

ROTHES HALLS | CARNEGIE HALL | LOCHGELLY CENTRE
ADAM SMITH THEATRE | KIRKCALDY GALLERIES + MUCH MORE

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AUTUMN 2015

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Welcome

I am delighted to introduce our new Autumn season programme – packed with music, drama, comedy, exhibitions and children’s events. Our pantomime production team have an amazing professional cast for both the magical *Peter Pan* and the hilarious *Mother Goose*. I have had a sneak peek at the spectacular costumes and sets and am already singing along with the Christmas music and it is only August! Before then we have a fabulous range of quality events – a few top picks have been selected by our team but there are more than 120 different productions for you to choose from. We hope to welcome you to one of our venues very soon.

Best wishes,
Hazel Wotherspoon, Manager of Theatre and Creative Arts

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Our Top Picks

All of the **Tae Sup Wi' A Fifer** nights look brilliant. I'm a huge fan of Aidan Moffat, Steve Mason and the whole Fence Collective, of which James Yorkston is a member. It's amazing to be able to see these guys in such an intimate setting in Kirkcaldy!

Owen Harrison, Library Assistant, Rothes Halls



There's a really great comedy line-up this autumn. **Daniel Sloss** is a hilarious young local lad made good - what's not to like? His show at Adam Smith is bound to be a hoot! I'm also excited about the appearance of the ever-witty **Jeremy Hardy** at Carnegie Hall, and there's more than a few names worth catching at the jam-packed Fife Comedy Circuit!

Ross Irving, Curator (Collections)

I'm glad to see the return of **Kirkcaldy Film Festival**. I'd particularly recommend *Inside Out*, another tearjerking Pixar classic, and *Slow West*, a magnificent film by Fife's own John Maclean, starring the superb Michael Fassbender. With *Jaws* at the waterfront, a couple of Hitchcock classics and some of Fife's best young filmmakers, this weekend will be one of the highlights of the year!

Irene Smith, Box Office Assistant, Adam Smith Theatre



I'm really looking forward to **The Silver Sword** at Adam Smith - a top quality adaptation of Ian Serrailier's novel, recently named by *The Times* as one of the top 50 children's books of all time. It's a highlight in a season full of great stuff for kids, from **Bear & Butterfly** at Carnegie Hall to the always delightful **TotFest**.

Maggie Gray, Service Development Team Leader, Libraries (Young People)

We're all very excited about the National Theatre Live showing of **Hamlet** at Adam Smith. As young people from Fife it is really exciting to be given the opportunity to see quality nationwide theatre on our doorstep. Benedict Cumberbatch is a fantastic actor and to be able to see him play one of Shakespeare's leading men will be very inspiring.

The Fife Youth Arts Hub Team



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CONNECTING COMMUNITIES



Welcome to our Festival for young children, now in its 5th year. We have brought together some wonderful children's shows that will captivate both little ones and their carers. It's never too early to dip your toes in live theatre! All performances are at 10.30am & 1.30pm, £6.50, conc. £5 unless otherwise stated.

ON AT LOCHGELLY CENTRE | TUE 20 OCTOBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5
ON AT ROTHES HALLS | WED 21 OCTOBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

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YUGEN PUPPET COMPANY

THE FISHERMAN AND THE SEAL



Based on the myths and legends of the Scottish Selkie, Yugen Puppet Company tells the comic tale of a lonely fisherman, falling in love with a seal and how in matters of love things don't always go according to plan.

Using hand crafted puppets and striking shadow silhouettes, with music from the past, Yugen Puppet Company puts its own twist on this - usually tragic - Scottish fairy tale. yugenpuppets.co.uk
Running time: 45 minutes.

ON AT ADAM SMITH THEATRE | SUN 1 NOVEMBER | 11AM - 4PM | FREE
ON AT LOCHGELLY CENTRE | SAT 7 NOVEMBER | 11AM - 4PM | FREE

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TOTFEST FAMILY DAYS



As part of Totfest - Connecting Communities festival this year we are having two Family Days. There will be play areas in the cafes, baby screenings in the theatres and performances in the Studios. [More info at onlife.com/totfest](http://onlife.com/totfest)

ON AT ADAM SMITH THEATRE | THUR 5 NOVEMBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5
ON AT CARNEGIE HALL | FRI 6 NOVEMBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

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RENFREWSHIRE LEISURE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH RIGHT2DANCE

SWOOSH!



Swooshing, twirling, diving, dashing, whirling, jumping, whooshing, splashing.

Come and join Shadow in a brand new, enchanting underwater adventure. *Swoosh* is a multi-sensory, interactive and highly visual theatre performance, incorporating live music, dance, song and film.

"The performance itself was a treat, pitched just right to enrapture babies with the visuals and bigger tots with the age appropriate theme." My Little Shadow audience member.

Running time: 30 minutes with 10 minutes play time at the end.

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ON AT CARNEGIE HALL | TUE 10 NOVEMBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

ON AT LOCHGELLY CENTRE | WED 11 NOVEMBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

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SMALLPETITKLEIN

THE ADVENTURES OF ISABEL

Follow the exciting escapades of the frightfully fearless Isabel as she embarks on an epic adventure, encountering four fearsome foes along the way. Isabel faces many challenges, confronts and overcomes her fears and learns about her emerging independence.

This is a beautiful, funny and hypnotic production that aims to ignite children's imaginations and encourage young minds to wander and explore. It is set within an ever-changing, immersive world that draws young audiences in and allows them to interact with the performance.

Running time: 60 minutes.

ON AT ROTHES HALLS | WED 11 NOVEMBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

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STORY TRAIN WITH ANDY CANNON



The Story Train brings a new word every day; big words, wee words, silly words, sad words and happy words! And every single one of these wonderful words has a story to tell, a story for you to remember; a story for you to tell... So jump on, take your seat and set off on a magical journey aboard the Story Train!

The Story Train has been developed to support young children's creative and language development, with gentle participation and lots of laughs along the way.

Running time: 30 minutes with 10 minutes' play time at the end.

Andy Cannon, formerly of Wee Stories Theatre, is one of Scotland's finest storytellers for children. **"Completely irresistible..."** The Herald

FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

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The Comedy Circuit returns, bringing you both established and up-and-coming comedians. Enjoy a drink, sit back and have a laugh in the Autumn gloaming. There may be strong language. Age 16+

September | 8pm | £12, conc. £11

Topping the bill is **Brendon Burns** with the outrageous **Janey Godley** and the 'properly hilarious' (*What's On London*) **Chris Betts**, adroitly compered by **Raymond Mearns**. Brendon is renowned as a noisy, manic and in-your-face bad boy from Australia. His approach means that he is continually throwing up questions – both of himself and of the audience – on subjects most comedians would shy away from. Raymond Mearns is as quick with his brain as he is with his tongue and ready to dish out a bellyful of laughs to hungry audiences everywhere.

The fun starts at **Adam Smith Theatre** on **Tue 8 September**, goes on to **Roths Halls** on **Wed 9 September** and to **Carnegie Hall** on **Thur 10 September**.



October | 8pm | £12, conc. £11

Jarred Christmas headlines our October line up, appearing with the sparkly **Jen Brister** and Master Gagster **Christopher MacArthur-Boyd**. The funsters are kept in check by comper **Ray Bradshaw**. Jarred's laugh out loud tales are packed with jokes and his ability to improvise and roll with anything that's thrown his way makes his comedy sizzle with originality. Bradshaw is one of the funniest and most exciting new acts on the Scottish comedy scene. Having made his comedy debut in September 2008, he's already a double Scottish Comedian of The Year finalist.

Unwind at **Carnegie Hall** **Tue 6 October**, **Roths Halls** **Wed 7 October** or **Adam Smith Theatre** **Thur 8 October**.



November | 8pm | £12, conc. £11

Getting proceedings underway is the riotous **Lucy Beaumont**, followed by the hard-hitting, side-splitting **John Gavin** and your headline act, Mr Cheeky Chops himself, **Rob Rouse**. Rob's cartoon face and cheeky banter allow him to get away with murder. He is definitely one of comedy's most lively, loveable and dynamic performers. Holding the rabble together will be comper **Scott Gibson**. Glasgow born and bred, Gibson mixes a conversational style with his own brand of dark humour, confidently leading his audience down a path few dare to tread!

Catch the hilarity at **Adam Smith Theatre** **Tue 3 November**, **Roths Halls** **Wed 4 November** or **Carnegie Hall** **Thur 5 November**.



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Box Office open Mon – Sat, 10am – 5.30pm & later on show nights

ON SCREEN

YOUR CINEMA IN KIRKCALDY



Adam Smith Theatre offers a full cinema programme throughout the year with films at the bargain price of £6.50, conc. £5.50 or £5 if you book online! Look out for our ON Screen brochure or visit our website for full cinema listings, featuring blockbusters, independents and family films. Sign up online to receive our ON Screen brochure direct to your inbox.

The Lady Boys of BANGKOK Beauties & the Beats

TUE 1 – SAT 5 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £25, CONC. £22 | AGE 16+

The hottest, funniest production this side of Bangkok is back with a brand new show *Beauties and the Beats*. The show includes 16 of Thailand's most alluring and arresting Lady Boys who are here for a record breaking 17th season! This blazing hot production seamlessly blends comedy and chart topping hits with the beautiful choreography of the Lady Boys to bring you a show like no other!

ladyboysofbangkok.co.uk
[@theladyboys](https://facebook.com/ladyboysofbangkok)

"... simply the best cabaret floor-show you will see at the Fringe or anywhere else, they are simply fantastic!" *Edinburgh Guide*

FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

TUE 8 SEPTEMBER | 8PM

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WED 9 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £17.50

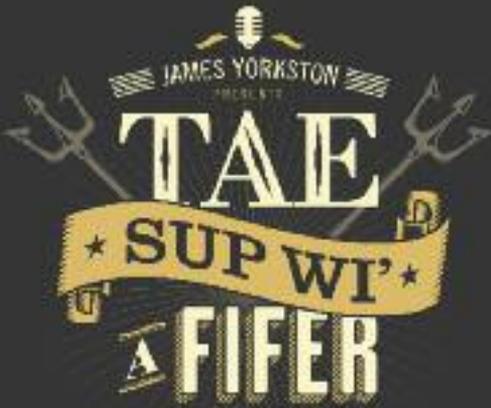
PAULA O'BRIEN A PHONE CALL FROM HEAVEN

Do you ever feel the need to connect with loved ones that have passed away? Even just to know that they are in a better place and to be given the answers you need to help you overcome your grief and move forward. This is your opportunity to be part of the audience when Paula visits Kirkcaldy. Is someone waiting to talk to you and give you messages of comfort and advice to take home?

paulaobrien.net

An Evening with Paula O'Brien is experimental/investigational. There are no guaranteed or certain results and the show is for the purposes of amusement/entertainment.





8PM | £15

Tae Sup Wi' A Fifer is hosted and programmed by Fife's very own James Yorkston.



"The idea behind Tae Sup is quite simple – we're putting together well-kent faces, folk I've met on my musical travels, old friends – just making interesting, entertaining and unusual evenings."

SAT 5 SEPTEMBER

**JAMES YORKSTON
AIDAN MOFFAT & BILL WELLS
SHEENA WELLINGTON
AIDAN O'ROURKE**

Two of Scotland's most charismatic musicians, jazz pianist Bill Wells & ex-Arab Strap vocalist/lyricist Aidan Moffat's first release as a duo *Everything's Getting Older*, won the 2012 Scottish Album of the Year award.

Sheena Wellington is Scotland's leading traditional singer whose repertoire covers everything from Burns to ballads, drawing from the rich Scottish tradition, and Aidan O'Rourke is fiddle player in the magnificent Lau.



SAT 3 OCTOBER

**JAMES YORKSTON | KARINE POLWART
DICK GAUGHAN | LISA O'NEILL**

Karine Polwart's talent for crafting enduring melodies has established her as one of the foremost songwriters on the Scottish and UK folk scenes, and won her multiple accolades, including four BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards.

Glaswegian folk legend Dick Gaughan holds both a BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards Lifetime Achievement accolade and an induction into the Scots Traditional Music Hall of Fame, while Irish singer-songwriter Lisa O'Neill writes truthful, scuffed and unusual slices of folk beauty.



SAT 14 NOVEMBER

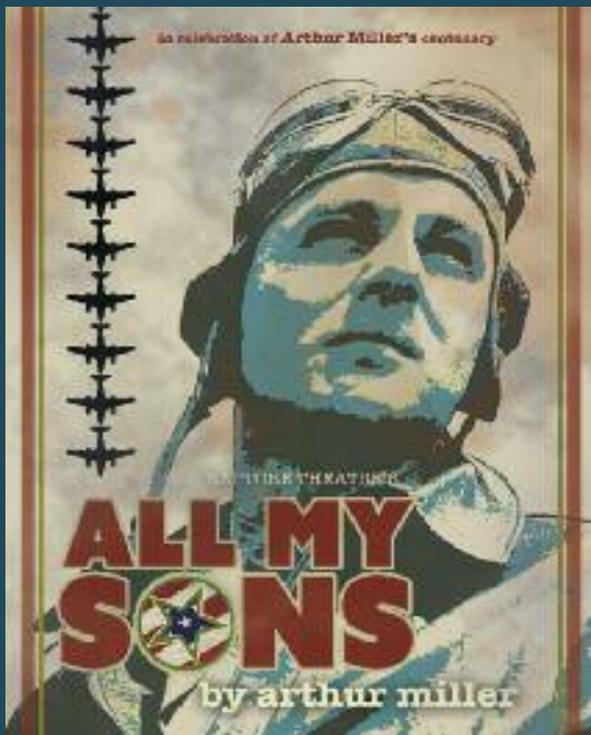
**JAMES YORKSTON | STEVE MASON
RICHARD DAWSON | PIP DYLAN**

Fife singer and songwriter Steve Mason is best known as lead singer in the now disbanded but critically acclaimed Beta Band and is now recording his third solo album for release in 2016. Expect a solo acoustic mix of material from his rich back catalogue.

Richard Dawson's shambolically virtuosic guitar playing decorates songs both chucklesome and tragic, rooted in a febrile imagination, and Pip Dylan is something of an East Neuk celebrity: he's crooned with everyone from King Creosote to KT Tunstall. Not to be missed, a gig from one of the rarest of the Fife hermits.



THUR 10 - SAT 12 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £13, CONC. £11. STUDENT £7.50 | AGE 12+
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12 (FRI & SAT)



RAPTURE THEATRE ALL MY SONS

To celebrate the centenary of Arthur Miller's birth, Rapture Theatre present an exciting new production of this multi-award winning American masterpiece. Set just after the Second World War, in the backyard of Joe and Kate Keller, this gripping and passionate drama ranks as one of the classics of our time.

Joe and Kate try to keep alive the memory of their son Larry, who disappeared in the war, by the planting of a tree in his honour. But Larry's disappearance is not the only part of the family's past that they can't put behind them. Not everybody has forgotten the court case that put Joe's partner in jail or the cracked engine heads Joe's factory produced, which caused the deaths of twenty-one pilots.

Following a stormy night, when Larry's tree is blown down, Joe and Kate's lives are threatened by a series of events that could destroy the very foundations of their lives. With all the excitement of a taut thriller, *All My Sons* is a powerful drama that crackles with emotion and excitement!

The talented cast includes Trudie Goodwin (*The Bill*, *Emmerdale*), Paul Shelley (RSC, National Theatre), Robbie Jack, (*Gary - Tank Commander*) and local Fife actor Michael Moreland.



rapturetheatre.co.uk

BOOSTER CUSHION THEATRE

LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD AND FRIENDS



SAT 12 SEPTEMBER | 11AM & 2PM
£6.50, CONC. £5 | RUNNING TIME 50 MINUTES

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Red Riding Hood is late for the show and her friend must step in to tell the story. In his panic, an engaging mixture of other fairy tales and nursery rhymes become muddled into our plot of *Little Red Riding Hood and Friends*. The children meet Cinderella the pop star, audition to be the vegetarian wolf, dance the conga and rock to Jack's beans.

Tradition is left far behind in this fast, funny show that uses lots of slapstick and child participation. A fine introduction to theatre that presents a variety of fairy tales. Children will be captivated from start to finish.

boostercushiontheatreforchildren.com

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KIRKCALDY
FILM FESTIVAL
2015

Lights, Camera and Action!

Thu 17 – Sun 20 September



“I’m proud to support a festival which brings such a diverse programme of independent cinema and true classics to Kirkcaldy, one that shows film can be inspiring and educational as well as entertaining.”

Dougray Scott, Festival Patron

A weekend full of classic movies, cutting edge independent cinema and industry insights, Kirkcaldy Film Festival returns for a third year. The programme for 2015 is packed with thrills and chills, from a spectacular waterfront showing of *Jaws* and two Hitchcock masterpieces, to Fifer John MacLean’s wonderful *Slow West*. Throw in the new Disney Pixar classic *Inside Out*, the fantastically oddball *Liza, the Fox-Fairy* and the Scottish Premiere of gripping documentary *Pallo* and you’ve got a festival to delight moviegoers of all ages!

