devon against Domestic Abuse (NDADA)**

## GALLERY GIG



### MARK BEN WILSON

**Sat 8 June 8pm** A Gallery Gig

Mark Ben Wilson is a Bude based finger-style guitarist and songwriter. Taking influences from musicians such as John Butler and Ben Howard, Mark combines punchy percussive guitar riffs with well crafted folk inspired songs.  
**£8 / £6 Supporters**

## THE PLOUGH OPEN MIC NIGHT

**Thurs 13 June 8pm – 9.30pm**

in The Gallery

(For details see entry re 14 March)

**£4 Waged £2 Unwaged** (Suggested Donations)

## LIVE MUSIC @LYNTON & @StANNE'S



### LOST SONGS OF SCILLY: JOHN PATRICK ELLIOTT & PIERS LEWIN

**Thurs 13 June 8pm** at ThePlough@

LyntonTownHall

**Fri 14 June 8pm** at ThePlough@

StAnne's, Barnstaple

## EXTINCTION REBELLION BENEFIT GIG

**Fri 14 June 8pm**

Local bands and more!

**£10 / £8 Supporters / £5 accompanied Under 18s**



## LIVE THEATRE



### Giles Shenton Productions presents WHAT'S WRONG WITH BENNY HILL?

By Mark Carey. Music by Kevin Oliver Jones

**Sat 15 June 8pm**

Benny Hill died alone in his spartan flat in 1992. This brand-new comedy explores the life and legacy of Charlie Chaplin's favourite comedian. 16yrs+

**£14 / £12 Supporters**

**£12 Groups of 6+**

## OPEN AIR THEATRE

### Sun & Moon Theatre

**A WINTER'S TALE** by Shakespeare

**Fri 21 June 7pm**

at Lapford Mill, Mid Devon

**£15 / £13 Supporters / Groups of 6+**

**£12.50pp / £11 U18s (4-18yrs)**

**£11 Earlybird** (before 1 April)

## LIVE TRIBUTE ACT



### THE DARKSIDE OF PINK FLOYD

**Fri 21 June 8pm**

They are back! With sell-out theatre shows across the UK, The Darkside Of Pink Floyd is a premier touring tribute band featuring the authentic sound of Pink Floyd delivered by seasoned musicians with over 150 years of total experience. Each show includes a custom designed thematic light show, spectacular laser effects and circular video screens delivering a visual feast which is truly unforgettable.

**£24 / £21.50 Supporters**

## LIVE MUSIC



### SKERMISH CEILIDH BAND with caller Chris Jewell

**Sat 22 June 8pm** Come along with family, friends or solo for a Midsummer Ceilidh/Barn dance with one of the West Countries favourite ceilidh bands! **£10 / £9 Earlybird** (up to 1 April) / **£8 Supporter**

## GALLERY GIG



### JESS VINCENT AND KATIE WHITEHOUSE – LIONS DEN & DRAWING LINES

**Wed 26 June 8pm** A Gallery Gig

Jess and Katie's latest albums, 'Lions Den and Drawing Lines', promises a captivating evening of solo performances, song swaps, and mutual accompaniment. Jess's folk/indie/ Americana sound reflects her life in Bulgaria, while Katie's heartfelt songs offer intimate, universal connections.

**£12 / £10 Supporters**

## OPEN AIR THEATRE

## Sun &amp; Moon Theatre

**A WINTER'S TALE** by Shakespeare**Fri 28 June 6.30pm****at Reforge Retreat, Black Torrington****£15 / £13 Supporters / Groups of****6+ £12.50pp / £11 U18s (4-18yrs)****£11 Earlybird** (before 1 April)

## LIVE TRIBUTE ACT

**CREEDENCE CLEARWATER  
REVIEW TRIBUTE SHOW****Fri 28 June 8pm**

Experience a two hour nostalgia trip back to 1969, the heady days of Woodstock, with all the greatest hits including 'Proud Mary', 'Have You Ever Seen The Rain', 'Fortunate Son' and many more.

