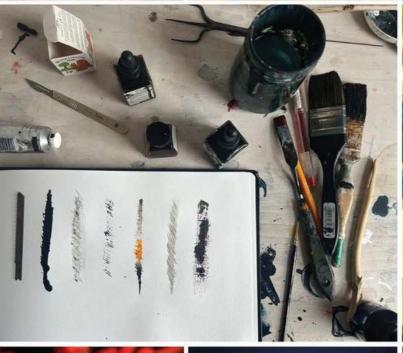




SLAND Arts and Entertainment

Sept - Dec 2023













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Live | Studio Theatre & Island Hall

Joseph and the Amazing
Technicolor Dreamcoat
31 Aug - 1 Sept | 7.30pm | £15
Sat 2 Sept | 2.30pm

Lisnagarvey Youth Society is back this summer with its production of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat! This year marks 30 years since the first embarking of Lisnagarvey Operatic and Dramatic's 'Youth Society' which has given opportunity to 100s of young performers, some of which have made it all the way to the West End!

Here Come The Girls Thurs 7 Sept | 8pm | £22.50

Multi Diva Tribute Show, 11 amazing tributes, 1 great show!
Five decades of all your favourite songs from your favourite female artists
Cher, Madonna, Lady Gaga, Shania
Twain, Katy Perry, and many more!!

The Man Who Swallowed a Dictionary Fri 22 Sept | 8pm | £16

This one-man show chronicles the remarkable life of politician David Ervine, from the backstreets of East Belfast to Long Kesh prisoner to political negotiations at the White House and Downing Street. An important figure in the history of Ulster loyalism, Ervine was also known for his grasp of the English language and capacity for using 'big words'. It's a remarkable story, providing a great insight into not just the man, but the Protestant community in the most turbulent period of the Troubles.

The Greatest 80s Show Sat 23 Sept | 8pm | £22.50

Get ready to travel back in time to the 1980s!

This high-energy show features all of your favourite hits from the decade of neon and big hair, including songs from iconic artists like Duran Duran, A-ha and Spandau Ballet to name just a few.

Nuala McKeever presents Truth, Love or Promise Fri 29 Sept | 8pm | £15

A new drama about identity, love and the power of friendship. Set in a creative writing class in Belfast, this poignant, dark comedy looks at what happens when things don't go the way we want. We meet Brenda, Maureen and Joanna, who get to know each other through their stories. But it's clear that it's the things they're leaving out that really tell the tale. And when the truth turns out to be shocking, they have to decide what really matters most – Truth, Love or Promise.







Jan Morris: A Life from Both Sides A Talk by Paul Clements Thurs 12 Oct | 7.30pm | £8

When Jan Morris died in 2020, she was considered one of Britain's best-known writers. Celebrated for her observational genius, lyricism, and humour, her work earned her a passionate readership around the world. Journalist, writer and broadcaster Paul Clements has produced a striking biography, 'Jan Morris: Life from Both Sides', He shares many strands of Jan Morris' rich and often paradoxical life, including her extraordinary literary talent, curiosity and joie de vivre, and how her writing style changed after her transition.

Karl Spain: Well, What Did You Expect? Fri 13 Oct | 8pm | £15

Karl Spain has appeared at festivals all over the world, and worked with some of the world's greatest comedians. Karl spent most of 2022 touring with Kevin Bridges because Kevin finds him very funny - or because Kevin uses Karl to remind him to keep the weight off. Hopefully the former.

In this new show Karl talks about how we are, where we are and how to solve all the world's problems.



Hauntings Sat 14 Oct | 8pm | £15

An evening of three tales of the supernatural from two of the world's greatest writers of ghost stories, E.F. Benson ('Naboth's Vineyard' and 'The Hanging of Alfred Wadham') and M.R. James (Oh, Whistle and I'll Come to You, My Lad).

With masterful storytelling from the award-winning actor Gerard Logan, Hauntings will transport you to a dark, sinister world of the unexpected and the unexplainable.

Vinyl ISLAND The Eagles | Hotel California Fri 20 Oct | 8pm | £12

Real music, real records, real history.
Relax and enjoy a bespoke evening
with full album playback, exclusive live
performance and informed chat.
Ralph McLean revisits The Eagles'
classic album Hotel California on vintage
vinyl. Award winning Nothing Is Real
podcaster Steven Cockcroft and Ralph
will share their thoughts on the album
and Anthony Toner gives us his
renditions of some of his favourite tracks.

