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Our vision is to be a vital and vibrant celebration of art, culture and community creativity where everyone is welcome to enjoy, learn and participate.

An award-winning multi-disciplinary Arts Centre situated at the heart of Limavady town, we provide a dynamic cultural programme of activities throughout the year, including the very best of national and international theatre, music, visual arts and heritage exhibitions, film, creative learning and community arts activities for all ages. We are also home to Limavady Museum collection, Limavady Visitor Information Centre and our retail tenants are Café Piazza and Row by Roe craft shop.

Relax in our galleries or outdoors in Drumceatt Square and enjoy our free Wi-Fi, Kids Zone, gift shop and refreshments.

We want you to feel at home at Roe Valley Arts and we look forward to welcoming you.

WE ARE OPEN

Monday to Friday, 9.30am-5pm
Wednesday & Thursday evenings, 7-9pm
Saturday, 10am-1pm

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EXHIBITIONS



Threads and Stitches of our Changing Landscape

1st July to 21 October

From airfields to cultivation, turf cutting to wind turbines, prehistoric farmers to 19th century industry, the wider Binevenagh area has witnessed extensive land-use change throughout history. Exploring some of the work being done by the Binevenagh and Coastal Lowland Landscape Partnership Scheme to help restore environmental balance, the exhibition includes objects and artefacts from Museum Services Collections as well as a selection of textiles curated by Conflict Textiles which reflect the environmental and land pressures which face communities around the world.

Alongside the exhibition, we will be running workshops to guide local groups in creating their own textile pieces which reflect the local environmental concern they feel most strongly about. If you are interested in participating, please contact grace@ccght.org



This project is funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund.



"Beautiful and inspiring."

Image Credit: Dorien Brouwers Sail, A Picture Book about Weathering the Tides and Storms of Lifes Challenges



The fishermen pause to look up to the sky at the sound of the birds soaring high as they fly

World Illustration Awards

18 August - 29 September

In 2015 we were the first arts venue in Ireland to host the prestigious World Illustration Awards and are delighted to continue to showcase the best of international illustration.

The most prestigious platform for emerging new talent and professional illustrators across the world, an incredible 5,000+ entries were submitted by

illustrators from 77 countries. After a competitive judging process across 10 categories, 200 projects and the 44 award-winning and highly commended projects featured in the catalogue, online showcase and digital showreel. This unique exhibition delivered by the Association of Illustrators in partnership with the USA-based Directory of Illustration, is a varied and vibrant survey of illustration at the cutting edge.

WORLD ILLUSTRATION AWARDS 2022 **W!A**

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WORKBOOK



"Exquisite."

TESTIMONY

Lesley Cherry
7 - 28 October

EXHIBITION LAUNCH: Saturday
7 October, 12noon. Free admission,
everyone welcome.



A visual response to a series of truths, stories and memories as told by a group of women as they worked with socially engaged artist Lesley Cherry over the past year.

Cherry continues her interpretation of these stories of domesticity, empowerment, class, culture, and secrets through her use of pattern, found objects, text, and mixed media.

The work is open to interpretation and speculation, all entwined with a fragile beauty in her use of wallpaper, paper dollies, lace, collage, paint and mark-making, and often incorporating a sense of humour and kitschness to the work, despite the serious issues being addressed.

Testimony was made possible by support from the Arts Council of Northern Ireland and Flax Artists Studios.



A Nelson McGonagle Collection • 3 November- 31 December

This is the latest exhibition featuring fascinating local images from the collection of Limavady historian Nelson McGonagle alongside some images on loan to Coleraine Museum from the Coleraine Chronicle & Constitution Collection. This exhibition coincides with Nelson's fifth and final book which also features some of the images on display.

REAL LIVES:

THE ART OF LIVING WITH DEMENTIA

Dementia NI
4 – 25 November

EXHIBITION LAUNCH: Saturday 4 November, 12noon. Free admission, everyone welcome.

Curated by Dementia NI, Northern Ireland's leading charity for people in the early to middle stages of dementia, this exhibition features thought-provoking photography and patchwork quilts created by Dementia NI members, all of whom live with a diagnosis of dementia. Challenging some misconceptions about dementia, it shares a message of hope that many people with dementia are still able to enjoy life in the same way as before their diagnosis and live well with dementia.



