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19th JUNE
to 4th JULY

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Exhibitions

Sunday May 30 to Sunday June 6

**Thomas Beaumont
Nature Photographer, 1912 - 2003
Retrospective Exhibition of Prints**

Festival Shop, Albert Street, Hebden Bridge

10.30am to 4.30pm (until 7.00pm on Saturday June 5 only)

Tom Beaumont spent the last 35 years of his long life as an award-winning photographer of nature subjects, especially birds. This exhibition shows examples of his outstanding work over that period in that field, as well as a variety of his other photographs.

Organised by Hebden Bridge Camera Club.

(A.V. Slide Presentation, June 5, Little Theatre, 7.30pm.)

**Monday June 7 to Sunday
June 13**

**MOSS: Mills
Open Studio
Spaces
(a federation of
Hebden Bridge
studio groups
located around the
town centre)**

**Festival Shop, Albert
Street, Hebden
Bridge**

10.00am to 5.00pm

An exhibition of work by members of the federation of Hebden Bridge studio groups.



Wednesday June 9 to Sunday July 18

Sit, Sit, Standing

by Alan Gummerson

The Hourglass Studio Gallery, Hangingroyd Lane, Hebden Bridge

Installation at the Hourglass Studio Gallery and around local venues: Land Farm Gallery and the New Delight Pub, Colden by local artist Alan Gummerson.

Supported by Arts Council England, Yorkshire

Wednesday June 16 to Sunday July 25

'Jane Eyre' and 'Nursery Rhymes'

by Paula Rego

Artsmill Gallery, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

11.00am to 4.00pm

A selection of fifteen lithographs (from 25), comprising the set that Rego based on Charlotte Brontë's heroine, completed in late 2001 and early 2002. Also, a series of etchings, first exhibited in 1989, based on famous children's nursery rhymes.

Plus an unmissable talk by Marina Warner on July 22 "Happy at least in my way: Paula Rego and Jane Eyre" see details page 38



Friday/Saturday/Sunday June 18/19/20, then Wednesday/Thursday/Friday/Saturday/Sunday June 23/24/25/26/27 and June 30/July 1/2/3/4

Chapel Gallery Exhibition

Chapel Gallery, Osborne Street, Hebden Bridge

Wednesday/Thursday/Friday: 10.00am to 4.00pm

Saturday/Sunday: 11.00am to 5.00pm

An exhibition of photography and paintings by local artists.

Saturday and Sunday June 19/20

Mytholmroyd Artists Art Exhibition & Sale of Works

St Michael's Church Hall, Mytholmroyd

Saturday: 10.00am to 4.00pm

Sunday: 1.00pm to 4.00pm

Check out this exciting art exhibition and sale of works, from traditional to contemporary, by the surprisingly large number of artists, both professional and amateur, residing in the Mytholmroyd, Cragg Vale and Midgley area. Refreshments available.

Saturday and Sunday June 19/20, 26/27 and July 3/4

Green Door

Northlight Studios, Melbourne Works, Melbourne Street, Hebden Bridge

11.00am to 5.00pm

The artists and makers at Melbourne Works welcome old and new visitors to pass through the green doors and view an exciting collection of new artworks. There will be something for everyone. Many exhibits available for purchase.



NORTHLIGHT STUDIOS

Saturday and Sunday June 19/20, 26/27 and July 3/4

Exhibition of Wood and Ceramics

Bernard McNally, Cabinet Maker, 58 Market Street, Hebden Bridge
12 noon to 5.30pm (or by appointment: call 0771 706 8844)

An exhibition of work by woodturner Ian Clarkson, and ceramic figures by Sarah McDade.

Spot Street Art during the Festival

A demonstration by young people and a local artist of the responsible use of Graffiti.

Sponsored by Style and Wood



www.thebirth.co.uk

A virtual exhibition.

Box Office 01 422 842684



Saturday June 19 - Sunday July 4



The Poetry Shop

@Festival Shop, New Oxford House, Albert Street, Hebden Bridge

10.00am to 5.00pm daily except Sunday when we open at noon

The Poetry Shop: an installation about Hebden Bridge and the wider world.

Discover poetry by international poets, children's authors & illustrators and local children. Experience it in unexpected ways. Listen to answerphone messages from writers around the globe and hear poems in the comfort of a specially made armchair. The Poetry Shop is a room where poetry has escaped from the page and onto the walls.

Children have been working with poet John Hegley and professional artists to explore the place they live by taking photographs, making drawings and writing poems to be made into picture postcards.

The Poetry Shop is specially created for the Hebden Bridge Arts Festival. This is a unique new version of The Poetry Lounge, which was made for the Royal Festival Hall in 2002.

Designed by Jane Revitt with Lizzie Lockhart. Additional design & construction by Steve Gumbley and David Burnop.