Keep up to date at onfife.com/kff2015

‘The lights are going down and the show is about to start, welcome to the third Kirkcaldy Film Festival...’ Alan Morrison, Artistic Director.



NATIONAL THEATRE OF SCOTLAND & LIVE THEATRE

OUR LADIES OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

TUE 22 & WED 23 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £8. YOUNG SCOT/NTS FRIENDS £7.50 | AGE 16+

Based on *The Sopranos* by Alan Warner, adapted by Lee Hall.
Directed by Vicky Featherstone. Music Supervisor Martin Lowe

Adapted from Alan Warner’s brilliant novel, the play follows six girls on the cusp of change. Love, lust, pregnancy and death all spiral out of control in a single day. Warner’s blisteringly funny dialogue ends in fireworks (literally). A musical play about singing, sex and Sambuca with music by Handel, Bach and ELO!

Vicky Featherstone returns to direct at the National Theatre of Scotland, with *Billy Elliot* author, Lee Hall, and music supervisor Martin Lowe (*Once*) to create a tribute to being young, lost and out of control.

Contains adult themes and strong language.



FRI 25 SEPTEMBER | 8PM | £14.50, CONC. £11 | AGE 16+

LIVE NATION IN ASSOCIATION WITH MZA PRESENT

DANIEL SLOSS DARK

WITH SPECIAL GUEST KAI HUMPHRIES

Don't miss the smash-hit new show from Scotland's internationally acclaimed and award-winning comedy half-man-half-Xbox!

Daniel has sold out 8 consecutive Edinburgh Fringe seasons, made TV appearances including *The John Bishop Show*, *Sunday Night at Palladium*, *Russell Howard's Good News*, *Conan O'Brien* (4 times in one year - the first stand-up ever to achieve this), had his own BBC show, co-created online sitcom *M.U.F.F.*, given a 'Tedx' Talk, toured extensively throughout UK, Australia, USA, Europe, won a few awards, released a live DVD and is currently working on his pilot for Warner Brothers Studios...

He's also totally sick of people calling his comedy "dark". danielsloss.com

'Brilliantly dark' Sunday Times

'Brilliant' Mail on Sunday

'Genuinely funny!' Time Out

'Funny, intelligent, charming' ★★★★★ Edinburgh Evening News

THUR 1 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £12, CONC. £10 | AGE 16+

CUMBERNAULD THEATRE

WHAT GOES AROUND

By Liz Lochhead. Directed by Tony Cownie

It's been day one of rehearsals of *La Ronde*, that sophisticated, worldly, once-forbidden hundred-year-old classic, oft called 'a sexual daisy chain'. An actor and an actress, strangers till this morning, sit down together for a drink to break the ice. One thing leads to another...

Sex? The most fun you can have without laughing. Well, when it comes to human beings, you've got to laugh.

Two actors play seven characters in this sparkling contemporary sex comedy. A game of consequences and connections, a riff on modern mores and manners that'll entertain and make you think. Before you make that move? Aye mibbe!



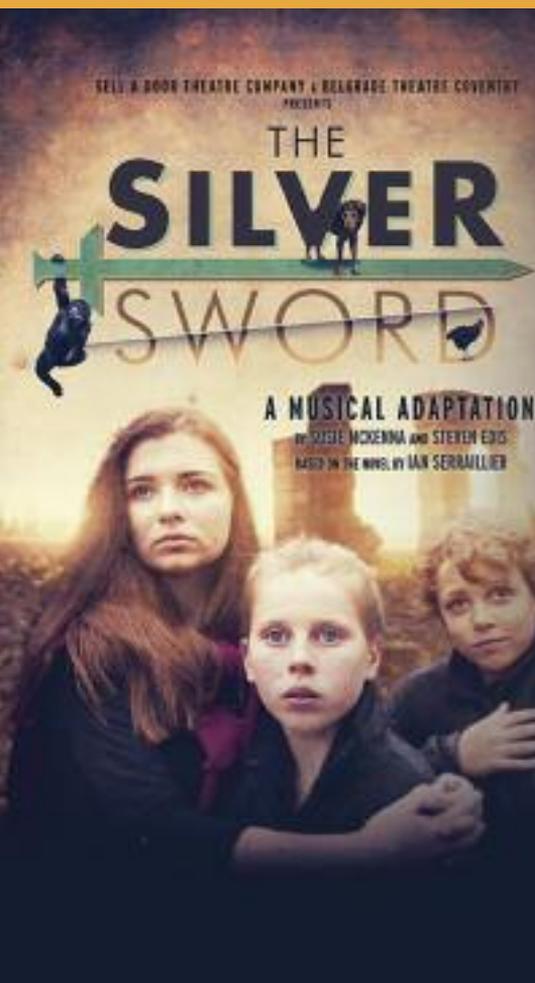
photographer Eoin Carey



SUN 4 OCTOBER | 12 NOON & 4PM | £9, CONC. £7

STAGES DANCE SCHOOL

All the students' hard work during the year culminates in their annual show where the fabulous dancers from Stages Dance School take to the stage, demonstrating their skills in dance and musical theatre. Stages is one of the most up-and-coming dance schools in Kirkcaldy with classes for all ages and the opportunity to gain dance awards and medals.



TUE 6 & WED 7 OCTOBER | 10.30AM & 7.30PM
£12.50, CONC. £10.50. SCHOOLS £8.50 | AGE 8+

SELL A DOOR THEATRE COMPANY
THE SILVER SWORD

A musical adaptation by Susie McKenna and Steven Edis, from the novel by Ian Serrailier.

The Silver Sword was named as one of the top 50 children's books of all time in *The Times*. Set in the immediate aftermath of WW2, we follow the Polish Balicki children as they search for their parents as Europe is divided up and displaced people returned to their homelands.

Join Ruth, Edik and Bronia in this gripping tale of hope against all the odds, as they meet 14 year old Jan - who years before had been given the family's precious Silver Sword by their father as proof he is alive - and that's when the true adventure begins. They cross the paths of people from every nation and animals such as Jimpy the cockerel, Bistro the chimpanzee and Ludvig the dog.

Will they reach Switzerland? Well they have the Silver Sword and that's all the faith they need. This brilliant new production follows on from Sell A Door's previous adaptations of *Journey's End*, *Kidnapped* and last year's marvellous *Sunset Song*.

FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

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SUN 11 OCTOBER | 11AM & 2PM

£6.50, CONC. £5

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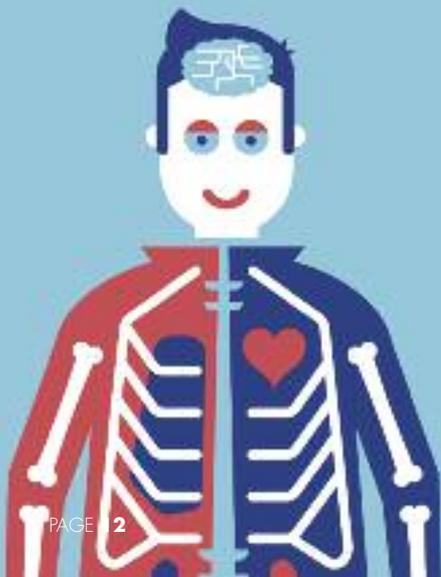
VISIBLE FICTIONS IN ASSOCIATION WITH PLATFORM

FRIENDS ELECTRIC

The Professor has spent her life with robots. She has built them, tested them, broken them and started all over again. The Professor has spent so much time with robots that some people say she has prefers them to humans.

Friends Electric is a magical story about a spark of connection between a human (you) and a robot (like you?).

Discover what makes you human, how our hearts can take over our brains and how our brains can do amazing things. Running time: 50 minutes. friends-electric.co.uk



FRI 16 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £14. EARLY BOOKER £10 UNTIL 31 AUGUST
AGE 18+

ACARI STAGE HYPNOTIST

Comedy hypnotist Acari combines great talent and showmanship in a hilarious and outrageous show. As a member of the Federation of Ethical Stage Hypnotists, Acari is adamant about not embarrassing anyone as he guides them through a unique and hilarious programme using the power of suggestion. Prepare to be entranced by a performance packed with special effects, music and props.

'It's funny, raucous and outrageous. He is a master of his craft.'
Evening Telegraph

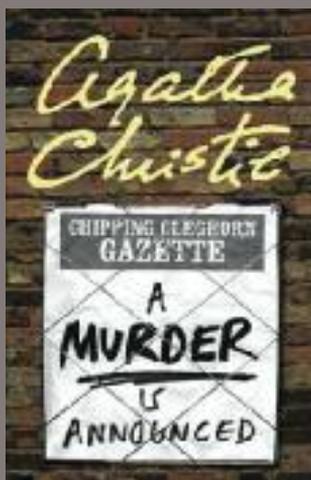
This show, Acari - Stage Hypnotist, is experimental. There are no guaranteed or certain results and the show is for the purposes of amusement/entertainment.

SAT 17 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £11, CONC. £9

FIFE STRATHSPEY & REEL SOCIETY

40TH ANNIVERSARY FIDDLERS' RALLY

This year's Rally will feature East Fife Ladies Choir and Freereelin' Ceilidh Band as the guest performers at the special 40th Anniversary celebrations. Join us for a wonderful evening of traditional music and songs for all the family, with musicians from all over Scotland. This year's chosen charity is the Kirkcaldy YMCA. They provide opportunities for young people helping with volunteering programmes and bettering chances of employment. They also run music programmes for juniors/seniors and organise other social activities for those who may not get the opportunity otherwise.



THUR 22 - SAT 24 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £10

KIRKCALDY AMATEUR DRAMATIC SOCIETY

A MURDER IS ANNOUNCED

By Agatha Christie

KADS present this fiendishly ingenious murder mystery. A determined Inspector follows the twists and turns of the plot while Miss Marple is on hand to solve the mystery. In the year of KADS' 40th Anniversary we are pleased to welcome back some "old" faces together with some "new", both on stage and off.

TUE 27 & WED 28 OCTOBER

7.30PM NIGHTLY; WED 10.30AM

£12.50, CONC. £10.50. SCHOOLS £8.50 | AGE 12+

**BLACKEYED THEATRE IN ASSOCIATION
WITH SOUTH HILL PARK AND
EASTBOURNE THEATRES PRESENTS
THE WORLD PREMIERE OF**

THE GREAT GATSBY

By F. Scott Fitzgerald. Adapted by Stephen Sharkey

Immersing you in the decadence of America's 'Jazz Age', *The Great Gatsby* is brought to life in this sizzling new stage adaptation from nationally acclaimed Blackeyed Theatre.

Recreating the sights, sounds and feel of America's 'Roaring Twenties' as seen through the eyes of Nick Carraway, F. Scott Fitzgerald's masterpiece is a brilliant evocation of a society obsessed with wealth and status. Adapted by Stephen Sharkey, whose work includes *The May Queen* (Liverpool Everyman) and *The Resistible Rise Of Arturo Ui* (Liverpool Playhouse/Nottingham Playhouse), this new production features fabulous live music alongside the timeless language of Fitzgerald's Great American Novel to create a truly fresh and inspiring theatrical experience.

The press on Blackeyed Theatre's *Not About Heroes*:
"Exhaustingly emotive" ★★★★★The Stage
"Superb" ★★★★★The Public Reviews

blackeyedtheatre.co.uk





“A tragic thriller full of contemporary resonances... a brilliant polemic against our cruel desire to pre-judge sexual scandals; some bright young button at the BBC should snap up this script.”
Lloyd Evans, *The Spectator*

FRI 30 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £12.50, CONC. £10.50
AGE 14+

AN EDEN COURT, COMAR AND ED LITTLEWOOD PRODUCTIONS CO-PRODUCTION

HECTOR

by David Gooderson

MILITARY MASTERMIND. SCOTTISH HERO. VICTORIAN IDOL. MEDIA MARTYR.

Based on the true story of a crofter's son who became a Knight of the Realm and Queen Victoria's favourite general, this touching drama shines new light on the Scottish legend and fallen hero Sir Hector MacDonald.

Rising from humble beginnings through the ranks of the British Army, he became a hero of the Battle of Omdurman. Following his appointment as Commander of Ceylon, allegations of scandalous liaisons surfaced.

But was he guilty? Or was he the victim of a plot fabricated by an English Establishment to remove a Gaelic-speaking upstart who got above himself?

FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

TUE 3 NOVEMBER | 8PM

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Fife Opera presents

Faust

Charles Gounod

WED 4 - SAT 7 NOVEMBER | WED - FRI 7.15PM; SAT 2.15PM
£15, CONC. £13. CHILD £7

FIFE OPERA FAUST

Following the success of last year's production of *Carmen*, Fife Opera returns with Gounod's masterpiece, *Faust*. A fantastic line up of soloists, chorus, children's ensemble and orchestra bring this epic tale of Faust's bargaining with the devil to life. This exciting new production, full of recognisable melodies like the beautiful jewel song and rousing soldiers' chorus, promises to be a great night out for all.



THUR 12 NOVEMBER | 8PM | £17.50 | AGE 16+

AVALON PRESENTS

CHRIS RAMSEY

ALL GROWED UP

Critically acclaimed stand-up comedian, *Celebrity Juice* regular, star of BBC2's *Hebburn*, and the man who once got pizza delivered to a moving train embarks on his biggest stand-up tour yet! Following sell-out runs of his last three UK tours, Chris is back with a brand new show for 2015. Join him as he explores getting older, finding yourself, taking responsibility, realising you are no longer a child and all of the other terrifying realisations that come with being dragged kicking and screaming into modern adulthood. chrisramseycomedy.com

SISTER ACT

MON 16 - SAT 21 NOVEMBER

NIGHTLY 7.15PM; SAT MAT 2.30PM | £14

**KIRKCALDY AMATEUR
OPERATIC SOCIETY**

SISTER ACT

Sister Act is the feel-good musical comedy, featuring original music by Tony® and 8-time Oscar® winner Alan Menken. It tells the hilarious story of Deloris Van Cartier, a wannabe diva whose life takes a surprising turn when she witnesses a crime and the cops hide her in the last place anyone would think to look - a convent. Under the suspicious watch of Mother Superior, Deloris helps her fellow sisters find their voices as she unexpectedly rediscovers her own. A sparkling tribute to the universal power of friendship, *Sister Act* is reason to Rejoice!

National Theatre Live

LIVE BROADCASTS

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SUN 6 SEPTEMBER | 7PM | 12A

The Beaux' Stratagem Encore Screening

The 'Beaux': Mr Aimwell and Mr Archer are two charming, dissolute young men who have blown their fortunes in giddy London. Shamed and debt-ridden, they flee to provincial Lichfield. Their 'Stratagem': to marry for money.

Lodged at the local inn, posing as master and servant, they encounter a teeming variety of human obstacles - a crooked landlord, a fearsome highwayman, a fervent French Count, a maid on the make, a drunken husband, a furious butler, a natural healer and a strange, turbulent priest. But their greatest obstacle is love. When the Beaux meet their match in Dorinda and Mrs Sullen they are most at risk, for in love they might be truly discovered.

Simon Godwin (*Man and Superman*) directs George Farquhar's wild comedy of love and cash.

THUR 24 SEPTEMBER | 7PM | 12A

Coriolanus Encore Screening

National Theatre Live's 2013 broadcast of the Donmar Warehouse's production of *Coriolanus* returns to cinemas by popular demand.

Shakespeare's searing tragedy of political manipulation and revenge, *Coriolanus* features an Evening Standard Award-winning performance from Tom Hiddleston (*The Avengers*, *War Horse* (film), BBC's *The Hollow Crown*) in the title role, directed by the Donmar's Artistic Director Josie Rourke. When an old adversary threatens Rome, the city calls once more on her hero and defender: Coriolanus. But he has enemies at home too. Famine threatens the city, the citizens' hunger swells to an appetite for change, and on returning from the field Coriolanus must confront the march of realpolitik and the voice of an angry people.

THUR 15 OCTOBER | 7PM | 12A

Hamlet NT Live

Academy Award® nominee Benedict Cumberbatch (BBC's *Sherlock*, *The Imitation Game*, *Frankenstein* at the National Theatre) takes on the title role of Shakespeare's great tragedy.

Directed by Lyndsey Turner (*Posh*, *Chimerica*) and produced by Sonia Friedman Productions.

As a country arms itself for war, a family tears itself apart. Forced to avenge his father's death but paralysed by the task ahead, Hamlet rages against the impossibility of his predicament, threatening both his sanity and the security of the state.



MON 7 DECEMBER - SUN 3 JANUARY

Mother Goose

Written by
Alan McHugh

Directed by
Jonathan Stone

Starring
Billy Mack

A Family Panto
Eggstravaganza!



“The best panto I have ever seen.”

Fife Free Press
Little Mermaid 2013

Join us in this goose-tastic version of the pantomime classic. Mother Goose is no bonny, and dreams of being rich and beautiful. Join her on her adventure with her pet goose Priscilla as they try to find the Fountain of Youth in a dangerous journey.