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Michael English in Concert Fri 20 Oct | 8pm | £26.50

Come & join one of Ireland's top Country music performers and his Superband for a fantastic night of entertainment covering all Michael's hits along with classic favourites. For any Country Music fan this is a show that you just simply cannot miss!

Celtic Soul Sat 21 Oct | 8pm | £18

With an IMRO Gold Award for their performance in Radio Ulster's Astral Weeks special, Celtic Soul continues to receive critical acclaim from devout Vanatics. Many years of playing in blues, folk, trad and jazz bands, the seven-piece band has the ingredients to deliver Van Morrison's music authentically. Expect to hear songs from right across Van's musical history including the big hits as well as stand out album

tracks. Let Celtic Soul take you

on a journey through the songbook of

The Elvis Spectacular Fri 27 Oct | 8pm | £22

our very own musical legend!

The greatest Elvis show since 1977. European champion Ciaran Houlihan, his 9 piece live band and backing singers. Authentic costumes inc the iconic jewelled jumpsuits ... the super cool 68 special black leather ..and of course the scarves!



Done to Death, by Jove Sat 28 Oct | 8pm | £15

The Great British Detective tradition!
Holmes and Watson meet Poirot and Miss Marple (and the usual suspects) in a spoof homage - who murdered Lady Fanshawe!?
Why is Matron Maudesly so friendly with one of the guests at the Clinic of Hopes and Cures!? Made all the more tricky to tell, as theatrical knights, Sir Gavin of Robertson and Sir Nicholas of Collett attempt this six actor show, as the other four are stuck in a broken-down van - what could possibly go wrong?

Flash Harry - The Magic of Queen

Sat 28 Oct | 8pm | £24

Flash Harry are Northern Irelands most enduring tribute band, celebrating the music of super star Freddie Mercury and super group Queen, for over 25 years. Flash Harry deliver a rock show that will have the audience rocking in their seats and singing along to anthems of one of the greatest bands in history forever".



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Exhibition on Screen Klimt and The Kiss Thurs 2 Nov | 7.30pm | £8

A powerful, gripping and passion ate new film about one of the most recognised, reproduced and loved paintings in the world. The evocative image of an unknown embracing couple has captivated viewers with its mystery, sensuality and dazzling materials. Delving into the details of real gold, decorative designs, symbolism and simmering erotica, discover the scandalous life and the rich tapestry of extraordinary influences behind the work.

Joel M 'Impossible' Fri 3 Nov | 8pm | £16

Prepare to have your mind blown.

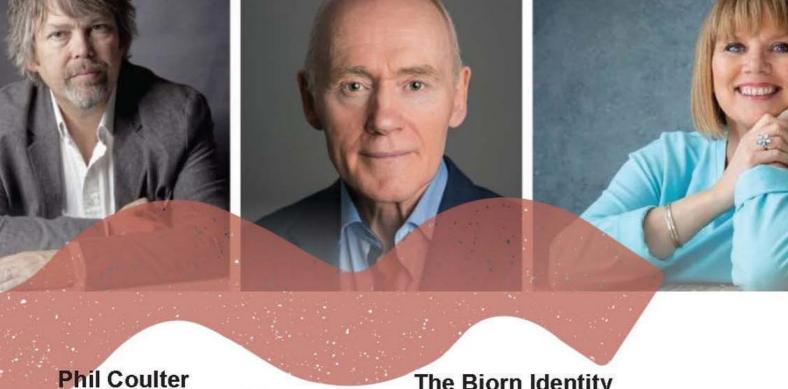
Acclaimed magician and mentalist Joel M
has an online following of over 20 million
across TikTok, YouTube and
Instagram, with an impressive four billion
views. He is now a global household name.
As the current presenter on Blue Peter,
Joel M is well used to showcasing his talents, see him add some magic to ISLAND
Arts Centre where he is sure to leave us
spellbound.

The Illegals with Niamh Kavanagh Sat 4 Nov | 8pm | £15/20

Ireland's only Double Tribute to the iconic music of Eagles and Fleetwood Mac

Widely regarded as one of the best live tribute acts in the country, The Illegals are into their 25th year with their ever-popular classic-rock revue.