ASSOCIATED EVENTS:

Craft Workshop for those living with Dementia and a Family or Friend

Saturday 18 November, 11am-12noon
Cost: £16 (Covers person with dementia and a family member/friend)

A safe, nurturing and creative space for a person living with dementia and a family member or friend to come together to connect, communicate and create. Christina Smyth of Meraki Art NI, a qualified art therapist, will be facilitating this craft session - a time for relaxation, fun and art making together.

LIMAVADY ART GROUP'S WINTER EXHIBITION



2 December – 6 January

Limavady Art Group quickly became established when we first opened and continue to meet once a week to create artwork together and learn from each other over a cup of tea. This dedicated group has made significant progress in their ongoing quest to paint exceptional pictures, using various mediums, scales, and themes and we are delighted to present this showcase – and in time for that unique Christmas present, too!

EVENTS

NEIL
DELAMERE

*"You'll be hard-pressed to find a more gifted comic at the Fringe *****" - THE SCOTSMAN*

GUEST
HIRE
EVENT

Friday 1 September, 8pm
Tickets: £24 (+ booking fee)

Neil Delamere is back with a brand-new show, Delamerium. Expect the usual hilarious stories, wry observations and quick-witted improvisation as our comedy hero tries to make sense of the world around him. Award-winning comedian Neil Delamere is one of the top acts working in the Irish comedy scene today, well known to audiences for his regular television appearances on RTE and the BBC as well as his hilarious sell-out stand-up tours.

This event takes place in our Auditorium with unreserved tiered seating.



DELAMERIUM

"The centre is lovely."

LIVE MUSIC NOW PRESENTS... LIGHT MUSIC AND LUNCH CONCERTS

Live Music Now



MUSIC

Tuesday 5 September, 1-3pm
Tuesday 3 October, 1-3pm
Tuesday 7 November, 1-3pm
Tuesday 19 December, 1-3pm
Free but booking is essential.

This event is seated cabaret style.

Live Music Now are looking forward to bringing their 'Light Music and Lunch' concert series to you this autumn and winter. This is a great opportunity for older people and their friends to come together and share an enjoyable afternoon in the company of Live Music Now musicians.

Cinemagic Foodbank Screening:

THE BIG BAD FOX & OTHER TALES



FILM

The countryside isn't always as calm and peaceful as it's made out to be, and the animals on this farm are particularly agitated: a fox who mothers a family of chicks, a rabbit who plays the stork, and a duck who wants to be Santa Claus. If you think life in the country is a walk in the park, think again!

83 minutes / Certificate U / 2017 / Directors: Patrick Imbert and Benjamin Renner

This screening is part of the Cinemagic initiative 'Young Audiences Supporting Food Banks'. Supported by Film Hub NI through the BFI FAN Film Exhibition Fund, awarding funds from National Lottery.

Saturday 9 September, 11am
Free entry with food bank item, but booking is essential.



CINEMAGIC
cinemagic.org.uk

INTO FILM Screenings:

Look out for fab films for schools coming up on 7/14/21 November. Visit flowerfield.org for more info.

INTO
FILM
FESTIVAL

"The staff are very friendly."

Superstar Wrestling

GUEST
HIRE
EVENT



**Saturday 16 September,
7.30pm, Tickets: £15 fill,
£12 concession, Family £45
(up to 4 people) (+ online
booking fee)**

The Superstar Wrestling Tour is power slamming their way through for a brand new 2023 show! Expect to see the top names battle it out in a one night knock out tournament to crown the King of the Ring! Suitable for the entire family, book now for a ringside seat! VIP meet and greet passes available on the night! **This is a guest hire event with tiered seating.*



Onóir

**Friday 22 September, 8pm
Tickets: £22.50 (+ online
booking fee)**

**This is a guest hire event with
tiered seating.*

GUEST
HIRE
EVENT

Contemporary Irish folk group Onóir formed in 2020, when Donegal musicians Tom McHugh, Declan Gaughan, Deane Connaghan, and Diarmaid McGee, joined forces to create a contemporary version of the famous Irish folk ballad, "The Auld Triangle".

Onóir are selling out venues in record time as their impassioned audiences are taken on a musical odyssey from their new take on traditional Irish ballads all the way through to up tempo modern Irish classics.

"Beautiful and inspiring."

