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centre

*Theatre, Film, Music, Classes*

**Spring 2026**

## Welcome

Welcome to our Spring 2026 brochure. We hope you will find something in it to interest, entertain or inspire you. Whether it's one of our art classes, workshops, shows, films, gigs or social events, we have something for everyone. For up-to-date information, including any changes to this programme, please visit our website [www.creditonartscentre.org](http://www.creditonartscentre.org) or our Facebook or Instagram pages.

We aim to make our facilities accessible to as many people as possible. If you have any particular needs, please contact our Administrator Patsy Lang before your visit.

## Events at a glance

### January

Thurs 8 MUSIC & FOOD: **Jazz on the Green**  
Fri 9 FILM: **The Cabinet of Dr Caligari / Nosferatu**  
Thurs 15 FILM - Last Thursday Picture Show: **Past Lives**  
Fri 16 THEATRE: **Fagin's Last Hour**  
Fri 23/Sat 24 THEATRE: **So Many Words**

### February

Thurs 5 MUSIC & FOOD: **Jazz on the Green**  
Thur 12 FILM - SOUND & VISION: **This is Spinal Tap**  
Thurs 26 FILM - Last Thursday Picture Show: **God's Own Country**  
Sat 28 OPERA: **Carmen**

### March

Thurs 5 MUSIC & FOOD: **Jazz on the Green**  
Sat 7 MUSIC: **Holly Clarke**  
Fri 13 THEATRE: **Giants**  
Thurs 19 MUSIC: **Moon Jazz**  
Fri 20 MUSIC & THEATRE: **And 'Other' Stories**  
Sun 22 MUSIC: **Share in the Square**  
Mon 23 FILM - SOUND & VISION: **Spinal Tap II: The End Continues**  
Wed 25 MUSIC: **Acoustic by Candlelight**  
Thurs 26 FILM - Last Thursday Picture Show: **Wild Rose**  
Fri 27 MUSIC: **Filkin's Drift**  
Sat 28 MUSIC: **Kathryn Roberts & Sean Lakeman**

### April

Thurs 2 MUSIC & FOOD: **Jazz on the Green**

## Tickets

Tickets for Arts Centre events can be obtained by ringing **01363 773260** or bought directly from [www.ticketsource.co.uk/creditonartscentre](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/creditonartscentre)  
Concessions are available for under 18s, full-time students and unemployed

Tickets for Jazz on the Green from [www.srilankan-authentic.co.uk/](http://www.srilankan-authentic.co.uk/)

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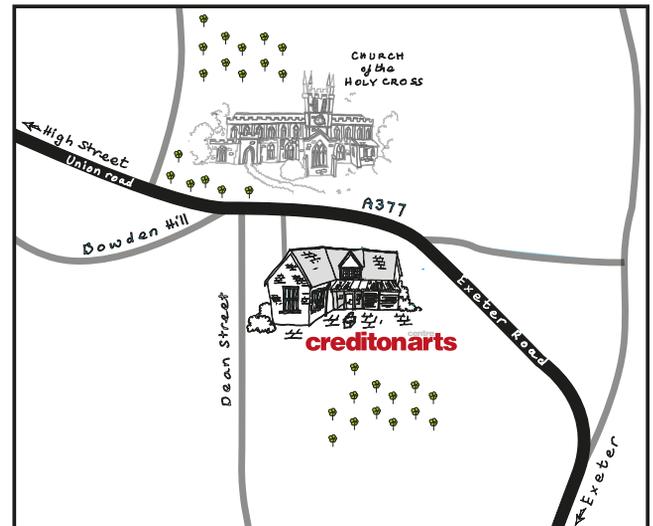


## Friends of Crediton Arts Centre

Crediton Arts Centre relies on its Friends in so many ways: for its programme, for volunteer support at events and for coming along and making the whole place vibrant and viable. By joining as a Friend you will receive advance information by email and post about our programme, a regular newsletter and invitations to social events and trips. You will also be helping to ensure that the Arts Centre continues to be a thriving focus of community arts for years to come.

