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Foreword from the Arts Council

The emergence of EastSide Arts has been one of the triumphs of arts provision in recent straitened times. Delivering an excellent programme of arts activities throughout the year, bringing the arts direct to the communities of east Belfast and encouraging local artists, writers, musicians and performers to develop and promote their talent, the annual EastSide Arts Festival has become a popular highlight of the calendar. The eclectic range of arts events this year - from story-telling to drama to dance, from song to parks to pastries - reflects a new confidence in the city's east. As principal funder, through our Exchequer and National Lottery funds, the Arts Council is proud to be associated with a programme which so successfully provides opportunities for people to participate in high-quality arts, in what is a key element now in the creative, cultural and economic life of the city as a whole.

Roisín McDonough

Chief Executive, Arts Council of Northern Ireland

You hear people say it; you can feel it; and we know it to be true - this is a really exciting time for east Belfast. If this part of the city is your home, the festival is our annual invitation to you to celebrate and enjoy the creative energy that surrounds you. If you're a visitor, let us be your hosts; you will receive the warmest of welcomes. The landscape, history, culture and above all, people of east Belfast have provided the inspiration and we have responded with a festival programme that we hope will excite and entertain you, offer new experiences and the chance to make new friends, and even surprise you, just a little.

As the Arts Sector faces an increasingly insecure future, the support from our funders and sponsors is more important than ever. We would like to thank our principal funder, Arts Council of Northern Ireland and funders Belfast City Council and Arts & Business Northern Ireland for their vital continuing support. Sincere thanks also to our key sponsors, Translink, Hewitt & Gilpin, The British Council, Connswater Shopping Centre and Retail Park, Forestside Shopping Centre and Ulster Bank for their invaluable contribution to the festival and ongoing commitment to the creative regeneration of east Belfast.

Rachel Kennedy

Director, EastSide Arts Festival

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EastSide Parkfest #ESParkFest

Two days, two parks in east Belfast and lots of activities for the whole family to enjoy! This August we are excited to announce the first EastSide ParkFest, offering a whole weekend of fun in C.S. Lewis Square and Orangefield Park.

EASTSIDE FESTIVAL FUN DAY

IN ASSOCIATION WITH  **Ulster Bank**

Date: Saturday 4 August
 Time: 12 - 3pm
 Venue: C.S. Lewis Square
 Price: FREE



Come and join us at the annual festival fun Day which this year has a Street Party theme!

We're inviting community groups, volunteers, artists and businesses to get into the party spirit by helping to decorate C.S. Lewis Square with colourful bunting, banners, yarn-bombing and other creative activities, so that the square really comes to life.

To get involved, visit www.eastsidearts.net and find EastSide Street Party under What's On.

This year's family-friendly activities include;

- Live music with The Martello Jazz Band
- Swing Belfast Dance Demonstration
- Tumble Circus Performance
- Face painting & balloon modelling with Funky Fun
- Yarnbombing with Redhead Thread
- Teddy Bears' Picnic complete with Teddy Treasure Hunt



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ORANGEFIELD FUN DAY

Date: Sunday 5 August
 Time: 1 - 4pm
 Venue: Orangefield Park
 Price: FREE







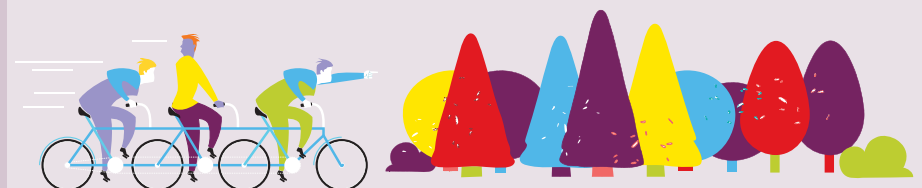
Join us in Orangefield Park on the Connswater Community Greenway for Greenway Celebrations!

There'll be environmental activities, sports, historical tours, local food stalls, entertainment, street theatre and a host of other treats.

Highlights include:

- Woofle - The show about one man and his dog (details on page 17)
- Interactive Jurassic life-sized dinosaur
- Orienteering
- Exotic Animals
- Miss Shell, The Amazing Circus Mermaid performance
- Tandem Bikes

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THE SWINGTIME STARLETS

The Swingtime Starlets are an all-professional close harmony trio who perform songs from the 1940's Wartime Era, the Hollywood Golden Age and Retro Pop. Let them transport you through the eras with their beguiling voices, close harmonies & vintage style.

Transport available for local seniors groups, for information contact EastSide Arts.

We'll Meet Again, A Trip Down Memory Lane

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 2 -3pm
Venue: The Welders Social Club
Age: Special event for seniors
Price: £4

Summer Swing with The Swingtime Starlets

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 8 - 10pm
Venue: The Welders Social Club
Price: £8



TALES & TUNES WITH LIZ WEIR

In partnership with Tullycarnet Yarnspinners

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 3 - 4.30 pm
Venue: Tullycarnet Library
Price: FREE (booking essential)

Join Liz Weir and friends for a relaxing afternoon of tales and tunes on a maritime theme in Tullycarnet Library. Tullycarnet has been hosting yarnspinning events for adults for the past 26 years and during this special event, a variety of storytellers and musicians will accompany Libraries NI Storyteller-in-Residence Liz Weir.



THE VAN MORRISON SONGBOOK

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Cultúrlann
Price: £10 / £8

Back by popular demand! A quintet of accomplished performers and songwriters come together once more to tackle the songbook of Belfast's greatest living songwriter, Van Morrison, to celebrate Féile's 30th birthday. This night of fantastic music will include interpretations of the Morrison songbook in Irish from Mary Ryan with Dick Farrelly, and performances from EastSide songwriters Ken Haddock, Anthony Toner and Matt McGinn.

WOMEN ALOUD NI



Join the members of Women Aloud NI for a showcase event with some prose and poetry. The all-female line-up will treat you to bite-sized readings from their work, highlighting the diversity of the contemporary writing scene, so why not treat yourself to a delicious pastry in JACK coffee bar? There will be an opportunity to meet the authors afterwards. It's sure to be a literary feast!



WITH FIFE AND DRUM

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 8 - 10pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £10 (BYO)

Join us for a musical exploration of the repertoires of Scotland and Ireland through bagpiping, drumming, uilleann piping, flute, tin whistle and bodhran. The concert will feature some of the world's finest musicians including Ross Ainslie, Conor Lamb, Steven McWhirter, Mary Bergin, Harry Bradley and Siobhán O'Donnell.



PROSE, POETRY AND PASTRIES

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 11am
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: FREE, booking essential



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ISLAND SECRETS, URBAN LIES

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 3pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £5

Writers, Stephanie Conn and Rosemary Jenkinson, are back from their all-Ireland book tour to read from Stephanie's brand-new poetry collection, *Island*, inspired by her family's history on the Copeland Islands, and Rosemary's short story collection, *Catholic Boy*, which is largely set in east Belfast. Both brilliant readers and rising stars, they will provide the perfect literary start to the weekend.

Stephanie Conn is a prize-winning poet and her pamphlet 'Copeland's Daughter' is published by Smith/Doorstep.

Rosemary Jenkinson is from east Belfast, was 2017 artist-in-residence at the Lyric and is published by Doire Press.



THE MEN BEHIND THE GLASS; WW1 POETRY SLAM

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 7.30 - 9pm
Venue: Campbell College Belfast 6TH Form Centre
Price: FREE (booking essential)

12 A-Level Drama students from schools throughout east Belfast will be working together to create a unique WW1 Poetry Slam event for this year's festival. The students will have one week of intense creative workshops to create and produce this one-off event. The students will be using research from Campbell College's WW1 commemoration project, *The Men Behind the Glass*, which has been supported by the Heritage Lottery Fund in partnership with PRONI. Booking essential as places limited.



Spaces are limited, booking is essential!



KEN HADDOCK & BAND WITH SPECIAL GUESTS THE ARCO STRING QUARTET

Date: Saturday 4 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Willowfield Church
Price: £15

A unique evening, featuring the songbook of one of Northern Ireland's favourite songwriters and performers, backed not only by a hand-picked band, but in the company of the beautiful Arco String Quartet. Ken will be revisiting classics from his back catalogue and showcasing some brand-new material, too. This specially-planned concert is being recorded as a live album, so it's a chance to be part of a very special evening in very fine musical company.



EASTSIDE SESSIONS PRESENTS NICK BOYLE & SARA DYLAN

Date: Saturday 4 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £8 (BYO)

The popular EastSide Sessions offer monthly musical highlights and this month is no different! Sara Dylan is an up and coming singer-songwriter from Belfast, best-known for her work in theatre, film and television shows including *Game of Thrones* and *The Fall*. However, in recent times Sara has been entertaining audiences with her soulful voice, hypnotic melodies and gutsy lyrics.

Nick Boyle is well-known for his composition in film and theatre. His musical, *The Jazzables* just finished a sell-out run throughout NI and he is the composer of *The Belfast Tempest*, *Play of the Book* and *Bridges String Suite*.

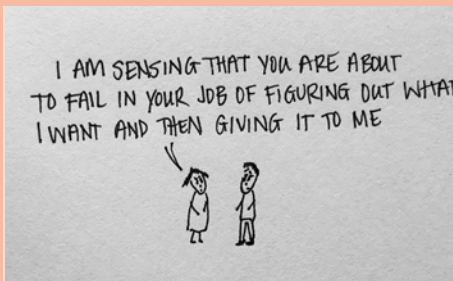
Together this duo create a jazzy, musical feast with a cabaret feel that you don't want to miss!