**£18 / £16 Supporter**

## OPEN AIR THEATRE

## Illyria

**THE ADVENTURES OF DR  
DOLITTLE****Sat 29 June 7pm****at Castle Hill Filleigh,  
S.Molton****£15 / £13 Supporters / Groups of****6+ £12.50pp / £11 U18s (4-18yrs)****£11 Earlybird** (before 1 April)

## LIVE DANCE

**INSPIRE! A COMMUNITY DANCE  
CELEBRATION****Sat 29 June 7pm**

Dance companies and individuals of all ages and abilities share their passion for dance. Those who book early will get to enjoy their dances...

**£6 / £4 Under 18s**

## OPEN AIR THEATRE

**Calf 2 Cow Theatre****SHERLOCK AND WATSON:  
A MURDER IN THE GARDEN****(12yrs+) Sun 30 June 6pm****at Arlington Court (NT)****£15 / £13 Supporters / Groups of****6+ £12.50pp / £11 U18s (4-18yrs)****£11 Earlybird** (before 1 April)

## LIVE TRIBUTE ACT

**I'M EVERY WHITNEY - The  
sensational tribute to Whitney  
Houston.****Sat 6 July 8pm**

Brilliant vocalist Kieshia Chun and her band take you on an unmissable ride to remember the Queen of the Divas.

**£21.50/ £20.50 Supporter**

## OPEN AIR THEATRE SHOWS coming in JULY &amp; AUGUST

Tue 2 July: Tapeley Pk - Calf 2 Cow: 'Sherlock &amp; Watson: A Murder in the Garden'.

Sat 6 July 7pm: Lapford Mill - Hotbuckle Productions: 'Pride and Prejudice'

Sun 7 July 6pm: Arlington Court (NT)- Hotbuckle Productions 'Pride &amp; Prejudice'

Tue 9 July 6.30pm: Tapeley Park - Illyria: Gilbert &amp; Sullivan: 'The Gondoliers'

Wed 17 July 7pm: Clovelly Court - Chapterhouse: 'Little Women'

Thu 18 July 6pm: Arlington Court (NT) - Chapterhouse: 'Little Women'

Fri 19 July 6.30pm: Tapeley Park - Miracle Theatre: 'Love Riot'

Sat 20 July 6.30pm: Castle Hill Filleigh - Miracle Theatre: 'Love Riot'

Sun 28 July 6pm: Lodge, Eggesford - Pantaloons: 'The Importance of Being Earnest'

Tue 30 July 7.30pm: Castle Drogo (NT) - Illyria: The Hound of The Baskervilles'

Wed 31 July 5pm: Hartland Abbey - BoxTree: 'The Wind In The Willows'

Wed 7 Aug 6.30pm: Castle Hill Gdns (1646) - Sun &amp; Moon: 'A Winter's Tale'

Sun 11 Aug 6pm: Arlington Ct (NT) - Pantaloons: 'The Merry Wives of Windsor'

Wed 14 Aug 7pm: Hartland Abbey - The Festival Player: 'The Tempest'

Fri 16 Aug 6.30pm: Castle Hill Filleigh - Sun &amp; Moon: 'A Winter's Tale'

Sat 17 Aug 6pm: Arlington Court (NT) - The Three Inch Fools: 'Henry VIII'

Sun 18 Aug 6.30pm: Tapeley Park - The Three Inch Fools: 'Henry VIII'

Tue 20 Aug 6.30pm: Tapeley - 440: 'Midsummer Night's Dream' / 'Twelfth Night'

Wed 21 Aug 7pm: Hartland - 440: 'Midsummer Night's Dream' / 'Twelfth Night'

Sun 25 Aug 5.30pm: Castle Drogo - Illyria: 'The Adventures of Dr Dolittle'

## FUTURE CONFIRMED EVENTS

**Fri 5 July 8pm: Harry Baker:  
Wonderful****Sat 13 July: The Lost Sound -  
Dartmoor Folk Choir****Fri 13 Sept Paul Jones & Dave Kelly****Fri 20 Sept: Phil Beer****Sat 21 Sept: Coda - a tribute to  
Led Zeppelin****Fri 27 Sept Beatles Complete****Sat 28 Sept: The Comedy Store****Fri 11 Oct: Steve Knightley****Sat 19 Oct Mariners Away****Fri 25 Oct: Lee Quinney as Elton  
John****Thu 31 Oct: The Melting Pot****Sat 30 Nov: The Comedy Store****Sat 21 Dec: The Comedy Store****Sat 11 Jan 2025: The Oggle Band  
Ceilidh****Sat 25 Jan 2025 The Comedy Store****Fri 28 Feb & Sat 1 March 2025:  
Fleetwood Mac Songbook**