The Illegals

GUEST
HIRE
EVENT



**Saturday 23 September,
8pm, Tickets: £20
(+ online booking fee)**

***"This is a night of music
not to be missed"***

Let us take you back to 1980 when The Eagles and Fleetwood Mac served-up two of the best live double-albums of all time.

The Illegals are widely regarded as one of the best live tribute acts in the country and we are delighted to welcome them back to Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre with their ever-popular, classic-rock revival show replicating the sound of the world's two greatest rock bands.

**This is a guest hire event with tiered seating.*

"Very impressed with all aspects of the venue."

HARVEST MOON TEA DANCE

Friday 29 September, 1-3pm

WINTER TEA DANCE

Wednesday 6 December,
1-3pm

Admission: Free but advanced booking is essential.

This event is seated cabaret style.

DANCE



THE SIMPLE TRUTH BAND

Friday 13 October, 8pm
(Doors 7.30pm)

Tickets: £13 (Available on the door)

GUEST
HIRE
EVENT



Take a trip down memory lane in this special Autumn tea dance. This event is for our local senior citizens to enjoy an afternoon of tea, sandwiches, traybakes and nostalgia from days gone by. There will be music from local jazz legend and multi-instrumentalist John Trotter alongside vocalist Anna Nolan and friends. Dance the afternoon away or just sit back and soak up the atmosphere.

Having performed extensively across the country, guitarist Tommy Hopkins is a legend amongst his peers and alongside stunning vocalist Niáll Màc you are guaranteed an uplifting programme of up-tempo fun - with a smattering of their own material thrown in. Expect to hear everything from The Eagles to Prince, Dixie Chicks to Freddie Mercury in a foot stomping, handclapping night of musical magic, craic and audience participation. There will also be support from Corey O'Connor and host and compere for the night Brian Moore is sure to add that all important element of humour to a fantastic night of entertainment.

**This is a guest hire event with tiered seating.*

"The show was excellent, very enjoyable."

Twilight Sessions

Hothouse Flowers

Friday 20 October, 8pm
(Doors 7.30pm)
Tickets: £29.50

This event will have tiered seating and a limited bar.

MUSIC

It's been 10 years since the Hothouse Flowers played at Roe Valley Arts and Cultural Centre and we are thrilled to welcome this amazing band back for a night of fantastic music!

One of Ireland's most acclaimed bands, performing rock 'n' roll, traditional and soul music across the world over their fourth decade, there is still a sense of unfinished business. Their recent UK tour saw them reveal contemporary material from their new album *Let's Do This Thing* and this year marks thirty years since Hothouse Flowers' debut album, *People*, was released - the most successful debut album in Ireland ever! Advance booking recommended to avoid disappointment.



"Great service, so accommodating."

ROE VALLEY SPECIALITY MARKET

Drumceatt Square
Saturday 21 October and
Saturday 2 December,
11am – 4pm
Free admission

For more information visit
naturallynorthcoastandglens.co.uk/



If you love local fresh food, quirky handmade crafts, fine art and speciality products, the Roe Valley Speciality Market is for you! Taking place in Drumceatt Square, there is sure to be something to tempt every individual taste. Delivered by Naturally North Coast & Glens, a not-for-profit social enterprise, you're also supporting local artisans and small local businesses!

TENX9 PRESENT TRICK OR TREAT

SPOKEN
 WORD

Friday 27 October, 7.30pm
Free but booking is essential
(BOYB)

The hugely popular Tenx9 is back for a special Halloween event on the theme trick or treat. Tenx9 is a storytelling evening where nine people have up to ten minutes each to tell a true story from their own life. We want your best true-life stories about tricks and treats so get in touch with submissions at tenx9.com/submissions.

This is a BYO cabaret style seating event.



LIMAVADY HALLOWEEN FIREWORKS

Saturday 28 October, 6.30pm
at Roe Mill Road Recreation Grounds
Free admission

Ghosts, witches, and creatures of fright, come and enjoy your local Halloween Night!

A fangtastic evening of frightful family fun with scary characters, fire performers, fancy dress competition, DJ and a thrilling fireworks finale!

"The calibre of events that take place at this local centre are brilliant."

HAUNTING HALLOWEEN

**OPEN DAY
TUESDAY 31 OCTOBER**

Frightenin' Family Film: Monster Inc.