Phil Coulter
"Four Score and Then..."
Thurs 9 Nov | 8pm | £30

After 55 years at the very top of his game Phil has achieved the status of legend in the music business, but his enthusiasm and energy have never waned. Phil is delighted to welcome back his glamorous and ever popular wife Geraldine Branagan and rising star and young turk George Hutton.

Away with Words Nuala McKeever, Jim McElroy and Anthony Toner Fri 10 Nov | 8pm | £15

A unique meeting of minds: writer and comedian Nuala McKeever, award-winning poet Jim McElroy and songwriter Anthony Toner join in conversation and performance to offer an insight into their work and creative processes. This relaxed evening will feature readings, songs and conversations between the artists. Expect some insights and secrets, and some tips and advice on the creative process - there will be an option for questions from the audience to finish.

The Bjorn Identity Feeling Like a No.1 Tour Fri 10 Nov | 8pm | £22.50

This dynamic all live theatre show is packed full of ABBA's greatest hits & lesser-known songs to satisfy the Hole in Your Soul; lots of audience participation and always something extra for the most dedicated fans of ABBA. Their impressive attention to detail in both staging and musicianship makes The Bjorn Identity, at it's heart, THE most exciting 'ABBA in Concert' experience, this side of Sweden.

The Breeze Chris Coll, Decky McManus & Stevie Scullion Sat 11 Nov | 8pm | £15

The Breeze is three of Northern Ireland's finest musicians and songwriters: Chris Coll (Lost in the Fog), Decky McManus (The Basement) and Stevie Scullion (Malojian). This is a brand new collaboration is built on the trio's various sounds and influences, and all their years of experiences in the weird world of a touring musician.



Lisburn's Got Talent Fri 17 Nov | 7pm | £10

The Connected Minds youth committee presents Lisburn's Got Talent. All proceeds are in aid of the Right Worshipful the Mayor Councillor Andrew Gowan's charity Cancer Fund for Children

St Alban Fri 17 Nov | 8pm | £15

An evening of stories and songs from the back catalogue of Peter McVeigh and Andy Dunlop along with new material from their joint project St. Alban.

Lovers of Folk, Rock and Gospel will particularly enjoy this special evening of song.

John Prine Celebration Sat 18 Nov | 8pm | £18

Multi Grammy award winner John
Prine is revered by many as one of the foremost American Country/Folk singer songwriters of our time. He was a poet without pretension and spoke for and to ordinary people through songs which deal with the human condition from the cradle to the grave. Noted for their absence of mimicry and impersonation of John Prine, Illegal Smile reproduce his songs with the utmost attention to detail, integrity and sincerity.

Dance Inspirations Tour Sun 19 Nov | 9.30am | £17

Express Yourself Live Tour Belfast
Regional Heat. The Express Yourself
Live Tour provides a whirlwind of
opportunities to influence and inspire the
next generation of dancers.

Studio Symphony Orchestra

Sat 25 Nov | 7.30pm | £14

Get into the Christmas spirit with a wonderful evening of music - just the thing to get the festive season off to a great start! The orchestra will perform a beautiful selection with a seasonal theme from popular christmas favourites to much loved orchestral scores.



Christmas Country Stars Tues 28 Nov | 8pm | £25/£21.50

Back by popular demand "A Christmas Country with the Stars" returns for another night of toe-tapping festive magic. The stellar line-up will feature Shawn Cuddy, instrumentalist and singer Stephen Smyth, the young sensation Owen Mac, Curtis Magee, Boxcar Brian and the yodeling king Kenny Archer. One thing is for sure if its Country music you like then this is the show for you!

Vinyl Island | Bob Dylan Blood on the Tracks

Fri 1 Dec | 8pm | £12

Real music, real records, real history.
Relax and enjoy a bespoke evening with full album playback, exclusive live performance and informed chat.
Ralph McLean revisits Bob Dylan's Blood on the Tracks on vintage vinyl. Award winning Nothing Is Real podcaster Steven Cockcroft and Ralph will share their thoughts on the album and Anthony Toner gives us his renditions of some of his favourite tracks.