# HAUNTED HISTORY TOURS...

Haunted History Tours focus on real local stories – the salacious, the dastardly and the downright scary – a range of North Devon's gritty and grubby secrets laid bare down the back streets and dark alleys!!!

Well behaved dogs are welcome on all tours.

All start at 7.30pm

**Purple Tours starts at St Anne's and include refreshments and a chance to look at artefacts.**

**Other tours as indicated.**

*\*please note that this tour is not for young ears!*



**Barnstaple Murder & Macabre**  
Sat 30 March, Thurs 6 June  
£14.50 to include refreshments.

**Barnstaple Bygone Brothels\***  
Fri 22 March, Thurs 18 April  
Fri 31 May  
£14.50 to include refreshments.

**Barnstaple Town, Park & Prison**  
11 April, Thurs 20 June  
£14.50 to include refreshments.

**Barnstaple Town & Workhouse**  
Thurs 2 May  
£14.50 to include refreshments.



**Barnstaple Town Centre**  
Thurs 14 March, Thurs 23 May  
£14.50 to include refreshments.



**Instow**  
Thurs 25 April  
Tour to start and finish at the  
Instow Signal Box, EX39 4JT  
£12



**Bideford Old Town.**  
Fri 1 March, Fri 17 May, Fri 28 June  
Tour starts and finishes outside  
Bideford Library, New Road,  
Bideford, Devon, EX39 2HR  
£12

# the plough

## YOUTH THEATRE

### THE PLOUGH YOUTH

**THEATRE** provides exciting opportunities for drama, theatre and performance for 2-18 year olds. Come along to our fun and friendly weekly workshops to learn performance skills, be part of something special, and create your own magic on stage!

#### PYT SATURDAYS:

##### INFANTS 5-7 years

10.45am-12.15pm

£60 / £48 Supporters (per term)

##### JUNIORS 8-11 years

1pm-3pm

£75 / £60 Supporters (per term)

##### SENIORS 11-14 years

10.15am -12.15pm

£75 / £60 Supporters (per term)

##### SENIOR THEATRE COMPANY

10.15 am - 12.15pm

£75 / £60 Supporters (per term)

#### TERM TIMES:

20th April - 20th July (excl 1st June)

##### CREATIVE MUSIC 8-18 years

12.45pm - 2.45pm

Donations gratefully received



#### NEW! WRITING FOR PERFORMANCE

Exciting new creative writing workshops will be with different workshop leaders offering a variety of expertise and experience and will cover things like poetry, song writing, writing for film, developing narrative, writing comedy, improvisation to script, writing characters, and spoken word performance.

**Thurs 4.30pm -5.30pm** (Term Time)  
£40 / £30 Supporters (per term)

#### THEATRE TOTS

A fun and creative mix of drama, dance and music for 4 years and under

**Tuesdays 2pm-3pm** (Term Time)  
£40 / £30 Supporters (per term)



#### CREATIVE DANCE at The Plough

These popular classes give young people the chance to express themselves, tell stories and learn performance and choreography skills through a variety of dance styles and genres. Relaxed and fun, with exciting performance opportunities.

#### CREATIVE DANCE 8-16 years

**Saturdays 3pm - 5pm**

£75 / £60 Supporters (per term)

#### TERM TIMES:

**20th April - 20th July** (excl 1st June)

#### CREATIVE MOVERS 4-8 years

**Weds 4.30 - 5.30pm** (Term Time)

£40 / £30 Supporters (per term)

**Rambert  
grades**

**Participants have the option  
to achieve accredited Rambert  
Grades creative dance awards.**



*Quirk Theatre facilitating a creative youth workshop*

#### CREATIVE OUTREACH

The Plough Creative Outreach programme offers a diverse range of creative, visual and performance art activities and workshops to the North Devon community.