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PEN & PREJUDICE BY ANDREA MONTGOMERY

Cartoon Book Launch

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 5pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: FREE
(donations welcome)

Theatre Director Andrea Montgomery has been drawing cartoons since childhood. Once she married Anthony Toner, the life of a middle-aged artist and a working musician provided fresh fodder, and the cartoons soon picked up a following on Facebook.

Join Andrea and Anthony at this, her first book launch, to enjoy a glass of wine, an exhibition of projections of the work, and to pick up a copy of Pen & Prejudice.

DRUM, STRUM & QUIZZY FUN

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 5 - 7pm
Venue: Strand Presbyterian Church
Price: £6 / FREE for seniors
(booking essential)

Building on the popularity of festival favourite, Play It Again Jam, Drum, Strum & Quizzy Fun is a fun-packed, joyful Dementia Friendly gig which is open to absolutely everyone. Sing along with the Belfast Ukulele Jam, have some drum and percussion fun with Joe and his fabulous drum circle, and join host Jan Carson for a good old-fashioned quiz.

This event is guaranteed to bring a little sunshine into your afternoon no matter what the weather's doing outside. Refreshments provided.

Transport available for local seniors groups, for information contact EastSide Arts.



AN EVENING WITH EASTSIDE CHOIR AND WOMEN ALOUD NI

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 7pm
Venue: St. Martin's Church
Price: £6

Formed in 2016, the EastSide Choir has gone from strength to strength with performances in the Great Hall in Stormont and more recently, in the Belfast Harbour Commissioners Office as a part of Volunteer Week.

The choir will be joined by members of the Women Aloud collective who have been set the task of developing new writing, inspired by the music chosen by choir director Ryan Greer, for this unique performance.

Set in the beautiful, atmospheric surroundings of St. Martin's Church, this is sure to be a very special evening of words and music.

TENX9

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 7pm
Venue: Park Avenue Hotel
Price: FREE
(booking essential)
Age: 18+

Tenx9 is a storytelling sensation. Begun in 2011 in Belfast by Paul Doran & Pádraig Ó Tuama, Tenx9 is a storytelling event where nine people have up to ten minutes each to tell a true story from their lives.

Join us in the Park Avenue Hotel for this special EastSide Arts Festival Tenx9 event with the theme "Home".

If you would like to submit a story, visit Tenx9.com/submissions

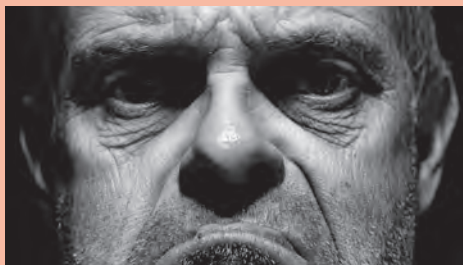


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BETWEEN THE MOUNTAIN AND THE GANTRIES - REFLECTIONS ON AN ULSTER BOYHOOD

EVERYTHING GETTING WORSE ALL THE TIME

HANNAH MCPHILLIMY IN CONCERT

COLIN HASSARD - AGE OF THE MICROWAVE DINNER

Date: Monday 6 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: The Welders Social Club
Price: FREE
(donations welcome)

Date: Tuesday 7 August
Time: 7pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £10 (BYO)

Date: Tuesday 7 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: St. Martin's Church
Price: £10

Date: Friday 10 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £8, (BYO)
Age: 13+

Robert Niblock and Philip Orr present some of their own poems about their childhood, with fife music provided by Ian McLean, and refreshments. Robert Niblock lives and works in east Belfast. He writes drama, short stories, poetry and prose. Philip Orr lives in Carrickfergus but frequently works in the city. He writes history, drama and, more recently, poems.

Misery loves company. Join writers Helen McClements and Jan Carson, singer-songwriter Emer Maguire and other guests as they take a tongue-in-cheek look at the state the world has managed to get itself into. This event will include live music, stories and a short history of miserable literature. Guaranteed to bring out even the most world-weary cynic's internal optimist.

Indie singer-songwriter Hannah McPhillimy returns home via Michigan, USA for a rare Belfast gig. She will be sharing her thoughtfully crafted songs - old and new - especially adapted for the sublime acoustics of St. Martin's Church, backed by strings and alongside very special guest, artist and producer Peter J. McCauley.

Age of the Microwave Dinner is Colin Hassard's new show and the name of the album he's recorded with his band Dirty Words, launching at this special event. Expect laughter, inspiration and an entertaining evening of poetry and music.

"A signature voice"

Stuart Bailie, BBC

"A bit of a wonder"

The Irish Times

This year Colin was Runner Up in the Seamus Heaney Award for New Writing and was selected as one of Eyewear Publishing's Best New British and Irish Poets. Colin was poet-in-residence for BBC Radio Ulster show 'Science & Stuff' and is currently developing his first collection of poems with support from the Arts Council NI.



EVERYONE SANG

In association with the Seamus Heaney Centre

Date: Monday 6 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: St. Martin's Church
Price: £10 / £8

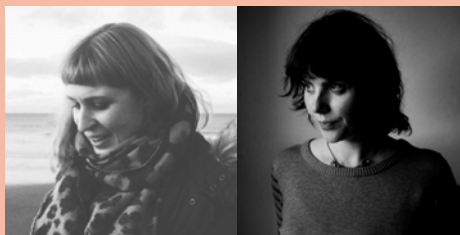
In the run up to the centenary of the Armistice in November, the Seamus Heaney Centre at Queen's presents an evening of poetry and music from the war years and in commemoration of the lives lost and affected by World War 1.



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SOUP FOR THE SOUL

Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 12pm - 1pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £12 (includes soup)

There's nothing like a hearty bowl of soup to make you feel a wee bit better. This special event will nourish you inside and out with hot soup, a heart-warming story about the healing power of homemade broth, written by east Belfast writer, Jan Carson, and relaxing tunes from singer songwriter, Roisin Whyte.



MAGIC OF THE MOVIES

Date: Saturday 11 August, Sunday 12 August
Time: Saturday 7pm, Sunday 1pm & 7pm
Venue: Strand Arts Centre
Price: £10, £36 (group of 4)

Following their sell-out run of Magic of The Musicals in summer 2017, NiStars present their 8th annual summer production.

Over the course of two weeks, NiStars take a group of young people aged 6-22 and put them through their paces with a programme which involves fitness, choreography and vocal coaching before they take to the stage for a live performance.

This year's production has a movie theme, featuring songs from musicals such as The Greatest Showman, Sound of Music, Grease, Hairspray, The Bodyguard, Les Miserables, Mamma Mia, Sister Act and many more!

Tickets: www.eastsidearts.net / Belfast Welcome Centre 028 9024 6609



TROUBLE SONGS: MUSIC AND CONFLICT IN NORTHERN IRELAND



Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 8 -10pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £10 (BYO)

Trouble Songs: Music And Conflict In Northern Ireland, the new book by Stuart Bailie, created a critical and popular stir on its release in May 2018. Stuart Clark from Hot Press called the book "incredible" while Classic Rock called it "a dazzling achievement". Peter Murphy from the Irish Times said it was "brilliant and much needed" and the Belfast Telegraph viewed it as "the definitive history of music and the conflict." This special event will combine book readings by Stuart Bailie, with beautiful and pertinent trouble songs by Ursula Burns, Joby Fox and Anthony Toner.

LIVE MUSIC AT HORATIO TODD'S

Thursday - Saturday 9.30pm
 Sunday 8.30pm
 FREE
www.horatiotodds.com

Thursday 2 August - Mark Sales

Diverse range of music from 1960's classics to popular current music.

Friday 3 August - Kascale

Belfast-based cover band playing 1960's up to present day including Stevie Wonder, Michael Jackson, the Script, Adele and many more.

Saturday 4 August - DJ Alan

DJ Alan from Belfast covers funk, pop, R'n'B and modern hits, livening up the room and delivering fun grooves along the way.

Sunday 5 August - Revue

Revue acoustic duo specialise in modern songs but in a vintage style, playing a range of jazz, soul, folk and pop covers spanning several decades.

Thursday 9 August - Blues Direct

One of Ulster's tightest and best rocking blues bands, covering songs by Robert Cray, Taj Mahal, Warren Haynes, Blackberry Smoke and Lynyrd Skynyrd along with some old favourites.

Friday 10 August - Common Ground

Led by Karl Donaldson (Singer/Songwriter) and Ben Forte (Guitarist/Songwriter), this acoustic band provide the perfect blend of Pop, Rock and R'n'B.

Saturday 11 August - DJ Suzi

DJ Suzi covers a wide range of music, from old school R'n'B to present day chart hits. Able to play to the crowd, she's have everyone up dancing!

Sunday 12 August - Jackie Rainey

Jackie is joined by Emma Rea, noted for her impressive skiffle style which compliments Jackie's rhythmic guitar. Together they play a range of popular music from the 1960's to current classics.