John Hegley Work and Play-shop. 15 years and over. Limited to 25 people. £8 (£3) May 21. Ring the Festival on 01422 842684, leave your contact details and we will call you back. For more information on John Hegley see www.johnhegley.co.uk.

With thanks to the Arts Council England, Yorkshire, Ordnance Survey and Calderdale MBC.





Performances

Saturday June 19

Stubbings Infant School Family Fun Day

Stubbings Infant School, School Road, Hebden Bridge

10.00am (to 4.00pm approx)

£3 (£1) adults; £1.50 children 8 and over; £1 children under 8

All the family welcome! Have fun learning different, creative ways to make things from surprising materials, and with children's songs - local and from around the world - using voices and easy-to-play instruments. Special lunchtime activities from 12 noon to 1.00pm. If you're planning to drop in around lunchtime, please bring food to share.

Tea With Mrs Pankhurst!

A New Strides Theatre Company production

Trades Club, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

5.30pm (teatime)

£7.50 (£5)

As performed at last year's Edinburgh Festival ... An opportunity to be in the parlour with the Pankhursts whilst they take tea and discuss plans for change. An intimate and revealing glimpse into what really happened. Some audience participation.

The Bollywood Brass Band

Picture House, New Road, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm

£11 (£9)

The B.B.B. is Europe's first Indian wedding brass band, comprising a dozen musicians, playing saxes and brass, and featuring Bhangra drummers from The Dhol Foundation. It's a uniquely London blend of Hindi film hits, Bhangra rhythms and brass arrangements, with influences from jazz, other world music, and the thriving UK dance remix scene. Great to dance to and great to watch, especially as the band projects clips from some of the great Indian movies throughout the show (more information at www.bollywoodbrassband.co.uk) " ... Britain's brilliant Bollywood Brass Band strikes a blow for cultural fertilisation - and makes music that's great fun" (*London Evening Standard*). Bar.

Sponsor QMW Public Policy Seminars





Sunday June 20

"By Hook or by Crook"

Echoes of Elmet Company

Jerusalem Farm, Jerusalem Lane, Luddenden Dean

2.00pm (to 2.45pm approx)

£5 (£3.50); children under 12 free

1337 Edward III starts the 100 years war. 23 Sowerby woodsmen are fined for taking the Lord's timber without licence. Who snitched? A vengeful neighbour? The Lord's spies? Who is the stranger who knows more than he ought?

Herbert Lomas and Chrissie Gittins

Lumb Bank, Heptonstall (bus service E)

(No access for cars which must be left on Smithwell Lane. If you are disabled or find walking difficult ring 01422 842684 before June 19.

There is a pleasant walk from Mytholm to Lumb Bank)

4.00pm (to 5.30pm approx)

£5

Hebden Bridge Junior Band will play from 3.00pm to 5.00pm in the gardens - admission only by ticket to poetry reading.

Arc presents two of its award-winning poets: Herbert Lomas reading from *The Vale of Todmorden*, poems about his childhood in this area in the early 1930s - "I don't know when else a time and a place have been so beautifully evoked" (*Simon Hoggart*) - and Chrissie Gittins reading from her new collection *Armature*. Bookstall. Tea.

Auction in aid of Treesponsibility

Canalside Gallery, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge

7.30pm

The aboriginal dream painting which is being auctioned tonight can be seen on www.watershedappeal.org.uk and www.treesponsibility.com and the Festival website www.hebdenbridge.co.uk/festival.

Sunday cont...**Canalside Gallery, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge****8.00pm****Free**

Launch party/reading for *Moods of the Brontë Moors*, John Morrison's latest book, featuring stunning photographs of the South Pennines.
Wine Bar. Books for Sale.

Rhythm & Fire Spectacular**Full Moon Performers****Hebden Bridge Marina****10.00pm (to 10.40pm approx)****Free (bucket collection)**

A stunning drum and fire show that is both beautiful and highly charged. Deep bass carnival rhythms set pace and intensity to intricate and technical fire manipulation and dance routines. Beautiful glo-ball sequences worked with atmospheric Asian percussion. Dynamic and magical .



Monday June 21

Berringden Brow and Beyond

Jill Robinson

Canalside Gallery, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge

7.30pm

£3 (£2)

Readings by the author from *Sons and Lodgers*, continuing the everyday story of life in Berringden Brow, not far from Hebden Bridge. All Jess wants is a quiet life. All her friends want is somewhere to stay, and Jess feels her serenity slipping...

From Penan to Penang

Composer Richard Ingham (saxophone) with Mary McCarthy (accordion)

Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

7.30pm (to 8.30pm approx)

£6 (£4)

From Penan to Penang, a sixty-minute suite for saxophone and accordion, is a series of musical responses to travels made in 2002 in Scotland, Ireland, England, France and Malaysia. The work is written for soprano saxophone and accordion, a combination whose unique timbral qualities began to fascinate Richard Ingham when he started to work with Mary McCarthy.



