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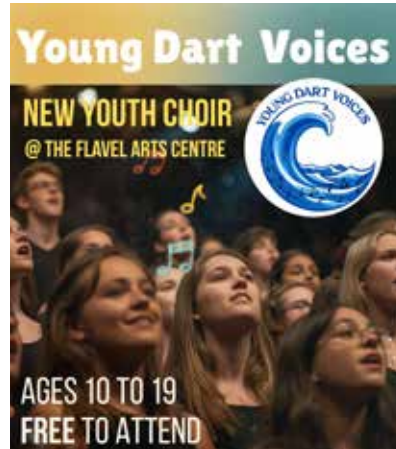
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The Flavel is dedicated to providing more opportunities in the Creative Arts. We run a children's Youth Drama Group 'Dramatically Different' every Wednesday during term time. We recently launched our Youth Choir 'Young Dart Voices' (which is completely FREE) and we are introducing Adult Acting Workshops with Galore Theatre Company in addition to our Djembe Drumming Workshops which have been running for a while.

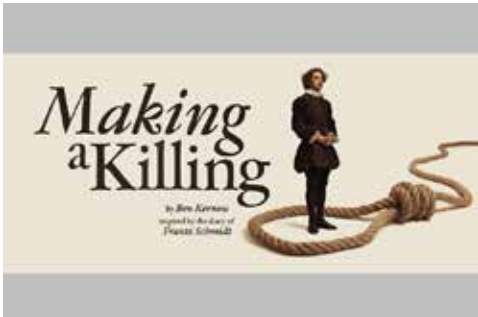
We are also proud to support Dartmouth Theatre Company (DTC) who will be returning to The Flavel with 'Grease the Musical' in July, after sell-out performances of Matilda Jr and Annie Jr.

We also continue to work with Helena Clews to provide the very successful art workshops, and the Dartmouth Creatives group meet here at The Flavel once a month.

There is so much evidence that the creative arts, drama and singing aid well-being and contribute to more positive outcomes for everyone. So we encourage you all to come along, watch a film, experience a live show, get involved with our workshops and enjoy everything The Flavel can offer.

It's YOUR Flavel, so embrace it and use it, we are here to make a positive difference to you and to the whole town of Dartmouth. Please come and visit us soon.

**From all the Team at The Flavel**



## HA HUM AH PRODUCTIONS PRESENT: MAKING A KILLING

Performed by just two actors, Making a Killing is a razor-sharp, dark comedy about justice, corruption, and the cost of survival in a world disturbingly like our own.

Audience Feedback: *"We have seen many shows over the years but this was absolutely amazing, the best we have seen"*

**Fri 10 Apr 7.30pm**

**Tickets** £18, under 18 £12 (suitable for age 14+, contains mature content)



## FOLK @ THE FLAVEL PRESENTS: ANGELINE MORRISON

Angeline is one of the freshest voices in English folk music today, celebrated for her soulful, resonant voice, evocative songwriting, and deeply affecting performances. Her artistry has earned standing ovations on stages large and small, with Mojo ranking her #5 among key voices of 2023. Angeline has performed at major festivals, including Glastonbury, Sidmouth, and End of the Road, and made her TV debut on Later With Jools Holland during Black History Month 2022.

**Sat 11 Apr 7.30pm**

**Tickets:** £20



## THE COMIC STRIP PRESENTS: MADE IN DEVON

See following page - this event has been amalgamated with the event tomorrow, so you will see 3 films plus a Q&A with Peter Richardson, Nigel Planer and Alexei Sayle - all live on stage together, and it will now be happening on Friday evening.

**Fri 17 Apr 7.30pm**

**Tickets** £20





## THE COMIC STRIP PRESENTS: MADE IN DEVON

We are screening three classic Comedy Strip Films and a LIVE Q&A with **Peter Richardson**, **Alexei Sayle** and **Nigel Planer** (together Live on stage). This evening we are screening:

Best of Devon – a selection of clips from the series filmed in the local area  
The Supergrass (1985)  
The Hunt for Tony Blair

**Fri 17 Apr 7.30pm**  
**Tickets £20**



## COMEDY @ THE FLAVEL PRESENTS: A TRIO OF APRIL FOOLS

**Jack Campbell:** English Comedian Of The Year 2014 Short-listed for BBC Radio New Comedy Award Final 2014, Tour Support for Larry Dean, Dane Baptiste and Luisa Omielan.

**Ingrid Dahle** a Norwegian comedian, is making waves on the British comedy circuit. "fast-rising comedian" - Sunday Times.