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Jimmy Ellis: Home Again

by James Ellis
adapted by Glenn Patterson

JIMMY ELLIS: HOME AGAIN

Date: Thursday 2 & Saturday 4 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: St. Martin's Church
Price: £12 / £10

A rehearsed reading of an autobiographical story of his childhood in east Belfast by the late actor James (Jimmy) Ellis. Written in 2001 and combining brand new material donated by Jimmy's wife Robina and audio recordings of the actor himself, this is a portrait of an east Belfast boy, and the people and stories that filled their home at 30 Park Avenue during the war-years and beyond. Jimmy Ellis: Home Again has been adapted by Glenn Patterson and is told through poetry and live music.

It is produced by Blunt Fringe in partnership with EastSide Arts and has been generously supported by ARUP.

ARUP



JADE CITY

By Alice Malseed

Date: Friday 3, Saturday 4 Sunday 5 August
Time: Friday-Sunday & 8pm, Sunday 2.45pm 8pm
Venue: City of Belfast Boxing Academy
Age: 17+ (adult themes & strong language)
Price: £10 / £8

A punchy and hot-headed new show exploring the dark, toxic and tumultuous friendship of two lads in east Belfast.

Sas and Monty are trapped in this place and in their heads. Their friendship orbits around a damaging and violent event from their pasts. Their imaginative and playful 'game' is the only way they can process the mess they feel inside.

The Equality Commission is delighted to host an informal discussion following the Sunday matinee performance. The question and answer session with the audience will focus on some of the important equality issues raised by the drama including mental health, sexual harassment and key inequalities in education and employment.

Written by Alice Malseed, with live soundtrack by Michael Mormecha.



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WOOFLE

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 12pm, 2pm, 3pm
Venue: Orangefield Pavilion
Age: Children aged 4-10
Price: £4 per person, Family ticket £15 (2 adults and 2 children)

In this 30-minute show for children and their grown-ups, singer-songwriter Dan Leith brings us lots of furry fun with Woofle - a show about one Dan and his dog with lots of silly songs. From chasing bees and getting mucky, to taking a walk and having a bath, this quirky combination of video footage and live music gives an unusual view of the ups and downs of having a dog as your best friend.



KARMA THEATRE PRESENTS FLORAL NIGHTS

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 12pm
Venue: Strand Arts Centre
Price: £6

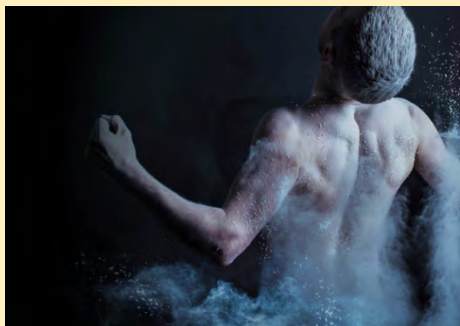
It's a Floral Hall night. Time to check out the music and the 'talent' as your favourite showband is in town, with plenty of drama in tow. Go behind the suits and the glitter balls to uncover the sacrifices that the music and laughter were built on, before The Troubles brought the curtain down on the 1960's dancehall craze that briefly rocked Ireland.

This is a concert reading lasting 70 minutes. Written by Brenda Winter Palmer, musical direction and performance by Rod McVey and directed by Emma Jordan.

Take a trip down memory lane with a special preshow event with live showband songs, minerals and cake at 11am!

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EAST BELFAST BOY BY FINTAN BRADY

Date: Tuesday 7 & Wednesday 8 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Strand Arts Centre
Price: £12 / £10
Tickets: www.strandartscentre.com
Age: 14+ (contains some strong language and drug references)

Meet Davy. The things he sees. His streets. His mates. His girl and... the boys.

With pumping techno, pulverising movement and street sharp poetry, East Belfast Boy, written by Fintan Brady, is a cliché free zone. Directed by Emma Jordan. Choreographed by Oona Doherty. Sound design by Phil Kieran.

East Belfast Boy is brought to you by the award-winning team who created Red (Lyric, Prime Cut co-production) and the internationally acclaimed Scorch by Stacey Gregg.



Annie YummyMummy Irwin
17th July
Always the life and soul! ⭐⭐⭐⭐⭐

PARTISAN PRODUCTIONS AND BALLYMAC FRIENDSHIP TRUST PRESENT: EAST BELFAST GRANNY BY FINTAN BRADY

Date: Tuesday 7 – Friday 10 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Ballymac Friendship Centre
Price: FREE (booking advised)
Tickets: Please contact Karen (07701008852) or partisanproductions@hotmail.com

You've known and loved East Belfast Boy and East Belfast Girl. Now it's time to hear from the mother of them all!

Hilarious and touching, East Belfast Granny is a fast-moving foray through the frustrations, delights and heartbreak of raising a family in tough times. Another (almost) true story.

Presented in Full Colour 4D and Hi Def!

"Brilliant. Gritty. Real Drama. It was just soooo good!"

With support from the Arts Council of Northern Ireland, The Public Health Agency and the Community Relations Council.



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THOSE WHO CAN'T: CAN'T EVEN

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Strand Arts Centre
Price: £9 / £7 (BYO)
Tickets: www.strandartscentre.com
Age: 18+ (strong language & adult themes)

A brand new comedy sketch show, written and performed by Dan Leith, Rachael McCabe and Stephen Beggs.

For many years Northern Ireland's most attractive and optimistic comedy trio have been prising off the greasy lid of life and attempting to make sense of what lies within...but you know what? It's gone way past that! They can't even! It's a complete write-off! Surely some revelation is at hand?



MURDER SHE GOT WROTE OFF

Date: Friday 10 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: The Welders Social Club
Price: £11
Age: 18+

If you've ever been unemployed, studying a humanities degree, or sick, you've played Murder She Got Wrote Off - that is, watching Murder She Wrote while drinking.

Now you can recreate that experience with friends and family, in this live drinking game, so it's handy that there's a bar. The only skill required is the skill to bend your elbow and open your mouth any time Jessica Fletcher says "I don't mean to pry, but..."

Audience fancy dress is encouraged.

"This is the most amazing thing I've ever seen!" - Twitter



STRANDED PRESENTS RUAIRI WOODS LIVE

Date: Friday 10 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Strand Arts Centre
Price: £6 (BYO)
Tickets: www.strandartscentre.com
Age: 18+

Strand Arts Centre and Seedhead Arts' new Friday night live club is pleased to present comedian Ruairi Woods.

After selling out The Ulster Hall as part of The Comedy Squad in 2016, comedian (and Centra employee of the Month April 2014) Ruairi Woods returns to The Strand Arts Centre. Ruairi arrives having brought his solo show, Woodylicious, to the Mandela Hall earlier this year as well as appearing as a guest panellist

on The Blame Game. Elsewhere, his formidable live performances and stints on BBC's Late License/Tight Shorts/Fright Shorts and Radio Ulster's Live At The Sunflower have established Ruairi amongst Northern Ireland's elite.

"A special talent" - NI Comedy

"He absolutely smashed it when he supported me!" - Chris Ramsey

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Events at the Big Top

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Cool Stuff for families



CIRCUS WORKSHOPS FOR FAMILIES

Date: Wednesday 8 & Thursday 9 August
Time: 10am - 12pm
Price: £3

Have you ever wanted to learn how to juggle, wonder what it would take to gracefully spin plates, or secretly wished you could rock a hula hoop? Well here's your chance! Belfast Circus are giving the whole family the chance to join the circus for the day. Come along to this drop-in workshop and learn to juggle, plate spin, hula hoop and more! All inside a real circus Big Top.

Wear long trousers and trainers please!



CIRCUS WORKSHOPS FOR SENIORS

Date: Thursday 9 August
Time: 1 - 3pm
Price: £3

Ever dreamt of running away with the circus and thought that time of life had passed you by? Well, now you don't have to run away! Belfast Circus are bringing all the fun of the Big Top to C.S Lewis Square for the young at heart; learn how to spin plates, juggle and much more.

Wear loose, comfortable trousers and sensible shoes.



LOCAL ACCESS SCHEME

We would like to thank our sponsor Connswater Shopping Centre for supporting a new scheme to ensure that EastSide Arts Festival is open to everyone. The scheme will distribute family passes and group tickets to a variety of shows in the Big Top and throughout the festival, encouraging local people to enjoy the arts and try something new.

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Cool Stuff for families



EASTSIDE FAMILY CIRCUS

Date(s): Saturday 11 & Sunday 12 August
Time: 11am Saturday, 11am & 3pm Sunday
Price: Adult £10; Kids £6.50; Family (2 x adult, 2 x kids) £30
Age: Family show (for the whole family, not just kids!)

A Circus of Devilment.

Following their brilliant performances in the Big Top last year, Tumble Circus are back! A gang of acrobats, jugglers and aerialists engaged in the pursuit of circus devilment. Forget what you think about circus and give yourself and your family one hammer-smashing great hour of revolutionary, comedic Belfast-inspired circus.

Tumble Circus is an international, award-winning company based in east Belfast, run from caravans, hotel rooms and a Ford Transit van. The company has toured extensively throughout Ireland, Europe and the world.



BIG FISH LITTLE FISH

Date: Saturday 11 August
Time: 1 - 3pm
Price: Adult £10; Kids £6.50; Family (2 x adult, 2 x kids) £30
Pre-walking infants FREE
Age: All groups must include at least one child. All ages welcome but crafts designed particularly for 0-8 years.