Tuesday June 22

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Montserrat - Snake Hunting under the Volcano

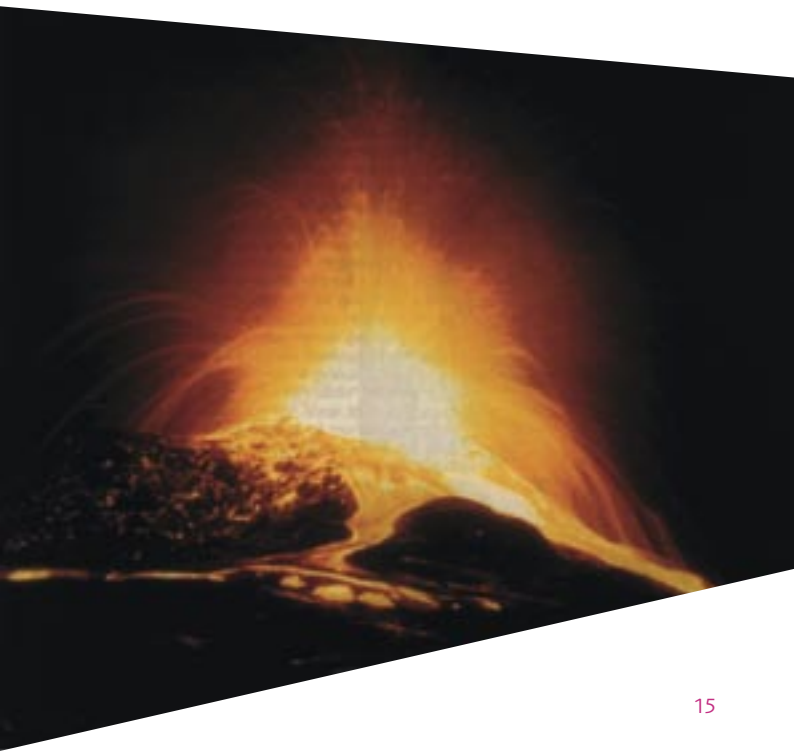
David Edwards

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm

£6 (£4)

"Volcano threatens to erupt" was the newspaper headline greeting David in 1995 as he arrived to participate on a biodiversity survey of this still threatened Caribbean paradise. See what it is like to monitor wildlife on an island (including tree frogs, lizards and bats) while a volcano rages. Fully illustrated with slides.



Tuesday cont...

Folk/Roots Night - with Batinka

Canalside Gallery, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm

£5 (£4)

Foot-stomping fun from Festival favourites. Violin, guitar, bass, accordion, tablas and flute combine to create a vibrant and exciting sound that ranges from inspirational Klezmer tunes to irresistible Romanian dance rhythms. Join the celebrations!

Wednesday June 23

The Power of Compassion

Tashi Lhunpo Monastery Tour 2004

St Michael's Church, Mytholmroyd

8.00pm (to 10.00pm approx)

£8 (£6)

Following their triumphant sell-out performance at the 2002 Festival, we are delighted to welcome back the monks from Tashi Lhunpo. They bring a programme of dances, music and chants, which illustrate the full range and diversity of this astonishing culture. The monastery (established in South India following the Chinese occupation of Tibet) is famous for its unique traditions of masked dances and sacred music.



William Blake: Man without a Mask

Ruth Rosen

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm

£8 (£6)

An inspiring and moving journey through the mind of the visionary genius William Blake by Britain's leading poetry and prose performer, Ruth Rosen. Poet, painter, engraver and prophet, William Blake was one of England's most fascinating and original sons. She draws from his poems, letters and prose to present a sensitive and dynamic insight into Blake as artist, poet and visionary. "An inspired theatrical performance of great power and beauty" (*Time Out*).





Thursday June 24

The Legend of Perseus

Written and performed by Adam Bampton-Smith

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

1.45pm to 2.45pm: school performance - please ring 01422 842684 for booking details/costs

7.30pm to 8.30pm: family performance

£5 (£3)

The discovery of a dusty old book hidden away in an attic leads to adventure in the mythical world of ancient Greece. Follow our young hero Perseus, son of Zeus, as he battles mighty Medusa, frees the winged horse Pegasus and vies with Poseidon for the hand of the beautiful Andromeda. Suitable for children 6 plus.

Cantorelli

Alison West, Angela Jarman (sopranos); Alice Barford (alto); Jan Burgess, Peter Tillotson (tenors); Philip Thomas, David Foster (basses)

Heptonstall Parish Church

8.00pm (to 10.00pm approx)

£6 (£4); £1 under 16s

This group of seven singers, all from the Calder Valley, has performed in the Hebden Bridge Arts Festival for the past eight years. This year's programme is typically varied, including madrigals by Monteverdi, Tudor anthems and motets, songs by Dvorak, sacred music by Arvo Pärt and settings of popular lighter music.

PIANO WEEKEND

This weekend, thanks to Arts Council England, Yorkshire, we celebrate the wide range of music for the piano.