With all the features you know and love from Adam Smith Theatre's celebrated pantos, and more than a few surprises along the way, *Mother Goose* promises fabulous fun, colourful costumes and showstopping tunes and, of course, Kirkcaldy's Queen of Panto, the one and only **Billy Mack** as Mother Goose in full feathersome glory! A family pantomime that will delight and enthrall all ages.

Performances

DECEMBER				
Mon 7			7pm	🚫🚫 Tickets £10
Tue 8			7pm	Sale Night
Wed 9	10am		7pm	Sale Night
Thur 10	10am		7pm	
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Mon 21		2pm	7pm	
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Thur 24		2pm	7pm	🚫🚫 Premium Shows
Fri 25	MERRY CHRISTMAS!			
Sat 26		2pm	7.30pm	Party Night
Sun 27		2pm	7pm	🚫🚫
Mon 28		2pm	7pm	🚫🚫
Tue 29		2pm	7pm	🚫🚫
Wed 30		2pm	7pm	🚫🚫
Thur 31		2pm		
JANUARY				
Fri 1	HAPPY NEW YEAR!			
Sat 2		2pm	7.30pm	Party Night
Sun 3		2pm	7pm	

High Teas

Join us in the Fluffy Feathers Café Bar for a delicious High Tea for only £12, Children £5. Available on selected performances and for Group bookings on request.

Tickets

Adults **£17.50**
Children & Concessions **£13.50**

Family Ticket (4)
£56 (Max 2 adults)

Premium shows **All seats £16**

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All seats £12.50

Opening Night
All seats £10

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Groups 10+ **£13.50**
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FRI 4 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £12, CONC. £10 | AGE 12+

BLACK IS THE COLOR OF MY VOICE

Written and performed by Apphia Campbell
Directed by Arran Hawkins and Nate Jacobs

Direct from sell-out performances in Shanghai, New York and at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, Apphia Campbell embarks on her debut UK tour.

Inspired by the life of Nina Simone, *Black Is The Color Of My Voice* follows a successful jazz singer and civil rights activist seeking redemption after the untimely death of her father. She reflects on the journey that took her from a young piano prodigy destined for a life in the service of the Church, to a renowned jazz vocalist at the forefront of the Civil Rights Movement.

“Campbell may wear Simone’s trademark head wrap, but her performance goes beyond mere impersonation.” ★★★★★ *The Times*

“Apphia Campbell is nothing short of sensational... she will make you cheer for her, smile with her and then sting your eyes with tears.” ★★★★★ *Broadway Baby*



SAT 5 & SUN 6 SEPTEMBER | 10.30AM & 1.30PM
£6.50, CONC. £5
PREVIEW SAT 10.30AM – ALL TICKETS £5

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SHONA REPPE MAGIC SHO

ABRACADABRA!

Magic Sho waves her magic wand and a small white rabbit suddenly appears.

She sees the rabbit in half.

She levitates him under a silk handkerchief.

She puts him into a velvet bag before (magically) making him whole again*.

It's all going really well – so why does the rabbit look so unhappy?

A brand new show for children featuring a rabbit who never misses a trick and a magician who sometimes forgets to say the magic word.

**Please note: No rabbits (not even toy ones) are harmed in this show.*
shonareppe.co.uk



FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

THUR 10 SEPTEMBER | 8PM

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AMERICANA DOUBLE BILL

SAT 12 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £12

BETTY AND THE BOY WITH SHEESHAM AND LOTUS & SON

Betty and The Boy With banjo, guitar, mandolin and a variety of other sounds, these songsters will steal your heart with memorable and haunting ballads about love and loss. **“As the old and new worlds collide, musical forms get deliciously twisted into something highly original and thoroughly enjoyable.”** Simon Holland, Folk Radio UK

Sheesham and Lotus' commitment to the preservation of music and tradition of the past is indelible. At the core of their show is a repertoire based on their love of the American fiddle tune, joyously played with banjo and subsequently, a startling array of traditional and non-trad instruments. Check out clips at onfife.com **“Lovely sepia-tinted music – I absolutely love it.”** Bob Harris – BBC Radio 2



WED 16 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £14

TINA MAY & NIKKI ILES

Tina May is one of the UK's finest jazz singers. With pianist Nikki Iles she has an understanding that is much more than that of singer and accompanist: they are a team who respond to each other spontaneously and create magic in the moment.

They perform a wide variety of songs from after-hours intimacy to up-tempo swingers, the Great American Songbook to the chanson of Edith Piaf to blues and bossa nova and into the contemporary canon of Earth Wind & Fire and Steely Dan's Donald Fagen. An evening of superbly satisfying and thoroughly entertaining jazz. Have a listen yourself at onfife.com



THUR 17 SEPTEMBER | 3PM & 7.30PM £12, CONC. £10 | AGE 12+
LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE - EARLY BOOKING ESSENTIAL

POORBOY

PIRATES AND MERMAIDS

Directed by Sandy Thomson

Pirates and Mermaids is an international story told on a very human scale. Cameron is in NYC. Eilidh lives in Scotland. The technology in their pockets keep them constantly in touch, but you can't hold someone in your arms over Skype and a text doesn't show you someone's smile.

This is an uplifting and surprising show about true love, family advice, favourite sweets and what whisky can do to you. It interweaves the experience of its far flung protagonists with the folk tale of *The Selkie* - their bedtime story when they were children. Performed by Jeremiah Reynolds who was nominated for Best Solo Performer by Stage Award.

'Beautifully believable, there was a genuine tear in my eye.'

★★★★ *Three Weeks*

Poorboy have been making world class theatre since 2002. Their work has been included in the prestigious Made in Scotland International Showcase with the Sma Room Séance appearing in 2014.



FRI 18 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £19, CONC. £18 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



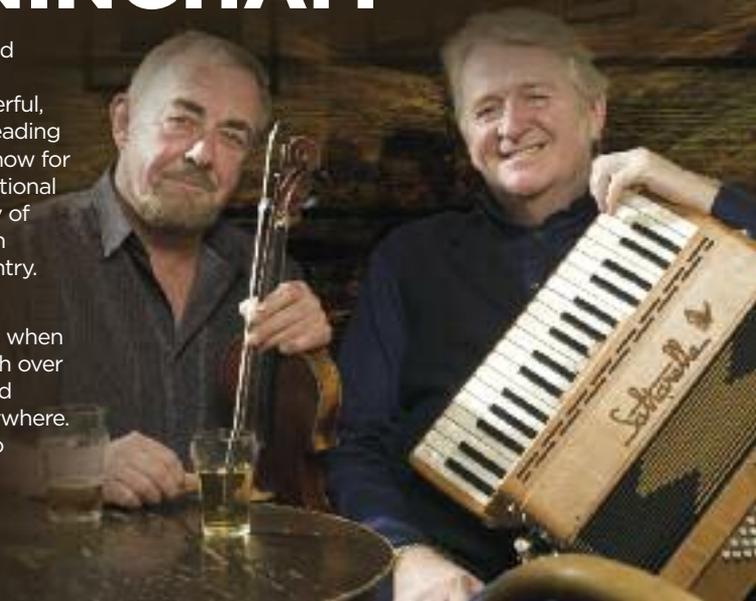
ALY BAIN & PHIL CUNNINGHAM

Phil & Aly, two of Scotland's most acclaimed traditional musicians have been delighting audiences across Scotland with their masterful, versatile and amusing performances and leading us in the dance on BBC's live Hogmanay show for over two decades. They have become a national institution with their incomparable mastery of fiddle and accordion, bringing excellence in traditional music to venues across the country.

Individually they pursue other ventures in performance, television and education. It is when they tour together that they truly shine with over quarter of a century of well-honed skills and hilarious banter delighting audiences everywhere. So please be upstanding and welcome two musical giants back to Carnegie Hall.

philandaly.com

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SAT 19 SEPTEMBER

7.30PM | £18.50 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



THE CAVERN BEATLES

In February 1961 The Beatles made the first of their 292 appearances at the now legendary Cavern Club in Liverpool. Over 50 years on, The Cavern Beatles have a new cast bringing to the stage the music that has influenced three generations.

The Cavern Beatles' attention to detail and accuracy produces a fully authentic representation of the hits and album tracks you know and love, played on genuine 1960s instruments completely live, with no backing tracks.

The band's members are hugely dedicated Beatles fans, intent on recreating their individual character to an unprecedented standard, involving hours of study and rehearsal and The Cavern Beatles are widely regarded as being as close to the real thing as you are ever likely to see.

cavernbeatles.com



THUR 24 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £12, CONC. £10

ICARUS THEATRE COLLECTIVE

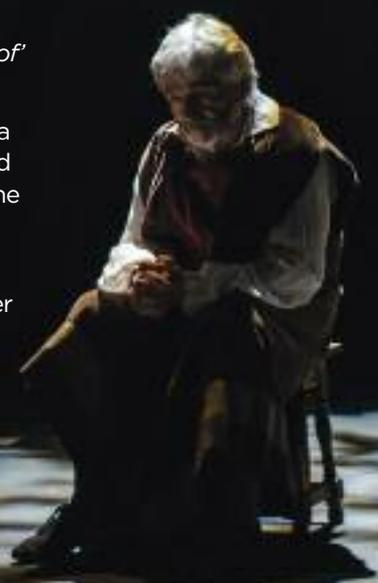
THE TRIALS OF GALILEO

"The Universe is a divine miracle Galileo, not a clockwork toy! 'Proof' denies faith, and without faith we are nothing."

This reprimand by Pope Urban is contained in Galileo's tragedy – a mistaken belief that if he supplied the Church with proof, he would enlighten the world while escaping persecution. He understood the science better than any man alive, but never grasped the politics. Until it was too late.

After premiering in Indianapolis in 2008 this one-man rollercoaster stars Tim Hardy (professor at RADA, veteran of The Royal Shakespeare Company, and star of major European tours) and is written by Emmy Award winner Nic Young.

icarustheatre.org



SAT 26 SEPTEMBER | 7PM | £12, CONC. £10 | AGE 14+

SOLAR BEAR

TRIBES

by Nina Raine. Directed by Gerry Ramage

Tribes is a biting yet poignant drama about love, family and finding one's voice.

Billy is a young man born deaf and raised in a loud, opinionated family and yet his parents and siblings never bothered to learn sign language, meaning Billy had to adapt to a hearing world.

When he meets Sylvia, a young woman from a deaf family who introduces him to Deaf Culture, Billy suddenly feels confidence and a sense of belonging to a 'tribe' he's never known before.

This production is presented by Solar Bear Theatre Company who work to make theatre accessible for everyone. Artistic Director, Gerry Ramage will direct this contemporary family drama.

This performance is accessible to deaf and hearing audiences and will have captioning. Contains strong language.

JAZZ IN *Tiffany's*

TUE 29 SEPTEMBER | 8PM | £12, CONC. | £10

THE BEN COX BAND

We are delighted to bring this young band to Carnegie Hall, with their stylish jazz and singer songwriter influenced tunes. James Taylor, Neil Young, Joni Mitchell and Tony Bennett all feature as major influences on the songwriting team and the band will play their songs as well as their original tunes. It's been an outstanding year, with a debut album, BBC Maida Vale session, Cheltenham & Scarborough Jazz Festivals and sold out shows at Ronnie Scott's.

'fresh new vocal jazz music.' Jamie Cullum

'I think we may have found the best new jazz talent to emerge from the UK. Highly recommended.'

Liane Carroll



WED 30 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £12.50, CONC. £10

CHRISTINE BOVILL'S PIAF

Marking the centenary of Edith Piaf's birth, Christine Bovill will be performing her award-winning show with nothing but a voice, singing of life's triumphs and tragedies. The show is a powerful theatrical homage to one of France's most endearing icons; celebrating some of her best-known songs, threaded with Piaf's story, and Christine's own remarkable journey in the world of chanson.

An award-winning songwriter in her own right, Bovill has toured throughout Europe with her self-penned homage to the Little Sparrow, appearing on BBC Newsnight and on BBC Radio 4's series, *Soul Music*. During her Edinburgh Fringe sell-out run at the Famous Spiegeltent, Bovill realised a lifelong dream when she shared the stage with Charles Dumont, great friend of Piaf and, most famously, composer of *Non, Je ne Regrette Rien*. Piaf was awarded the Fringe laurels for Total Sell Out Show 2011 and 2012. It received 5 STAR reviews from some of the most respected publications (including The Scotsman).



THUR 1 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £15, CONC. £12

AN EVENING OF SCOTTISH MUSIC IN AID OF PARKINSON'S UK

PARKINSON'S^{UK}

Gaberlunzie have been at the forefront of Scottish Folk music since the early 70s and with the release of their 25th album, *Of A' The Airts*, are still going strong. They bring their blend of music and humour to this show and their rousing style and banter ensures a great night's entertainment which has been enjoyed by audiences in Canada, the USA and all over Europe.

Compere for the evening is popular funny Fifer, Bert Allan. Also starring are vocalists Odette Clark and Jim Foster and the renowned Allana Brown School of Dance who will provide some superb Highland dancing. Musical Director is Glenrothes based accordionist Derek Muir.



FRI 2 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £12

JERRY HERMAN'S GIRLS

A musical evening with West End star Donna Hazelton accompanied by internationally acclaimed Musical Director, Arranger and Conductor Simon Beck.

The work of multi Tony award-winning composer and lyricist Jerry Herman (*Hello Dolly!*, *Mame*, *Mack and Mabel* and *La Cage Aux Folles*) has been an inspiration for many of the female icons of our generation. Join Donna and Simon as they bring you a selection of Jerry's best loved music as well as songs made famous by the fantastic artists who covered his work.



SUN 4 OCTOBER | 1PM & 3.30PM
£12, CONC. £11. FAMILY (4) £44

FUNBOX

PIRATES AND PRINCESSES

Pirates and Princesses is the brand new show from Anya, Kevin and Gary (formerly of the Singing Kettle).

The magical Funbox contains everything you need to sing a song and have an adventure, but it won't open without the special keys. But all the keys have been lost at sea. Using an old treasure map can we find the keys and still be home in time for tea?

Anya, Gary and Kevin are joined on this escapade by their furry friend, Bonzo the Dog, as well as a host of new characters. Everyone can help out in this truly interactive adventure. Family favourite singalong songs like *Over The Irish Sea*, *Eely Ally O*, *There Was a Princess Long Ago*, *My Bonnie Lies Over The Ocean* and *What Shall We Do with The Drunken Sailor*, alongside brand new songs, will entertain and enthral kids of all ages, from nought to ninety.

Dress up and join in the fun, come as a pirate, a princess or a pirate princess! Who knows, you may even get the chance to help us on stage. Get ready to find those keys, unlock the box and release the fun.

funbox.co.uk



FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

TUE 6 OCTOBER | 8PM

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THUR 8 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £10

MUSIC IN *tiffany's*

HIMMERLAND

FEATURING SCOTTISH FIDDLER EILIDH SHAW

Himmerland is a new Danish folk/roots band inspired by the exciting and varied cultures of five traveling musicians, each carrying very different life stories and traditions in their rucksacks. They come from Poland, Ghana and three regions of Denmark - Bornholm (an island in the Baltic Sea), Copenhagen, and Northern Jutland.



They met for the first time at the Halkær Festival in the beautiful wide-skied northern part of Jutland called Himmerland, in Denmark. They played at 'Summartóner', a Faroese festival for new music and had such a great experience that they decided to form the band Himmerland, naming it after the place where they first came together. They compose their own music and infuse it with all the different traditions that run in their blood. They represent a Denmark where people from around the world can meet, live together and all contribute to a sweetly simmering cultural melting pot. himmerland.it

FRI 9 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £14.50, CONC. £13 | AGE 16+

MZA & CHILL PRODUCTIONS PRESENT

CRAIG HILL PLAYING WITH MY SELFIE!



Get snap happy with Scotland's favourite kilted treasure for an evening of gloriously camp, no-holds-barred comedy... live and unleashed! Hot on the heels of last year's hysterically funny, sold out national tour, don't miss the chance to see Craig flashing his kilt pins, striking a pose and calling for 'Lights, Camera... and, most definitely, Action!'

The Independent has raved that Craig was 'Riotously funny... he's that rare thing, a naturally funny comedian' and we absolutely agree! Book early for this deliciously wicked evening of pure, unadulterated fun. Bring your Auntie... Bring your Hubby... Bring your Selfie!

'Absolutely hilarious!... A laugh-out-loud performance from beginning to end... An hour with Hill makes for a cracking show... Irresistible!' ★★★★★ (List)

'Funny as hell.' (Scotland on Sunday)

'Class. Risque, rib-tickling and absolutely screaming from the rafters... Hill actually has to wait until the audience stop laughing before he can start again. It's absolutely hilarious.' (Evening News)

'Hill had everyone in hysterics!' ★★★★★½ (Adelaide Advertiser)

www.mrcraighill.com

SAT 10 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £19.50, CONC. £18.50 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12

BUDDY HOLLY & THE CRICKETERS



23 YEARS OF ROCK 'N' ROLLING THE WORLD!

This show is a wonderful mix of Buddy's hits and other rock 'n' roll classics with improvised comedy hosted by some of the finest actor-musicians in the business, whose combined credits include hit West End shows *Buddy*, *Lennon*, *Forbidden Planet* and *Jailhouse Rock*. It was endorsed as Britain's most popular Buddy Holly show when the boys guested on BBC One's Saturday night live programme, *The One and Only*, hosted by Graham Norton.