Roll up! Roll up! For the greatest family rave on earth! Award-winning, internationally acclaimed Big Fish Little Fish bring their pioneering mix of banging tunes, craft and rave fun to Belfast for the first time. The BFLF crew invite you to dress up and go wild with your kids on the dancefloor to DJ Undadog (B.S.C Soundsystem) mixing rave classics from acid house to techno, drum 'n' bass and beyond. Enjoy the licenced bar and experience the full panoply of dancefloor effects: giant balloons, bubbles, confetti cannons and a huge parachute dance to round things off.

"Where's the after party?" - 3 year-old guest
"The best thing we do together as a family." - BFLF Regular



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Music



CELTIC SOUL PLAY ASTRAL WEEKS

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 8pm
Price: £18

Celtic Soul, the definitive Van Morrison tribute, pay homage to our very own east Belfast legend as they perform songs from his days with Them right through to the present day.

The 7-piece band perform authentic and inspired renditions of Van's music and will be augmented for this show by the Arco String Quartet. Expect to hear the big hits as well as classic album tracks including many songs from Astral Weeks as the seminal album marks its 50th anniversary this year.

Let Celtic Soul take you on a journey through the songbook of our very own musical legend!



HOTHOUSE FLOWERS

Date: Thursday 9 August
Time: 8pm
Price: £21.50

Something amazing happens when Hothouse Flowers step onto the stage - something that has been shaped by over thirty years of singing and playing all over the world, yet no two shows have ever been the same!

There is a sense of musical adventure, an impulse to reach new heights and depths in music where the unspoken aim is that the band and the audience become one and the world becomes a different place for a while.

Hothouse Flowers are a Rock'n'Roll band, Hothouse Flowers are a traditional band, Hothouse Flowers are a soul band. Hothouse Flowers are a jam band with their own organic jam spread on both sides of the bread!

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Music



CAMILLE O'SULLIVAN THE CARNY DREAM

Date: Saturday 11 August
Time: 8pm
Price: £15

Be drawn into a world of dark, light, circus and dreams as Camille O'Sullivan performs her intensely dramatic interpretations of the songs of Brel, Cave, Radiohead, Bowie and more.

Recently voted one of the top 25 performances ever on the BBC's Later with Jools Holland, Camille has won many awards over the years. In 2015, she won the prestigious Helpmann Award for her Sydney Festival shows, was named Irish Tatler's Woman of the Year in Music and performed the songs of Radiohead with a 40-piece orchestra at the Wilderness Festival to much acclaim.

Dark, sexy, fierce, amusing and mesmerizing, Camille transforms each song she performs into an intense, emotional and theatrical experience, inextricably drawing her audience into a world illuminated by the dark and the light. Expect joy and pure passion.

*"When she sings it's as though her breath is soaked in paraffin - one spark, and the whole room would ignite" ***** Daily Telegraph*

*"Ravishing... a superb performer and great singer... the star is her singing voice: a deep, sultry instrument that might have been created to express desolate love." **** The Guardian*

*"A cross between Sally Bowles, Patti Smith and PJ Harvey... a major star" ***** The Scotsman*

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Circus & Film



TUMBLE CIRCUS PRESENTS... CIRQUE DE BANJAXED

Date: Friday 10 August
Time: 8pm
Price: £11
Age: 18+

A razin' evening of class circus, laughs and dead on skill.

Circus is celebrating its 250th birthday this year and Tumble Circus are throwing a late-night party to celebrate. The best of local and international circus talent in a big top in East Belfast. Death defying aerialists, hardcore acrobats and mind-bending jugglers, special guest and loads of craic.



THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW SCREENING [18] (1975)

Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 8pm
Price: £9
Age: 18+

Let's do the Timewarp Again!!

Join us for this Rocky Horror extravaganza with our host Dr. Frank-N-Furter (Cherrie Ontop). Roll up for an atmospheric film screening in the Big Top. Dr. Frank-N-Furter (the sweet transvestite from transsexual Transylvania) will entertain and seduce you with a musical performance before the film starts about the kinky, rock 'n roll world of a gender-bending scientist.

Driving home on a stormy night, straight-laced lovebirds Brad Majors and Janet Weiss end up by chance at a party at the castle of one Dr. Frank-N-Furter (Tim Curry) and his strange and bizarre entourage. This is no ordinary party, no ordinary night. This is the unveiling of the doctor's latest creation: Rocky Horror. Suspenders optional.



Visual Art

Visual Art



PETRONICS (VER 1.0)

Date: Saturday 4 August - Saturday 18 August
Time: 2 - 5pm
Venue: FRAMEWERK
Price: FREE

Petronics (ver 1.0) is an exhibition by Belfast based artist Gerard Carson, where the lithic and digital coalesce into strange zones of uncertainty. Featuring assemblages comprised of concrete, bioplastics, 3D prints, and computer-generated avatars, Petronics (ver 1.0) is a continual study of permeating materials and temporal feedback loops.

Gerard Carson is a member of QSS Studios and a co-director at Platform Arts.



A NEW LAND

Date: Thursday 5 July - Saturday 1 September
Time: Tuesday - Friday 11am - 6pm, Saturday 12 - 5pm
Venue: ArtisAnn Gallery
Price: FREE

A New Land is a collection of new landscapes by emerging and established artists. Although separated by decades, each artist manages to capture an elusive quality that typifies the Irish landscape and the work should be viewed as a thematic whole.

The artists featured are: RUA members Brian Ballard and Carol Graham and esteemed artists Keith Ayton and Trina Hobson.

All artworks are available to buy through the Own Art scheme; providing interest free loans!

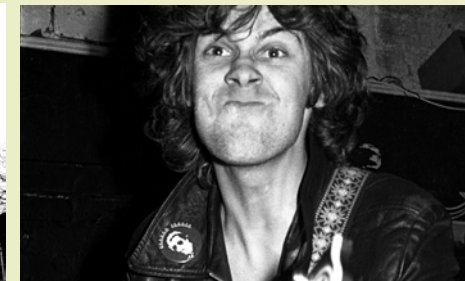


FRAMEWERK SLEEPOVER

Date: Saturday 11 August
Time: 8pm - 8am
Venue: St. Martin's Church
Price: £15
Tickets: bit.ly/frameworksleepover

Spend a night at St. Martin's deconsecrated church. The night will involve a selection of performances, film screenings and participatory activities plus the opportunity to sleep in a church said to be designed by Henry Seaver.

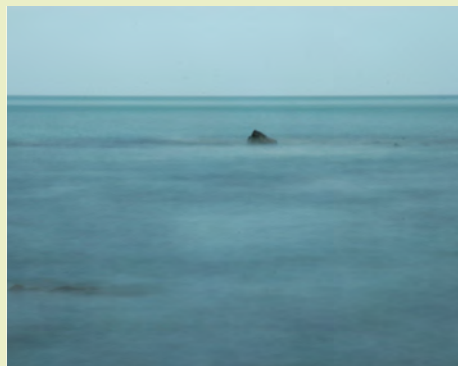
Bring your own sleeping bag.



TROUBLE SONGS: PHOTOGRAPHS BY ALASTAIR GRAHAM

Date: Thursday 2 - Thursday 30 August
Time: During opening hours
Venue: EastSide Gallery
Price: FREE

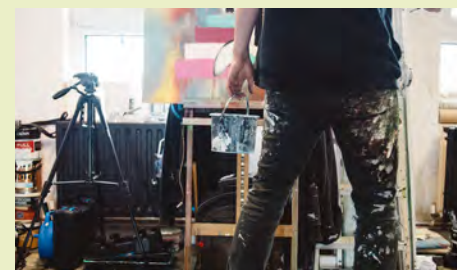
Alastair Graham took a series of definitive images for the punk fanzine, 'Alternative Ulster'. While the bands were plugging in guitars and assuming their teenage kicks, Alastair was documenting the age with a manual SLR and an impeccable eye. He shot The Undertones and Still Little Fingers, Rudi, Ruefrefx and more. He witnessed the Stranglers at the Ulster Hall and the rise of U2. His lens was unfailing when he was confronted with the Pogues and Elvis Costello. Alastair's images have been showcased in Stuart Bailie's book, Trouble Songs and this is his first retrospective exhibition.



TRACES

Date: Thursday 9 - Sunday 12 August
Time: 1 - 6pm
Venue: Engine Room Space, Portview Trade Centre
Price: FREE

Creative Exchange Artists' Studios presents Traces, an exhibition of the diverse and varied artistic practices of our members.



VAULT ARTISTS STUDIOS LAUNCH

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 5pm - 8pm
Venue: Old Belfast Met Campus, Tower Street
Price: FREE

Vault Artist Studios are taking over the old college building on Tower Street and we are opening our doors to welcome you inside, meet our artists, and see how creative sparks fly.

This is a new beginning for the Belfast Bankers. We took over a disused Ulster Bank in 2017 and grew into a tight knit community of painters, sculptors, photographers, urban beekeepers, musicians, street artists, puppet makers and performers.

We are now bringing our energy and creativity to breathe life into another disused building in east Belfast as a registered charity that provides affordable studio space to professional artists and hosts arts events for the local community to enjoy.

Tickets: www.strandartscentre.com



SUNDAY SALON WITH OWEN MCCAFFERTY

Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 11am
Price: FREE (booking essential)

Ease your way into Sunday mornings with Strand Arts Centre's monthly literature salon for authors, poets and playwrights - and those who just want to listen to what they have to say! In partnership with Seamus Heaney Centre at Queen's.