Plus at the Picture House on Saturday Buster Keaton's *The General* (U) 1927 83mins. An outstanding achievement in silent comedy accompanied live on piano by Terry Ladlow. Tickets direct from the Picture House.



Friday June 25

Young-Choon Park Piano Recital



Heptonstall Parish Church
8.00pm

£8 (£6); £1 for under 16s

Young-Choon Park began playing the piano at four and give her first full recital at the age of seven and played the Beethoven Piano Concerto no 1 with the Seoul Symphony Orchestra at nine. She has become increasingly recognised by critics and has enthralled audiences the world over. Tonight she plays Beethoven's Sonatas in D minor op.31 No. 2 ('The Tempest'), in F minor op. 57 ('Appassionata') and Schubert's Sonata in A minor Op. 42 D845.

"dazzling" (*La Libre Belgique*);

"real passion" (*Sunday Times*);

"seductive clarity" (*Suddeutsche Zeitung*);

"outstanding" (*Jonkopings-Poste*); "played with virtuosity and bravura" (*Badische Neueste Nachrichten*).

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Friday cont...

The Silver Shoe

Coyote Dream Theatre

Wadsworth Community Centre, Old Town (bus service A and B)

8.00pm (to 9.00pm approx)

£5 (£4)

A magic mirror, a missing shoe, and a quest that takes the hero into a strange world where things are not as they seem and dark forces play games. Can he trust his guardian angel?

Saturday June 26

David Nelson and Roger Scaife (piano duo)

Lunchtime Recital



Heptonstall Parish Church (bus service 591 and E)

1.00pm

£5 (£4)

Regular contributors to the Festival returning with an all-new programme of outstanding pieces by Debussy, Mendelssohn and Dvorak.

Survival of the Coolest

William Pryor

Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

4.30pm

£5

Great great grandson of Charles Darwin, grandson of Gwen Raverat, sixties Dadaist, beat poet and heroin addict friend of Alex Trocchi and Syd Barrett, William Pryor reads from his book *The Survival of the Coolest*, from his grandmother's classic *Period Piece* and from the collection of letters he has just edited: *Virginia Woolf and the Raverats*.

Bookstall.

Royd Wordsmiths Among the Flowers

St John's Centre, Churchbank Lane, Cragg Vale (bus service C)

5.00pm (to 7.00pm approx)

£4 (£3); £1 under 16s

As part of Cragg Vale's Traditional Village Flower Festival, Mytholmroyd poet Tony Langham and storyteller Pete Keal present an early evening session of Contemporary Verse ... Traditional Stories ... Mesmerising Words. Afternoon teas will be available before the event.

Electronica-fest

Canalside Gallery, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge

7.00pm (to 11.00pm approx)

£4.50 (£3)

Another chance to witness the cutting edge audio visual experience that is Electronica-fest. Over four hours you will witness an eclectic mix of electronic-based performances, accentuated with live moving imagery. A Theatre of Sound and Vision by the canal.

Jazz Excursions

David Nelson (solo piano)



Heptonstall Parish Church

7.30pm

£7 (£5)

Although jazz and classical influences are high up in the mix, David Nelson's compositions reflect his love and enthusiasm for what is loosely termed 'World Music'. These new pieces for solo piano move eclectically from North African beats or bluesy lyricism to Latin grooves and rich gospel-like harmonies through diverse and intriguing global routes. For this concert, which follows a highly successful debut at Square Chapel last year, David is also joined by guests including Adrian Sykes (flute, tablas), Ed Oxley (didgeridoo), Jenny Hoy (marimba, percussion), Peadar Long (saxophones), Dominic Moore (acoustic guitar) and Jenny Myhill-Molloy (double bass).

Yussef Ahmed & MY5.0

Trades Club, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

9.00pm

£9 (£6)

Yussef has been able to bridge the gap between literature and music with his own unique genres of word and sound. His uniqueness as a performer stems from his ability to captivate an audience through a stunning delivery of his perceptive and often wry lyrics. His music is modern and funky.

Sunday June 27

Margaret Bruce**Piano Recital****Walshaw Lodge, Hardcastle Crag****11.30pm (recital begins promptly at 12 noon)****£35 (includes aperitif and lunch with wine or beer.)****Tickets only available in advance)**

Margaret Bruce's musical career has taken her to many parts of the world, appearing as soloist with orchestras ranging from the Royal Philharmonic at the Barbican in London to the Plovdiv Symphony in Bulgaria. Her programme today: J.S.Bach's Partita no 1 in B flat; Mozart's Sonata in F, K 332; Jean Coulthard's *Imagine Terrestre*; Liszt's *Au Bord d'une Source*; Chopin's *Scherzo no 1 in B minor, Op 20*, and, in the presence of the composer, the world premiere of Antonin Tucapsky's *Five Preludes for Piano*, a work specially written for Margaret Bruce.