**Louise Leigh** (Headliner) brings daftness, deftness and some brilliant physical comedy to the stage. You'll never think the same way again about shaving your leg.

**Sat 18 Apr 7.30pm**

**Tickets £15** (please note: lineup is subject to change)



## SEA SHANTY CONCERT - FUNDRAISER

Lend your voice to a chorus of hearty tunes for an evening of sea shanties in aid of local lifeboat crews and the Flavel. Dart RNLI is one of the busiest lifeboat stations in Devon, on call to emergencies in the Dart Estuary all the way up to Totnes and out to sea. These brave volunteers rely on the generous support of caring people like you. Their current station is a temporary building at the end of its lease and, to continue saving lives, they need your help to fund the £1.2M cost of their new lifesaving home.

Performances will be from ALL HANDS-ON DECK & THE TOTNES SEA GALS  
**Thu 23 Apr 7.30pm Tickets £10**





### THE VINTAGE JAZZ COLLECTIVE

The Vintage Jazz Collective have a great repertoire of classic and vintage jazz & swing. Their programme of Lindy, Swing and Charleston tunes played at just the right tempos have built a good relationship with the dance community of Devon. Learn some Lindy and Swing moves from local aficionados. For complete beginners and experienced dancers alike.

"This band really swings!"

**Fri 24 Apr** Beginners dance class from 7pm, band starts at 7.30pm  
**Tickets** £18



### RICHARD DIGANCE

'Richard Digance is brilliant' Bill Bryson

Join us for an unforgettable evening with Richard Digance, blending masterful storytelling, music, and humour in a warm, intimate concert that celebrates one of Britain's finest entertainers. A Gold Award Best Entertainer from The British Academy of Composers & Songwriters. His TV career spans 17 years, along with his own BBC Radio 2 series for 7 years. He performs live concert and composes film and TV soundtracks.

**Sat 25 Apr, 7.30pm**  
**Tickets** £20

**Sorry this event is cancelled**



### THE EXPLORER SERIES PRESENTS: BELINDA KIRK - THE FIRST WOMAN TO ROW AROUND GREAT BRITAIN

Belinda will talk about her Guinness World Record attempt to lead the first women to row around Great Britain. Belinda's talk will inspire people of all ages to take on the impossible, and how to cope when things go wrong. The importance of goal setting, managing intimidating problems and daring to fail. Adventure has given her the ability to tackle problems that seem monumental and she will share her tools on how everyone can do the same.

**Thu 30 Apr 7.30pm** **Tickets** £16.50 Under 18s £5



**Our Star Theatre Company**



## **OUR STAR THEATRE COMPANY: THE INVISIBLE MAN**

The thought of invisibility, and the advantages it could bring to someone, has captured the imagination of millions since HG Wells' classic story was first published. This original, fast-paced and riotous adaptation boasts 15 characters, played by just three energetic actors, aided by quick and silly costume changes, prop manipulation, whacky imagination and tons of tongue-in-cheek fun! Brought to you by Our Star Theatre Company, after their hugely successful 2023 UK tour and critically acclaimed sell-out run at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe.

**Fri 1 May, 7.30pm**

**Tickets:** Adults £18, Under 18 £11



## **LIFE AND DEATH UNDER VESUVIUS PRESENTED BY PETER IRELAND**

In the Bay of Naples, Pompeii and Herculaneum were thriving prosperous Roman cities. Until that fateful day in 79 AD...

What was it like living under the shadow of Vesuvius? What does archaeology reveal about the lives of the people.

**Thu 7 May 10.30am**

**Tickets** £4



## **RICHARD DURRANT**

A wonderful live music event for both acoustic and classical guitar lovers and the musically curious. Featuring Richard's original, haunting guitar music including his newly released track "The Art of Levitation". Indie-classical composer & concert guitarist Richard Durrant will also play music from the High Baroque, the English Baroque and (in a fascinating homage to John Renbourn & Martin Carthy) the English Folk Baroque.

**Thu 7 May 7.30pm**

**Tickets** £20





## NAVAL & SECRET FORCES IN DARTMOUTH 1939-45

Coastal Forces were a critical part of our defences, protecting convoys coming from America. Hear about the fast, heavily armed small boats (less than 100 ft long), that they used to combat the feared German E boats. A clandestine unit, the 15th Flotilla, operated secretly from 1942-45 taking secret agents to Brittany and returning with escaped POWs. The 23rd Flotilla manned by Free French Navy, were based in Kingswear, some of whom married local women after the war.