Glenn Patterson will be chatting with the multi-award-winning Belfast-born playwright Owen McCafferty at this particularly exciting time in his career.

Owen has written a screenplay for the new feature film, Normal People, starring Liam Neeson and Lesley Manville which began filming in Belfast this Summer.



MICKYBO AND ME [15] SCREENING WITH INTRODUCTION

Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 12.30pm
Price: 15 - 19 years FREE, Adults £5

Owen McCafferty is known for his plays which feature the language and complexities, both comic and tragic, of Belfast life. Mojo Mickybo, is no exception. The screen adaption, retitled Mickybo and Me, tells the poignant story of two boys who become friends at the start of the Troubles in 1970 and share an obsession with Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid.



Workshops & Classes

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RIVERSIDE WATERCOLOUR AND PICNIC

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 12 - 3pm
Venue: Meet at EastSide Visitor Centre
Age: Children must be accompanied by an adult
Price: £15

Enjoy an afternoon of discovery. Together we will meander along waterways with stops to draw and paint the river, flora, fauna and insect life along the way, guided by artist and east Belfast resident Tonya McMullan.

The journey will finish at the historic Conn O'Neill bridge to enjoy a picnic of seasonal delights by foraging foodie Clare McQuillan, whilst enjoying the sounds of nature accompanied by Harpist Ursula Burns.

Please bring an umbrella, a stool or cushion and a picnic blanket, and dress for the weather.



TO SAY LESS AND MEAN MORE: A POETRY WRITING WORKSHOP WITH ANDY EATON

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 2 - 4pm
Venue: EastSide Gallery at EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £12
Age: 18+ (mature themes)

The poet Charles Wright, when asked, said that the function of poetry is "to say less and mean more". In this poetry writing workshop, we will look at methods for writing which subvert our expectations and lead us to pay close attention to objects, places, and our own word choices. This workshop is open to all levels of experience, so whether you've never thought of writing a poem or you have a regular writing practice, please join us to discover new lines out of your own and our shared time of writing and reflection.



MAGICAL REALISM WRITING WORKSHOP

Date: Monday 6 August
Time: 6 - 8pm
Venue: Strand Presbyterian Church
Price: £12

Magical Realism mixes strange and other worldly experiences with ordinary, everyday life. Join east Belfast-based writer Jan Carson as she explores the rich tradition of Magical Realist literature and helps you put your imagination into overdrive as you write your own piece of Magical Realism fiction. Suitable for all levels of writers. Please bring a pen and notebook.

Classes at MAITRI Studio

MAITRI Studio are running a series of special art-themed workshops during the festival. For more information please visit the MAITRI website (www.maitristudio.net) or contact the tutor listed under each event.

LIFE DRAWING CLASSES WITH SKYE BOMPASS

Date: Thursday 2 &
Thursday 9 August
Time: 1 - 3pm
Price: £20
Tickets: skyebompas@gmail.com or
call 078 0945 6178

INNER PEACE - SOUND BATH EXPERIENCE WITH THE SOUND HEALING SPA

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 7.30 - 8.45pm
Price: £10
Tickets: info@thesoundhealingspa.com
or call 07792 925128

BIG SIT FOR PEACE WITH MAITRI STUDIO

Date: Saturday 4 August
Time: 10 (arrive 9.30pm) - 11.30pm
Price: FREE

BEGINNER HULA HOOP WORKSHOPS BY FI FLO

Date: Tuesday 7 August
Time: 2-3pm, 3.15 - 4.15pm
Price: £12
Age: 16+
Tickets: www.facebook.com/fiflohooping
under 'events'

FIND YOUR VOICE WORKSHOP WITH THE SOUND HEALING SPA

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 1 - 3pm
Price: £25
Tickets: info@thesoundhealingspa.com
or call 07792 925128

INTERACTIVE SOUND BATH - GROUP SESSION WITH THE SOUND HEALING SPA

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 4 - 5pm
Price: £25
Tickets: info@thesoundhealingspa.com
or call 07792 925128

FAMILY YOGA WORKSHOP WITH SHINE SPECIAL YOGA

Date: Saturday 11 August
Time: 3 - 4pm
Price: £10 for parent and child, £3
additional family member
Tickets: info@shinespecialyoga.com
or call 07789 726696

AN EVENING OF INDIAN CLASSICAL DANCE WITH MANISHA NATARAJAN

Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 6.30 - 8pm
Price: £5 / £3 concessions
Tickets: mvc.natarajan@gmail.com
or call 07933465531

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EVENING SESSION 8 - LATE

PAT McMANUS & VOODOO HOUNDS

SUNDAY 12TH AFTERNOON SESSION 3-6

THE KENNY McDOWELL PROJECT

EVENING SESSION 8 - LATE

GRAND CAMAROS & RAB McCULLOUGH

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Tours & Talks

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TRANSLINK EAST WEST BUS TRIP

Dates: Sunday 5 & Sunday 12 August
Time: 2 -4pm
Venue: Pick up and drop off at Donegall Square West, outside the Apartment Bar
Price: £12 (includes refreshments)

Back by popular demand! Another chance to join comedian Paddy McDonnell and actor Stephen Beggs for this informative and funny, tongue-in-cheek tour of both east and west Belfast as a celebration of the EastSide Arts and Féile an Phobail Festivals.

Paddy McDonnell is one of Ireland's top comedians. He has supported acts including Jason Manford, Frankie Boyle and Paddy Kielty with his great storytelling and high energy act. Stephen Beggs is an actor, writer, theatre director and producer. He is currently writing the MAC's 2018 Christmas show and is a founding member of comedy writing and performing team Those Who Can't and MC for Pigeon & Plum Vaudeville Circus Cabaret.



COME GLIDE WITH ME

Dates: Monday 6, Tuesday 7 & Thursday 9 August
Time: 7.30 - 9.30pm
Venue: Pick up and drop off at Dundonald Park & Ride
Price: £15

Join us on a journey with a difference! EastSide Arts, Féile 30 and Culturlann invite you to experience the very tastiest cultural and gastronomic delights of east and west Belfast from the comfort of the beautiful new Glider; a rare opportunity to experience this new Translink service prior to its official launch and familiarise yourself with the cross-city route.

The event begins with a glass of bubbly and ends with a performance by a surprise guest; in between, you will be entertained by artists and storytellers and nourished by samples of delicious food from across the city, all from the comfort of your Glider seat. The trip will include one stop at Culturlann for refreshments and traditional music. Public transport may never be the same again! Let's Glide, let's Glide Away!



Tours & Talks



GROUP CYCLE RIDE FOR SENIORS

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 11am
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: FREE (booking essential)
Contact Martha Robb
martha.robbsustrans.org.uk
 07717881207

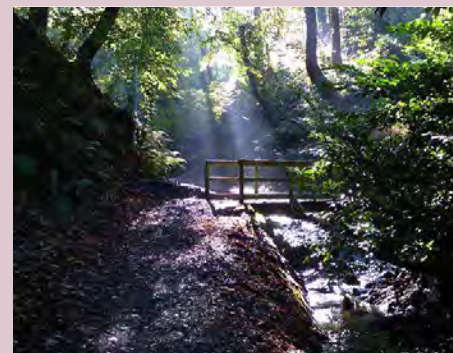
If you enjoy fresh air and gentle exercise, then why not join Sustrans for a leisurely cycle ride along the Connswater Greenway? The route will follow the Connswater Greenway, which is mainly traffic free and will go as far as Victoria Park, returning along the same path and taking approx. 40 mins. You can bring along your own bicycle or borrow a bike/ and or helmet by registering your interest in advance and providing details of your height. We have a maximum of 10 places for this group cycle ride.



VAN MORRISON WALKING TOUR

Date: Thursday 2 August
Time: 3pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £6

Join your guide Lynn Corken on this fascinating journey through the East Belfast of Van's youth; a wonderful opportunity to visit some of the places that the singer knew as a child growing up in this part of the city. Many of these places, and the people who lived here, were inspirational to Van and are referenced in his lyrics and music. The tour lasts approx. 2 hours and covers a distance of 3.5km. Come prepared for the weather and wear comfortable footwear.



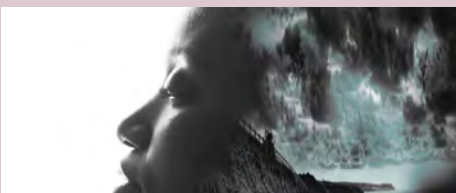
LIT UP INSIDE WALK AT CREGAGH GLEN

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 10.30am
Venue: Meet at The Museum of Orange Heritage
Price: FREE (booking essential)
 Donations towards Music Therapy, Glenveagh Special School

Van Morrison sings about 'feeling wondrous and lit up inside', upon returning from the Castlereagh Hills and the Cregagh Glen. Join us for a guided walk up this lovely glen, through nature, history & music. The walk will be at a leisurely pace, but there is rough ground, many steps and a steep path. 'Go up to the Mountain. Go up to the Glen, when silence will touch you, and heartache will end.'