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Ronnie Greer Blues Band Sat 2 Dec | 8pm | £20

Award winning blues guitarist Ronnie
Greer returns to the Island, and brings
with him his all-star powerhouse band of
Anthony Toner, guitar and vocals, John
McCullough, keyboards, Nick Scott,
bass guitar, Peter McKinney, drums, and
special guest Ken Haddock adding his
incomparable vocal prowess to the line-up.
Expect an eclectic mix of blues, roots and
a little jazz ranging from Muddy Waters
to Charles Mingus, played with the usual
style and conviction from some of the very
finest musicians in the country.

Aladdin Pantomime

2-9 Dec | 7.30pm £15 Mon - Wed £18 Thurs - Sun

2.30pm matinee performances on 2nd, 3rd and 9th

Lisnagarvey Operatic and Dramatic Society return for their annual festive pantomime after the success of last Christmas' production of 'Jack and the Magical Beanstalk'!

SAVE THE DATE

Snow White and the Seven Merry Men

10 - 13 Jan | 7.30pm | £15/12 Matinee Performance 2.30pm 13 Jan

Following last year's sell out "Cinderella", Lambeg Players return with their spectacular new telling of "Snow White and the Seven Merry Men" which promises to be a brilliant show full of laughs and show-stopping musical numbers.



Here in Lisburn & Castlereagh, we have the perfect combination of rural and urban landscapes, meaning you have a huge variety of activities, attractions and accommodation to enjoy.

Visit www.visitlisburncastlereagh.com to view local eateries and accommodation to complement your Live experience



Adult Courses

Practical, creative sessions designed to be informative, challenging and fun, our courses and workshops are suitable for beginners, unless otherwise specified. For weekly courses you bring your own materials and for workshops we provide them, unless otherwise stated.

At the arts centre there are vending machines for drinks and snacks; a range of cafes/shops are nearby; and you are welcome to bring your own refreshments.

Pottery

Tutor: Andrea McCullough-Alderdice

Intermediate

Tuesdays | 7 - 9pm | £145 19 Sept - 24 Oct | 7 Nov - 12 Dec

Beginners/Intermediate

Wednesdays | 7 - 9pm | £145 20 Sept - 25 Oct | 8 Nov - 13 Dec

Beginners/Intermediate

Thursdays | 10am - 12 noon | £145 21 Sept - 26 Oct | 9 Nov - 14 Dec

Beginners

Thursdays | 7 - 9pm | £145 21 Sept - 26 Oct | 9 Nov - 14 Dec





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Acrylic Painting

Tutor: Trisha Campbell Mondays | 11am - 1pm | £55 18 Sept - 23 Oct | 6 Nov - 11 Dec

Watercolour Painting

Tutor: Trisha Campbell Mondays | 2 - 4pm | £55 18 Sept - 23 Oct | 6 Nov - 11 Dec

Learn to Crochet

Tutor: Nancy Moreland Mondays | 7 - 9pm | £88 9 Oct - 27 Nov

Painting for Pleasure

Tutor: Anushiya Sundaralingam Tuesdays | 10.30am - 12.30pm | £55 19 Sept - 24 Oct | 7 Nov - 12 Dec

Landscape Studies

Tutor: Anushiya Sundaralingam Tuesdays | 1 - 3pm | £55 19 Sept - 24 Oct | 7 Nov - 12 Dec

Womenswear Dressmaking

Tutor: Sarah Hoppe Tuesdays | 7 - 9pm | £152 19 Sept - 7 Nov



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Painting Flowers in Watercolour

Tutor: Ali Walker Wednesdays | 10.30am - 12.30pm | £55 20 Sept - 25 Oct | 8 Nov - 13 Dec



Embroidered Housewife's Pocket

Tutor: Linda O'Kane Wednesdays | 7 - 9pm | £65 4 Oct - 1 Nov

Guitar Beginners | 7 - 8pm Guitar Intermediate | 8.15 - 9.15pm

Tutor: Gary Lutton Wednesdays | £60 20 Sept - 25 Oct | 8 Nov - 13 Dec



Folk Art Angel - Doll Making

Tutor: Linda O'Kane Wednesdays | 7 - 9pm | £70 8 Nov - 6 Dec

Painting Techniques

Tutor: Angela Hackett
Thursdays | 10am - 12pm | £55
21 Sept - 26 Oct | 9 Nov - 14 Dec