Annual membership costs just **£20 for individuals** and **£34 for families**. For more details and an application form please contact our Administrator, Patsy Lang, on 01363 773260 or [info@creditonartscentre.org](mailto:info@creditonartscentre.org)

## How to find us



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🌐 [www.creditonartscentre.org](http://www.creditonartscentre.org)

Thursday 8 January

7.00pm

**Jazz on the Green**

The first Thursday of the month is the date for more top-quality jazz from the best and most sought-after players on the British jazz scene. Delicious Sri Lankan food from acclaimed cook Sepali Godakanda makes this an unforgettable experience.

Tickets: £27

BAR

More regular Jazz on the Green events on 5 February, 5 March and 2 April. Check out Jazz on the Green on [www.srilankan-authentic.co.uk/](http://www.srilankan-authentic.co.uk/) for tickets for events.



Friday 9 January

7.00pm

East Street Films presents

**German Expressionist Double Bill**  
**The Cabinet of Dr Caligari / Nosferatu (12)**

Two acknowledged silent classics from the era of the birth of cinema. These two iconic masterpieces combine the Gothic horror of Shelley and Stoker with the unsettling cadences of Expressionist artists and writers such as Kandinsky, Munch, Strindberg and Wedekind. Robert Weine's 'The Cabinet of Dr Caligari' from 1920 sees the sinister Caligari use the unfortunate somnambulist Cesare to enact his evil bidding. In F.W.Murnau's 1922 'Nosferatu' (loosely based on Bram Stoker's 'Dracula') Count Orlok is played by the incomparable Max Shreck, creating one of the most disturbing performances in cinema history. Both prints are presented with new, sympathetic 5:1 Surround Sound scores.

Tickets: £5

BAR

Thursday 15 January

7.30pm

The Last Thursday Picture Show presents

**Past Lives (12)**

2023 romantic drama written and directed by Celine Song in her feature directorial debut. Starring Greta Lee, Teo Yoo, and John Magaro, it follows two childhood friends over the course of 24 years while they contemplate the nature of their relationship as they grow apart, living different lives.



Tickets: £5

Themed Pudding, tea and coffee. BAR



Friday 16 January

7.30pm

Brother Wolf presents

**Fagin's Last Hour**

'Oliver Twist', Charles Dickens' dark tale of crime and punishment, is stunningly re-imagined in this multi award-winning stage adaptation, recognised by Queen Elizabeth II for its part in Dickensian scholarship. Adapted and performed by James Hyland, Fagin's Last Hour is told from the point of view of Fagin the Miser, one hour before his execution.

This unique and powerful one-man show offers a fresh insight into one of literature's most controversial villains.

Tickets: £13/£11

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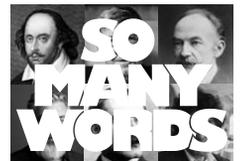
Friday 23 / Saturday 24 January

7.30pm

Credition Arts Centre &amp; Mike Felstead present

**So Many Words**

Join us for an evening of monologues, poetry, sketches and other spoken work pieces, presented by local performers. From Shakespeare to Butterworth, with contributions from Hardy, Kipling, Bennett and many more. Old favourites and original pieces to brighten a winter's evening. Support your Arts Centre with 'please pay more' ticket pricing. Paying a little more directly benefits the Arts Centre.



Tickets: Pay what you can: £10 / £12 / £14

BAR

Thursday 12 February

7:30pm



Sound &amp; Vision presents

## This is Spinal Tap

As the long-awaited sequel does the rounds we are taking the opportunity to show the original 'mockumentary' which spawned

a thousand imitations. Directed by Rob Reiner and written with cast members Christopher Guest, Mike McKean and Harry Shearer, this one goes up to 11...