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SO I CAN BREATHE THIS AIR

Date: Sunday 5 August
- Tuesday 7 August
Time: 11 am and 2pm (duration approx. 2 hours)
Venue: Meet at Europa Bus Station and finish at 274 Newtownards Road
Price: £10

Award-winning playwright Shannon Yee (Reassembled, Slightly Askew; Trouble) and NI's only queer theatre company Theatreofpluck partner with members of the Rainbow Project's Gay Ethnic Group (GEG) to bring audiences on a unique and surprising audio journey of the hidden perspectives of the experience of being LGBT and moving to/living in Northern Ireland. Stroll the streets of Belfast and hear stories of belonging, of being from here and not from here, feeling you belong here and don't, and in some cases, simply struggling to get here. There will be a discussion following the tour, facilitated by Community Dialogue. With support from Arts Council NI and The National Lottery.



THE ROAD 'A CENTURY ON'

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 2pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £6

The Newtownards Road of 1918 was very different from 'the Road' of today, a century later. Once the industrial powerhouse of Belfast, most of the industries of East Belfast have gone, as are many of the back-to-back houses and streets, schools and shops on 'the Road'. This one-hour walking tour - lead by local 'anorak' Peter McCabe - provides a fascinating glimpse of a bygone Newtownards Road and East Belfast. So prepare for a bit of time travel, travelling back to 1918 for one hour only!

THE GREAT WATERSHED - BELFAST BEFORE AND AFTER THE FIRST WORLD WAR

Roger Dixon has been the librarian at National Museums Northern Ireland for over 30 years. In the first of a series of lunchtime talks at PRONI, Roger will talk about the significance of World War 1 on the economy and society in Belfast.

Date: Sunday 5 August
Time: 2pm
Venue: PRONI
Price: FREE (booking essential)

Tours & Talks

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EASTSIDE VOICES COMMUNITIES SHAPED BY CONFLICT

Date: Monday 6 August
Time: 2pm (approx. 2 hours)
Venue: Eastside Visitor Centre
Price: £20

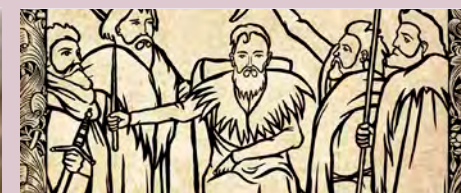
For the first time, three community organisations from both Unionist and Nationalist backgrounds, have come together to share their stories of violence, division, pain, resilience and everyday life against a backdrop of conflict. We will take in the architectural legacy of conflict through the years in the form of numerous murals as well as the physical 'peace lines' still in existence across east Belfast today.



TEMPLEMORE SCHOOL TOUR

Date: Tuesday 7, Friday 10 August
Time: Tuesday 6.30pm Friday 2.30pm
Venue: East Belfast Network Centre
Price: £4

A chance to enjoy a guided tour around the former Templemore School, one of the most beautiful and iconic buildings in the east of the city. The Belfast Corporation planned Templemore to be a Public Elementary School, designed by W G Davies (Architect).



GAELIC BUS TOUR OF EAST BELFAST

Date: Tuesday 7 August
Time: 11am
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £7

Conn O'Neill, the ill-starred Gaelic lord of east Belfast. Secret meetings of Protestant Irish speakers at Mountpottinger. A Catholic family raised in Irish on the Castlereagh Road in the 1950s. The Gaelic source of Glentoran. The quest for the long-lost Castlereagh castle. Invisible boundaries between the old Gaelic lands of Ballymacarret and Ballyhackamore. Visit the east Belfast that you never knew existed. Family friendly.



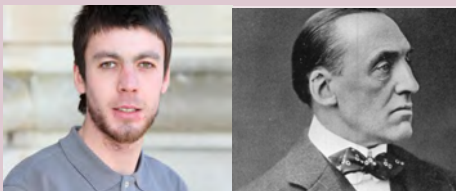
C.S. LEWIS WALKING TOUR

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 10am
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £10

Clive Staples Lewis was born and grew up in east Belfast, in the shadow of Cave Hill and the shipyard. Join local historian and tour guide Laura Spence, on the tour which will visit places associated with his early life.

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CARSON'S BETRAYAL OF WOMEN? UNIONIST ATTITUDES TO FEMALE SUFFRAGE 1912-14

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 1pm
Venue: PRONI
Price: FREE (booking essential)

With Edward Carson opposed to women's right to vote and the WPSU declaring war on Unionism in 1914, you might assume that the Unionist attitude during the Home Rule Crisis was homogeneously anti-suffrage. However, historian Jason Burke poses that the relationship between Unionism and suffragists was, in fact, much more complicated than it first appears. In light of the evidence, Burke ponders, "Was Edward Carson a fair target for suffragist anger?"



HEY MR DREAM SELLER BELFAST MUSIC TOURISM

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 6pm (Pre-gig Event)
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: FREE (booking essential)

Music tourism is now one of the fastest growing sectors in the industry. It can take many forms from live performances of traditional songs, to major festivals and concerts to celebrating the well-known musicians and songsters from the destination. Join leading tourism industry expert, Dr Terry Stephens, to explore the nature and growth of music tourism across the world and to examine the potential to further develop music tourism here in Belfast. Funded by Belfast City Council as part of a Community Capacity Building training programme.



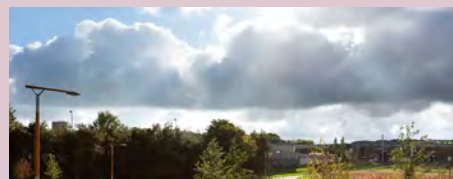
YARDMEN WALKING TOUR

Date: Thursday 9 August
Time: 2pm
Venue: EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £10

Last years sell out tour is back. This 2.5 hour walking tour, led by local historian and tour guide, Laura Spence, will take you through the heart of east Belfast, following in the footsteps of the 'Yardmen' who built the ships that would wear out the oceans. We will examine the murals, the industrial history of the area, the 1912 Ulster Covenant, the impact of the two World Wars and the more recent Troubles; and of course, the story of Titanic - made in Belfast. The tour will include a visit to the Shipyard Workers' Church and Templemore Baths.

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PHOTOGRAPH YOUR GREENWAY IN ASSOCIATION WITH CONNSWATER COMMUNITY GREENWAY TRUST

Date: Thursday 9 August
Time: 6.30pm
Venue: Meet at Eastside Visitor Centre
Price: £10

Are you a budding photographer with a keen interest in your local Greenway or even just fancy trying something new? Join our photographer for a short crash course on basic photography and then enjoy a tour of the beautiful Connswater Community Greenway, stopping to take in the scenery and some photos along the way.



THE DREAMS MUST BE DREAMED: THE LIFE AND TIMES OF CHARLOTTE DESPARD

Date: Friday 10 August
Time: 1pm
Venue: PRONI
Price: FREE (booking essential)

In the 1930s, one of the most remarkable figures of the women's suffrage movement lived for a while on the Newtownards Rd. Charlotte Despard was in her eighties by then but still an avid revolutionary. So much so that her home was kept under the watchful daily eye of the police.



MEMORIALS OF THE GREAT WAR BUS TOUR

Date: Saturday 11 August
Time: 10.30am
Venue: Meet at EastSide Visitor Centre
Price: £10

Nigel Henderson, History Hub Ulster, will lead a tour of war memorials in East Belfast, providing information about local fatalities of the Great War at each location. We will visit the memorials for Workman Clark, Newtownbreda Presbyterian Church, Willowfield and Strandtown, stopping at the Sirocco Works site and the Cregagh area.



DUNDONALD CEMETERY TOUR

Date: Sunday 12 August
Time: 2pm
Venue: Dundonald Cemetery
Price: £6

Following last year's sold-out tour, EastSide Arts Festival makes a return to Dundonald's Cemetery. Led by local 'taphophile' (look it up!) Peter McCabe, this 90-minute tour will call at the graves of (Flight Lieutenant) Henry Joy McCracken, Sir Thomas & Lady Dixon, Dr Fleming Fulton and Horatio Todd featured last year, and a selection of new graves will be included.

EastSide Emerging

Tickets: www.eastsidearts.net / Belfast Welcome Centre 028 9024 6609

EastSide Arts is committed to supporting young talent and this year we're really excited to introduce two new partnership projects that give us the opportunity to highlight and showcase the skills of young emerging musicians:



THE COLLECTIVE IN CONCERT

Lucy Bell, Ben Cutler, Michael James-Warke and Ronan McSorley with Anthony Toner & Friends

Date: Friday 3 August
Time: 8pm
Venue: Park Avenue Hotel
Price: £5

A one-night-only concert featuring some of our most promising young artists, accompanied by an all-star 'house band'. Lucy Bell, Ben Cutler, Michael James-Warke and Ronan McSorley have emerged from the Forestside Life Artist Development Programme and for this concert, EastSide Arts has partnered them with writer/performers Anthony Toner, Edelle McMahon and friends, in a series of steps that has included mentoring, rehearsal and finally this exciting concert, where they will perform their own songs with some of the city's most experienced musicians; Anthony on guitar, Nick Scott on bass, John McCullough on keyboards and Davy Bates on drums.

This event is funded by the Arts & Business Investment Programme with kind support from Forestside and Park Avenue Hotel.



MORE VOLUME

Date: Thursday 9 August
Time: 7.30pm
Venue: Strand Arts Centre



Get ready to turn your Thursday evening up a level. More Volume are in town and they will be lining up some of Belfast's most exciting up and coming bands for a night of live music that is guaranteed to blow your socks off.

Keep an eye on www.eastsidearts.net to find out more!

