

20-30TH JUNE
**HARWICH FESTIVAL
OF THE ARTS 2024**

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Harwich Arts & Heritage centre

WHAT'S ON?



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Thurs 20th June

What: Art Exhibitions Opening (Art)

Where: The Old Chapel, Kings Head Street @6pm

How Much: Free

Info: Join us for the Grand Opening our Popular 20x20 Exhibition and Official Launch of this year's Festival.

What: Funny Rabbit Comedy Club (Comedy)

Where: The Electric Palace, Kings Quay Street @ 7.30pm

How Much: £8 adv/ £10 on the Door

Info: Mark Thomas headlines with 4 great comics on the bill.

Fri 21st June

What: The Onion Band (Folk)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @7.30pm

How Much: Pay What You Can

Info: Legendary Folk Duo bring the energy to the Arts Centre.

Sat 22nd June

What: Colne Endeavour Band (Music)

Where: Cliff Park Bandstand @ Noon

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: Stunning Brass Band + Guests Leading Lights Morris.

What: Lourdes Fernández Flamenco (Dance)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @2.30pm

How Much: £15

Info: Award Winning Flamenco. One Not to Miss!

What: Harwich & Dovercourt Choral Society (Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @7.30pm

How Much: £15

Info: Ft Mayflower Ensemble: Perform Nelson Mass by J Haydn & Jenkins Armed Man Choral Suite.

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Sun 23rd June

What: The Happiness Machine (Theatre Workshop)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @10am

How Much: £20

Info: All day workshop with Phil Knight (Third Theatre).

What: Jazz & Blues Day (Music)

Where: The New Bell Inn, Outpart Eastward from Ipm

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: Jazz & Blues Lovers Unite! We have three amazing acts for you. 'Three Way' ft Ben Crosland (Ipm), Frank Wetherley Trio (4pm) & Connor Selby + Guests (7.30pm)

What: Seaside Explorers (Kids Workshop)

Where: Time & Tide Bell, Harwich Beach @4.30pm

How Much: Free

Info: Join Libby & the team for a for a beach-school session exploring the shores and getting creative.

Mon 24th June

What: Lizzie Gutteridge (Classical Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @1pm

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: 'Catch that catch can'. Consort of 1 – live-looped Early Music

What: Embrace of the Serpent (Film)

Where: The Electric Palace, Kings Quay Street @ 8pm

How Much: £10

Info: Film 183 Society presents.... An epic story Inspired by the journals of the first explorers of the Colombian Amazon, Theodor Koch-Grunberg and Richard Evans Schultes.

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Tues 25th June

What: Lizz Lipscombe (Classical Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @1pm

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: Multi-Genre Violinist, exploring Classical, Jazz, Folk and more with Daniel Johnson accompanying on Piano.

What: Poetry Cruise (Poetry)

Where: Ha'Penny Pier, Harwich @7pm

How Much: £10

Info: Set Sail with some of the finest poets from Essex & Beyond... Limited Space on Board so get your Tickets Today!

What: Dovercourt Art Club: Open Night (Art)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @7pm

How Much: Free

Info: Ever wanted to join an Art Club? Now is your chance with this Free Open Night.

Weds 26th June

What: Sounds of Summertime (Classical/ Folk Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @1pm

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: Duo Sasha & Anna perform a mix of Ukrainian Folk & new takes on English Classics.

What: Shar Cooterie: 'Well Swung' (Music)

Where: The Electric Palace, Kings Quay Street @ 8pm

How Much: £8 adv/ £10 on the door

Info: Shar Cooterie teams up with Adam Saiz Abo-Henriksen to tackle a list of queer classics and adapt them to swing!

We're always on the look out for Poets
& Artists for Projects.
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Thurs 27th June

What: Art Trail Walk (Art/Walk)

Where: Cliff Park Bandstand, Dovercourt @10am

How Much: Free

Info: Parent & Child walk with David from CVST Tendring.

What: Evva & Emma Duo (Classical Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @1pm

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: Award Winning Cellist & Pianist perform Beethoven, Beach & Janáček.

What: The Klinker Club (Multi Genre)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @7.30pm

How Much: Pay What You Want

Info: The Legendary Klinker Club bring their (extremely) unique show to this Year's Festival.

Fri 28th June

What: School Community Concert (Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @1.30pm

How Much: £3

Info: Featuring 6 of the local primary schools. Led by Choir Master Clare Leach from Harwich Sing Tendring Voices.