11am – 12.30pm

**Cost: £3 | Family £10
(up to 4 people)**

2001 | Certificate U | Comedy | Adventure |
Running time 92mins

Monsters, Inc. follows the adventures of two lovable monsters, Sulley and Mike, who work at a company that generates energy by scaring children. When a human child accidentally enters their world, the duo must navigate through hilarious and heartwarming challenges to return her home and change the way their monster society views children forever.

Monster Craft Workshop

12.30 – 2.30pm

**Cost: FREE | Drop in
Suitable for all Ages**

Unleash your creativity as we embark on a monstrously fun adventure, crafting spooky, silly, and cute monsters together.

Spooky Tales for Tiny Tots

**1.30 – 1.50pm OR 2 – 2.20pm
OR 2.30 – 2.50pm**

**Free Admission | Drop in
Suitable for all ages**

Step into a world of delightful Halloween enchantment as you and your little ones join us for a captivating storytelling session with the talented Kelly Quigley. Through her magical storytelling, Kelly will weave slightly scary tales and spooky fables that will come alive, capturing the imaginations of children.

Echo Echo Spooky Dance Workshop

2.30 – 3pm OR 3.30 – 4pm

**Free Admission | Drop in
Suitable for all ages**

Learn to walk like zombies, float like ghosts and stomp like monsters in this thrilling workshop where little ones can let loose and show off their best spooky moves!

Creepy Craft Workshop

3 – 4.30pm

**Free Admission | Drop in
Suitable for all ages**

Unleash your eerie creativity at our creepy craft drop-in workshop for kids, where young ones can conjure up spine-chilling Halloween decorations.

**Parents must accompany children for the
duration of all Halloween activities.**

"Amazing!"

Twilight Sessions

Sarah Jane Scouten

supported by Benjamin Amos

Thursday 16 November, 8pm**Tickets: £15 full,
£13 concession**

MUSIC

Scottish/Canadian folk and Americana songwriter, Sarah Jane Scouten's songs pay their respects to 60s and 70s country songwriters Willie Nelson, John Prine, Bobby Gentry and weave in British folk revival elements with a continuous thread leading back to her roots in bluegrass and old-time music. Releasing her fifth album *Turned to Gold* (Light Organ Records) this Autumn, Sarah Jane offers a new depth and solidity as a songwriter.

Hailing from the north coast of Ireland, Benjamin Amos released *Letters*, his debut solo release to much acclaim last year. Receiving great airplay across BBC radio, 'Romario' went on to be selected by Tom Robinson as the BBC Introducing Mixtape track of the week, while HotPress selected Amos as one of their 'Hot for 2023'.

This event is BYOB and cabaret style.



“...brilliant show and a great venue!”

POP-UP CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

**Saturday 18 November,
10am-3pm, Free admission**

Featuring the creations of emerging collective Maker's Tribe, you'll find unique handmade gifts, from textiles to sculpture to prints and more!

Limavady Drama Club presents



**GUEST
HIRE
EVENT**

**Wednesday 29, Thursday 30 November
& Friday 1 December, 7.30pm**

Saturday 2 December 1.30pm & 7.30pm

**Tickets Wednesday and Thursday
£10 adult, £5 child, £25 family of 4***

**Tickets Friday and Saturdays £12.50
adult, £7.50 child, £30 family of 4***

**(*Family tickets are for 2 adults and
2 children or 1 adult and 3 children)**

Tickets available at: www.ticketsource.co.uk/limavadydramaclub

Join Limavady Drama Club with the children from Chloe Riley Drama on a magical journey to the enchanting world of "Sleeping Beauty".

In this timeless tale, Princess Beauty, the coolest kind of princess you've ever met, finds herself under the wicked spell of Poison Ivy, a villainess who knows no bounds. As the land of Limavegas trembles in fear, it's up to our brave heroes to restore harmony and save the day! Brace yourself for an extraordinary panto experience filled with laughter, love, and a pinch of Limavady charm!



**GUEST
HIRE
EVENT**

**Friday 8 December,
8pm, Tickets: £22.50
(+ booking fee online)**

Back by popular demand, this entertaining show returns for another night of toe-tapping festive magic with a super line-up that includes BBC Radio Ulster's Hugo Duncan, the energetic Shawn Cuddy, the hilarious Gary Gamble and trucking favourite Boxcar Brian who each will showcase their trademark hit songs with Northern Ireland's top duo Country Harmony.