More Volume is an events and industry mentoring scheme, delivered by the Oh Yeah Music Centre, for young people across Belfast. The project will culminate in a live show devised and delivered by young people for #ESAF18.

Special Events

Tickets: www.eastsidearts.net / Belfast Welcome Centre 028 9024 6609



CHATROOM BY ENDA WALSH

Date: Wednesday 1, Thursday 2 & Friday 3 August
Time: 7.30 pm
Venue: Apollo Arts Theatre
Age: 14+
Price: £5.50
Access: The theatre is accessed by a flight of stairs (the building has no lift)

Six teenage characters communicate only via the internet. Conversations range in subject from Britney Spears to Willy Wonka to — suicide: Jim is depressed and talks of ending his life and Eva and William decide to do their utmost to persuade him to carry out his threat. From this chilling premise is forged a funny, compelling and uplifting play that tackles the issues of teenage life head-on and with great understanding.



ARTFUL AGEING EXHIBITION

Date: Thursday 2 - Sunday 12 August
Time: Mon/Thurs/Fri 8am-6pm, Tues/Wed 8am-9pm
Venue: The Arches Wellbeing & Treatment Centre
Price: FREE

The EastSide Artful Ageing workshops take place between January and June each year and allow older residents of east Belfast the opportunity to develop creative skills, this year focusing on crochet, felt making, ceramics, painting and digital fabrication. This exhibition showcases some of the best of the felting and paint work pieces created by the talented participants. Pop in for a cuppa in the ground floor café and check out what Ageing Artfully is all about!



THE DAY THE MONSTER CAME

Price: FREE (booking essential)
Age: 6+

Libraries NI Storyteller-in-Residence Liz Weir and EastSide Arts will deliver a fun story and craft workshop based on the book, The Day the Monster Came, by John Gray.

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| Friday 3 August | 10.30am - 12pm | Woodstock Library |
| Friday 3 August | 2.30 - 4pm | Holywood Arches Library |
| Monday 6 August | 2.30 - 4pm | Tullycarnet Library |
| Friday 10 August | 10.30 - 12pm | Dundonald Library |
| Friday 10 August | 2.30 - 4pm | Ballyhackamore Library |

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THE ODD COUPLE

Date: Monday 6 August
Time: 7pm
Venue: Skainos Centre
Price: FREE
(donations welcome)

Language activists Liam Logan and Linda Ervine share their experiences of working within the fields of Ulster Scots and Irish. Stories of humour, honesty, frustration and farce which illustrate the complexity of language in Northern Ireland.

TO THE HALLION THAT STOLE MY GIANT MARROW

Date: Tuesday 7 August
Time: 5pm exhibition opens, 6 - 7pm Meal and Performance
Venue: Refresh Café, Skainos
Price: FREE (booking essential)

HOSFORD Homeless Project invites you to view an exhibition of One Hundred Years of Gardening from 1919-2018 in our community garden at Skainos. The exhibition will create a visual timeline that walks you through the history of our local parks, allotments, connswater community greenway and community gardens. On opening night, be part of our interactive comedy sing-along - in partnership with Partisan Productions - whilst enjoying a meal in our Street Party Style Café.

Exhibition will remain open until Wednesday 9 August between 9am and 4pm.

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SILVER SCREENINGS COCOON [PG] [1985]

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 6pm
Venue: Knocknagoney Community Centre
Price: £3.50



This year EastSide Arts and Strand Arts Centre have teamed up to bring the ever-popular Silver Screenings experience out on tour. We will be in Knocknagoney Community Centre with FILM for a special event which will include sweets, treats and a singalong for the whole family to enjoy.

Cocoon is an Oscar-winning fantasy in which the residents of a Florida rest home get a new lease of life when they stumble across an alien "fountain of youth" in a disused holiday home. Unbeknown to them, aliens have been using the swimming pool in the house to store their cocooned brethren, giving the waters a powerful, rejuvenating quality.

Special Events

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HOME PROJECT 2018 FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Date: Wednesday 8 August
Time: 7.30pm
Venue: The Village Church
Price: £6

The Home Project was a four-month programme which gave four emerging artists involved in performance and visual art the opportunity to engage with four local community groups to develop new work, based on the theme of food.

Join us for the exciting showcase of these four unique art pieces by artists Csilla Toldy, Raissa Magne, Robert Ireson and Holly Winter-Korkis, exploring the cultural and personal ties to cooking and eating meals with friends and family.



HIGHLIGHTS AT HOME

We are delighted to announce the third annual Highlights at Home programme, featuring festival artists performing small taster shows in nursing homes, residential care facilities, sheltered accommodation and fold homes throughout east Belfast. Staff, residents and their families will participate in the EastSide Arts Festival without even leaving home.

A massive thank you to all the performers volunteering their time to make these sessions happen; Anthony Toner, Hannah McPhillimy, the EastSide Choir, Dan Leith and Tumble Circus. We would also like to thank the residential care facilities for being such enthusiastic hosts; Abbeyfield House, Loopland Fold, Dean Crooks, Elmgrove Manor and Kirk House.



FOLKADELIC AT THE ORCHARD CAFÉ

Date: Friday 3 August & Fri 10 August
Time: 1.30pm
Price: Free

Information

Booking Information

Tickets are available online at www.eastsidearts.net to print at home, unless otherwise stated in the programme, and can also be booked by phone on 028 9024 6609 and in person at:
Visit Belfast Welcome Centre, 9 Donegal Square North, Belfast BT1 5GJ,
Monday – Saturday, 9am – 7pm, Sunday, 11am – 4pm.



All tickets for events at **Strand Arts Centre** can be booked in person at:
152-154 Holywood Road, Belfast;
 by phone on 028 9065 5830 and online at www.strandartscentre.com.

Refunds

Festival tickets cannot be refunded other than in the event of event cancellation, in which case all refunds can only be issued from the point of purchase.

Accessibility

As far as possible we are using venues that are fully accessible, but not all venues are wheelchair accessible, so please let us know at the point of purchase if you have any special requirements so we can ensure your comfort at the event. We offer 1 complimentary ticket for customers that require a Personal Assistant to attend an event, via registration on the Companion Scheme.
 To register please phone EastSide Arts on 028 9045 1900.

Seating

All seating is un-allocated therefore operates on a first come, first served basis, and seats cannot be reserved other than in cases of special requirements.

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Press/PR: Harriott Communications
Production Manager: Natalie Murphy
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Tumble Circus returns to



Winter Circus

**Writers Square, One hour of hammer
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**Bookings and info: tumblecircus.com
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Venues

Apollo Arts Theatre	16A Castlereagh Road, Belfast, BT5 5FP
Arches Health & Wellbeing Centre	1 Westminster Avenue North, Belfast, BT4 INS
ArtisAnn Gallery	70 Bloomfield Avenue, Belfast, BT5 5AE
Ballyhackamore Library	Library Court, 1-3 Eastleigh Drive, Belfast, BT4 3DX
Ballymac Friendship Centre	1A Fraser Pass, Belfast, BT4 1BP
Belmont Tower	82 Belmont Church Road, Belfast, BT4 3FG
C.S. Lewis Square	402 Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 1HU
Campbell College	Belmont Road, Belfast, BT4 2ND
City of Belfast Boxing Academy	82 Beechfield Street, Belfast, BT5 4EQ
Cultúrlann	216 Falls Road, Belfast, BT12 6AH
Dundonald Cemetery	743 Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT16 2QY
Dundonald Library	16 Church Road, Dundonald, Belfast, BT16 2LN
Dundonald Park & Ride	1 Dunlady Road, Dundonald, Belfast, BT16 1TT
East Belfast Network Centre	55 Templemore Avenue, Belfast, BT5 4FP
EastSide Gallery	at EastSide Visitor Centre
EastSide Visitor Centre	402 Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 1HH
Engine Room Space	Portview Trade Centre, 310 Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 1HE
Europa Bus Station	Europa Business Centre, 10 Glengall Street, Belfast, BT12 5AH
Framework Gallery	10 Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 3EL
Holywood Arches Library	4 - 12 Holywood Road, Belfast, BT4 1NT
Horatio Todd's	406 Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 3EZ
Knocknagoney Community Centre	41A Knocknagoney Drive, Belfast, BT4 2QF
Maitri Studio	4 The Mount, Belfast, BT5 4NA
Museum of Orange	368 Cregagh Road, Castlereagh, Belfast, BT6 9EY

Venues

Old Belfast Met. Building	Tower Street, Newtownards Road, Belfast BT5 4FJ
Orangefield Park	East Belfast, BT5 6BY
Orangefield Pavilion	3 Orangefield Green, Belfast, BT5 6DT
Park Avenue Hotel	158 Holywood Road, Belfast, BT4 1PB
Public Records Office NI (PRONI)	2 Titanic Boulevard, Titanic Quarter, Belfast, BT3 9HQ
Refresh Café	at Skainos Centre
Skainos Centre	241 Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 1AF
St. Martin's Church	Kenilworth Place, Belfast, BT4 1BH
Strand Arts Centre	152-154 Holywood Road, Belfast, BT4 1NY
Strand Presbyterian Church	161 Connsbrook Avenue, Belfast, BT4 1JY
The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	402 Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 1HU
The Longfellow Bar	My Ladys Road, Belfast, BT6 7FE
The Orchard Café	1 Bloomfield Ave, Belfast, BT5 5BA
The Village Church	25 Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast, BT4 3HT
The Welders Social Club	18 Dee Street, Belfast, BT4 1FT
Tullycarnet Library	Kinross Avenue, Kings Road, Belfast, BT5 7GF
Willowfield Parish Church	149 My Ladys Road, Belfast, BT6 8FE
Woodstock Library	Cregagh Street, Belfast, BT6 9DQ