We work with local schools offering special workshops, after school clubs, curriculum enrichment, and activities that support the well being of students.

We can also offer the home educating community an array of creative workshops and performance opportunities to suit individual and group requirements.

As part of our accessible and inclusive approach to the arts we are delighted to offer regular and one off workshops to children and adults with additional needs and disabilities.

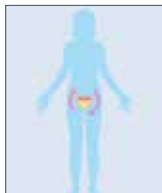
Our creative outreach doesn't stop there, and we are happy to discuss any ideas you have! To book a workshop, chat about an idea, or organise an education activity, contact our Youth Theatre and Creative Outreach director, Katherine Lockett-Clark - [katherine@theploughartscentre.org.uk](mailto:katherine@theploughartscentre.org.uk)



Plough Youth Theatre is supported by The Achates-Gard Fund

#### Are you between 10-18?

Do you have a passion for the arts? Do you have new ideas? Would you like to represent young people's voices here at The Plough? Get in touch today: [richard@theploughartscentre.org.uk](mailto:richard@theploughartscentre.org.uk)



**YOGA FOR IMPROVED DIGESTION Workshop** with Arwen Raddon from Santosha Healing Space.  
**Saturday 23 March 2.00-4.00pm**  
Digestive issues are quite common and over time these can lead to discomfort and general problems. We'll explore Yogic perspectives on digestion and issues that we tend to experience. Then we'll practice a number of Yoga poses which can alleviate digestive discomfort and that anxious tummy feeling. You'll go away a worksheet to practice at home. No prior experience required. Wear comfortable clothes, bring a Yoga mat, a cushion to help you sit comfortably and some water. For more info, contact Arwen: 07488 430566  
**£18 per person - spaces limited to 12**



**WOMEN'S YOGA FOR PELVIC FLOOR Workshop** with Arwen Raddon from Santosha Healing Space.  
**Saturday 27 April 2-4pm**  
Pelvic floor issues affect many women and can be triggered by various things such as childbirth and then hormonal changes in mature years. This can seriously affect a number of areas for women, impacting on quality of life and confidence. The more we can do to understand and work on the pelvic floor muscles, the better! You'll learn more about the pelvic "bowl" and then we'll work through a number of Yoga poses and practices that gently work these muscles and help us to connect with, strengthen and build control of this vital area of the body. You'll go away a worksheet to practice at home. No prior experience of Yoga required. Wear comfortable clothes, bring a Yoga mat, a Yoga block and strap if you have them, a cushion to help you sit comfortably and some water. For more info, contact Arwen: 07488 430566  
**£18 per person - spaces limited to 12**

**MOSAIC TASTER WORKSHOPS** with Juliette Hayward  
**Sat 13 April 10.30am – 1.30pm**  
Make a Mosaic Chicken from upcycled broken crockery.  
14yrs+ (Max 10 participants)  
**£40 (includes materials)**  
**+ Sat 15 June 10.30am – 1.30pm**  
Make a Mosaic Butterfly from upcycled broken crockery.  
14yrs+ (Max 10 participants)  
**£40 (includes materials)**



**HEARTSONG** with Alison Whittall  
**Sundays 2pm - 4.15pm** (First Sunday Of The Month)  
Songs of Peace, Freedom & Joy!  
Nourish the heart. Uplift the spirit, Raise the vibration. [www.Alising.co.uk](http://www.Alising.co.uk)  
**£12 / £10 Supporters / £8 Concs**



**PLOUGHCAPPELLA** with Rosa Rebecka:  
**7.30pm – 9pm**  
**26 Sept – 5 Dec** (no session 24 Oct)  
**8 Jan – 18 March** (no session 12 Feb)  
Find your voice with North Devon's thriving Community Choir. For more info call 01805 624624.  
**£80 Full Price / £70 Supporters per Term** (10 weeks)  
**£40 Full Price / £35 Supporters per Half Term** (5 weeks)