Tickets: £5

BAR

Thursday 26 February

7:30pm

The Last Thursday Picture Show presents

## God's Own Country

2017 British film written and directed by Francis Lee in his feature directorial debut, following a young sheep farmer in Yorkshire whose life is transformed by a Romanian migrant worker. The film stars Josh O'Connor, Alec Secăreanu, Gemma Jones and Ian Hart.

Tickets: £5

Themed Pudding, tea and coffee. BAR

Saturday 28 February

7:30pm

Exeter Opera presents

## Carmen

Last seen at the Arts Centre in 2025 with Gluck's Orfeo ed Eurydice, Ukrainian soprano Irina Ilnytska returns with Bizet's popular masterpiece in a chamber version featuring ten soloists and five musicians alongside a chorus of talented local singers. This promises to be a special treat for all music lovers.

Tickets: £13/£11

BAR

Saturday 7 March

7:30pm

## Holly Clarke

Holly is a singer who draws from the old ballads and stories and conjures a performance that immediately captivates any listener. As a performer,



Holly transports the listener into the heart of ballads, immersing them in the narratives that have shaped humanities experience through time. From songs of the supernatural and folklore, to the tales of love and loss, Holly Clarke sings with an infectious energy and passion who brings the best of traditional song and contemporary composition into every performance. "Man, she can sing!" *Martin Carthy*

Tickets: £14/£11

BAR

Friday 13 March

7:30pm



The Travelling Talesman presents

## Giants

They are big and some of them are clever. Europe used to be thick with them. From Greek Zeus to Scandinavian Thor and from Cornwall's Jack the Giant Killer to the northern Molly Whuppie, Gods and humans have waged a devastating series of single combats against large and grotesque beings

with dubious manners. The Travelling Talesman introduces you to the best and worst of these gargantuan creatures in his funny, entertaining and informative show.

Tickets: £13/£11

BAR

Thursday 19 - Saturday 28 March

7:30pm

## The Second Spring Awakening Music Festival

After the success of the inaugural event in 2025 we return with a slightly slimmed down version this year. Featuring jazz, drumming, folk, choral, classical and films, we will again utilise other venues in the town including the Congregational Church, the Town Square and the beautiful St Lawrence Chapel.

Thursday 19 March

7:30pm



## Moon Jazz

The return of the popular jazz club, a relaxed atmosphere with outstanding local musicians - jammers welcome for the second half (please bring charts).

Tickets: £5 on the door

BAR

Friday 20 March

7.30pm

The Turning Tides Project present

## And 'Other' Stories

Stories are how we form our beliefs, our values, our expectations and aspirations. The traditional stories of our society, shape our attitudes towards difference, and our sense of 'Other'. Join The Turning Tides Project and partners to explore, challenge and reframe traditional stories and their representation of Disabled People. This multi-media event will include an exhibition, films, live plays and live music to share multi-sensory retellings from a Social Model perspective and to launch the 'And 'Other' Stories' Collection, hosted by the Folklore Library and Archive.

Tickets: Pay What You Can £0 / £5 / £7 / £10

Sunday 22 March

10am – 2pm

## Share in the Square (Crediton Town Square)

Our rich array of Crediton musical talent on display in the delightful setting of the Town Square.

Free, donations welcome.

Sunday 22 March

2.00pm

## Devon Drummers – Drumming Workshop

James Carr is back with another interesting and enjoyable workshop for drummers at all levels. Drums are provided.

Tickets: £4

BAR

Monday 23 March

7.30pm

Sound &amp; Vision presents

## Spinal Tap: The End Continues (12a)

The long-awaited sequel to *This is Spinal Tap*, once again directed by Rob Reiner, sees Nigel, David and Derek reunite after 15 years for one more contractual obligation gig. Featuring cameos from Paul McCartney, Elton John, Garth Brooks, Questlove and Lars Ulrich.