Whatever the season, whatever the excuse to party, make your Heartbeat a little faster with the show that has thousands of fans the world over saying: "I can't believe it's not Buddy!"

'A fast and furious rock 'n' roll performance you will never forget.' *Bournemouth Echo*





OCTOBER HOLIDAY FUN!

SAT 10 OCTOBER | 11AM & 2PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

VISIBLE FICTIONS IN ASSOCIATION WITH PLATFORM

FRIENDS ELECTRIC



Sometimes it takes something extraordinary to show you what it means to be human. Sometimes you have to forget what you know and trust the gut feeling in your belly.

Friends Electric is a magical story about a spark of connection igniting between a human (you) and a robot (like you?).

Discover what makes you human, how our hearts can take over our brains and how our brains can do amazing things. *Running time 50 minutes.*

friends-electric.co.uk

age
7+

THUR 15 OCTOBER | 11.30AM & 2.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

THEATRE HULLABALOO & THEATRE BY THE LAKE

BEAR & BUTTERFLY



One day, Bear's life changes forever when, deep in the branches of the tree he hears the munching and a-crunching of a bright green Caterpillar. They become the best of friends. But one day Caterpillar stops munching and looks sick. Bears lays him on a pile of dry leaves and promises that he'll get better soon. Bear fears that he will lose his friend but, as if by magic, Caterpillar grows and stretches and from the leaves emerges a beautiful butterfly. Can Bear come to terms with this new version of his friend who flies high above the tress and has stories of his own? Puppety, live music and beautiful storytelling combine in this charming tales about love, loss and friendship. *Running time: 50 minutes.*

Theatrehullabaloo.org.uk/bear-and-butterfly

age
4+

SUN 18 OCTOBER | 1.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5

THE PEOPLE'S THEATRE COMPANY

HOW THE KOALA LEARNED TO HUG



Koalas are the cuddliest critters, but just how did they learn to hug? There's only one way to find out. Come and hear Karen The Koala tell her story in this fun filled family musical, written especially for parents to enjoy with their children.

Based on the book by Steven Lee, this charming production is all about the magic of family and, of course, the importance of a nice warm hug! Join Steven and a host of wild characters including Natascha the Witch, the reggae beavers and Karen the Koala for some great stories, sing along songs, and superb games. All you need are your ears. (And your arms!) *Running time: 60 minutes.*

'A perfect introduction to theatre for children, full of audience participation and feel-good factor.' ★★★★★ *Sheffield Star*

age
3+

THUR 15 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £17.50



THE GRANDMOTHERS OF INVENTION

(FEATURING ORIGINAL
FRANK ZAPPA MUSICIANS)

The only Frank Zappa/Mothers of Invention alumni who have been consistently performing the music of the maestro since 2003. From the classic *Freak Out*, *Absolutely Free*, *We're Only In It For The Money*, *Uncle Meat* and *Burnt Weeny Sandwich*, to *Weasels Ripped My Flesh*, *Apostrophe*, *The Grand Wazoo*, *Overnite Sensation*, *Roxy & Elsewhere*, *Bongo Fury* and *One Size Fits All* – they have performed on a very long list of classic Frank Zappa & the Mothers of Invention's albums, movies, and other projects.

Rare are the musicians who can even play Zappa's music, let alone make it live and breathe. The GrandMothers go deeper into the material, rather than merely parroting Zappa's notoriously tricky composed lines-as many try to do. With three different Zappa eras represented, the GrandMothers have a wide palette of material to choose from. They serve up vintage psychedelia – rock songs with surreal lyrics, jazz-like harmonies and melodic complexity, with flashes of wacky satire.

grandmothersofinvention.com

FRI 16 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £12

AIDAN MOFFAT & BILL WELLS

Two of Scotland's most characterful musicians, jazz pianist Bill Wells and ex-Arab Strap vocalist/lyricist Aidan Moffat's first release as a duo, *Everything's Getting Older*, won the 2012 Scottish Album of the Year award. Both this album and recent follow-up *The Most Important Place In The World* showcase their extraordinary musical intuition, with Moffat speaking, snarling and singing his candid tales along to Wells' exquisite and empathetic jazz-inflected melodies, touching on electro-pop, Caledonian gospel and the tuxedo seductions of Bacharach and David.



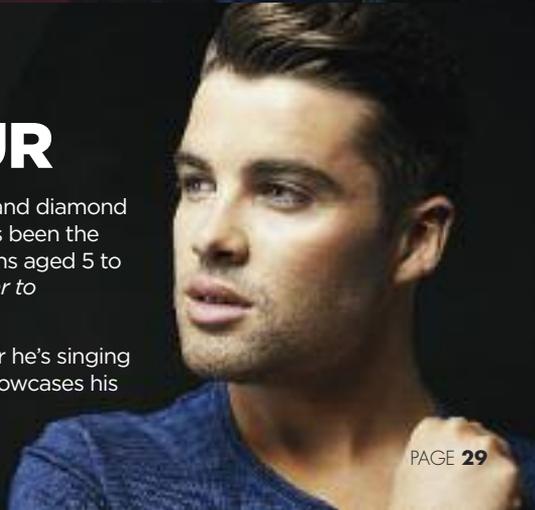
SAT 17 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £19.50, CONC. £18.50 U-16 £16

JOE MCELDERY THE EVOLUTION TOUR

Joe McElderry is the *X Factor* Golden boy with the 24-carat voice and diamond personality. Since storming to victory in the 2009 *X Factor*, Joe has been the sweet-singing hero and heartthrob of hundreds of thousands of fans aged 5 to 95. Always challenging himself, Joe went on to star in *From Popstar to Operastar*, winning the final with a landslide victory.

The Evolution Tour showcases Joe's renowned versatility – whether he's singing a pop hit or stunning the audience into silence with opera – and showcases his journey from boy crooner to master of his craft.

joemcelderryofficial.com



WINTER PROGRAMME | 7.30PM | £10, STUDENT/UNEMPLOYED £1

DUNFERMLINE MUSIC CLUB

SUN 18 OCTOBER

TOMMY SMITH & BRIAN KELLOCK

Two of Scotland's greatest jazz artists will play selections from their most recent CD *Whispering of the Stars* which features the great American and European songbook.



SUN 8 NOVEMBER

AUREA STRING QUARTET

Lajtha: Quartet No.7, Haydn: Op20 No 3, Webern: Lansamer Satz, Schumann: Op 41 No 3.



SUN 13 DECEMBER

DJORDJE GAJIC (ACCORDION)

Bach: *Chaconne in D minor*, Scarlatti: *3 Sonatas*, Franck: *Chorale in B minor*, Zolotaryov: *Sonata*, Abeniz: *Asturias and Cordoba*, Dranga: *Fanatomy*, Semyonov: *Rhapsody*, Villa-Lobos: *The Dance of the White Indian*.



daguild.co.uk

THUR 22 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £20, CONC. £18

BAROQUE BY CANDLELIGHT



From the producers of *A Viennese Strauss Gala* and *Magical Mozart* comes this stunning fully costumed show showcasing the wonderful music and the classical baroque world of some of the world's greatest romantic composers – Vivaldi, Handel and Bach.

With beautiful settings, costumes, lighting and, of course, candles, the European Baroque Ensemble and Singers transport you back to the sumptuous past. With a packed programme of classical music and song, which includes excerpts from Vivaldi's *Four Seasons*, Handel's *Water Music* and Bach's wonderful *Toccatto and Fugue in D minor* together with selections from their Operas, sung by world class soloists, you will have a candlelit Baroque night to remember!

'A sublime evening.' *Jersey Evening Post*

SUN 25 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £18 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



BACK TO BROADWAY

Back To Broadway is the all-singing, all-dancing, theatrical sensation that invites you to take a breath-taking journey through the magical world of musicals! Now in its 4th successful year, *Back To Broadway* returns with a stunning new show for 2015.

All the best-loved songs from the world's greatest musicals are showcased in a spellbinding and captivating stage spectacular! Be enthralled by the unforgettable *One Day More* from *Les Misérables*, the glitz and glamour of *Copacabana*, the uplifting *Time Of My Life* from *Dirty Dancing* and the fantastic *Defying Gravity* from *Wicked* – just some of the timeless showstoppers performed live on stage by some of the country's finest performers. With unforgettable performances, dazzling costumes and original choreography, all backed by a stunning New York setting, Back To Broadway is the hit show not to be missed!

backtobroadway.co.uk



WED 28 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £12, CONC. £10

PHILIP CLOUTS QUARTET

MUSIC IN *tiffany's*

For those of you fortunate enough to have been in the audience on Philip's last outing to Carnegie Hall, you'll know this is top quality jazz. Pianist Philip Clouts' music offers a world tour of immediately memorable melodies and irresistible grooves that will appeal to your ears, heart, feet and hips all at once. Cape Town-born Clouts' South African roots have inspired a voyage of discovery that has led to him soaking up the joyful passion of Caribbean calypso, the soulful strains of the Indian subcontinent, the exuberant sway of Cuban dance music and the tuneful essence of pan-European folksong while honouring jazz heroes including Bill Evans, Keith Jarrett, and Charles Lloyd.

Recently signed to prestigious classical label Odradek Records' new jazz imprint, Clouts releases his latest album in time for this autumn tour and joined by saxophonist Samuel Eagles, bassist Alex Keen and Yamaha Jazz Scholarship-winning drummer Dave Ingamells, he brings his musical journey alive with superb musicianship and infectious vigour.

philipcloutsquartet.co.uk



ON AT A GLANCE

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Tue 1 - Sat 5	7.30pm	The Lady Boys of Bangkok Beauties and the Beats	Adam Smith Theatre	7
Fri 4	7.30pm	Black Is The Color of My Voice	Carnegie Hall	20
Sat 5 & Sun 6	10.30 am & 1.30pm	Shona Reppe Magic Sho	Carnegie Hall	20
Sat 5	8pm	James Yorkston/Aidan Moffat + Bill Wells/Sheena Wellington	Adam Smith Theatre	8
Sat 5	7.30pm	MacFloyd	Roths Halls	43
Sun 6	7pm	The Beaux' Stratagem Encore Screening	Adam Smith Theatre	17
Tue 8 - Thur 10	8pm	Fife Comedy Circuit Brendon Burns/Janey Godley/Chris Betts	Various	6
Wed 9	7.30pm	Paula O'Brien A Phone Call From Heaven	Adam Smith Theatre	7
Thur 10 - Sat 12	7.30pm	Rapture Theatre All My Sons	Adam Smith Theatre	9
Sat 12	11am & 2pm	Booster Cushion Little Red Riding Hood and Friends	Adam Smith Theatre	9
Sat 12	7.30pm	Betty & The Boy/Sheesham + Lotus & Son	Carnegie Hall	21
Sat 12	7.30pm	Lights Out By Nine + Special Guests	Roths Halls	43
Sun 13	11am - 4pm	Stylechair Wedding Fair	Adam Smith Theatre	
Wed 16	7.30pm	Tina May & Nikki Iles	Carnegie Hall	21
Wed 16	6.45pm	Robbie Syngé Douglas	Lochgelly Centre	40
Wed 16	8.30pm	Anna Krzystek Face On	Lochgelly Centre	40
Thur 17 - Sun 20	Various	Kirkcaldy Film Festival	Adam Smith Theatre	10
Thur 17	3pm & 7.30pm	Poorboy Pirates and Mermaids	Carnegie Hall	22
Fri 18	7.30pm	Aly Bain and Phil Cunningham	Carnegie Hall	22
Fri 18	7.30pm	G4	Roths Halls	44
Sat 19	7.30pm	The Cavern Beatles	Carnegie Hall	23
Sat 19	7.30pm	The Supreme Fabulettes	Roths Halls	44
Sun 20	7.30pm	Leo Sayer Restless Years Tour 2015	Roths Halls	45
Tue 22 & Wed 23	7.30pm	NTOS & Live Theatre Our Ladies of Perpetual Succour	Adam Smith Theatre	10
Thur 24	7pm	Coriolanus Encore Screening	Adam Smith Theatre	17
Thur 24	7.30pm	Icarus Theatre Collective The Trials of Galileo	Carnegie Hall	23
Fri 25	8pm	Daniel Sloss Dark	Adam Smith Theatre	11
Sat 26	10am	Fife Brass Band Competition	Adam Smith Theatre	
Sat 26	7pm	Solar Bear Tribes	Carnegie Hall	24
Sat 26	7pm	A Blank Canvas/Jabuti Theatre In Her Shadows	Lochgelly Centre	40
Tue 29 - Sat 3 Oct	7.30pm; Sat Mat 2.30pm	Glenrothes Amateur Musical Association South Pacific	Roths Halls	45
Tue 29	8pm	The Ben Cox Band	Tiffany's Carnegie Hall	24
Wed 30	7.30pm	Christine Bovill's Piaf	Carnegie Hall	25

OCTOBER

Thur 1	7.30pm	Cumbernauld Theatre What Goes Around	Adam Smith Theatre	11
Thur 1	7.30pm	An Evening of Scottish Music in aid of Parkinson's UK	Carnegie Hall	25
Fri 2	7.30pm	Jerry Herman's Girls	Carnegie Hall	25
Sat 3 - Sun 29 Nov	Daily	Diamond Threads Exhibition	St Andrews Museum	61
Sat 3	8pm	James Yorkston/Karine Polwart/Dick Gaughan/Lisa O'Neill	Adam Smith Theatre	8
Sun 4	12 noon & 4pm	Stages Dance School	Adam Smith Theatre	11
Sun 4	1pm & 3.30pm	Funbox Pirates and Princesses	Carnegie Hall	26
Tue 6 - Thur 8	8pm	Fife Comedy Circuit Jarred Christmas/Jen Brister/Christopher MacArthur-Boyd	Various	6
Tue 6 & Wed 7	10.30am & 7.30pm	Sell A Door Theatre Company The Silver Sword	Adam Smith Theatre	12
Wed 7	7.30pm	Royal Scottish Geographical Society	Carnegie Hall	
Thur 8	7.30pm	Himmerland	Tiffany's Carnegie Hall	26
Fri 9	7.30pm	Craig Hill Playing With My Selfie	Carnegie Hall	27
Fri 9	7.30pm	911 The Journey 20 Tour	Roths Halls	46
Sat 10 - Fri 13 Nov	Daily	Fife Art Exhibition	Kirkcaldy Galleries	60
Sat 10	11am & 2pm	Visible Fictions Friends Electric	Carnegie Hall	28
Sat 10	7.30pm	Buddy Holly & The Cricketers	Carnegie Hall	27
Sat 10	7.30pm	Classic Clapton	Roths Halls	46
Sun 11	11am & 2pm	Visible Fictions Friends Electric	Adam Smith Theatre	12
Wed 14	3pm	World On Stage Jurassic Adventures	Roths Halls	48
Thur 15	11.30am & 2.30pm	Theatre Hullabaloo & Theatre By The Lake Bear & Butterfly	Carnegie Hall	28
Thur 15	7pm	Hamlet NT Live	Adam Smith Theatre	17
Thur 15	7.30pm	The Grandmothers of Invention	Carnegie Hall	29
Thur 15	7.30pm	Mad About The Musicals	Roths Halls	47
Fri 16	7.30pm	Acarl Stage Hypnotist	Adam Smith Theatre	13
Fri 16	7.30pm	Aidan Moffat & Bill Wells	Carnegie Hall	29
Fri 16 & Sat 17	7.15pm	Youth Music Theatre Scotland Rent	Lochgelly Centre	41
Fri 16	7.30pm	Talon	Roths Halls	47
Sat 17	7.30pm	Fife Strathspey & Reel Society 40th Anniversary Fiddlers' Rally	Adam Smith Theatre	13
Sat 17	7.30pm	Joe McElderry The Evolution Tour	Carnegie Hall	29
Sun 18	1.30pm	The People's Theatre Company How The Koala Learned to Hug	Carnegie Hall	28
Sun 18	7.30pm	Dunfermline Music Club Tommy Smith & Brian Kellock	Carnegie Hall	30
Tue 20 & Wed 21	10.30am & 1.30pm	Yugen Puppet Company The Fisherman and The Seal	LC/RH	5