### **PLOUGH PRISM 10-30am – 12.30pm**

An exciting weekly drama workshop for adults with additional needs with the support of their carers. **£3.50 per session**

### **MOTION DANCE 1.30pm – 2.30pm**

An enjoyable weekly dance and movement workshop for adults with additional needs with the support of their carers. **£3.50 per session**  
**9 Jan - 26 Mar** (excl. 13 Feb) / **16 Apr - 11 July** (excl. 28 May)



**PATTERN CUTTING** with Toni Alexander  
**7pm – 9pm** in the Dance Studio  
**Mon 4 March – Mon 22 April** (no sessions 1 & 8 April)  
A beginners guide to personalised pattern cutting. No past experience needed. These lessons will teach you how to make a pattern that fits your body. Each progressive block of lessons will focus on a new garment. Working in pairs we will learn how to measure the body. With these measurements, I will take you step by step to make a basic paper body block. We will progress into making a basic dress out of calico, tacking and pinning together and learn how to fit on the body. We will then go back to our paper patterns altering them so we have a perfect fitting pattern ready to make garments from in the future. All materials included. Please bring a calculator.  
**£100 (6 week course).**





### LIFE DRAWING

with Jenny Arran (5 week course)  
**Tue 27 Feb – Tues 26 Mar / Tue 16 Apr – Tue 14 May / Tue 4 June – Tue 2 July, 11am – 1pm**

A relaxed class, developing confidence and drawing skills for all experience levels. We will be exploring different media and creative approaches.

**£115 / £105 Supporters + £10 towards materials** (per 5 x wk course). In the Dance Studio

**ART ON FRIDAY** in The Gallery  
**10.30am – 2.30pm** 2nd & 4th Friday of each month



### PLOUGH STORYTELLING

**CIRCLE First Thursday of every month 7.30pm-9.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple. A lively, forum for listening to and telling stories. Folk tales, mythology, modern stories, personal stories. Anyone and everyone is welcome.. **£2.50** to include refreshments

### WET-FELTING INTRODUCTORY workshop

with Penny Rowland-Hill  
**Sat 25 May 10.30am - 1pm**  
 Come and create your very own piece of fabric, using an assortment of brightly coloured wool fibres, and learn the fun technique of wet-felting to produce a picture of your own design. All equipment and materials provided For beginners to more advanced.

**£18 / £16 Supporters**

### WET-FELTING Workshop

with Penny Rowland-Hill  
**Sat 25 May 2pm - 4.30pm**  
 Learn the satisfying craft of felting, and be inspired to create a landscape or seascape using the wet-felting method to produce a fabric picture. You can design this as a picture, wall hanging, or as a simple piece of flat felt to sew into and embellish later. All equipment and materials provided. For beginners to more advanced. **£18 / £16 Supporters**

### PLOUGH WRITERS

with Lizzie Bauer  
**Sat 9 March, 13 April, 11 May, 8 June, 13 July 10.30am – 1pm**  
 A monthly drop-in session for adults wishing to develop their creative writing skills. **£15**

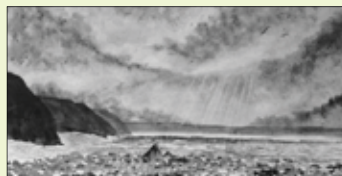


## WORKSHOPS @RESURGENCE



### SPRING SOAP MAKING CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP

**Tues 9 April 10am-12pm** at ThePlough@Resurgence, Hartland  
 Tutor Sarah Ward of Hedgewitch Soapery. Children aged 6+ (parents also welcome to purchase a ticket & join in!). We'll create a selection of fun soaps in a spring themed mould (that is yours to keep) for you to take home. **£20 + £6** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### PAINTING WITH NATURAL PIGMENTS

**Sat 18 May 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@Resurgence, Hartland  
 Tutor: John Piper. Come along and paint using some of the amazing natural pigments found along the North Devon coastline. The ground raw materials will be mixed with water and acrylic mediums to create some incredibly atmospheric North Devon scenes. **£55 + £5** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### CREATIVE DANCE WORKSHOP for 8-14yr olds