Afternoon Tea with The Piano Club**Heptonstall Parish Church (bus service 591 and E)****2.30pm (to 4.30pm approx)****£4 (£3)**

Based at Square Chapel in Halifax, The Piano Club meets regularly to play and discuss the classical piano repertoire. The infrequent public concerts are much anticipated, as much for the superb cakes as the wonderful music, which includes works by Debussy, Ravel and Chopin.

**And all the Children Cried****Judith Jones and Bea Campbell****Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge****5.00pm****£5**

A discussion by the authors of this much praised play, *And all the Children Cried*, which dealt with two women in prison for killing children. They will talk about what made a journalist and social worker want to write the play, the political background, and read extracts. A unique opportunity to hear the reasons behind the writing of this play praised by critics. "No play has moved or challenged me more this year" (*Daily Telegraph*). "I never thought I would see a play featuring Myra Hindley that has integrity, but this is it" (*Guardian*).

Martin Sturfalt Piano Recital



Heptonstall Parish Church

8.00pm

£8 (£6); £1 for under 16s

Works by Schubert, Stenhammar, Rachmaninoff and Messaien.

Hailing from Katrineholm in Sweden, Martin Sturfalt studied with Ronan O'Hora and Paul Roberts, and he currently holds a Piano Fellowship at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama. He has won first prize at numerous international piano competitions and has performed throughout Europe, with recent appearances at the London's Wigmore Hall and Purcell Room.

Monday June 28

Did you Used to be R.D.Laing?

Told by Mike Maran. Music by David Milligan

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm (to 9.30pm approx)

£8 (£6)

Mike Maran retells the life and work of RD

Laing - pop-shrink, rebel, yogi, philosopher king, and healer, maybe; with a live jazz score based on the music of Bill Evans, Chick Corea, Keith Jarrett and Chopin. Laing rose to fame spectacularly in the 60s, was more difficult to get hold of than Mick Jagger, opened safe houses where schizophrenics could voyage safely through their madness, retreated to India to meditate and disappeared with the 70s.

"spellbinding" (*The Scotsman*)



Monday cont...

Rhodri Davies**Harp Recital****Heptonstall Parish Church****8.00pm****£8 (£6); £1 for under 16s**

This concert brings together music of the English experimentalists who began their explorations in the 1960s and 70s and music of younger composers who are working in an experimental vein. Rhodri Davies is one of the few harpists working in the field of free improvisation and is widely acclaimed for developing a new and exciting voice for the harp. The programme consists of music by Howard Skempton, Michael Parsons, Laurence Crane, James Saunders and Bryn Harrison.

With financial assistance from the Hinrichsen Foundation and RVW Trust

Tuesday June 29

An Appreciation of Ted Hughes**Donald B Crossley, Nick Wilding, Frank Woolrich****Mytholmroyd Methodist Church, Scout Road** (bus service C or D)**7.30pm (to 9.15pm approx)****£4 (£3)**

Illustrated lecture describing the early days in Bankfields spent with Ted Hughes, together with reflections on Ted in later life. An exploration of the poems in *Remains of Elmet*, at least twenty-one of which are set within a stones-throw of where he was born.

Folk / Roots Night - Double Bill!**Canalside Gallery, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge****8.00pm****£5 (£4)****Fountainhead**

The rich vocal style and heartfelt songs from lead singer Bethany Dowsett infused with sounds from around the world, as guitars and percussion blend fragments of flamenco, folk, country and highlife into beautiful and catchy songs. This is acoustic roots music at its best.

Peadar Long's Rough Mix

Irish musical mayhem from Peadar and guests.

Advance Booking

BOOKING FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE CLEARLY IN BLOCK CAPITALS

(concession price in brackets)

Date	Performance		Price
No Tickets	Total		
19/6	Tea with Mrs P Bollywood Brass	7.50 (5) 11 (9)	
20/6	By Hook or by Crook Lomas and Gittins	5 (3.50) 5	
21/6	Berringden Brow From Penan...	3 (2) 6 (4)	
22/6	Montserrat Batinka	6 (4) 5 (4)	
23/6	Power of Compassion Wiliam Blake	8 (6) 8 (6)	
24/6	Legend of Perseus Cantorelli	5 (3) 6 (4) (1)	
25/6	Young-Choon Park Silver Shoe	8 (6) (1) 5 (4)	
26/6	Nelson/Scaife William Pryor Royd Wordsmiths Jazz Excursions Electronica-fest Ahmed/MY5.0	5 (4) 5 4 (3)(1) 7 (5) 4.50 (3) 9 (6)	
27/6	Margaret Bruce Piano Club All the Children... Martin Sturfalt	35 4 (3) 5 8 (6) (1)	
28/6	R.D.Laing Rhodri Davies	8 (6) 8 (6) (1)	
29/6	Ted Hughes Eve Folk Roots Night	4 (3) 5 (4)	