Tickets: £5

BAR

Tuesday 24 March

7.15pm

## Crediton Strummers

Ed Finch leads this relaxed and informal workshop for players of all abilities.

Wednesday 25 March

7.30pm

## Acoustic by Candlelight (St Lawrence Chapel)

An entirely unamplified musical experience which features a range of genres in the beautiful, calm setting of St Lawrence Chapel. A magical evening is promised.

Tickets: £5

BAR

Thursday 26 March

7.30pm

The Last Thursday Picture Show presents

## Wild Rose (15)

BAFTA-nominated Jessie Buckley leads a strong cast including Julie Walters, Sophie Okonedo, Craig Parkinson and Jamie Sives in Tom Harper's 2018 musical drama about a Scottish country singer recovering from a spell in prison.

Tickets: £5

Themed pudding, tea and coffee.

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Friday 27 March

7.30pm

## Filkin's Drift

Filkin's Drift reimagine traditional melodies through pizzicato grooves, intricate guitar tunes, and boundless improvisation. Their music captures the essence of their recent 870-mile walk of Wales' coast, 'weaving together a tapestry of shared experiences' (Songlines). Their compositions are sophisticated yet rooted in tradition, blending fiddle, guitar and 'gorgeous vocal harmonies' "Committed and fascinating" *BBC 6 Music's Cerys Matthews*

Tickets: £14 / £11

BAR



Wednesday 28 March

7.30pm

## Kathryn Roberts & Sean Lakeman (Credition Congregational Church)

Roberts and Lakeman have forged a creative bond that is as enduring as it is inspiring. Their 30 year journey together — from young trailblazers in the 1990s folk supergroup Equation to one of Britain's most admired and decorated folk duos — stands as a testament to their artistry, authenticity, and masterful musicianship.

Twice been named 'Best Duo' at the BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards, their live shows — brimming with charm, wit, and musical mastery — have earned them a devoted following and a reputation as a cornerstone act of the British folk and acoustic scene.

Tickets: £18 / £15

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## MONDAYS

**Observational Drawing** 10.00am - 12.30pm

A welcoming and supportive class for anyone who wants to draw. Each week we'll take inspiration from a different artist and consider their approach and use of media through discussion and practical exploration. You will be encouraged to work in a way that allows you to develop your own visual language and confidence with drawing.

This class is suitable for those just beginning to draw, as well as those looking to extend their skill set and understanding.

Contact:

Lucy Runge: [lucyrunge@googlemail.com](mailto:lucyrunge@googlemail.com)  
or visit [www.lucyrunge.com](http://www.lucyrunge.com)

12 weeks from 12 January

£120

**Watercolour**

7.00 - 9.00pm

Suitable for beginners or improvers, and those wishing to develop their skills and try some different approaches to watercolour, different techniques, composition, materials, improvisation, source material, as well as many other aspects of water media and drawing.



A range of subjects is covered each term and there are lots of tips and tuition and demonstration when necessary. The tutor always brings examples of work to help illustrate the processes.

Check out Vin's work on Instagram - [vinjelly](https://www.instagram.com/vinjelly), or Vin Jelly Fine art on Facebook and Youtube.

Contact:

[jellyartist@gmail.com](mailto:jellyartist@gmail.com) 01363 772787 [www.jellyfineart.co.uk](http://www.jellyfineart.co.uk)

10 weeks from 12 January

£120

## TUESDAYS

**Tuesday Morning Art Club** 10am - 12noon

A group for all abilities exploring a variety of techniques such as figurative drawing, abstract painting, collage, ceramic, felting and printmaking.

From 13 January

5 sessions for £50 or £12 drop-in

Contact:

[James.hdg@gmail.com](mailto:James.hdg@gmail.com)

**Drawing and Painting, in Watercolour, Acrylic and Mixed Media** 2.00 - 4.30pm

This is a mixed ability art group. Beginners welcome. We will be exploring imaginative and experimental ways to draw and paint from landscape, still life and the imagination. You will be encouraged to find your own personal language through the medium of paint, with reference to various contemporary artists.