This is a guest hire event with tiered seating.

"...very good and entertaining."

**FAMILY
THEATRE**

*Banyan Theatre
Company present*

The Elves and the Shoemaker

**Saturday 9 December, 12noon
Tickets: £6 or Family ticket
£22 (up to 4 people)**



An adaptation of the much loved 'Brothers Grimm' classic fairy tale, using puppetry, object theatre and original music, the story is set in a shoemaker's shop and is told in a playful way with gentle audience participation.

*Suitable for ages 3-11yrs,
performance length
45mins.*

**GUEST
HIRE
EVENT**



The Glens Community Association Youth Christmas Music and Drama Performance

**Tuesday 12 December, 7pm
(Doors 6.30pm)**

*Tickets available on the door or through
the Glens Community Association.*

The Glens Community Association) and Journey Project have joined forces again along with Meadhbh McGinley School of Music and the McPhillips School of Speech and Drama to bring you an unforgettable evening of entertainment.

Echo Echo Dance Theatre Company presents

Winter's Dream

**Friday 15 December, 11:30am and 1pm
Available for schools bookings, please
call us on 028 7776 0650 for further
details and booking. Suitable for
Primary School groups.**



**FAMILY
THEATRE**

"Winter's Dream" is a new family show produced by Echo Echo Dance Theatre Company. In a cosy and intimate setting, the audience will be offered a magical escape where children can embrace the wonder of co-creation and experience a unique theatrical adventure. Through movement, captivating storytelling and immersive sensory experience, "Winter's Dream" will guide you into a fantastical realm, where dreams unfold and the spirit of winter gives way to the enchantment of the spring.

MAKE + DO FOR KIDS & YOUNG PEOPLE

Book via our website, call our Box Office team on **028 7776 0650** or pop in to pay.

We want to make sure that all children and young people participate in an enjoyable and safe environment. Therefore, please complete and return **consent forms for each under-18 no later than 24 hours before the activity begins**. Completed consent forms are a condition of participation. The best creativity is messy! Please make sure your child wears suitable clothing.

MUG & COASTER CRAFT SESSION for 12-15 years

Saturday 9 September |
11am-12.30pm | Cost: £15

In this creative craft session led by Christina Smyth of Meraki Art NI, kids will have fun exploring a range of art mediums whilst designing their own personalised mug and wooden coaster. A creative safe space, encouraging sensory play, creative thinking, communication skills and self-confidence.



GUARDIAN AND TODDLER 4 WEEK MUSIC MAKING COURSE for 1-2 years

Thursday 21 September -
12 October | 11am-12noon |
Cost: £20 (covers full 4-week course)

It's music time - let's tap our drums, play our tambourines and shake our rattles! Enjoy singing and making rhymes with your little ones with a selection of instruments like rattles, drums, the piano, xylophone and balaphone - a great way to introduce music to your little one whilst bonding at the same time. *A parent/guardian must accompany their child for the duration of the workshop.*



MINI CHRISTMAS TREES for 5-7 years

Saturday 25 November |
12noon-1pm | Cost: £10

It's time for some messy fun making tiny Christmas trees for the elves and fairies. Perhaps you'll leave a little gift under it for them on Christmas Eve? Using natural pinecones, paint, glue, pom-poms and sparkles we'll make the cutest little trees for the little people...or just for you! Wear something you don't mind getting glittery!

"My kid's loved this, such good fun."



FESTIVE STORIES FOR LITTLE ONES

for 1-4 years

Saturday 2 December |

2 sessions available:

Session 1: 11 – 11.30am OR

Session 2: 11.30am – 12noon |

Cost: £5

(ticket covers guardian and child)

Come along for some magical winter fables for little ones with Kelly Quigley, a performer and storyteller who ignites and captures children's imaginations. *A parent or guardian is required to accompany their child for the duration of the storytelling.*



AIR DRY CHRISTMAS DECORATION CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP

for 8-12 years

Saturday 9 December |

10.30am – 12noon | Cost: £14

A one-day workshop with Ceramic Artist Fiona Shannon who will guide you through designing and making festive decorations for your Christmas Tree. Designed for beginners and improvers this class will be a fun creative environment to get crafty using a range of clay techniques. Please bring a box with you as children will get to take their creations home with them at the end of the workshop to dry and paint at home.