Silver Jewellery Making

Tutor: Ruth Gilmour Thursdays | 7 - 9pm | £90 2 - 16 Nov

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Workshops



Simple Socks
Tutor: Casey Robenok
6.30 - 9pm | £38
Mondays 25 Sept & 2 Oct



Leather Satchel Making Tutor: Enda Kenny 9.30am - 4.30pm | £130 Saturdays 21 & 28 Oct



Wood Carving Tutor: Geoff Tulip 10am - 4pm | £52 Saturday 30 Sept



Silver Linked Bracelet Tutor: Diane Lyness 10am - 4pm | £60 Saturday 4 Nov



Woven Wall Hanging Tutor: Karolina Lisek 10am - 4pm | £60 Saturday 7 Oct



Making a Sewing Box Tutor: Nancy Moreland 10am - 4pm | £42 Saturday 11 Nov



Drawing with Found Objects
Tutor: Stuart Cairns
10.30am - 1.30pm | £20
Saturday 14 Oct



Candle Painting
Tutor: Juliana Germinio
2 - 4pm | £18
Saturday 11 Nov



Christmas Sari Garland Tutor: Linda O'Kane 10am - 12pm | £25 Saturday 25 Nov



Seasonal Spiced Soaps
Tutor: Irene Gourley and Pamela
Mawhinney
2 - 4.30pm | £25
Saturday 25 Nov



Victorian Paper Angels Tutor: Linda O'Kane 10am - 12pm | £25 Saturday 2 Dec



Wirework Robin Tutor: Julie Murphy 10am - 4pm | £32 Saturday 2 Dec



Knit a Scarf Tutor: Casey Rubenok 6.30 - 9pm | £26 Monday 4 Dec



Festive Botanical Prints
Tutor: Ruth Osborne
10am - 1pm | £35
Saturday 9 Dec



Floral Festive Centrepiece
Tutor: Claire Tosh
7 - 9pm | £55
Thurs 14 Dec



Exhibitions



Contemporary Art of Northern Ireland #4 9 - 30 Sept | Gallery 545

A showcase of twenty-five artists, all represented by Gallery 545, at different stages of their career. The artworks reflect the diversity and originality of their practice, with an eclectic selection on display encompassing vibrant abstract paintings, evocative landscapes, fascinating portraits, unique sculptures, delicate works on paper, and exquisite glass and textile pieces.



Stuart Cairns | 5 - 28 Oct 'What Was Seen, What Was Found There'

A collection of objects, the made and the found, alongside images, drawn and recorded, exploring the landscape as an imagined space. Objects and paintings set out showing you what you might have seen or what might be waiting out there; ready to be remembered.



Sharon Ferguson & Helen McAllister 'Stitched Memories' | 2 - 25 Nov

This exhibition reflects on the adaptive nature of stitch, and how it endures as a medium to convey narratives in an ever-changing world. Sharon and Helen use hand embroidery processes passed through generations to explore themes of absence, identity, belonging, memory and connectedness. Their skilful artworks reference the importance of 'making' and celebrate the experimental, challenging nature of embroidery.



Form | Function | Flourish Ceramics Group Show | 30 Nov - 23 Dec

The makers, including Trudy Burke, Anna Donovan, Claire and Karen Gibson, Grainne Kielty, John McKeag, Malcom Murchison, Rory and Helen Shearer, Ann Marie Robinson, Sandra Robinson and Eleanor Wheeler, have been invited to consider form, function and/or flourish and create work that demonstrates the breadth of expression, skill and innovation in contemporary ceramics.

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Children, Young People and Families

Packed with fun ideas and activities, these workshops allow young people to express their creativity, learn, have fun and make new friends along the way.



Sat 7 Oct | 11am - 12pm | 6-11 Years | £7

It's World Space Week (4-10 October) and we have lift off! Learn how to make your own rocket with Scientific Sue as she brings to life the science and engineering behind rockets.