30/6	Digital Arts Barrie Rutter	4.50 (3) 8 (6)		
1/7	Trade Calder Valley Voices	8 (6) 6 (4)		
2/7	Bowen Quartet Doris & Dinner Ladies	8 (6) (1) 10 (8)		
3/7	Culture & Madness Shapcott & Wills Hepton Singers Sean Hughes R Beaujolias	5 5 6 (4) (1) 10 (8) 9 (6)		
4/7	Women's Century Gay Abandon Sunday 4 July Detroit Spanners	5 6 5 (4) 2		
22/7	Marina Warner	5		
	Total		£	

NB £1 is for 16 years and under

Pots for Plants

A workshop with Sarah McDade

6.30pm to 9.00pm

£7 (including materials). Bookings by phone to Linden Arts Group (01422 844403) after June 7

A practical workshop teaching the skills for making and firing pots for plants. Finished work can be collected by the makers. Age 14+.

An Audience with Barrie Rutter

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden
Bridge

8.00pm

£8 (£6)

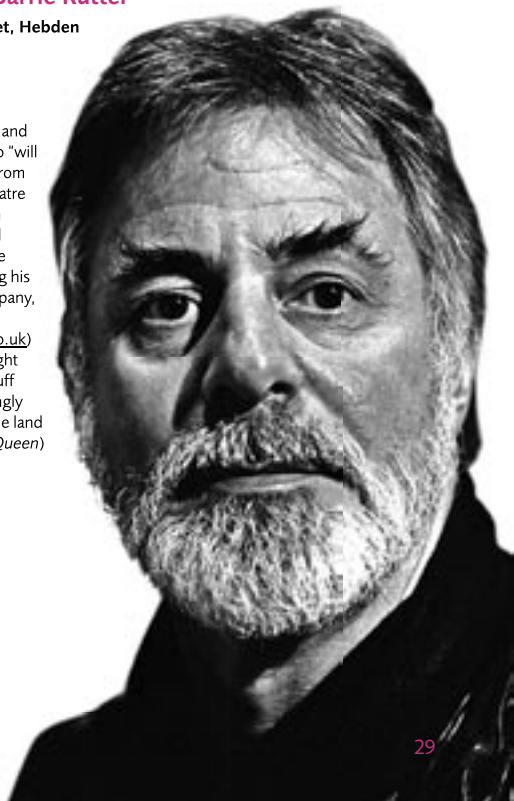
An intimate and entertaining choice of readings, memories and anecdotes from someone who "will always have the gob for it". From the RSC and the National Theatre where he worked closely with Tony Harrison and discovered a passion for performing in the Northern voice, to establishing his ground-breaking theatre company, Northern Broadsides.

www.northern-broadsides.co.uk

See him in full flow for one night only. "He is the archetypal bluff Yorkshireman, a figure seemingly created in its own image by the land which bore him" (*Harpers & Queen*)

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Wednesday cont...

Digital Arts Showcase

St Michael's Church Hall, Mytholmroyd

6.30pm: exhibition

7.30pm to 10.30pm: screenings

£4.50 (£3)

A rare opportunity to experience a wide variety of digital art forms in one evening. Programme includes 'New British Video/Sound Art', (Codec/X Project), live sound/video improvisations, interactive installations and digital short films made in this region. The work on display will be diverse, challenging, abstract, narrative and just plain beautiful. Bar.

Event presented by Digital Arts (North) www.da-n.co.uk with support from Huddersfield University www.des-tech.hud.ac.uk and Yorkshire Forward.



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Thursday July 1

Calder Valley Voices

Hebden Bridge Methodist Church, Bridge Lanes, Hebden Bridge

7.30pm

£6 (£4)

Calder Valley Voices is a community choir based in Hebden Bridge. We are open to everyone. We never audition and we believe everyone can sing. We sing a very diverse range of music, from the Internationale to Abba, but most songs have the theme of peace and justice. We perform locally and nationally with other community choirs.

Trade

A play by Emma Decent

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm (to 9.00pm approx)

£8 (£6)

Four people overlook the canal: a resident of Hebden Bridge; a thirty-something scene-queen; a prostitute; and a man 200 years ago, before the canal is yet built. Trade is a powerful, moving and disturbing piece which explores the impact of time and Ctrade1 on history, and on individual lives.

The Bowen String Quartet

Heptonstall Parish Church

8.00pm (to 10.00pm approx)

£8 (£6); £1 for under 16s

The Bowen has a reputation as one of the country's most innovative and inspirational young quartets. Following their sensational performance in Halifax at the Young Musicians' Festival, tonight they play Haydn's opus 54 no 1, Janacek's first quartet and Brahms's third.

The Bloody Big Soul Band featuring Doris and the Dinnerladies

Picture House, New Road, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm

£10 (£8)

A Festival legend and veritable institution, the twenty-two-strong BBSB was formed in 1997 especially for that year's Festival, and it has been the biggest selling live music show in Hebden Bridge ever since. The greatest songs from the Soul and Tamla Motown era are delivered with energy, style, commitment, and an unlimited supply of good fun. Book this instant!