Thur 22 - Sat 24	7.30pm	Kirkcaldy Amateur Dramatic Society A Murder is Announced	Adam Smith Theatre	13
Thur 22	7.30pm	Baroque by Candlelight	Carnegie Hall	30
Thur 22	7.30pm	An Evening with Charlie Landsborough	Rothes Halls	48
Fri 23	7.30pm	The Take That Experience	Rothes Halls	49
Sat 24	7.30pm	Crossford Live at Carnegie	Carnegie Hall	
Sat 24	7.30pm	Barry Steele as Roy Orbison and Friends	Rothes Halls	49
Sun 25	7.30pm	Back to Broadway	Carnegie Hall	31
Mon 26	7.30pm	The World Famous Elvis Show	Rothes Halls	50
Tue 27 & Wed 28	7.30pm; Wed 10.30am	Blackeyed Theatre The Great Gatsby	Adam Smith Theatre	14
Wed 28	7.30pm	Philip Clouts Quartet	Tiffany's Carnegie Hall	31
Thur 29	7.30pm	Regular Music Simon and Oscar from Ocean Colour Scene	Carnegie Hall	34
Thur 29	7.30pm	Nathan Carter in Concert	Rothes Halls	50
Fri 30	7.30pm	Eden Court, Comar & Ed Littlewood Productions Hector	Adam Smith Theatre	15
Fri 30	7.30pm	Fish and Bird & The Jellyman's Daughter	Carnegie Hall	34
Fri 30	7.30pm	Skerryvore	Rothes Halls	51
Sat 31	7.30pm	The Shee	Carnegie Hall	35
Sat 31	7.30pm	Wishbone Ash	Lochgelly Centre	41
Sat 31	7.30pm	King King	Rothes Halls	51
NOVEMBER				
Sun 1	11am - 4pm	Totfest Family Day	Adam Smith Theatre	4
Sun 1	8pm	Jeremy Hardy	Carnegie Hall	35
Tue 3 - Thur 5	8pm	Fife Comedy Circuit Rob Rouse/John Gavin/Lucy Beaumont	Various	6
Tue 3	7.30pm	Rapture Theatre The Last Yankee	Carnegie Hall	36
Wed 4 - Sat 7	Wed - Fri 7.15pm; Sat 2.15pm	Fife Opera Faust	Adam Smith Theatre	15
Wed 4	7.30pm	Royal Scottish Geographical Society	Carnegie Hall	
Fri 6 & Sat 7	7.30pm; Sat Mat 2.30pm	Leslie Amateur Dramatic Club The Steamie	Rothes Halls	52
Thur 5 & Fri 6	10.30am & 1.30pm	Renfrewshire Leisure & Right2Dance Swoosh!	AST/CH	4
Fri 6	7.30pm	Phil Differ's MacBraveheart	Carnegie Hall	36
Sat 7	7.30pm	Dominic Kirwan & Mary Duff Together in Concert	Carnegie Hall	37
Sat 7	11am - 4pm	Totfest Family Day	Lochgelly Centre	4
Sun 8	7.30pm	Dunfermline Music Club Aurea String Quartet	Carnegie Hall	30
Mon 9	7.30pm	The Band of Her Majesty's Royal Marines Scotland	Carnegie Hall	37
Mon 9 - Sun 15	9am - 5pm	A Week To Remember	Rothes Halls	61
Tue 10 & Wed 11	10.30am & 1.30pm	Smallpetitklein The Adventures of Isabel	CH/LC	4
Wed 11	10.30am & 1.30pm	Story Train with Andy Cannon	Rothes Halls	5
Wed 11	7.30pm	Front Country	Carnegie Hall	37
Thur 12	8pm	Avalon Chris Ramsey All Grown Up	Adam Smith Theatre	16
Fri 13	7.30pm	The Matt Monro Story 'The Singer's Singer'	Rothes Halls	52
Sat 14	8pm	James Yorkston/Steve Mason/Richard Dawson/Pip Dylan	Adam Smith Theatre	8
Sat 14	7.30pm	T-Rextasy	Rothes Halls	52
Sun 15	7.30pm	The Magic of Motown The Reach Out Tour	Rothes Halls	53
Mon 16 - Sat 21	7.15pm; Sat Mat 2.30pm	Kirkcaldy Amateur Operatic Society Sister Act	Adam Smith Theatre	16
Wed 18	7.30pm	Jyotsna Srikanth's Bangalore Dreams	Rothes Halls	53
Thur 19	7.30pm	The Johnny Cash Roadshow	Rothes Halls	54
Fri 20 & Sat 21	7pm	Jenny Malcolm Dance School Show 2015	Lochgelly Centre	41
Sat 21 - 14 Feb 2016	Daily	Treasures Found	Kirkcaldy Galleries	60
Sat 21	7.30pm	Back To Bacharach	Rothes Halls	54
Mon 23 - Sun 29		Book Week Scotland	Rothes Halls	59
Wed 25 - 14 Feb 2016	Daily	In The Eye Of The Storm Exhibition	Rothes Halls	60
Fri 27	7.30pm	Spatz & Co	Lochgelly Centre	42
Sat 28	8pm	Des McLean Stand Up Tour 2015	Rothes Halls	55
DECEMBER				
Wed 2 - Thur 24	Various	Peter Pan	Carnegie Hall	38 & 39
Wed 2 - Sat 5	7.30pm; Sat Mat 2.15pm	Cowdenbeath Community Theatre Mother Goose	Lochgelly Centre	42
Wed 2 - Fri 4	7.30pm	Glenrothes Theatre Company Dick Whittington	Rothes Halls	56
Thur 3 - Sun 6	Various	Funbox Santa's Sleepover Show	Rothes Halls	55
Mon 7 - Sun 3 Jan	Various	Mother Goose	Adam Smith Theatre	18 & 19
Thur 10	8pm	Live Nation with MHA Stewart Francis: Pun Gent	Rothes Halls	56
Fri 11 & Sat 12	7pm	Love2Dance Christmas Show	Lochgelly Centre	42
Fri 11 & Sat 12	7pm	Kingdom FM Christmas Party Nights	Rothes Halls	56
Sat 12	7.30pm	Glenrothes Choral Society Concert	Rothes Halls	
Sun 13	7.30pm	Dunfermline Music Club Djordje Gajic	Carnegie Hall	30
Wed 16	7.30pm	Shine	Rothes Halls	57
Thur 17	7.30pm	Abbanania's Christmas Show	Rothes Halls	57
Fri 18	7.30pm	Gala Christmas Concert	Rothes Halls	57
Sat 19	1pm & 7pm	FAPA Students Annual Pantomime	Lochgelly Centre	42
Sat 19	7.30pm	The Counterfeit Sixties Christmas Show	Rothes Halls	58
Wed 23	7.30pm	Christmas Crooners	Rothes Halls	58

THUR 29 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £22.50

REGULAR MUSIC PRESENTS

SIMON AND OSCAR FROM OCEAN COLOUR SCENE

2015 marks Ocean Colour Scene's 25th anniversary, and Simon and Oscar from the band are celebrating the occasion with a tour of intimate seated venues, the perfect stages for acoustic performances of their big hits and anthems, including *The Riverboat Song*, *The Circle*, *Hundred Mile High City* and *The Day We Caught the Train*.

These shows are the latest chapter in a remarkable career that's seen OCS rise from Breton shirt-wearing Stone Roses disciples to one of Britpop's biggest bands. In their 25 years together, they've enjoyed five Top 10 albums, six Top 10 singles and a mantelpiece full of awards.

But behind all of the swagger and the style were great songs, with words and melodies that found their way into your head and heart. It's time to hear these songs again, stripped back but every bit as brilliant.



FRI 30 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £13

FISH AND BIRD & THE JELLYMAN'S DAUGHTER

Hot Canadian five-piece Fish & Bird have created quite an impact since they began to release their albums on this side of the Atlantic.

Their live show will blow your socks off. Flown in to the UK earlier this year for their own headline show at Scotland's big midwinter music bash, Celtic Connections, they are back by popular demand for a UK tour that will include an appearance at London Folk & Roots Festival. Nominated by CBC as a strong contender in Canada's Best New Artist awards, the band's latest album, *Something In The Ether*, won them a huge amount of radio exposure and complimentary reviews.



Supporting is the lively Edinburgh-based duo *The Jellyman's Daughter*, described by The Daily Express as "a match made in heaven." The Sunday Herald included their latest CD in their Top Albums of The Year list.

fishandbird.ca thejellymansdaughter.com Have a listen to the bands at onfife.com

Of Fish & Bird: **'Their time has come.'** Maverick magazine **'The bar has been raised.'** *The Sunday Herald*

Of The Jellyman's Daughter **'Expect great things.'** *The Scotsman*

SAT 31 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £12

THE SHEE

The Shee bring Electro-harp, accordion, fiddles, flute, mandolin and three powerful voices together with their diverse range of individual musical influences to produce an adventurous brew of Folk, Gaelic and Bluegrass. Their third and most recent album, *Murmurations* was received to great acclaim, the launch tour leading to The Shee being nominated for Best Live Act at the MG Alba Scots Trad Awards.

'A third album full of complex arrangements, strong singing and the clear sense of a band seriously stretching its wings.' *FRoots Magazine*

'Murmurations showcases six talented individuals working perfectly together.' *R2 Magazine*

'Most bands struggle to find one good vocalist, but this six-piece outfit have three.' *The Living Tradition*



SUN 1 NOVEMBER | 8PM | £14, CONC. £5

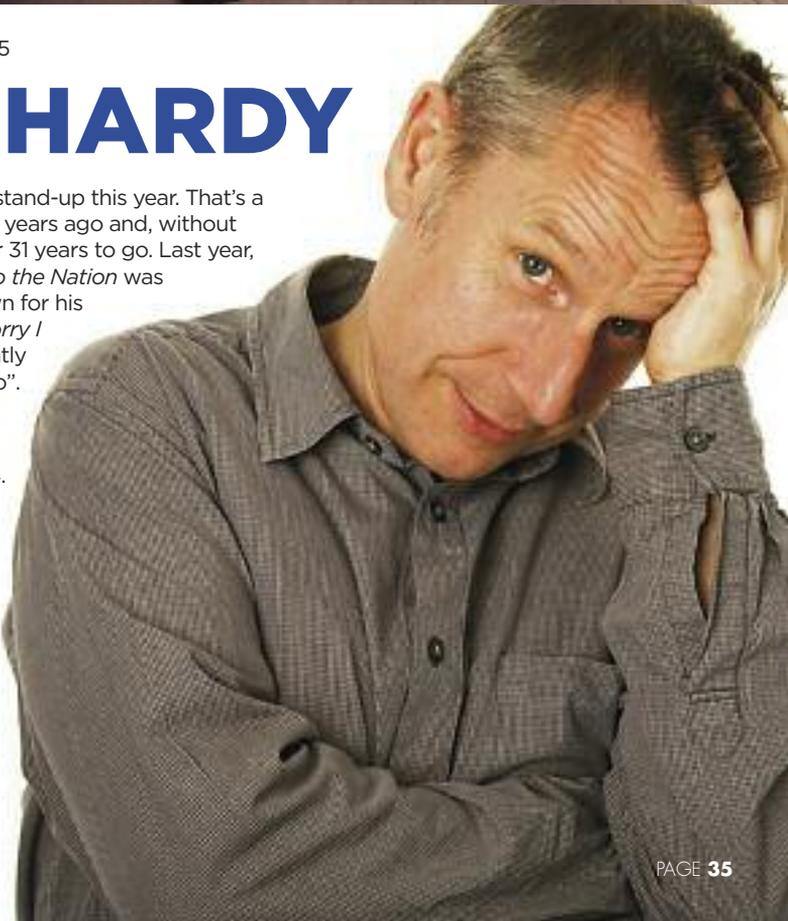
JEREMY HARDY

Jeremy Hardy begins his 4th decade as a stand-up this year. That's a more dramatic way of saying he started 31 years ago and, without a lottery win, probably has at least another 31 years to go. Last year, the tenth series of *Jeremy Hardy Speaks to the Nation* was broadcast on Radio 4. He is also well known for his appearances on *The News Quiz* and *I'm Sorry I Haven't a Clue*. Indeed, Alan Bennett recently said he likes him "but he's only on the radio".

However, Jeremy isn't only on the radio. He is on the road all year round and has never stopped doing live shows since 1984. After briefly hibernating in the winter, he's back out on the road in 2015.

Jeremyhardy.co.uk

"In an ideal world, Jeremy Hardy would be extremely famous, but an ideal world would leave him without most of his best material." *The Guardian*



TUE 3 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £13, CONC. £11. STUDENTS £7.50

RAPTURE THEATRE

THE LAST YANKEE

By Arthur Miller

It's Arthur Miller's centenary and Rapture Theatre are celebrating by producing another of the legendary writer's last great plays (see page 9 for *All My Sons* at Adam Smith Theatre)

Leroy Hamilton, a descendant of one of America's founding fathers and *The Last Yankee*, lives a modest life as a carpenter and has eschewed the pursuit of the American Dream. This has estranged him from his wife, Patricia, who is in hospital and suffering from depression. Over the course of one day, Leroy and Patricia try to come to terms with Leroy's choices and Patricia's illness, and they take a tentative step towards reconciliation and a brave new future.

The Last Yankee reflects Miller's themes of the devastating consequences for those who "fail" to achieve the mythical riches of the American Dream. Humorous and ultimately uplifting, *The Last Yankee* is classic Miller that you simply can't miss. Supported by Creative Scotland and produced in association with The Beacon Arts Centre in Greenock, Rapture Theatre is proud that *The Last Yankee* will be part of the Scottish Mental Health Film and Theatre Festival 2015. rapturetheatre.co.uk



Illustration: Catherine Lindow

FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

THUR 5 NOVEMBER | 8PM

See page 6 for full details

FRI 6 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £13, CONC. £11 | AGE 16+

PHIL DIFFER'S MACBRAVEHEART

As the title suggests, this one-man play brings together the stories of Macbeth and Braveheart in a comedy that blends historical drama with current political satire.

After a drink of the sacred swally (Buckfast) a witch convinces William Wallace, against the advice of his pal Robert Burns, to murder his master, Robert the Bruce, before he names 'the Salmond' as his successor. The script is brilliantly written, the traditional style associated with Macbeth interspersed with modern Scots slang and contemporary references, and delivered with perfect comic timing.

Phil Differ is a regular on the Scottish stand up circuit and also has an impressive resume as a producer, broadcaster and writer for the popular *Still Game*, *Rab C Nesbitt* and *City Lights*.



SAT 7 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £22.50

PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



DOMINIC KIRWAN & MARY DUFF

TOGETHER IN CONCERT

Two of Ireland's finest and best loved musical performers take to the stage together in a night of top notch Irish entertainment. Dominic Kirwan brings a refreshing take on country, pop and traditional Irish music, with show-stopping ballads. Joining him for an evening of fabulous live music is internationally renowned songstress, Mary Duff and together the pair showcase their outstanding vocals.

This show is sure to be a hit, not only with their loyal fans, but with lovers of music everywhere. www.dominickirwan.com www.maryduff.net



MON 9 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £12 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12

THE BAND OF HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL MARINES SCOTLAND



A series of four concerts presented by the talented Rosyth based musicians of Her Majesty's Royal Marines Scotland. Each concert will be a wonderfully colourful show with 40 Royal Marines Bandsmen on stage and including the amazing Corps of Drums – enjoyed by young and old alike, these evenings are hugely popular, so early booking is recommended. **Proceeds to Seafarers UK the leading charity for seafarers in need.** royalmarinesbands.co.uk

The series continues with dates on 16 March, 28 April and 9 June 2016.