The Big Draw

Sat 21 Oct | 10am - 12pm | 6-11 Years | £9.50

This year's Big Draw theme is Drawing With Senses. We will explore touch, taste, smell, sight and sound to create works from our imagination. Lots of stimulating materials will get the creative juices flowing and we will share art works with the international Big Draw community #DrawingwithSenses

Ivy Newt and the Storm Witch

Sat 28 Oct | 10am - 12pm | 6-11 Years | £12

This interactive session with writer Derek Keilty will see you create your own tale, develop characters, pick a plot, and problem solve. You'll find out how a story becomes a book - from manuscript to publisher's proofs to finished article. Derek will tell us all about Ivy Newt the unstoppable and loveable young witch.



LEGO Day | Sat 4 Nov

Bricks 4 Kidz LEGO sessions promote fun, learning through play and creativity, and spark interest in STEM. The programmes encourage social growth and self-discovery just as much as technical learning, and the benefits of critical thinking, collaboration, innovation and communication are developed.

3D Lego Build 9.30 - 10.30am | Ages 4+ | £7

This session is designed for children on the autism spectrum. An adult known to the child should accompany them to enable the child to gain the most benefit from the experience.

3D Lego Build 11am- 1pm Ages 5+ | £13

Lego Technic 2 - 4pm Ages 7+ | £13





Printmaking Posters

Sat 11 Nov | 10am - 12pm | 6-11 Years | £9.50

Learn how to use a printing press and make your own mini placards or big posters. Decide what designs you would like to use, then using lots of coloured inks you can paint and write messages that are important to you.

Make a Snow Globe

Sat 2 Dec | 10am - 12pm | 6-11 Years | £9.50

Make a Disney inspired snow globe to take home. Will yours be a favourite Disney character or place, perhaps an underwater themed Little Mermaid, or a flying Peter Pan?



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Children's Pottery

Children love ISLAND's pottery studio. There's something about getting messy at the potter's wheel that really appeals! Clay is a really tactile medium and is perfect for exploring texture, shape and decoration. Learn about and try out hand, coil and slab building; using moulds, glazes, slips and mark making techniques.

Tutor: Andrea McCullough-Alderdice

The Clay Club

Saturdays | 2 - 4pm Ages 6 - 13 Years | £64 30 Sept - 21 Oct | 4 - 25 Nov

Potter About

Tues 31 Oct | 10am - 3pm Ages 6 - 11 Years | £35

Have fun with clay. Try slab work, coiling, pinching, and throwing clay on the wheel.

Clay Capers

Sat 14 Oct | 11am - 1pm Ages 6 - 11 Years | £18

Halloween inspired clay session.

Pots for Tots | Little Angels

Sat 25 Nov | 11am - 1pm Ages 1-4 Years | £20

Adults to accompany child.

Family Christmas Plaque

Sat 2 Dec | 2.30 - 4.30pm £38 Family Ticket

Working as a family to design and make a special family plaque.

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The Science of **Dragons Show**

LIVE SHOW | Studio Theatre Sat 7 Oct | 2pm | £6.50

Join Scientific Sue as she brings dragons to life! Inspired by Cressida Cowell's 'How to Train your Dragon', Sue explores the physics of flight and the engineering behind capturing a dragon. The perfect way to bring fun, magic and laughter to STEAM, and see how the Arts enhances science, technology, engineering and maths.



ISLAND Youth Theatre

Do your kids have a passion for drama, dance and singing, then why not sign them up for Island Youth Theatre programme this year? Taking part will offer young people the chance to perform in the city's annual Hallowe'en event, Twilight Night as well as the official Christmas Switch-On. In June 2024, the young people will showcase a full production of the award winning

Minis

Saturdays | 10am - 10.45am Ages 4 - 5 Years | £35 per block 9 Sept - 21 Oct | 4 - 16 Dec

Juniors

Saturdays | 11am - 12pm Ages 6 - 9 Years | £35 per block 9 Sept - 21 Oct | 4 - 16 Dec

Seniors

Saturdays | 12 - 2pm Ages 10 - 18 Years | £45.50 per block 9 Sept - 21 Oct | 4 - 16 Dec



Community Arts & Arts Education

Taking Art to the heArt of the Community!

Good Relations Week | 18 - 24 Sept

We invite new comer communities, asylum seekers, refugees and migrants to take part in mixed media workshops to include photography, sculpture, drawing and music.