**Fri 8 May 5.30pm**

**Tickets £15** (includes complimentary wine or soft drink after the event)  
Under 18s £5



## FROM THE DART TO D-DAY - ADVERSITY, INNOVATION & VICTORY

**Four talks by expert historians**

Discover Dartmouth's hidden wartime story through four compelling talks. From the rapid construction of Motor Gun Boats on the River Dart to the precision and courage of HMS Medusa on D-Day, this programme reveals extraordinary local and operational achievements. Explore the secret missions of the 15th MGB Flotilla supporting MI6 and SOE, and the deadly threat posed by German S-boats during Exercise Tiger.

**Sat 9 May 10.30am Tickets £15**

(Or £20 if you buy tickets to both Coastal Forces Heritage weekend events)



### Pre-Show Supper

Sat 9 May 6pm

2 courses

**£24**



Chicken, apricot and almond tagine served with herby couscous and tahini yoghurt followed by a delectable chocolate orange mousse



## PRE-SHOW SUPPER: ROCKET MAX

On the evening of May 9th, the Flavel Bistro is opening its doors to celebrate one of the country's leading tribute acts 'Rocket Max' coming to The Flavel Arts Centre. We will be serving a pre-show supper at 6pm starting with a chicken, apricot, and almond tagine served with herby couscous and tahini yoghurt followed by a delectable chocolate orange mousse. Vegetarian option will be a squash, chickpea and apricot tagine with the same sides.

**Sat 9 May, 6pm**

**Pre-Show Supper £24**





## ROCKET MAX

The ultimate LIVE musical celebration of Sir Elton John - undoubtedly one of the most prolific singer/songwriters and piano players of our time. Far more than just another tribute act, Rocket Max is an immersive Elton John concert experience, and yes, the piano is played live! Performed by Max Anthony, accompanied by a stellar live band, the show takes the audience on a whistle stop tour through the mind-blowing discography of a true musical icon.

Sat 9 May 7.30pm

Tickets £22.50



## DART MUSICAL FESTIVAL

The Flavel is proud to work in partnership with Dart Music Festival.

Over the 3 days of the festival we will be hosting a variety of free musical events in the Flavel Auditorium - see following page for full details.

**Fri 15, Sat 16, Sun 17 May:** All events are FREE to attend but we would strongly encourage you to buy a festival wristband and a programme - as this is essential fundraising to cover the ongoing costs of running Dart Music Festival.



## FLAVEL FUNDRAISING EVENT: WINE TASTING EVENING

We are hoping to hold this on Thursday 21 May - but details are yet to be confirmed.

Come and support our hard-working fundraising team on another one of their brilliant events. Please check out the website later to find out more - or look out for posters in The Flavel windows.

Thu 21 May 7.30pm

Tickets £ TBC





# DART MUSIC FESTIVAL

For full information on the times of acts appearing at The Flavel, and across town this weekend, please buy the Dart Music Festival Official Programme (available from Flavel Box Office), Dartmouth Visitor's Centre or download the Dart Music Festival app [www.dartmusicfestival.co.uk](http://www.dartmusicfestival.co.uk)

## Fri 15 May

### ALEX WILSON – CLASSICAL PIANO

With a passion for the unusual, new and unexplored: a versatile pianist from cutting edge music to a fascinating repertoire by forgotten composers.

### ASHLEY SHERLOCK – BLUES ROCK

The cultural powerhouse of Northern Britain spits out great bands time and time again; with singer-songwriter Ashley Sherlock and his band: bassist Charlie Rachael Kay and Danny Rigg bringing the percussive dynamic, one of the brightest prospects to enter the scene.

### GRIZZLY & THE GRASSHOPPERS – ROOTS

Fronted by the big man Grizzly Rhys Morgan, bring original music, gritty vocals, blazing lapslide and soaring electric guitar work – supported by a solid backbone of energetic and dazzling keyboard, thumping drums, driving bass lines and seriously swampy harmonica.

## Sat 16 May

### JESS HEYWOOD & PUPILS

Teacher Jessica Heywood showcasing her fantastic pupils with a range of abilities, from beginners giving their first ever performance to Grade 6. Free to attend with a retiring collection.

### YVONNE PATRICK & LOUISE CRANE VOCAL DUO IN CONCERT

Sparkle & Song: Melodies from the world of operetta.

### IN THE FOYER – JOE DOSTAL AND STUDENTS

Joe and some of his pupils show us what they have been learning this year.