Bar.

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Saturday July 3

Culture and Madness: On becoming a Fairy Godmother

Sara Maitland, Phil Thomas, Clare Shaw, Rufus May

Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

4.00pm (to 5.30pm approx)

£5 (profit to charity)

We think of madness as unknown, something to be feared. This discussion explores the positive, spiritual and creative aspects of madness, illustrated with readings. Bookstall

Jo Shapcott and Jackie Wills

Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

6.00pm (to 7.00pm approx)

£5

Jo Shapcott, one of Britain's most high-regarded poets and Arc's UK editor, is joined by Jackie Wills, named recently by *Msllexia* as one of the UK's 10 best women poets, in the second of this year's poetry readings presented by Arc Publications. Bookstall.

An Evening with Sean Hughes

Picture House, New Road, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm

£10 (£8)

Comedian, novelist, actor, raconteur Sean Hughes will entertain with his poems, extracts from his novels and sharply witty biographical snapshots. He was the youngest winner of the Perrier Award for Comedy at Edinburgh, spent five years as captain of *Never Mind the Buzzcocks* (BBC2) and appears in *The Last Detective* (ITV) as Mod Lewis, Dangerous Davies' exasperating and very likeable best friend. He has written two novels, *The Detainees* and *It's What He Would Have Wanted*, and will give a preview of the third due out this autumn. Bookstall. Bar.

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Saturday cont...

The Hepton Singers

Directed by Roger Scaife and Alison West

Heptonstall Parish Church

8.00pm

£6 (£4); £1 under 16s

The Hepton Singers is celebrating its 30th anniversary this year. Based in Heptonstall, the choir performs regularly in the parish church. The programme includes the second performance in Heptonstall of 'As the very rocks themselves' by Paul Robinson, which was commissioned in 2000 and first performed in the Hebden Bridge Arts Festival 2001.

Roger Beaujolias Quintet

Mark Lockheart (sax), Robin Aspland (piano), Jeremy Brown (double bass) and Winston Clifford (drums)

Trades Club, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

9.30pm

£9 (£6)

Beaujolias' glassy-toned vibes playing is agile, fresh and inventive, but the arrangements - as well as the Beaujolias originals - are also very distinctive. Roger Beaujolias writes great melodic, hooky themes. Whether stating the melody or playing some delicate fills, his vibes bring a touch of distinction to the set. This is top drawer contemporary British jazz!

Sunday July 4

Mother Holle - a puppet play

Rudolf Steiner Centre, Machpelah Works, Burnley Road, Hebden Bridge

2 perfs: 2.15pm (to 2.45pm approx) & 3.15pm (to 3.45 approx)

A magical fairy tale from the Brothers Grimm told through puppetry, words and music. Suitable for young and old. A collection will be taken.

The Women's Century

A talk by the author, Mary Turner

Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

4.00pm (to 5.00pm approx)

£5

In 1900 women had few rights and no voice - yet within 100 years they had achieved a near-equality with men. Mary Turner will be discussing how this came about and why the 20th century deserves to be called 'The Women's Century'. Bookstall.



Painting by Clement Serveau
(as featured on the front cover of Mary Turner's book)

Gay Abandon

Picture House, New Road, Hebden Bridge

5.00pm (to 6.30pm approx)

£6

This large Leeds based gay choir returns to the Festival with a selection of old and new favourites. Come and join us for a teatime special, tea and cake included.

Sunday the 4th of July

Little Theatre, Holme Street, Hebden Bridge

7.00pm (to 10.00pm approx)

£5 (£4)

The Festival rounds off with an eclectic "run what yer brung" night with artists cherry-picked across a broad spectrum of the performing arts. Including turntable cut-ups, VJing (live, improvised visuals) by Mark Cameron who will be showing an animation loop entitled *lophonic vector projectiles*, piano recital, projected film and photography, site specific multi-speaker acousmatic diffusion, movement, dance, drama, poetry and epic doom. "A once in a lifetime chance to experience such a diverse range of underground artists" (*Room 107, Preston City*).

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The Detroit Spanners

St. Michael's Church Hall, Mytholmroyd

8.00pm (bar opens 7.30pm) to 10.15pm (bar closes 10.30pm)

£2

The Detroit Spanners, a four-piece Indie Rock Band, playing songs from the 50s right up to the present day, with tight melodious music, harmony vocals, and a range of songs from Rock 'n' Roll to classic New Wave tunes.

The Ice Pack

Exponential Aerial Theatre

Calder Holmes Park, Hebden Bridge

10pm (to 10.45pm approx)

free (bucket collection)

An extraordinary aerial fast-moving comedy following the adventures of a fearless gang of thieves as they stumble upon the heist of a lifetime. Incorporating stunning physical skills, this amazing show will bring the Festival to a resounding climax.