MAKE YOUR OWN CHRISTMAS ELF PUPPET for 6-10 years

Saturday 9 December |

1.30-2.30pm | Cost: £10

A fun and creative festive workshop with tuition from professional puppeteer Karen from Banyan Theatre, make your very own Elf Rod puppet to take home. Will your Elf be naughty or nice? It's in your hands!

MAKE + DO FOR ADULTS

Book via our website, call our Box Office team on **028 7776 0650** or pop in to pay.

ADULT DRUMMING COURSE for 18+ years

Thursday 21 September -
12 October | 3-4pm |
Cost: £20 full, £18 concession

Join professional drummer Claudia Keller to learn techniques of djembe and African bass drumming, exploring rhythm and music and connecting with others.



AUTUMN LIGHT: ACRYLIC PAINTING FOR BEGINNERS

Saturday 30 September |
10am-1pm |
Cost: £22 full, £20 concession

In this painting workshop, local artist Elizabeth Johnston will guide you step-by-step through each stage of painting an Autumn themed land/seascape on canvas board. You will learn basic acrylic painting techniques as well as understanding how to create depth with tone and scale. This workshop is suitable for beginners, no previous experience is necessary. *Please bring an apron or overskirt to the workshop to protect your clothes.*

HALLOWEEN SCARECROW WORKSHOP

Saturday 14 October
time to be confirmed

Calling all creative Community groups! Causeway Coast & Glens Borough Council's Events Team are holding scarecrow making workshops across Ballymoney, Coleraine, Ballycastle and Limavady. They want 10 community groups from Limavady to have the opportunity to decorate their own Scarecrow for Halloween. It can be any design and materials will be provided! The workshop will last approximately 1.5hrs and the resulting scarecrows will be displayed in our windows until the Halloween Fireworks Extravaganza when they will be displayed at the event itself! *The first 10 groups to register interest will be allocated the workshop. For more details and to register your group, please contact us on (028) 7776 0650.*



"...a much needed cultural focus for Limavady."

DREAMING AWAY THE COLD - WRITING INTO WINTER

Saturday 21 October -
11 November | 11am-1pm |
Cost £40 full, £36 concession

Temperatures are falling, autumn winds are rising and it's tempting to nestle down for the season, but why not be warmed by your own creative fire this year? Let poet and playwright Anne McMaster guide you through drafting, editing and producing your own winter-themed writing in these relaxed and supportive online workshops - guaranteed to light your creative spark in these darker days!



NEEDLE FELTED AUTUMN PUMPKIN AND TOADSTOOL for 18+ or 12+ if accompanied by an adult

Saturday 21 October |
10am-1pm |
Cost: £20 full, £18 concession

Time to add a little felted woolly fun to your Halloween décor! You will make at least one pumpkin & one toadstool during this 3-hour needle felting workshop. Once complete your creations can be added to wreaths, centrepieces or just adorn the mantelpiece over a roaring fire. *Suitable for all abilities and children 12+ years with accompanying adult.*



EXPLORING ART: IN SEARCH OF STEINBECK'S AMERICA

Wednesdays 1-22 November |
7-9pm | Cost: £40 full,
£36 concession

Explore both the world of writer John Steinbeck and art history in this unique course which will inspire you to create artwork by learning about five famous American artists from the first



half of the 20th Century. At least one finished piece of work by each participant will be exhibited as part of the Limavady Steinbeck Festival 2024.

LEARN TO JIVE COURSE FOR 18+

Wednesdays 8-29 November |
7:30-8:30pm |
Cost: £40 full per person,
£36 concession

Join us for a little bit of Strictly fever! Following the success of previous classes, we are delighted to welcome back Derry Dancing to teach another four-week jive course. Suitable for complete beginners and improvers, a jive routine will be choreographed that will be fun to learn and easy to remember and all classes use a variety of music that everyone can enjoy. These classes are a brilliant way to meet people, build confidence and get you on the dance floor. *Please wear comfortable clothes and appropriate footwear.*

FESTIVE FELTED TOMTES FOR 18+ OR 12+ IF ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT

Saturday 2 December |
10am-1pm |
Cost £20 full, £18 concession

Tomtes are little bearded men, just three feet high, with long beards and scruffy plain clothes. In Swedish myth they were known to be solitary and mischievous domestic spirits who protected farmsteads, their families, and animals. Join Carolyn from Woolly Wild Folk to create your own little house-elf in festive red and white or customise him as you choose. He can be free-standing or made into a delightful tree decoration. *Suitable for all abilities and children 12+ with accompanying adult.*



"Magnificent staff."