WED 11 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £12

FRONT COUNTRY

When Bob Harris played tracks Front Country's memorable debut album, *Sake of The Sound* on BBC Radio 2, he told listeners they were "currently the biggest band on the bluegrass scene in America" ...and he was right. Coming out of the California Bay area's red-hot roots music scene, the band first made serious waves with rarely-accomplished double "best act" competition wins at both the Telluride and Rockygrass music festivals – possibly the most prestigious get-togethers for the genre in the USA. In America, they've been wowing audiences coast-to-coast. Now, they make their UK debut as the album continues to pull in great reviews.

frontcountryband.com



'Six powerhouse roots musicians at the top of their game.' *Insurgent Country*

'Front Country have put down a strong marker for album of the year.' *Radio 2*

FRI 8 JANUARY | 7.30PM | £24, CONC. £21 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12

VIENNESE GALA WITH THE RSNO



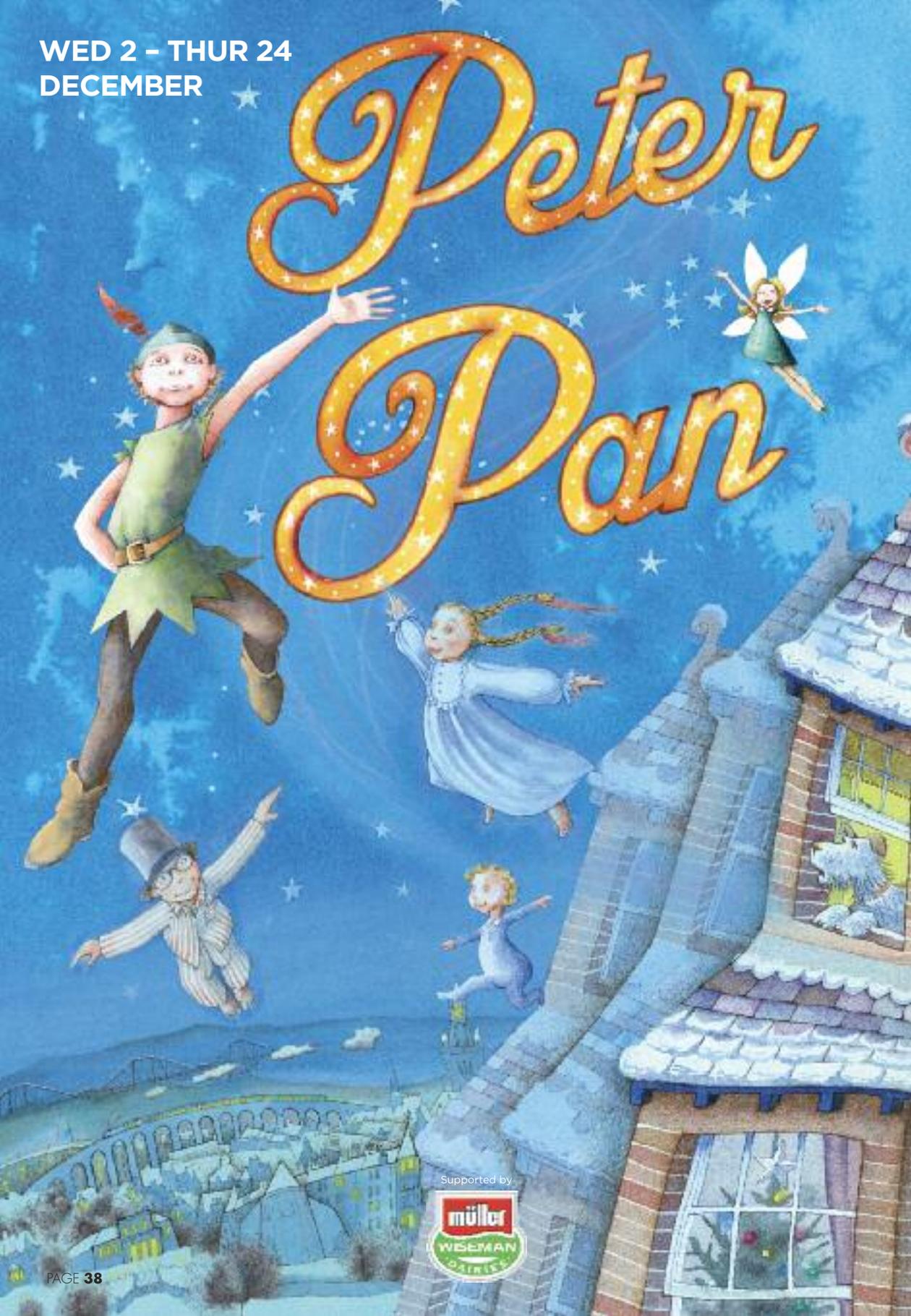
Celebrate the New Year in traditional Viennese style with the RSNO. Last year's performance was another sell-out, so book early to avoid disappointment. With Jean-Claude Picard (Conductor) & Ailish Tynan (Soprano).

rsno.org.uk



WED 2 - THUR 24
DECEMBER

Peter Pan



Supported by



“A fabulous festive treat for all the family, full of magical, mystical fun that’s sure to get everyone in the Christmas spirit”

Courier (*Snow White* 2014)

ON AT CARNEGIE HALL

Join us at Carnegie Hall this Christmas as we follow the mischievous Peter Pan and the Darling children, Wendy, Michael and John on their magical journey to Neverland. Everything is not what it seems... Who is lurking in the shadows and what’s that ticking noise?

A marvellous Christmas outing for the whole family, full of enchanting music, jaunty jokes and lots of surprises! From the team behind the hugely popular *Pinocchio* and *Snow White* comes a new breath-taking, musical version of one of the world’s best loved fairy tales. Our magnificent cast includes the handsome **Ben Fitzpatrick** (*Jack and The Beanstalk* and *Hansel and Gretel*), the dashing **Matthew Ellis** (*Snow White*) and the wonderful **Billy McIlhenny** (Jimmy in *River City*).

Performances

DECEMBER

Wed 2			7pm	Sale Night
Thur 3	10am		7pm	Sale Night
Fri 4	10am			
Sat 5		2pm		
Sun 6		3pm		
Wed 9	10am		7pm	
Thur 10	10am		7pm	
Fri 11	10am		7pm	📺
Sat 12		2pm		
Sun 13		3pm		
Tues 15	10am		7pm	
Thur 17	10am		7pm	📺
Fri 18		2pm	7pm	📺
Sat 19		2pm	7pm	📺 2pm Premium
Sun 20	11am	3pm		
Mon 21		2pm		
Tues 22		2pm	7pm	
Wed 23		2pm	7pm	📺
Thur 24		2pm	7pm	📺 Premium shows



🍴 Pre-Theatre meals:

Join us in the Captain’s Café for a delicious 2 course meal for only £12, Children £6. Pre-booking at Box Office is essential. Available for selected performances and Group Bookings on request.

Tickets

Adults **£14.50**

Children & Concessions **£12**

Family Ticket (4) **£48**

Premium shows **All seats £14**

Sale Nights

All seats £10.50

Groups 10+ **£10.50**

(excludes Saturdays, Premium Shows and Sale nights)



Sign Language Interpreted Performance Thur 10 Dec 7pm

Relaxed Performance Wed 9 Dec 7pm. Ask at Box Office for more details.

Bank Street, Lochgelly KY5 9RD

www.onfife.com Box Office **01592 583303**

Box Office open 9am – 9pm Mon to Fri; 9am – 2.30pm Sat and 1 hour before performances.

Lochgelly Centre also offers a **Cinema** programme with films at a bargain price of £5, conc. £3. Check out onfife.com for full listings.



Fifespace Lochgelly Centre offers a range of changing art exhibitions, open Monday to Saturday 9am – 5pm (until 2pm Saturday) and FREE to view.

MON 5 OCTOBER – FRI 13 NOVEMBER

ANNUAL MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS EXHIBITION:



Walter Anderson

A vibrant display of artwork submitted by individuals and agencies involved with Mental Health Services in Fife will be displayed in FifeSpace Lochgelly Centre.

WED 16 SEPTEMBER

PIONEERS OF PERFORMANCE



Pioneers of Performance is a one day festival of modern moves and ferocious fun. This is thought provoking, lively and fun dance and physical theatre, created by internationally renowned artists working in Scotland. The two performances for children, *We Are Monsters* and *Chalk About* are sold out, so book now for the evening performances.

Supported by Creative Scotland

6.45PM | £6.50, CONC. £5 | AGE 12+ | RUNNING TIME: 45 MINS

ROBBIE SYNGE: DOUGLAS

Douglas is a solo performance based around interaction and movement with a roomful of everyday objects, as a kind of human, environmental and psychological ecology emerges.



8.30PM | £6.50, CONC. £5 | AGE 12+ | RUNNING TIME: 60 MINS

ANNA KRZYSZEK: FACE ON

Face On is based on the premise of waiting. A waiting figure, at once both immediate and distant, is juxtaposed with the time, space, vivid soundscore and monochrome video images that surround her.



SAT 26 SEPTEMBER | 7PM | £8, CONC. £6.50 | AGE 14+

A BLANK CANVAS AND JABUTI THEATRE PRESENT IN HER SHADOWS

Inside a multileveled dream space two female performers explore a woman's journey through the complexity of her depression. Directed by Cora Bissett, *In Her Shadows* is a visual performance challenging the stigmas around depression; using dance, aerial and physical theatre, supported by stunning projections and an original musical score.



FRI 16 & SAT 17 OCTOBER | 7.15PM | £12.50, CONC. £10 | AGE 14+

YOUTH MUSIC THEATRE SCOTLAND

RENT

Jonathan Larson's exuberant East Village rock version of Puccini's opera *La Bohème* won the Tony Award for Best Musical as well as the Pulitzer Prize for Drama. Youth Music Theatre Scotland present Larson's stirring and life-affirming score capturing the heart and spirit of a generation of struggling artists, addicts, and impoverished young people living in the shadow of AIDS, battling the coming wave of gentrification.

A time capsule of a world where hope crawls out of dark despair, these Bohemians find the salvation of love within each other and prove there can be a better world where art thrives, and everything good is free. youthmusictheatrescotland.wordpress.com



SAT 31 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £16

WISHBONE ASH

+ SUPPORT DORIS BRENDL

More than a quarter of a century after they were named the 'Brightest Hope' and the 'Best New Group' in the influential British music publications *Melody Maker* and *Sounds*, Wishbone Ash's following and influence continue unabated.

In 2002, founder members Andy Powell and Ted Turner were voted among the top 20 guitarists of all time by *Rolling Stone*, and the group's albums continue to be strong sellers around the world. Enjoy the perfect mix of classic tracks such as *The King Will Come*, *Throw Down The Sword* and *Blowin' Free* together with material from their illustrious back catalogue and some tracks from the latest, highly acclaimed album *Blue Horizon*.

The current line-up is: Andy Powell, Bob Skeat, Muddy Manninen and Joe Crabtree. Having performed earlier this year in South Africa and the USA to packed audiences, Wishbone Ash bring their classic twin-guitar rock magic to Lochgelly. wishboneash.com



FRI 20 & SAT 21 NOVEMBER | 7PM | £10

JENNY MALCOLM DANCE SCHOOL SHOW 2015

Can they top last year's marvellous performance? Of course they can! Come along and see for yourself as Lochgelly Centre hosts another entertaining night packed with great dancing and music from the stars of tomorrow.





FRI 27 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £11.50

SPATZ & CO

With Spatz & Co Showband, the show starts as soon as the audience enters the auditorium with a sizzling stage set and lighting. The band, all multi-instrumentalists, have over 200 years of musical experience behind them and cover a range of genres. From Louis Armstrong to Van Morrison, Duke Ellington to Chris Barber, Frank Sinatra to Billy Joel and Gerry Rafferty – the common theme with all is a wonderful melody.

WED 2 – SAT 5 DECEMBER | 7.30PM NIGHTLY; SAT MAT 2.15PM | £12, CONC. £10



COWDENBEATH COMMUNITY THEATRE PRESENTS

MOTHER GOOSE

It's all going 'eider-down' at Lochgelly Centre for this year's 2015 Christmas Pantomime. Yes... Mother Goose will be in town and will be putting all her eggs in one basket in the hope that they all turn to gold. Eggsactly... A show for all the family to enjoy, that's full of fun, laughter, suspense, intrigue song and romance.

FRI 11 & SAT 12 DECEMBER | 7PM | £10, CONC. £8

LOVE2DANCE CHRISTMAS SHOW

Love2dance are delighted to present their annual Christmas performance. Come along and support our dancers (age 2+) in our variety show as they perform styles in hip hop, jazz, ballet, musical theatre and cheerleading. An evening guaranteed to be filled with fun, talent and festivities.



SAT 19 DECEMBER | 1PM & 7PM | £10, CONC. £8

FAPA STUDENTS ANNUAL PANTOMIME

Fife Academy Performing Arts students return to Lochgelly Centre for a third year with another exciting production. FAPA students all share a common passion for dancing, acting and singing. Aged between 5 & 18, they bring you a sparkly, dynamic performance, showcasing the stars of tomorrow.



Kingdom Centre, Glenrothes KY7 5NX

www.onfife.com Box Office 01592 611101

Box Office opens Mon – Sat, 9am – 5pm and 1 hour before performances



Fifespace and Fotospace galleries in Rothes Halls offer a range of changing visual art and photographic exhibitions. Open Monday to Saturday 9am – 5pm with FREE admission. Fotospaceinfo at fifefotospacegallery.org

SAT 8 AUGUST – TUE 29 SEPTEMBER

GLENROTHES ART CLUB ANNUAL EXHIBITION

In celebration of the club's 60th anniversary, FifeSpace Rothes Halls, will display both contemporary and traditional artworks along with a programme of speakers, demonstrations and events.



SAT 5 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £16

MACFLOYD

www.macfloyd.co.uk



MacFloyd return to Rothes Halls in celebration of the 40th anniversary of Pink Floyd's classic *Wish You Were Here* album which will see them perform this masterpiece in its entirety. The show will also include a varied mix of Floyd classics including material from *Dark Side Of The Moon*, *The Wall*, *The Division Bell* and more.

In a show lasting over two hours you will witness a level of musicianship that is second to none ensuring MacFloyd's position as arguably the best Pink Floyd cover band in the UK. Along with an impressive light show, the band take pride in performing all the Floyd numbers with accuracy, completely live, thanks to an extremely talented and enthusiastic line up.

FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

WED 9 SEPTEMBER | 8PM

See page 6 for full details

SAT 12 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £10



LIGHTS OUT BY NINE + SPECIAL GUESTS

Lights Out By Nine return to Rothes Halls with founding member Tom Stirling back on Hammond organ and John Frame on lead vocals, adding two formidable vocalists to the band's revamped line up. Still strongly rooted in rhythm and blues, LOBN have introduced a flavour of soul and funk, as seen on new single *Take It Or Leave It*, out on River Records and available on iTunes, Amazon and Spotify. Joining the band for this homecoming show will be Dan McCafferty, original vocalist and voice of Nazareth. Expect a very rare bit of 'Lights Out By Naz!' Also joining the band will be Amanda Lyon, performing recent single *One and Only*, while another of Fife's world renowned names is subject to confirmation – watch out for a surprise!

FRI 18 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM
£27.50. VIP TICKET £75

2004 *X-Factor* finalists and multi-platinum selling vocal quartet G4 brought classical music to British reality TV screens for the first time in 2004 with their performance of *Nessun Dorma*. However, it was their cover of *Bohemian Rhapsody* that became their signature tune, storming the charts in 2005. Their eponymous debut album went straight to No.1, selling more than 245,000 in the first week, making it the fastest-selling album of the year.

In 2007, after three albums, over two million album sales and five sell-out tours with performances in many of the UK's iconic venues, they decided to disband to follow individual interests. Inspired by the overwhelming response to their 10 Year Reunion concert at London's Barbican Centre, the band are back together and bringing you their trademark sound with the music that helped make them famous plus some fresh takes on more recent songs.

g4official.com



VIP ticket includes priority seating
and a meet and greet with G4.

SAT 19 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £20

THE SUPREME FABULETTES VIVA LA DIVAS

Join us for a night of glitz, hits, fun and kitsch! London's acclaimed all-male female close harmony group bring their glamorous and outrageous show to Fife. With a party-packed score, Viva La Divas tells the rise from rags to riches of the Supreme Fabulettes - Miss Vicki Vivacious, Miss Portia De Fosse, Miss Silver Summers and Miss Vanilla Lush - and their razor-tongued manager, Miss Sheila Simmonds, against a backdrop of backstabbing, love and tears, all played for laughs. Blending No.1 Hits and current chart toppers with sweet Glee-style harmonies, wondrous couture costumes and cutting-edge variety, the Supreme Fabulettes is the vision of the A-list creative team behind Kylie Minogue.

"A triumph in heels." Boy George
"One hell of an all-male girl group." *The Stage*
★★★★ *Time Out* Critics Choice
supremefabulettes.com



SUN 20 SEPTEMBER | 7.30PM | £25. VIP TICKETS £55
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



LEO SAYER

RESTLESS YEARS TOUR 2015

From his debut 1973 smash hit *The Show Must Go On* to his 2006 UK No.1 remix of *Thunder In My Heart*, Grammy award winning, international chart-topping, British music legend Leo Sayer has carved an incredible worldwide career for over four decades, including selling 80 million albums.

Leo is known the world over for his massive hits which include *Moonlighting*, *One Man Band*, *I Can't Stop Loving You* and the transatlantic number ones, *When I Need You* and *You Make Me Feel Like Dancing*.

His new album, *The Restless Years*, has received rave reviews in Australia and Leo will be performing some of this new material alongside the hits and old favourites, backed by his full band.

This is one of only two Scottish dates on Leo's rare and much anticipated tour. Book now as tickets are selling fast.

leosayer.com



TUE 29 SEPTEMBER - SAT 3 OCTOBER

7.30PM NIGHTLY; SAT MAT 2.30PM | £13, CONC. £12. CHILD £6

GLENROTHES AMATEUR MUSICAL ASSOCIATION

SOUTH PACIFIC

GAMA presents Rodgers & Hammerstein's Pulitzer Prize winning musical *South Pacific* which intertwines the themes of romance, duty and prejudice to create a story that is at once hilarious, heart-breaking and thought-provoking. *Bloody Mary*, *There Is Nothin' Like a Dame*, *Bali Ha'i*, *A Wonderful Guy*, *This Nearly Was Mine*, *Younger Than Springtime*, *I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Outa My Hair*... Every song is a classic, and with one of the most powerful stories ever staged, this will be *Some Enchanted Evening*... and one not to be missed!

gama-fife.co.uk



FIFE COMEDY CIRCUIT

WED 7 OCTOBER | 8PM

See page 6 for full details



FRI 9 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £23.50

VIP TICKET £60 (ACCESS TO SOUND CHECK, VIP LAMINATE, MEET & GREET, PHOTO OPPORTUNITY, AUTOGRAPHS AND PREMIER SEATING)

911

Celebrating 20 years together as boy band 911, Lee Brennan, Spike Dawbarn and Jimmy Constable are hitting the road with The Journey 20 Tour.

