

Arts Connect

NEWS LETTER

2024



SPRING INTO SUMMER!

The brokers at Arts Connect would love to wish you all a warm and sunny summer! The clocks have sprung forward; what a perfect time to try something new! Our newsletter has been running for over a year now. If there's anything else you would like to see, more information you'd like, or if you would like a referral, please contact Ruth Bufton at ruthbuftonartsconnect@gmail.com

We also love good news at Arts Connect! Have you attended a class or been involved with an arts organisation that has gone above and beyond to be inclusive? If so, we would love to hear about it. Please email Ruth at the above email address, or let your broker know. Lynn, Angela, Jim, Sally, and Ruth xxx



Meet the Brokers

Angela is an Arts Broker and Artist. Angela loves meeting children, young people and families, particularly at community events. Angela also loves the countryside and messing about with drawing, painting, words and poetry



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These Free Interactive music sessions are in person sessions are for young people aged 10-18 at New Bridge. You can check out some of the amazing music made in our sessions by following any of the bandcamp links on our Facebook page. konnnectaudio.bandcamp.com

To book or for more info info@konnnectaudio.com



Art, Music and Movement Garden

Come and join us at Scotswood Gardens on Saturday afternoons for our family friendly and inclusive outdoor art, music, movement and exploring sessions!

Sessions are free, but booking is essential. We're outside, so wrap up warm/bring sun cream! To book or for any further information contact Sally on: 07808473300

Scotswood Gardens, Yewcroft Avenue,
Newcastle NE15 6TU



Hang Out and Dance

Inclusive sessions of dance, movement and aerial - on a Sunday once per month at Dance City
1 - 2pm for under 12's and 1.15 to 2.15pm for ages 12 - 18

This group has limited places so that we can welcome all abilities and needs. Pre-booking essential - For more info

contact Lynn on

07906854092

£8 per child

To book go to..

www.dancecity.co.uk





Photo Club

Free Inclusive family photography club that uses iPads to create visual art. On at the City Library on the second Saturday of the month.

Contact Lynn on 07906854092 for more information or to book

Baltic Stars @ Baltic Art Gallery
Wed-Sun | 10am-6pm | Free entry

Baltic Stars provides authentic, artist-led opportunities for children and young people with special education needs and disabilities. They encourage children to take creative risks that express individual and group identities and allow them to grow in confidence and self-esteem through new experiences.



Saturday Art Classes

An inclusive art class held on the first Saturday of every month for 10- 15 year olds. If you would like to book or to have an informal conversation with the tutor before attending contact: learning@laingartgallery.org.uk

£5.39 per child

Free Music Therapy

There are many conditions or circumstances that might lead to children and young having difficulty finding avenues for communication. These include learning disabilities, mental health, autism, brain injury, life-limiting illness and trauma or grief. If you or someone close to you might benefit from the power of music making, making a referral is simple.

Further info:
www.nordoff-robbins.org.uk





Cowgate Young Theatre Makers is an exciting new drama group for children and young people from Unfolding Theatre and Projects4Change.

The group will use drama, theatre making, movement and creative writing to create and share stories together. Children and young people interested in off-stage roles such as technicians, sound, lighting and set design are also welcome! The group is open to children and young people aged between 8 and 14 years old.

All sessions will take place at Cowgate Community Centre, NE5 3UT.

Cowgate Young Theatre Makers is a free opportunity but must be booked in advance.

www.unfoldingtheatre.co.uk

*** save the date ***

**Beach Connect
2024**

Tuesday 23rd July

Whitley Bay Beach

more info coming soon!