**Tues 28 May 2-4pm** at ThePlough@Resurgence, Hartland  
 Tutor: Katherine Lockett-Clark  
 A fun and exciting dance workshop exploring storytelling through dance, and chance choreography! **£7**



### PLAY-IN-A-DAY for 8-12yr olds - Charlotte's Web

**Tues 6 Aug 10am – 4pm** at ThePlough@Resurgence, Hartland, with a sharing performance at 3.30pm  
 Tutor: Katherine Lockett-Clark  
 Come and explore this classic moving tale with themes of friendship, individuality and taking care of each other and our environment, and create a performance piece to show friends and families. **£5** (thanks to £10 per child funding via Resurgence)



### THE MAGICK OF THE VIKING RUNES

**Thurs 29 Feb 7pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Learn the deeper meanings of the Viking Runes and how to cast and read them. **£25.00** A bag of runes included in the price of the ticket

### MONET FOR NOTHING! Acrylics Workshop **SOLD OUT**

**Sat 2 March 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

### Square Work Tea & Biscuit Tray WILLOW WEAVING Workshop **SOLD OUT**

**Sat 2 March 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

### CREATE YOUR OWN NATURAL CLEANING PRODUCTS Workshop

**Thurs 7 March 7pm-9.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Tutor: Sarah Ward of Hedgewitch Soapery. Interested in removing harsh chemicals from your family's home? Make three different everyday cleaning products to take home. **£30 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SPRING CANDLE MAKING

**Wed 13 March 7pm-9.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Tutor: Sarah Ward of Hedgewitch Soapery. In this mini workshop you'll be creating two natural, essential oil candles. All materials will be provided including glass jars, votives and tins. If you have a heatproof cup or vessel (that holds a maximum of 200ml) you wish to fill please bring it with you. **£25 + £15** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SPRING HAS SPRUNG: CONTACT AND WOOD CUT PRINT MAKING

**Sat 16 March 10.30am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Tutor: Rosie Burns.

An inky fun day contact and wood cut printmaking - for Easter gifts and cards. **£50 + £15** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### THE MAGICK OF THE VIKING RUNES (part 2)

**Thurs 28 March 7pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

This evening we will be looking in more depth at the casting of the runes, and learning more about the Viking Goddesses and other female entities that live in the nine worlds. **£25.00**



### MOON GAZING HARE TERRACOTTA SCULPTURE POTTERY WORKSHOP

**Sat 30 March 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Tutor: Helen McCormick

Create a moon gazing hare terracotta sculpture for your garden or home. These sculptures are not glazed as the terracotta will age beautifully in your garden over time. Your sculpture will be ready to collect approximately 3-6 later. **£55.00 +£10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### FRUIT BASKET WILLOW WEAVING WORKSHOP

**Sat 30 March 10am-4.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Tutor: Jane Welsh

On this workshop you will make a broad, shallow basket suitable for displaying fruit.

**£60 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### STONE CARVING 2 DAY WORKSHOP

**Sat 6 & Sun 7 April 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: John Piper. An introduction to the age old art of carving stone by hand. At the end of day two your completed stone carving will be yours to take away and put in pride of place indoors or out. Suitable for beginners. **£110 + £40** for materials payable to the tutor on the day



### PLANT SUPPORT WILLOW WEAVING WORKSHOP

**Sat 6 April SOLD OUT**  
**Sun 7 April 10-1pm SOLD OUT**  
**Sun 7 April 2-5pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Tutor: Jane Welsh. Make a sweet pea/plant support out of willow. These add really attractive structure to any garden! **£38 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SMALL WILLOW HURDLE WEAVING WORKSHOP

**Sat 6 April 10am - 1pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Jane Welsh. A half day workshop to make a small decorative willow hurdle for your garden. **£38 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SPRING SOAP MAKING CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP

**Mon 8 April 2.30pm-4.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor Sarah Ward of Hedgewitch Soapery. Children aged 6+ (parents also welcome to purchase a ticket & join in!). We'll create a selection of fun soaps in a spring themed mould (that is yours to keep) for you to take home. **£20 + £6** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### INTRODUCTION TO ACRYLICS 3 week course