All abilities and ages welcome, for more information contact Lynda McCord: lynda.mccord@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk





Ulstèr-Scotch Leid Week
Ulster-Scots Language Week

Ulster Scots Leid Week | 21 - 25 Nov

We have partnered with the Ulster-Scots Community Network and Ulster-Scots Agency to raise awareness of our shared linguistic heritage of the Ulster-Scots language through a programme of cultural activities to support people, not only to engage with the language but also to recognise its intrinsic value in terms of enhancing our sense of self and place.

Part funded by The Executive Office's District Councils Good Relations Programme.

Strictly Community Tea Dances £4 | Over 50s | Island Hall | 1-3pm

Tues 3 Oct | Positive Ageing

Tues 7 Nov | Ulster Scots

Positive Ageing Month October

Mon 18 Dec | Christmas Cracker

Get foot loose at one of our themed community dance events. There will be a chance to take a spin around the dance floor and have some craic with musical duo, Double Trouble and guest entertainment.

Refreshments Included

For more information, contact susan.taggart@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk





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Silver Screen Socials | £2 Over 50s | Studio Theatre | 2pm

Some Like it Hot Mon 2 Oct Positive Ageing Month

Mamma Mia Thurs 2 Nov

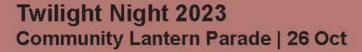
It's a Wonderful Life Mon 18 Dec

Join us in the intimate setting of the Studio Theatre for an afternoon matinee. Make new friends and step back in time with our classic film selection this season.

Refreshments Included

Transport can be arranged for groups operating within the LCCC area on a first come first serve basis.

For more information, contact susan.taggart@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk



Lisburn City Centre, Wallace Park

Take part in our Lantern Parade!
We are looking for LCCC based schools and community groups to join us in creating a spectacular community lantern parade to weave it's way through the city of Lisburn. Workshops will take place throughout October and places will be offered on a first-come-first-served basis. To register interest please contact lynda.mccord@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk

Ticketing details coming soon, visit www.islandartscentre.com





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Community Wreath Workshops

Get festive, learn a new skill or just have fun creating a beautiful Christmas wreath to make sure your door is the best dressed in town.

We are pleased to announce a number of FREE Christmas Wreath Making workshops for our LCCC residents this festive season.

Keep an eye out for the official LCCC Christmas Programme for upcoming dates across community facilities within the council area.

For more information contact Lynda McCord: lynda.mccord@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk



41st Annual Schools' Arts Competition 2024 | Primary 3 - Year 12



NOW ACCEPTING ENTRIES!



Is your school based in the Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council area? If so, ISLAND Arts Centre invites you to get involved in its 41st Annual Schools' Arts Competition where big wins can be made in Drama, Visual Arts, Poetry & Short Story and Musical Performance!

To download an Entry Pack, which includes all the details you'll need to be involved, simply visit our website at:

https://islandartscentre.com/communty-arts-education/arts-education

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Your Visit

ISLAND Arts Centre opening times

Mon – Fri 09:30am – 9.30pm and Sat 09:30 – 5pm*.

Closed bank holidays and Sundays
*This may vary depending on our
programme of events. Call us to check our
opening hours before travelling*

Holiday closures

25 December - 1 January (inclusive)

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Refunds/ exchanges

Please note refunds and exchanges only apply if an event is cancelled. Please book as early as possible for courses and workshops as these need to meet a minumum number of participants to run. Terms and conditions can be viewed at: https://islandartscentre.com/your-visit/how-to-book

Planning your visit and access

The Island, Lisburn BT27 4RL FREE onsite parking is available including Blue Badge holder and Parent & Toddler bays.

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Looking for present ideas? Gift the Arts and a voucher will be sent directly to the recipient to choose something that suits. Vouchers can be redeemed for any directly promoted ISLAND Arts Centre event, workshop or class.

JAM Card

ISLAND Arts Centre is a Just. A. Minute. friendly venue.

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Your details are held securely at all times. ISLAND Arts Centre is committed to upholding the General Data Protection Regulation 2018. When processing your booking we will ask your name, address, telephone number and email address and let you know about events and other developments at ISLAND Arts Centre.

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We offer a number of flexible hire spaces which are suitable for everything from meetings and workshops to personal film screenings and live gigs.

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islandartshires@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk

Buddy card

Essential companions go free. If you require support to attend ISLAND events please contact us on: 028 9244 7452.



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