Made possible by Arts Council England, Yorkshire.



Happy at least in my way: Paula Rego and Jane Eyre

A talk by Marina Warner

Artsmill, Linden Mill, Linden Road, Hebden Bridge

8.00pm (to 9.00pm approx)

£5

A last chance to see the Paula Rego exhibition (see page 5) before it closes and to hear acclaimed author of prize-winning fiction, criticism and history Marina Warner talk about Paula Rego and her work. Marina has been an influential figure in British feminist writing since the 1970s. Paula Rego is acknowledged to be one of the leading figurative artists at work today. She creates strongly narrative works imbued with a sense of subversive mystery.



Stained glass by Deborah Lowe



Open Gardens > Studios

OPEN GARDENS AND STUDIOS

Treat yourself to hours of delight in glorious gardens and stunning studios soaking up a wealth of local creativity and skill.

Join the mini-bus tour to three gardens in the Pecket Well area on Sunday June 27 at 10.00am or 2.00pm (departing from Festival Shop). Limited space, room for 2 wheelchairs. Early booking recommended. These gardens are opening exclusively for the mini-bus tour. £6.

Full details of all the Open Gardens and Studios including a map will be available from the Festival Shop on Saturday June 5.

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Festival Shop:

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Poetry Shop:

This brilliant installation will open on June 19 at 5.00pm and will then be there for all to use throughout the festival. See details on page 8.

Telephone:

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Advance Booking:

Postal booking opens on Monday May 10. Please complete the booking form in the centre of this programme. Several events are expected to sell out quickly and we therefore recommend early booking to avoid disappointment.

Festival Website:

Check our website at www.hebdenbridge.co.uk/festival for the latest details.

Email Information:

If you would like to be kept in touch with the festival by email complete the form on the box office desk or email the Festival on hbartsfestival@hotmail.com.

Metroline

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Organisation:

This is the eleventh consecutive summer Arts Festival. We are a company limited by guarantee and a registered charity (no. 1070600).

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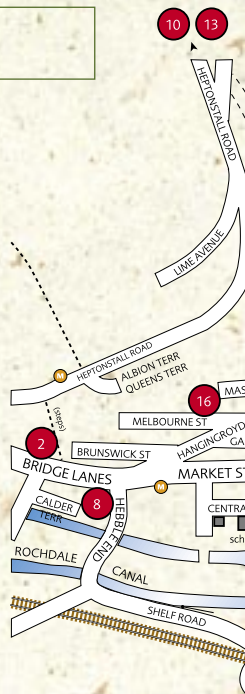
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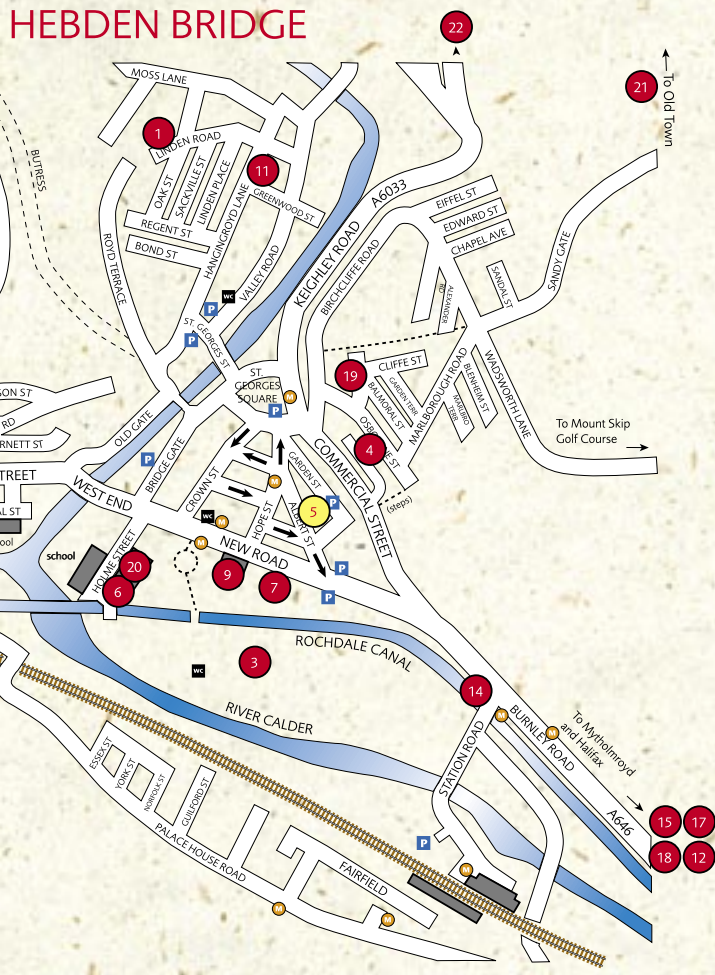
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