**Sat 13 -27 April 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: John Piper  
Learn the basics of painting in acrylics, starting with a blank canvas through to a finished artwork. Suitable for complete beginners as well as improvers. **£160 + £15** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SPRING SOAP MAKING WORKSHOP

**Sat 13 April 10.30am-2.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Sarah Ward of Hedgewitch Soapery. Make your own hair and body soap using the traditional cold processed method. You will leave with a loaf of soap big enough to cut into approximately 8 bars, a workbook containing your recipe and other useful information. **£40 + £15** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### PEN AND INK ILLUSTRATION

**Sat 20 April 10.30am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Rosie Burns  
Introduction to Pen & Ink and Pen & Wash Illustration. **£45 + £15** for materials payable to the tutor on the day (a small sketchbook, pencil, rubber, sharpener, pen and small brush to take away.)



### SEASCAPE IN ACRYLICS

**Sat 4 May 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: John Piper  
Your tutor will guide you through step by step to paint a dramatic rocky seascape with crashing waves and spray. **£60 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.





### TERRACOTTA POTS FOR YOUR GARDEN POTTERY WORKSHOP

**Sat 4 May 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Helen McCormick  
Learn how to make a pot using traditional hand building techniques. You will leave with 1 or 2 pots for your garden. **£55 + £10** for clay materials payable on the day.



### DOG SOAP MAKING WORKSHOP

**Tues 7 May 7pm-9.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Sarah Ward of Hedgewitch Soapery. Learn how to make your own dog soap using the traditional cold processed method and all natural ingredients! You will leave with a loaf of soap big enough to cut into approximately eight bars, a workbook containing your recipe and other useful information. **£30 + £12** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SEASCAPE IN WATERCOLOURS

**Sat 11 May 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: John Piper  
Your tutor will guide you through step by step to paint a dramatic rocky seascape with crashing waves and spray. **£50 + £5** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SMALL TRUG WILLOW WEAVING WORKSHOP

**Sat 18 May 10am-4.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Jane Welsh  
On this one day workshop we will be making a small flower basket/ trug from a natural and beautifully coloured willow selection. **£60.00 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### COASTS PRINT MAKING WORKSHOP

**Sat 18 May 10.30am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Rosie Burns  
An inky fun day, mono printing, contact printing and small woodcut based on North Devon Coastline and beach treasures. **£50 + £15** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### TERRACOTTA DRAGON SCULPTURE POTTERY WORKSHOP

**Sat 15 June 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Helen McCormick  
Throughout the day Helen will teach you how to make a dragon sculpture using traditional hand building techniques. No experience necessary. Your sculpture will be ready to collect approximately 6 weeks after the workshop. **£55.00 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### SQUARE TO ROUND HOUSE PLANT WILLOW BASKET WEAVING WORKSHOP

**Sat 15 June 10am-4.30pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: Jane Welsh  
On this workshop we will start the base off using a square work technique, but then we will work up the sides shaping the basket to a round top. **£60.00 + £10** for materials payable to the tutor on the day.



### STONE CARVING IN ABSTRACT 2 DAY WORKSHOP

**Sat 22 & Sun 23 June 10am-4pm** at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple  
Tutor: John Piper  
Using only hand tools and age old stone carving techniques, John will guide you with demonstrations of techniques and use of tools to help you create your own abstract stone carving. Suitable for those that have attended the beginner's stone carving course as well as complete beginners. **£110 + £40** for materials payable to the tutor on the day



## Main Gallery: **SPEAKING OUT: CHANGING TIMES**

**Fri 1 to Sat 23 March**

Until April, the Plough and the Museum of Barnstaple and North Devon will be working together on a series of events and exhibitions entitled "SPEAKING OUT: Changing Times" examining the art of protest.



## Main Gallery: **STEVIERAY LATHAM**

**Sat 30 March to Sat 4 May**

StevieRay Latham's practice investigates how ideas of collective memory, history and identity are created.



## Artist's Wall: **ART ON FRIDAY**

**Sat 30 March to Sat 4 May**

A well-established group of local artists based at The Plough and meeting every second and fourth Friday in the month. Please contact Hazel – 01805 623757 or hazel.montgomerie60@gmail.com for further information.