CERAMIC CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATION FOR AGES 18+

Saturday 9 December |
1-2:30pm |
Cost £25 full, £22.50 concession

In this one-off workshop, professional ceramicist Fiona Shannon will guide you through designing and making festive Christmas decorations and tea lights perfect for your tree and table. Designed for beginners this class will be a fun creative environment to get crafty using a range of clay techniques. Fiona will fire and glaze your decorations to be collected at a later date.

CREATE YOUR OWN CHRISTMAS WREATH FOR 18+

Saturday 9 December |
11am-1pm |
Cost £55 full, £49.50 concession

Join award winning florist Elaine Taylor as she takes you step by step through the process of designing your very own bespoke festive wreath. Fresh aromatic traditional foliage is the perfect way to get creative whilst also getting in the festive spirit. *Please bring your own scissors or secateurs, all other materials will be supplied.*

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Looking for a unique venue on the Causeway Coast? Look no further than Flowerfield Arts Centre in Portstewart and Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre in Limavady. Both venues offer versatile spaces for a wide range of events, from small meetings to performances and conferences. Both venues cater for community, voluntary and statutory organizations, as well as private hire events throughout the year. Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre is also licensed for weddings (local catering recommendations available). Enjoy tea/coffee options and free Wi-Fi at both venues. To find out more call Flowerfield 028 7083 1400 or Roe Valley 028 7776 0650.

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Flowerfield Arts Centre and Roe Valley Arts and Cultural Centre have been designed with accessibility in mind. We are keen to continue to improve our services, so that we can make your visit as seamless as possible, please do make us aware of your needs at the time of booking or so that we can plan ahead for our next event.

Hearing-Impaired infra-red system in the auditorium and induction loop at Box Office.

Guide Dogs, Hearing Dogs & registered Assistance Dogs are welcome into the venue including the auditorium.

Wheelchair access is available throughout both arts centres and our auditoriums for wheelchair seats/transfers. Our auditorium balcony areas are also accessible to wheelchairs. We have low-level box office counters and adapted toilets can be accessed from the ground floor or via the lift to the first floor in both venues. Our front of house teams will be available to help you in any way they can, should you require any assistance during your visit.

PARKING

Roe Valley Arts Centre: Parking is available on the main street directly outside the arts centre, normal on-street parking restrictions apply. Blue-badge holders can access parking to the rear of the venue or on-street parking free of charge.

Other car parking is available within walking distance of the venue; please enquire at our box office.

Flowerfield Arts Centre: Parking is available in our customer car park directly in front of the building, including reserved spaces for blue-badge holders.

General terms and conditions of booking:

YOUR TICKETS

Patrons are advised that ticket prices cannot be refunded, transferred or exchanged unless in exceptional circumstances at the discretion of the venue manager. You can make a booking either in person or by telephone through cash, cheque or debit/credit card or online for selected main events via Eventbrite. Tickets will be held, pending payment, for 48 hours after your initial booking. Tickets can also be posted to you directly but may incur additional postage costs. We reserve the right to offer special discounted ticket prices for events at any time and prior bookings may be excluded from promotion.

EVENTS

Please note: Latecomers to music events may not be admitted unless there is a suitable break or interval. We reserve the right to alter or cancel any event without advance notice. Outdoor events are weather dependent and subject to change. Official photographers will at times take photos of events for Council purposes and may be used for future promotional purposes. At outdoor events, all children must be accompanied by an adult. All details of events are correct at time of going to press.

DATA PROTECTION

We assure you that any personal information submitted to us through a box office booking or our mailing list will only be used for our own monitoring/marketing purposes and will not be passed on to any third parties.

Flowerfield Arts Centre and Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre are a non-smoking venues. Flowerfield Arts Centre and Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre are fully accessible. For full terms and conditions and to plan Your visit information, visit flowerfield.org or roevalleyarts.com