Well known for their catchy pop tunes and jaw-dropping stage shows, the gents will be performing their greatest hits including *Bodyshakin'*, *The Journey*, *More Than A Woman*, *Don't Make Me Wait* and *Party People*. Belting out and busting the moves from some of the biggest hits of the 90s, the boys are back to take you on a trip down memory lane with a night of pure pop nostalgia! 911official.com

SAT 10 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £16.50

CLASSIC CLAPTON 30th ANNIVERSARY TOUR

Classic Clapton features front-man Mike Hall who not only looks like Eric, he sings and plays guitar like him too! The band comprises of 4 excellent musicians who stunningly recreate Slowhand's electrifying stage performances. The whole of Clapton's illustrious career is covered including Cream, The Bluesbreakers, The Yardbirds, Blind Faith, Derek & The Dominos and the solo years.

It's a 2-hour journey through the music of Eric Clapton including all of his hits - *Wonderful Tonight*, *I Shot The Sheriff*, *Lay Down Sally*, *Crossroads*, *Tears in Heaven*, *Layla* and even an unplugged segment. No self-respecting Clapton fan should miss this!

classic-clapton.com



THUR 15 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £24, CONC. £22

MAD ABOUT THE MUSICALS

STARRING GARETH GATES & MICHAEL COURTNEY

From the poignant *All I Ask Of You* to the dramatic *One Day More*, sit back and enjoy two hours of unforgettable West End and Broadway favourites, brought to you by Gareth Gates and Michael Courtney with full supporting cast and live band.

With a host of your favourite numbers from the pen of Rodgers & Hammerstein, Kander & Ebb, Andrew Lloyd Webber and Boubli & Schonberg, this talented cast will evoke the true spirit of the stage, with brilliant vocals, incredible dancing, stunning costumes to bring you an evening of solid gold entertainment.

FRI 16 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £20

TALON

Now in their 18th year together Talon have been recognised by the Agents Association of Great Britain as the Official UK No. 1 Eagles tribute show. Their 2015 production will feature all the classic Eagles hits from the timeless back catalogue including *Hotel California*, *Lyin' Eyes*, *Take It Easy*, *Desperado*, *Take It To The Limit*, *Life In The Fast Lane* and more. Although the show now features a host of world class musicians it is the immensely powerful four part vocal harmony and exact musical production on which Talon have built their reputation. Their ability to evolve and go from strength to strength in delivering bigger and better shows year on year continues once again with what promises to be a fabulous celebration of Eagles music.

WED 14 OCTOBER | 3PM | £15.50, CONC. £13.50. FAMILY (4) £50

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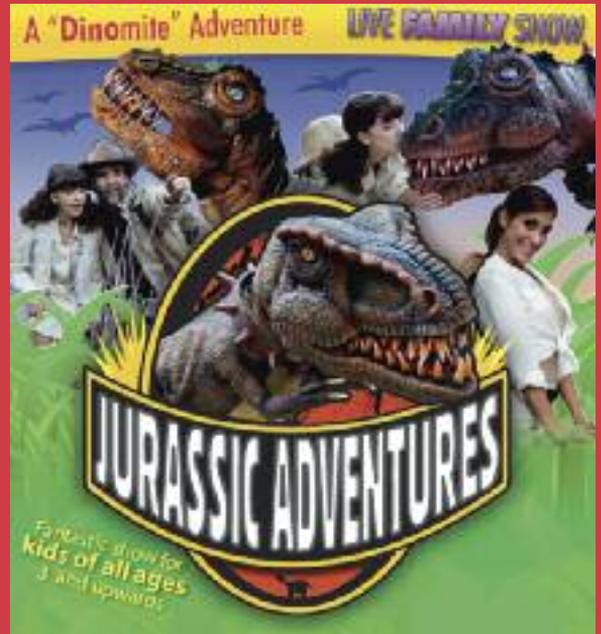
WORLD ON STAGE

JURASSIC ADVENTURES

If you're into dinosaurs, this is the show for you!

Jurassic Adventures, is a brand new production, set on a magical island, where anything might happen, with a brave cast of amazing actors, a great fun script, superb scenery, and of course Dinosaurs! Follow Dr Grant's team of explorers as they search for proof that dinosaurs still exist. Get transported to a prehistoric place full of fun, thrills and screams, be amazed and awed by the birth of a baby Dinosaur, but beware of the T. REX mother who wants her egg back!

A Dino-Mite show!



THUR 22 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £18.50 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12

AN EVENING WITH CHARLIE LANDSBOROUGH

Charlie is generally recognised as a country singer, however, as his regular supporters will tell you, country music actually only accounts for a very small part of his concert repertoire and music catalogue in general. Indeed, he covers many areas of the musical landscape, from beautiful ballads, to folk, blues, country, rock 'n' roll, pop, gospel and anthem.

It is of course understandable that Charlie has been labelled as a country singer, as he has won just about every award possible in the UK country scene including Best Songwriter, Best Song, Best Male Vocalist, Best Album and International Country Album of the year. He has also received a nomination as Best Global Country Artist in the Country Music Association Awards in Nashville. Many of his albums have topped the country charts as well as getting into the British pop charts and yet he remains a very down to earth, humble, compassionate man with an ability to tell a fine tale and make some magical musical memories.

charlielandsborough.com



FRI 23 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £19

THE TAKE THAT EXPERIENCE



RELIGHT THE FIRE

THE TAKE THAT EXPERIENCE

Relight your fire for one of the most successful boy bands of all time! The Take That Experience bring you the latest Take That favourites as well as all the classic hits including *Back For Good*, *Relight My Fire*, *Could It Be Magic*, *Patience*, *Shine*, *Rule The World*, *Up All Night*, *Greatest Day* and *The Flood*.

Featuring five hugely talented guys with a remarkable onstage chemistry, this performance is packed with energy, entertainment, full replica costumes, authentic dance routines and spot on vocals which all add up to The Take That Experience!

thetakethatexperience.co.uk

SAT 24 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £19 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



BARRY STEELE AS ROY ORBISON AND FRIENDS

Barry Steele has stunned audiences across the globe with his uncanny visual similarity and his ability to authentically revive the exquisite toe-tapping sound of this music giant. Using original film footage and backed by his fabulous band and big screen, this celebration of The Big O's musical legacy is quite simply unmissable as Barry takes you on a musical journey in time from the early years of Sun Records right through to the late 80s and The Traveling Wilburys including the hits *Only The Lonely*, *Crying*, *Blue Angel*, *California* and many more.



MON 26 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £22.50 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



ROBERT PRATT FOR CHIMES INTERNATIONAL PROUDLY PRESENTS

THE WORLD FAMOUS ELVIS SHOW STARRING CHRIS CONNOR

Direct from the West End, Chris Connor stars with his energetic band The Steels, recreating two huge Elvis concerts from the 70s - *That's The Way It Is* and Madison Square Gardens. You'll be transported back in time and hear all your favourite tracks including *Proud Mary*, *Can't Help Falling in Love*, *Suspicious Minds* and *Blue Suede Shoes*.

Chris has spent many hours perfecting his authentic tribute to The King. He looks and sounds uncannily like his idol and if you're a diehard Elvis fan, you can't afford to miss this show. chrisconnor.biz

'Wow you look and sound very very good.'

Joe Esposito - Elvis's best friend

'Chris Connor is to me the closest thing to the King I've ever heard and ever seen in my life. I'm in shock, it's simply amazing...' Martin Fontaine - performer in *The Elvis Story*, Montreal.



THUR 29 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £18 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



NATHAN CARTER

Popular Irish singer and musician Nathan Carter makes a welcome return to Rothes Halls. His career really took off with the mega hit song *Wagon Wheel*, which topped the Irish charts. Described by many in the music media as a 'breath of fresh air' to the Irish Country music scene, Nathan has brought a whole new generation of country music fans on board, and he regularly sells out venues all over Ireland.

nathancartermusic.com



FRI 30 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £18

SKERRYVORE

WITH SPECIAL GUEST SHARON SHANNON

2015 is Skerryvore's 10th anniversary year, with a host of celebratory events at home, in Europe and in the USA.

A collaboration, with Irish 'Lifetime Award' winning musician, Sharon Shannon, is another of these celebrations. Sharon joins Skerryvore as their special guest at Glenrothes for a night of amazing music.

Sharon will open proceedings, accompanied by Alan Connor before Skerryvore take the stage.

Including many 'Decade Arrangements' of favourites from across the first four of their albums, Skerryvore's show will also feature extensively from their last studio album, *Chasing the Sun* and, of course, from their most recent *Decade* album. Sharon will also join the boys on stage for everyone to enjoy the results of their collaboration.

Skerryvore.com



SAT 31 OCTOBER | 7.30PM | £16

KING KING

If you're a fan of energetic and dynamic soulful Blues/Rock then book your tickets for King King, the multi-award winning Glasgow band who have been setting the Blues live scene on fire.

The meteoric rise to prominence of King King has seen them racking up a host of accolades, culminating in 2014's Band of the Year and Album of the Year at the British Blues Awards. Their frontman Alan Nimmo is an award-winning bluesman in his own right who's surrounded himself with talented musicians which results in a sound which is potent and irresistibly funky.

'King King play the kind of blues that'll lift the most stubborn of frowns.' *Guitar & Bass*

kingkingblues.com



FRI 6 & SAT 7 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM; SAT MAT 2.30PM | £8
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



LESLIE AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB PRESENT **THE STEAMIE**

By Tony Roper, with music by David Anderson

It's Hogmanay 1953. Doreen, Magrit, Dolly, and Mrs Culfeathers "huv a washin' tae dae" preferably before the New Year bells chime.

Join these well-loved characters, along with their hapless handyman Andy as they scrub, dream, and gossip their way through their work. Will Doreen ever achieve her dream of a house in Drumchapel? Will Magrit ever manage just a minute's peace? Will Mrs Culfeathers solve the mystery of Galloway's mince? And will Dolly manage to keep quiet long enough to get her washing finished before the New Year?

Licensed by arrangement with The Agency, 24 Pottery Lane, Holland Park, London W11 4LZ

FRI 13 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £22.50

THE MATT MONRO STORY THE SINGER'S SINGER

In an unforgettable evening of music, warmth and love, Matt Monro Jr tells his Father's story, keeping the memory of Matt Sr and his music alive. From *Born Free* to *Walk Away* and *Portrait Of My Love*, be prepared to be transported back in time by this tribute to one of Britain's most popular and endearing singers. The show is enhanced by audio visual and narration.

mattmonro.com



I LOVE TO BOOGIE with **T★REXTASY**

SAT 14 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £17.50
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



T-REXTASY

Marc Bolan, with his band T.Rex, was one of the most flamboyant and charismatic figures of the original glam rock era. His untimely death, just before his 30th birthday, sadly ended the band. But his music lives on and T.Rextasy have been performing their powerful and mesmerising presentation of Marc's rock and pop anthems for over 20 years including *Get It On*, *Ride A White Swan*, *Children of the Revolution*, *Metal Guru*, *20th Century Boy*, *I Love To Boogie*, *Telegram Sam* and *Jeepster*.

They are the only band to have been authorised and endorsed by Marc Bolan's family, estate, original members of T.Rex and his Catalogue Management. They are now regarded beyond the boundaries of 'tribute' and are highly respected in their own right. If you want to know what a Marc Bolan concert was like in the 70s, this is as close as you'll get!

SUN 15 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £24.50, CONC. £22.50 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12

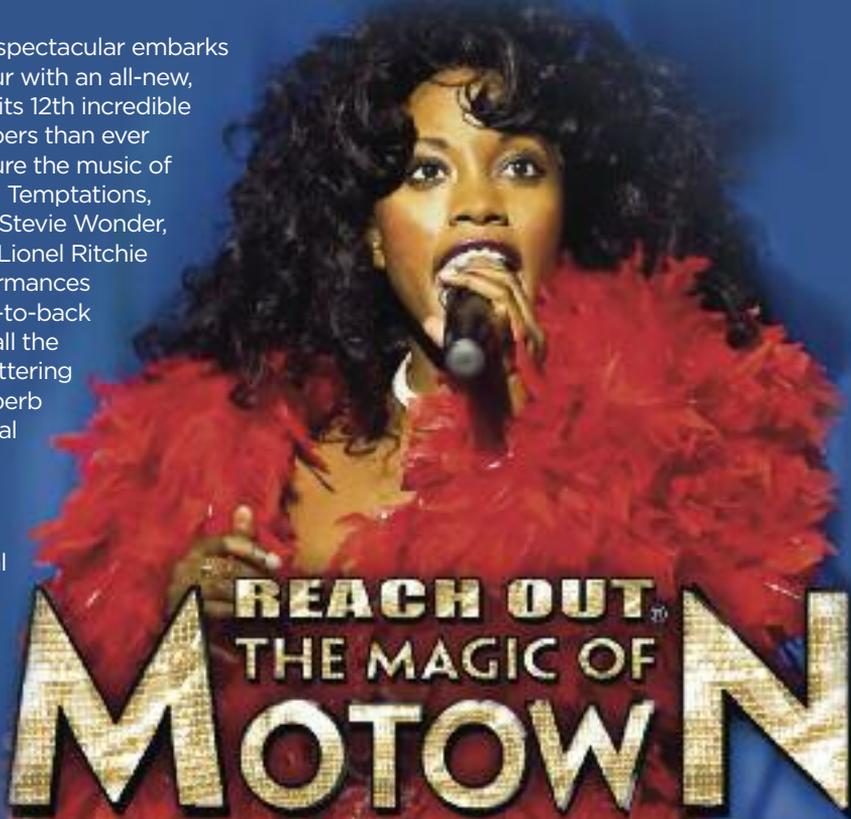


THE MAGIC OF MOTOWN THE REACH OUT® TOUR

Britain's biggest Motown spectacular embarks on its 2015 nationwide tour with an all-new, all-star show. Celebrating its 12th incredible year with more chart toppers than ever before, the show will feature the music of The Four Tops, Supremes, Temptations, Jackson 5, Isley Brothers, Stevie Wonder, Marvin Gaye, Diana Ross, Lionel Richie and more. Five-star performances revive more than 36 back-to-back massive, classic hits with all the dazzling dance moves, glittering costume changes and superb musicianship of the original artistes.

This spectacular show is just oozing with the style, sophistication and musical brilliance of these musical legends, so don't be broken-hearted, book now and reach out for the Magic of Motown.

easytheatres.com



WED 18 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £12

JYOTSNA SRIKANTH'S BANGALORE DREAMS

Jyotsna Srikanth is the most sought after Indian violinist and composer in Europe, known for her versatility and ability to collaborate with different genres seamlessly and with ease. She is intensely rooted in south Indian classical music alongside having formal western classical music education.

Jyotsna has flourished as a performer and composer, exploring lush ground in the crossover between Indian music and a variety of world music and contemporary flavours. Her violin playing has a beautiful blend of 'bhava' (musical expression and emotion) and fingering technique, a result of three "decades of experimentation".

indianviolin.eu



THUR 19 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £20, CONC. £18 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



THE JOHNNY CASH ROADSHOW

This incredible show is a celebration of the life and work of the legendary Johnny Cash – it's packed with all The Man in Black's hits including *Ring Of Fire*, *Boy Named Sue*, *Folsom Prison Blues*, *Man In Black*, *One Piece At A Time*, *Sunday Morning Coming Down*, *Hurt* and many more from throughout Johnny Cash's long career.

With Clive John as The Man in Black, a full live band, Brass Section and Carter Sisters with narration and visuals, prepare for a musical journey through the incredible life of John R. Cash.

The show takes the audience from the 1950s right up to 2002 and also includes songs from the latest album *Out Among The Stars* plus evocative screen images and shots from Johnny Cash's life.

This is the only show to be endorsed by the Cash family! johnnycashroadshow.com

'You could close your eyes and believe you were listening to the real thing.' *The Bristol Post*



SAT 21 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £22.50, CONC. £19.50 | PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



BACK TO BACHARACH

This glorious production celebrates the work of legendary songwriter Burt Bacharach and lyricist Hal David. The duo have penned some of the most iconic songs of all time such as *Walk On By*, *The Look Of Love*, *Anyone Who Had A Heart*, *Do You Know The Way To San Jose*, *Always Something There To Remind Me*, *Alfie*, *What's New Pussycat*, *What The World Needs Now* and *Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head*, all of which will be performed by a West End cast and 10 piece band.

£1 from each ticket sold will be donated to Breast Cancer Now

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Breast Cancer Now is a registered charity in England & Wales (number 1160558) and Scotland (SC045584)



FRI 27 NOVEMBER | 7.30PM | £28.50

REGULAR MUSIC PRESENTS

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SAT 28 NOVEMBER | 8PM | £12, CONC. £10 | AGE 16+

DES MCLEAN

STAND UP TOUR 2015

Des McLean is returning to Glenrothes with his hilarious new stand up show featuring a whole stack of new material.