## KAREN HOWSE

**Sat 11 May to Sat 15 June**

Karen Howse has been a visiting artist at Dunsland. This exhibition is a gathering of her drawings, monoprints and experiments made over the 5 years she has been re-visiting this NT Parkland.



## Artists Wall: **STEPHANIE LAMB**

**Sat 11 May to Sat 15 June**

Recent world events, both environmental and political, however, have presented questions about the nature of my work and what it means: how do we make sense of these events through our work, how can we find our voice and how can we make a difference?



## GREAT TORRINGTON SCHOOL AND BLUECOATS

**Tue 18 June to Sat 6 July**

GTS welcomes you once again to their annual Art Exhibition. Showcasing the amazing creativity and artistic talents of GTS pupils across all years. Vibrant, diverse original ideas covering a variety of themes, including art and literature with our Yr 9 Iconic Fictional Character paintings, birds with attitude in our Feathered Friends project, therapeutic and mindful art outcomes and sculptural forms inspired by Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. GTS pupils have explored a range of different ideas experimenting with a variety of materials resulting in some inventive and original outcomes. Come and see for yourselves! Be a part of it as we invite you to vote on your favourite piece of artwork-with winning artists awarded from the public vote.

**Look out for our festival of painting in July with Contemporary British Painting, StudioKIND, Barum Museum and ArtMakers. Details on our website.**



# RHS

Garden Rosemoor

[rhs.org.uk/rosemoor](https://rhs.org.uk/rosemoor)

## Spring events at RHS Garden Rosemoor

### Community Open Weekend

Sat 2 – Sun 3 Mar

Welcome in spring by exploring our beautiful gardens, woodlands and open spaces for just £1!

### Easter Holidays, The Giant Egg Hunt

Fri 29 Mar – Sun 14 Apr

Go eggsploring to find the giant eggs hidden in the garden and enjoy planting and craft workshops for children of all ages.

### The Great Wool Weekend

Sat 13 – Sun 14 Apr

Embrace the wonders of wool and discover new ways to use it practically and creatively in your life.

### Great Hobby Weekend

Sat 4 – Sun 5 May

Explore a host of mood-boosting pastimes - try a workshop, watch a demo and find a new passion.



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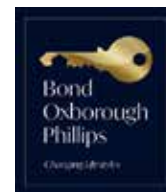
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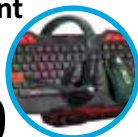
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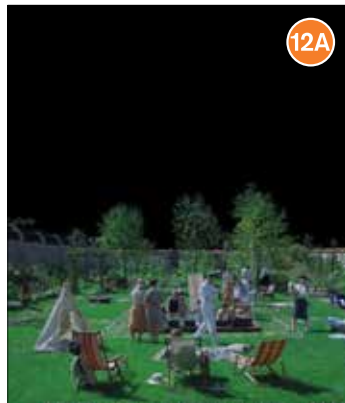
*Dir:* Billy Wilder (1959) *Writers:* Billy Wilder, I.A.L. Diamond, Robert Thoren.  
*Stars:* Marilyn Monroe, Tony Curtis, Jack Lemmon

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**Wed 6 March 2pm & 7.30pm**

The rise of Aubrey Gordon, from anonymous blogger to best selling author. Her aim? A paradigm shift in the way that we view fatness. A film about fat, family, the complexities of change and the deep, messy feelings we hold about our bodies. 1hr 36 mins.

*Dir:* Jeanie Finlay (2023). *Writer:* Jeanie Finlay. *Stars:* Aubrey Gordon, Michael Hobbes



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**THE ZONE OF INTEREST**

**Thurs 7 March 2pm & 7.30pm**

The commandant of Auschwitz, Rudolf Höss, and his wife Hedwig, strive to build a dream life for their family in a house and garden next to the camp. 1hr 45 mins.

*Dir:* Jonathan Glazer (2023) *Writers:* Martin Amis, Jonathan Glazer  
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**Sat 9 March 7.30pm, Wed 13 March 2pm**

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*Dir:* Reinaldo Marcus Green (2024)  
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