10 weeks from 13 January  
£120

Contact Anjie Moon Ingham MA

on 07713 627021 or [anjumkmoon@gmail.com](mailto:anjumkmoon@gmail.com)

**Crediton Strummers**

7.15 - 8.45pm

All levels of musicianship encouraged and embraced.

Contact: Ed Finch 07810 861917 for details

## WEDNESDAYS

**Strength & Balance** 2.00-4.00pm

Feel steady and strong. Supported, simple, gently-paced exercises in a warm and friendly atmosphere. Two classes - chairbased and minimal support

From 14 January

Contact Dawn Roe 01837 849159

FRIDAYS

**Portrait Club**

10am - 12noon

A friendly group that meets in Studio 2. Bring your own materials and take a turn at modelling.

**From 16 January**

**£4.00 per session including coffee, tea & biscuits**

Contact: Hilary Hamilton 01363 772365



**Brown Paper Bag Theatre Company**

The Arts Centre's resident theatre company was formed in 1984, to explore different forms of theatre and to encourage participation by all, regardless of experience. Adaptations of classic novels and traditional tales, developed through workshops, have been the mainstay of the group's output, but we have also found time to fit in plays from writers such as Churchill, Bennett, Shakespeare, Synge, Wycherley, Pinter and Beckett. In recent years the company has mounted successful productions of Dylan Thomas' 'Under Milk Wood', Oscar Wilde's 'The Picture of Dorian Gray' and Friedrich Dürrenmatt's 'The Visit'. Our most recent production was 'Baggage Collection', performed in January 2025. Although there is no BPB production this year, we will not be idle. One of our members, Mike Felstead, is producing 'So Many Words' in January 2026; many of us will be involved in 'The Tempest' tour in June /July 2026; the BPB Mummers will be out and about throughout the year; and we will be back with Jack Robson's production of Brecht's 'The Resistible Rise of Arturo Ui' in January 2027.

All over the age of 14 are welcome to join.

To find out more contact Jenny Start on 01363 774021.



**Playreading Group**

We welcome you to join our group (run under the umbrella of BPB Theatre company). We simply sit and read plays, selected by Eddie Holden with parts allocated on the night. We meet every month or so and you attend when you are able. It is an enjoyable way to explore plays new and old and no prior experience of drama needed!

If interested please contact Eddie edholden47@gmail.com or Jenny Start jennystart@live.co.uk

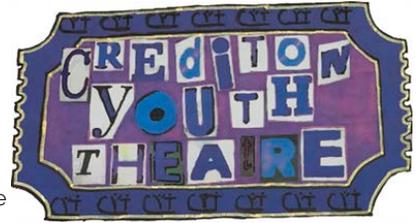
**Crediton Youth Theatre**

Tuesdays 5.30 – 7.00pm  
From 13 January

Age 11-18

**£25 per half-term**

CYT meets every week to explore theatre and have fun. Activities include games, warm-ups, exercises, group work, singing and improvisation. There are no auditions and new



members are welcome at any time, subject to available places. We stage a new production every year, usually in the Summer.

For more information visit [www.credyt.co.uk](http://www.credyt.co.uk)

To book your taster session, please call Jez Taylor on 01363 85611 or email: [cyt@waxroom.co.uk](mailto:cyt@waxroom.co.uk)



**Room Hire**

The Arts Centre has two rooms for hire, the main studio (Studio 1) and a smaller studio (Studio 2). The main studio is fully equipped for presentations with an overhead digital projector, sound system, stage lighting and remote-operated retractable screen.

For details and bookings please contact Jack Robson or Patsy Lang at the Arts Centre: 01363 773260 [info@creditonartscentre.org](mailto:info@creditonartscentre.org)



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We are particularly grateful to the following organisations:



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