What: The Klinker Club: Late Night (Multi Genre)

Where: The Alma Inn, King's Head St @ 9.30pm

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: The Legendary Klinker Club Treat us to Some Late Night Shenanigans with Some Extra Special Guests.

Join the Team!

We're always looking for volunteers.

Drop us a line & join in the fun!

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Sat 29th June

What: Signals: Game Changer (Kids Workshop)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @1pm

How Much: £3

Info: Transform classic video games into arcade quests for environmental action and climate change awareness.

What: Picnic in the Park (Music)

Where: Cliff Park Bandstand, Dovercourt @Noon

How Much: Free/ Retiring Collection

Info: Essex Rocks presents... Dovercourt Ukes, Luke Fisher, Benn Cushway, Rosalind Harniess & Ben Brown.

What: Indian Dance Workshop (Dance/Workshop)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @5pm

How Much: Free/ Advanced booking only

Info: Ever wanted to learn how to dance like a Bollywood Film Star? Now's your chance to learn with this taster workshop.

What: Candlelit Live Lounge (Music/Poetry)

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd @7.30pm

How Much: Pay What You Want

Info: Essex Rocks presents... an evening of acoustic music and poetry with some very special guests...

Sun 30th June

What: Francesco Attesti (Classical Music)

Where: St Nicholas Church, Church Street @7.30pm

How Much: £15

Info: Internationally renowned Italian Pianist performs J. S. Bach; English Suite/ J S Bach arr. F Busoni Chaconne in D Minor. Chopin Waltz Op.69 No. 1 in A flat Major / F. Liszt; Orage



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ART EXHIBITIONS & MORE...



What: 20x20 Exhibition

Where: The Old Ebenezer Chapel, Kings Head St

When: Thurs 20th to Sun 30th June. 11am to 4pm

Info: Paintings, collages, and prints from artists from across the community of all ages.



What: WhaleWords by Jane Stewart

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd

When: From Fri 21st June onwards

10am to 4pm (Mon to Fri). Out of Hours viewing by appointment.

Info: Stunning new Exhibition by Artist Jane Stewart.



What: 'Scaling it Up'

Where: The Navyard Fence, Old Harwich

When: Throughout the summer.

Info: Public Art Display by Monique de Vlieger and the Local Community. Make Sure you get a Photo with our Giant Cod!



What: Harwich & Dovercourt Camera Club

Where: Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre, Main Rd

When: Thurs 20th June onwards

10am to 4pm (Mon to Fri). Out of Hours viewing by appointment.

Info: Fantastic Exhibition of Photography from Local Artists.



What: Dovercourt Art Club's Annual Exhibition

Where: 1912 Centre, Cow Lane

When: Sat 29th (10am to 5pm) & Sun 30th June (10am to 4pm)

Info: Exciting Collection of New Art Work from Members of the Dovercourt Art Club.



What: Public Art Trail

Where: Across Dovercourt & Harwich

When: Throughout the Festival

Info: Take a trip along our New Art Trail. There's Over 30 Great Works to see from some of the Regions Finest Artists.

EXTRA! EXTRA!

Live Entertainment @ the Artisan Market, Orwell Place - Sat 15th June. 10am to 4pm

Tom Kitching: Where There's Brass (Folk) @ Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre - Sun 16th June. 2pm

Summer Craft Fayre @ Harwich Arts & Heritage Centre - Sun 30th June. 10am to 2pm

Bodgeners Art Gallery on Church Street will be open on Saturdays during the Summer

All Events & Exhibitions Times & Locations Subject to Change

WE'D LIKE TO THANK...

Harwich Town Council for Sponsoring Our Free Lunch Time Concerts & Workshops.

The Sponsors of our Jazz & Blues Day. The New Bell Inn (Three Way), Dougie Page (Frank Wetherley Trio) & Ashwood Promotions (Connor Selby).

All of our Fantastic Staff & Volunteers at the Harwich Festival & Harwich Arts and Heritage Centre.

Everyone at The Electric Palace, St Nicholas Church, Alma Inn, New Bell Inn, Harwich Harbour Foot Ferry, Old Chapel Gallery.

All of the Performers, Artists, Creatives & Organisers of the Events at this Year's Festival.

Most of all. Everyone who has Supported this Year's Festival by Attending our Events. Roll on 2025!



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