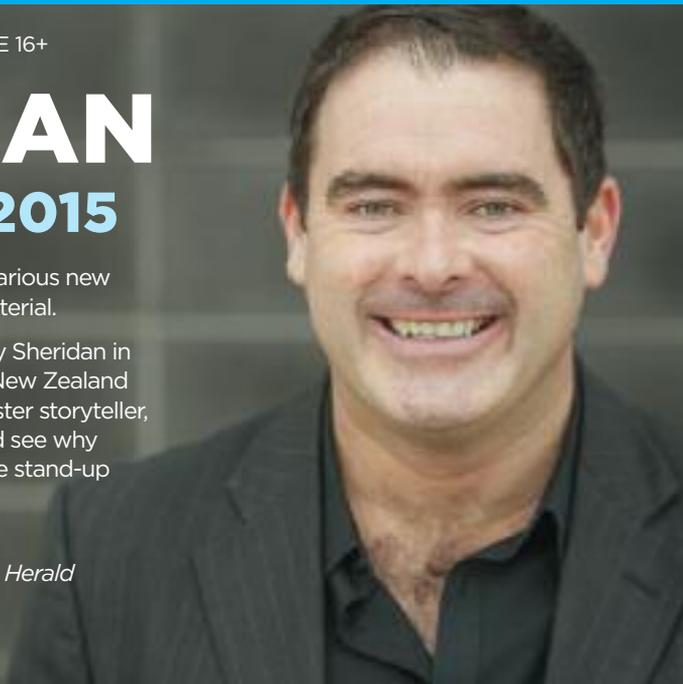
Having spent the last few years starring as Tommy Sheridan in the hit comedy show *I-Tommy* and touring USA, New Zealand, Australia and Canada, this is Des at his best, a master storyteller, with endless funny observations on life. Come and see why Billy Connolly describes him as one of his favourite stand-up comedians.

'A virtuoso performance' *Chortle*

'Right out of the top drawer, hilarious, hysterical' *Herald*

'As comedy goes Mclean is pure gold' *The Times*

desmclean.com



Santa's Sleepover Show



THUR 3 - SUN 6 DECEMBER

THUR 1PM; FRI 10AM & 5PM;

SAT 11AM & 2PM; SUN 12 NOON & 3PM

EARLY BOOKERS (UNTIL 1 SEPT)

FULL PRICE £9.60. PARENT + BABY £12

FULL PRICE £13. PARENT + BABY £15

FAMILY (4) £48. GROUPS (10+) £9.00

FUNBOX

SANTA'S SLEEPOVER SHOW

Funbox - formerly of The Singing Kettle - are having a sleepover and you are all invited!

Join Anya, Kevin, Gary and Bonzo who are too excited about Xmas to get any sleep. There are keys to find, a funbox to open and friends old and new to meet - including the Funsters.

Packed with Singalong favourites like *Aiken Drum*, *10 in the bed* and *Jingle Bells* - don't miss this festive family treat. Who knows, you might even see Santa! Dress for bed and bring a Santa hat.

funbox.co.uk

WED 2 - FRI 4 DECEMBER | 7.30PM | £7, CONC. £6. FAMILY (4) £24

GLENROTHES THEATRE COMPANY **DICK WHITTINGTON**

by Ron Nicol

A traditional pantomime for all the family. GTC have played to packed houses at Rother's Halls for the past six years and promise plenty of cheers, boos and laughter in their seventh annual family pantomime.

Cheer Dick Whittington and his faithful Cat as he seeks his fortune in London and meets the lovely Alice. Boo the wicked Ruler of the Rats. Laugh at the antics of Sarah and Jackie. Set sail with Captain Coracle and his hopeless crew. Visit the Sultan's court and applaud Dick's Cat as she battles with the Rats.

You're invited to dress up in pantomime costume and join in the fun!

THUR 10 DECEMBER | 8PM | £17.50 | AGE 16+

LIVE NATION IN ASSOCIATION WITH MHA PROUDLY PRESENTS...

STEWART FRANCIS: PUN GENT

He's the star of *Mock The Week*, *Michael McIntyre's Roadshow* and *Live At The Apollo*, and this is his hilarious new show!

With Francis it's all about puns. He'll fill every minute with comedy bargains in the form of non-stop quick-fire gags, rarely giving you time to cease giggling until the next one starts. Quite simply, the service Francis provides is good old-fashioned joke telling with a hook, punch-line and a dose of panache thrown in for good measure. stewartfrancis.com

'A brilliant comic brain... this stand-up cracks some of the best one liners I've ever heard.' *Guardian*

'Perfectly crafted gags.' *Sunday Times*

 Kingdom FM

CHRISTMAS

PARTY NIGHTS



FRI 11 & SAT 12 DECEMBER

DRINKS RECEPTION 7PM, DINNER 7.30PM | £39.50

Tables are for 10 people. Groups of fewer than 10 may be required to share a table. A non-refundable deposit of £20 is required at time of booking.

The Kingdom FM Christmas Party is Fife's biggest and best festive night out! Enjoy a drinks reception, a delicious 3-course meal, live music, a chance to win a two night break for two people with breakfast and dinner from easy-breaks.com, the festive photo booth and a disco to round off the night. Hosted by Fife's favourite breakfast team, Dave Connor and Vanessa Motion, there's no better way to get in the Christmas spirit!

WED 16 DECEMBER | 7.30PM | £14, CONC. £12

SHINE

FIRE AND FROST CHRISTMAS TOUR 2015

Three voices, two Camac electro-harps, one delicious Christmas tour.

Shine's Mary Macmaster, Corrina Hewat and Alyth McCormack, whose collaborations include **The Chieftains**, **The Poozies** and **The Unusual Suspects**, will be performing excerpts from their Christmas album *Fire and Frost*. The show is stuffed with warming classic seasonal songs which sit alongside Shine's ethereal song-writing. Harps and harmonies, lush vocals and Christmas sparkle make for a great festive evening.

'Three of the most interesting women singers to emerge from the Scottish music scene get together with two harps and a decidedly innovative approach to harmonies, to produce one of the most interesting albums in a long while.'

Bob Walton, *fRoots*



THUR 17 DECEMBER | 7.30PM | £22.50
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



ABBAMANIA'S CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Europe's leading ABBA tribute takes you back in time, performing all the big hits of the Swedish Supergroup, plus some Christmas Classics in a sensational two hour show.

The record-breaking and timeless hits (to which we all know all of the words!) include *Waterloo*, *Dancing Queen*, *Mamma Mia*, *Vouslez Vous*, *Winner Takes It All* and *Super Trouper*. So dust off your platforms, put on your flares and enjoy an unforgettable night of ABBA indulgence.

Abbamania.co.uk



FRI 18 DECEMBER | 7.30PM | £10, CONC. £8

GALA CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Tullis Russell Mills Band, Markinch & District Community Choir, the South Parks Primary School Choir and compere Councillor Fiona Grant perform for you in a traditional family Christmas Concert.

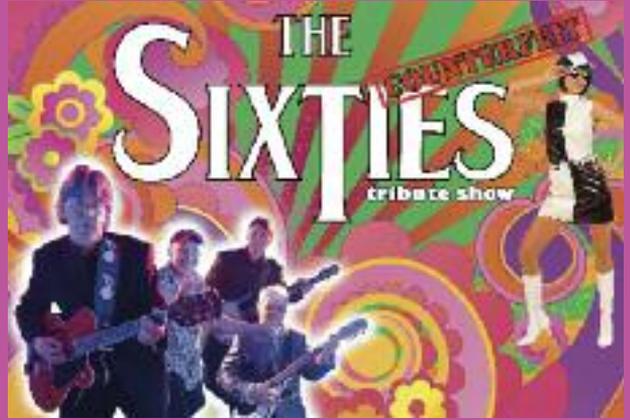


Now in its fifth year, The Gala Christmas Concert will feature the Markinch & District Community Choir and the choir of South Parks Primary School performing alongside The Tullis Russell Mills Band, with compere Councillor Fiona Grant. As in previous years, this concert will involve a lot of audience participation, singing along with the band and choirs to all your favourite Christmas Carols and songs, leaving you and your family in fine festive mood.

SAT 19 DECEMBER | 7.30PM | £17.50, CONC. £15.50
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12

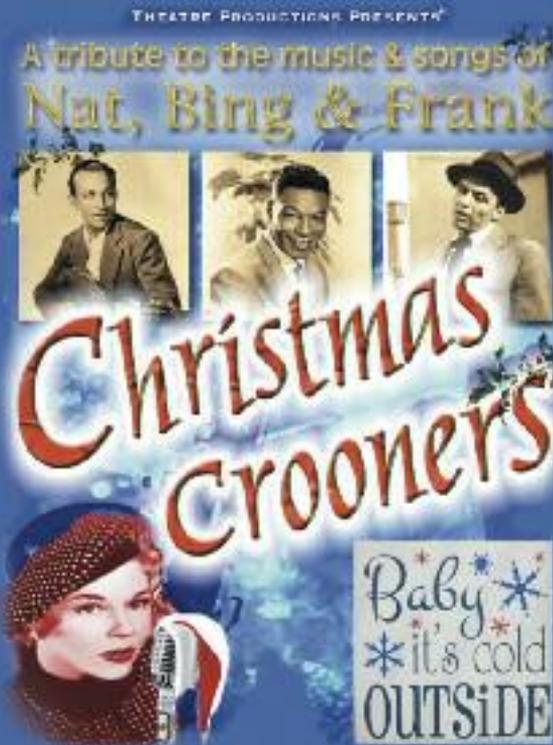


COUNTERFEIT SIXTIES CHRISTMAS SHOW



Take a large helping of the best pop music ever recorded. Toss in four musicians playing 100% live. Add a light show and sound system that Pink Floyd would envy. Stir in a generous amount of video and stills of the stars from a bygone era. Sprinkle with anecdotes and reminiscences. Mix in a large dollop of Geordie humour and a little sauce. Cook for 2 hours. Result: The Counterfeit Sixties Show!

Join us for The Counterfeit Sixties first Christmas show! Following on from the success of their last visit to Rothes Halls, they are bringing their Christmas show – a fantastic mix of fantastic sixties music and classic Christmas songs from the seventies. It'll be a great night, guaranteed to get you in the mood for Christmas!



WED 23 DECEMBER | 7.30PM | £17.50, CONC. £16
PRE-THEATRE MEALS £12



CHRISTMAS CROONERS

BABY IT'S COLD OUTSIDE

A romantic Christmas Special

Now in its tenth record breaking year this show is guaranteed to get you ready for the jolly holly days. It's packed with over 30 festive favourites plus the Christmas hits of Bing Crosby, Nat King Cole and Ol' Blue Eyes himself, Frank Sinatra.

Returning this year will be the wonderful "Belle" singing her yuletide favourites including *Santa Baby*, *I Saw Mama Kissing Santa Claus*, *Rocking Around the Christmas Tree* and more.

A fantastic line-up of West End singers, backed by The Jazz-All-Stars, perform *Chestnuts Roasting*, *Little Drummer Boy*, *White Christmas*, *God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen*, *Deck the Halls* and *Silent Night* and even a surprise or two!

christmas-crooners.co.uk

MON 23 TO SUN 29 NOVEMBER

BOOK WEEK SCOTLAND

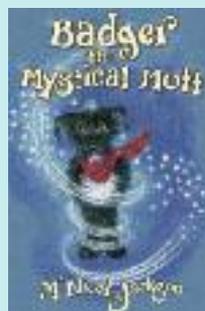


Fife's libraries will be celebrating Book Week Scotland at the end of November with a great range of events including the ever popular **Beer, Book and Burger** which will see actor turned author **John Gordon Sinclair** chatting with fellow author **Frank Muir**.

For those with an eye to detail there will be opportunity to hone your sleuthing skills with an **Ann Cleeves Murder Mystery** to solve and for those *Masterchef* addicts amongst you, professional *Masterchef* winner **Jamie Scott** will be demonstrating his culinary skills.

Events for children launch with a celebration of **Alice in Wonderland** with film fun and live antics from Booster Cushion Theatre. Our special Primary 7 'Children's Choice' brings **Guy Bass** with '**Stitch Head**' to Fife while the rest of the programme includes story-tellers, live drawing from the hilarious **Steve Smallman** and a six foot tall dog with magical powers called **Badger**.

Tickets for these events and more will go on sale in October - we look forward to seeing you there. scottishbooktrust.com/reading/book-week-scotland/about



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FIFE ART EXHIBITION



10 October – 13 November | Daily | Free

Now in its 32nd year, this ever popular open art exhibition returns to Kirkcaldy – what will the creative folk of Fife produce this year?

The Fife Art Exhibition is sponsored by Shell UK and displays work by artists living in Fife who have not completed (or are not currently taking) full-time degree or diploma art courses.

There will be over 300 paintings, drawings, photographs and craftwork pieces to enjoy.

TREASURES FOUND: ARCHAEOLOGY FROM THE EAST OF SCOTLAND

21 November – 14 February 2016 | Daily | Free

From a Bronze Age spearhead to Roman coins and a Medieval pilgrim badge, this exhibition of recent archaeological finds from the East of Scotland sheds a fascinating new light on the history of the area.

Museums in Fife, Edinburgh, Scottish Borders and East and West Lothian have come together to create an exhibition of items obtained through Treasure Trove. Under Scottish Law, ownerless objects found by chance – whether by metal detecting, field-walking or archaeological excavation – become property of the Crown and can be claimed as Treasure Trove.

Supported by the Art Fund and the Headley Trust and created by the East of Scotland Museums Partnership



Medieval Agnus Dei (Lamb of God) container found at Crail.
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IN THE EYE OF THE STORM

25 November – 14 February 2016 | Daily | Free

Dive into this exhibition of seascape paintings, which explores artists' fascination with the sea in all of its many guises. From the tempestuous surge of stormy waves to the gentle lapping of the sea on sun-kissed shores, the sea has inspired painters such as S J Peplow, John Duncan and William McTaggart, whose work is featured here.



ON AT
ST ANDREWS
MUSEUM

Kinburn Park, Doubledykes Road,
St Andrews, Fife KY16 9DP 01334 659380

DIAMOND THREADS EXHIBITION

3 October – 29 November | Daily | Free

The Dundee branch of the Embroiderers' Guild, which celebrates its Diamond Jubilee this year, returns with an exciting and colourful exhibition of new work by members. You can see a wide range of textiles, decorated with hand and machine embroidery, with techniques ranging from the traditional to the 'way out' – and everything in between!

Members hail from both sides of the Tay and range from complete beginners to experienced professionals. Many pieces on show are for sale, so why not come along and treat yourself to an original artwork?

Workshops for adults and children available – check online or call 01334 659380.



ON AT
METHIL
HERITAGE CENTRE

The Old Post Office Building,
272 High Street,
Lower Methil, Fife KY8 3EQ
01334 659339

ROBERT DUNSIRE THE STORY OF A VICTORIA CROSS

25 August – 13 February 2016 | Free

Only five Victoria Crosses were awarded to Fifers during World War One. This exhibition tells the story of one – Robert Dunsire – and it follows his journey from the coalfields of East Fife to his death in 1916 after the Battle of Loos, and the act of bravery that won him the very highest award that this country can bestow upon a person. Heroism, community and remembrance are celebrated in this exhibition, which is curated by Methil Heritage Friends, assisted by Fife Cultural Trust and supported by the Heritage Lottery Fund.



MON 9 – SUN 15 NOVEMBER | 9AM – 5PM | FREE

A WEEK TO REMEMBER **ON** AT ROTHERS HALLS

We have been running a series of World War One weeks at community venues across Fife to provide insight into many aspects of the Great War for visitors of all ages. Our final WW1 week offers daytime and evening workshops for children and adults, talks, living history, film events and more, there's something for everyone! MAC – Fife's Mobile Museum – will also be on hand for visitors to experience 'Moving Stories – Fife's Great War'.





ENRICHING LIVES IN FIFE

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PRE-THEATRE MEALS

Our theatre cafés are fully licensed and open one hour before performances. We offer pre-theatre meals before many of our shows at a tumtastic £12 for 2 courses. Look out for the knife and fork symbol. Ask at Box Office for the menus. Advanced booking is essential either at Box Office or online.

GROUPS

We welcome larger parties and if you have a group of 10+ interested in seeing a show, call any of our Box Offices or our **Groups Booking line on 01592 583354**, as you may be able to benefit from a group discount.

CONCESSIONS

We offer lower-priced concession tickets for many of our shows. If you are under 16, a Senior Citizen, student in full time education, registered disabled or unemployed, where you see 'conc.' you can book at a reduced price. When collecting concessionary tickets, proof of concession must be provided.

You tell us!

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ACCESS



All our theatres and museums have ramps for easy access, plus adaptable toilets, induction loops and disabled parking.

Guide dogs and hearing dogs are welcome.

Fife Cultural Trust actively supports breastfeeding. You are welcome to feed your baby in any of our public or community venues.

Just ask at Box Office if you'd like this brochure in a large print or audio version.

LATECOMERS

Out of respect to the performers, if you arrive after a show has started, you may have to wait until the interval before we can admit you.

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