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Thursday 2 August			
11am	Group cycle rider for seniors	EastSide Visitor Centre	35
1pm	Life Drawing Class	MAITRI Studio	32
2pm	The Swingtime Starlets - We'll Meet Again	The Welders Social Club	6
2pm	Silver Screening - GI Blues	Strand Arts Centre	29
3pm	Van Morrison Walking Tour	EastSide Visitor Centre	35
3pm	Tales and Tunes Liz Weir	Tullycarnet Library	6
7.30pm	Chatroom by Enda Walsh	Apollo Theatre	41
8pm	Jimmy Ellis: Home Again	St. Martin's Church	16
8pm	The Swingtime Starlets - Summer Swing	The Welders Social Club	6
8pm	Van Morrison Song Book	An Culturann	7
8pm	Fife and Drum	EastSide Visitor Centre	7
Friday 3 August			
10.30am	The Day The Monster Came	Woodstock Library	41
10.30am	Lit Up Inside Cregagh Glen Walking Tour	Museum of Orange	35
11am	Prose, Poetry & Pastries	EastSide Visitor Centre	7
1.30pm	Folkadelic	Orchard Café	43
2.30pm	The Day The Monster Came	Hollywood Arches Library	41
3pm	Island Secrets, Urban Lies	EastSide Visitor Centre	8
7.30pm	Inner Peace - Sound Bath Experience	MAITRI Studio	32
7.30pm	Chatroom by Enda Walsh	Apollo Theatre	41
7.30pm	The Men Behind The Glass	Campbell College	8
8pm	Those Who Can't: Can't Even	Strand Arts Centre	20
8pm	Jade City	City of Belfast Boxing Academy	16
8pm	The Collective in Concert	Park Avenue Hotel	40
Saturday 4 August			
12pm	EastSide ParkFest - Festival Fun Day	C.S. Lewis Square	4
2pm	Petronics (Ver1.0)	FRAMEWERK	26
8pm	Jade City	City of Belfast Boxing Academy	16
8pm	Ken Haddock + ARCO String Quartet	Willowfield Parish Church	9
8pm	Nick Boyle & Sara Dylan	EastSide Visitor Centre	9
8pm	Jimmy Ellis: Home Again	St. Martin's Church	16
10pm	Big Sit for Peace	MAITRI Studio	32
Sunday 5 August			
11am	So I can Breathe this Air	Walking Tour	36
12pm	Riverside Watercolour	EastSide Visitor Centre	31
12pm	Floral Nights (11am preshow event)	Strand Arts Centre	17
12pm	Woofle	Orangefield Pavilion	17

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1pm	EastSide ParkFest - Orangefield Fun Day	Orangefield Park	5
2pm	East West Bus Trip	Donegall Square West	34
2pm	To Say Less and Mean More writing workshop	EastSide Visitor Centre	31
2pm	So I can Breathe this Air	Europa Bus Station	36
2pm	The Road A Century On	EastSide Visitor Centre	36
2pm	Woofle	Orangefield Pavilion	17
2.45pm	Jade City	City of Belfast Boxing Academy	16
3pm	Woofle	Orangefield Pavilion	17
5pm	Pen & Prejudice by Andrea Montgomery	EastSide Visitor Centre	10
5pm	Drum, Strum & Quizzy Fun	Strand Presbyterian Church	10
7pm	An Evening with EastSide Choir & Women Aloud	St. Martin's Church	11
7pm	Tenx9	Park Avenue Hotel Hotel	11
8pm	Jade City	City of Belfast Boxing Academy	16
Monday 6 August			
11am	So I can Breathe this Air	Europa Bus Station	36
1pm	The Great Watershed	PRONI	36
2pm	EastSide Voices	EastSide Visitor Centre	37
2pm	So I can Breathe this Air	Europa Bus Station	36
2.30pm	The Day The Monster Came	Tullycarnet Library	41
6pm	Magical Realism Writing Workshop	Strand Presbyterian Church	31
7pm	The Odd Couple	Skainos Centre	42
7.30pm	Come Glide with Me	Dundonald Park & Ride	34
8pm	Everyone Sang	St. Martin's Church	12
8pm	Between the Mountain and the Gentries	The Welders Social Club	12
Tuesday 7 August			
11am	Gaelic Bus Tour	EastSide Visitor Centre	37
11am	So I can Breathe this Air	Europa Bus Station	36
2pm	So I can Breathe this Air	Europa Bus Station	36
2pm	Beginner Hulahooping Workshop	MAITRI Studio	32
3.15pm	Beginner Hulahooping Workshop	MAITRI Studio	32
5pm	To the Hallion Who Stole My Giant Marrow	Refresh Cafe	42
6.30pm	Templemore School Tour	Templemore School	37
7pm	Everything Getting Worse All The Time	EastSide Visitor Centre	12
7.30pm	Come Glide with Me	Dundonald Park & Ride	43
8pm	Hannah McPhillimy	St. Martin's Church	13
8pm	East Belfast Granny	Ballymac Friendship Centre	18
8pm	East Belfast Boy	Strand Arts Centre	18

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Wednesday 8 August			
10am	Circus Workshops for Families	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	21
10am	C.S.Lewis Walking Tour	EastSide Visitor Centre	37
1pm	Carson's Betrayal of Women?	PRONI	38
1pm	Find Your Voice Workshop	MAITRI Studio	32
4pm	Interactive Sound Bath	MAITRI Studio	32
5pm	Vault Artist Studios Launch	Old Belfast Met Campus	27
6pm	Silver Screening - Cocoon	Knocknagoney Community Centre	42
7.30pm	Home Project Performance	The Village Church	43
8pm	Celtic Soul play Astral Weeks	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	23
8pm	Hey Mr Dream Seller	EastSide Visitor Centre	38
8pm	East Belfast Granny	Ballymac Friendship Centre	18
8pm	East Belfast Boy	Strand Arts Centre	18
Thursday 9 August			
10am	Circus Workshops for Families	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	21
1pm	Circus Workshops for Seniors	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	21
1pm	Traces	Engine Room Space	26
1pm	Life Drawing Class	MAITRI Studio	32
2pm	Yardmen Walking Tour	EastSide Visitor Centre	38
2pm	Silver Screening - The Court Jester	Strand Arts Centre	29
6.30pm	Photograph Your Greenway	EastSide Visitor Centre	39
7.30pm	More Volume Gig	Strand Arts Centre	40
7.30pm	Come Glide with Me	Dundonald Park & Ride	43
8pm	Hothouse Flowers	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	23
8pm	East Belfast Granny	Ballymac Friendship Centre	18
Friday 10 August			
10.30am	The Day the Monster Came	Dundonald Library	41
1pm	The Dreams Must Be Dreamed	PRONI	39
1.30pm	Folkadelic	Orchard Café	43
2.30pm	The Day the Monster Came	Ballyhackamore Library	41
2.30pm	Templemore School Tour	East Belfast Network Centre	37
8pm	Cirque de Banjaxed	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	25
8pm	East Belfast Granny	Ballymac Friendship Centre	18
8pm	Colin Hazard: Age of the Microwave	EastSide Visitor Centre	13
8pm	Murder She Got Wrote off	The Welders Social Club	20
8pm	Ruairi Woods Live	Strand Arts Centre	20
8pm	Billyboys Miskimmins, Mercy Lounge, Sabre Jets	The Longfellow Bar	33

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Saturday 11 August			
10.30am	Memorials of the Great War Bus Tour	EastSide Visitor Centre	39
11am	EastSide Family Circus	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	22
1pm	Big Fish Little Fish	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	22
3pm	Ken Haddock, Willie Byrne	The Longfellow Bar	33
3pm	Family Yoga Workshop	MAITRI Studio	32
7pm	Magic of the Movies	Strand Arts Centre	14
8pm	Pat McManus, Voodoo Hounds	The Longfellow Bar	33
8pm	Camille O'Sullivan: The Carny Dream	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	24
8pm	FRAMEWERK Sleepover	St. Martin's Church	27
Sunday 12 August			
11am	EastSide Family Circus	Big Top	22
11am	Sunday Salon with Owen McCafferty	Strand Arts Centre	30
12pm	Soup for the Soul	EastSide Visitor Centre	14
12.30pm	Mickeybo and Me	Strand Arts Centre	30
1pm	Magic of the Movies	Strand Arts Centre	14
2pm	Dundonald Cemetery Tour	Dundonald Cemetery	39
2pm	East West Bus Trip	Donegall Square West	34
3pm	EastSide Family Circus	Big Top	22
3pm	The Kenny McDowell Project	The Longfellow Bar	33
6.30pm	Indian Classical Dance	MAITRI Studio	32
7pm	Magic of the Movies	Strand Arts Centre	14
8pm	Grand Camaros, Rab McCullough	The Longfellow Bar	33
8pm	The Rocky Horror Picture Show	The Big Top, C.S. Lewis Square	25
8pm	Trouble Songs: Music and Conflict in Northern Ireland	EastSide Visitor Centre	15

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