### WORKSHOP – JOE DOSTAL GUITAR WORKSHOP

Joe is a performer and composer from Dartmouth whose work has been used on TV and adverts. He has taught guitar and other instruments in Dartmouth for 7 years. For all budding guitarists out there, this is a chance to give a real boost to your playing ability.

## Sat 16 May

### DMF PRESENTS AN EVENING OF MUSICAL THEATRE: FROM DREAMS TO THE SPOTLIGHT

Featuring The Dartmouth Theatre Company and Jonathan Gilland

## Sun 17 May

### TORSIDE TRIO – CLASSICAL TRIO

### NICOLA HALL BOLLYWOOD BRIXHAM DANCE AND MOVEMENT WORKSHOP

*These are just the acts appearing at The Flavel - there will be live music happening all over town - so make sure you pick up an official programme.*



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## OVER 50'S DISCO

Devon mobile-DJ Legend Richard Appleby and his Time Machine are coming back to Dartmouth by popular demand. Join us for an unforgettable night of music and dancing at The Flavel. Expect a range of music from timeless classics to chart-topping hits, with tracks from classic hits to the present day, and genres spanning rock, pop and Disco.

This event is aimed at the over-50's, (but of course if you're getting close to 50, you're welcome to give it a go). Audience Review: "100% positive - the best selection of music we've ever heard - Your enthusiasm, passion and skill shine through."

Sat 23 May 7.30pm Tickets £8



## THE ALEX HART TRIO Part of the Folk @ The Flavel Series

Described by BBC Radio 2 presenter Mark Radcliffe as "the Stevie Nicks of Folk" The south-west based singer/songwriter Alex Hart has just released 'VISIONS' her most exciting and anticipated album to date. At 18 Alex was noticed by producer Neil Stainton who honed her talent, worked with her during her early career and co-wrote and recorded her debut album 'On This Day'.

"Alex Hart is set to make a global impact" **The Guardian**

Fri 29 May 7.30pm Tickets £16.50



## GALA EVENING - THE FLAVEL PREMIERE

### THE DEVIL WEARS PRADA 2

IT'S TIME TO GLAM-UP ! We are putting on a DWP2 event ! Wear your most glamorous outfits and sashay down to The Flavel for drinks and canapés before the screening of the film. Think stylish outfits, stilettos (preferably red) and sunglasses as in Meryl Streep and Anne Hathaway in The Devil Wears Prada 1. Or model your look on the very debonair Stanley Tucci. (This is a Flavel Fundraiser)

Sat 30 May 7pm Red Carpet Parade (film starts 8pm) Tickets £15





### TOP SECRET - THE MAGIC OF SCIENCE

The Magic of Science – High Voltage. This is your opportunity to surround yourself with the mystery of magic, cleverly fused with wondrous and miraculous feats of science. Hold on to your seats as the venue is transformed into a real-life science laboratory and lots of unbelievable "how did they do that!" moments. Top Secret is fun and entertaining for the whole family - along with inspiring and educating every young budding magician and scientist. The show is suitable for the whole family filled with mystery, suspense, and lots and lots of mess!

Sun 31 May 2pm Tickets Adults £15 Under 16's £12



### LIFE IN ROMAN SPAIN: PRESENTED BY PROFESSOR CLAIRE HOLLERAN OF EXETER UNIVERSITY

Around 600 Latin inscriptions from Roman Spain and Portugal can be used to explore the extent and nature of life within the region in the Roman period. The talk will also cover what we can learn from these inscriptions about life including the role women played. Claire's research lies in Roman social and economic history. She has published articles and contributed to, and edited, several books.

Thu 4 Jun 10.30am  
Tickets £4



### MONTY HALLS : CHURCHILL'S KILLING HOUSE

Join local author Monty Halls as he tells one of the great unknown tales of WW2. In a remote house in Scotland, during Britain's darkest hour, an extraordinary group of renegades, outliers, eccentrics, and visionaries gathered to create a new type of fighter. The story of the force they created, and the great raids they undertook (some of which were launched from Dartmouth), is told in his new book "Churchill's Killing House". Signed copies will be available on the night.

Thu 4 Jun 7.30pm  
Tickets £16.50





## I WANNA BE LOVED BY YOU - ANDREW WILSON BOOK LAUNCH

This year Marilyn Monroe would have turned 100. As a centennial tribute, award-winning biographer, Andrew Wilson, will talk about his book: I Wanna Be Loved By You, followed by Q&A and a book signing. Featuring a wealth of unpublished material, Andrew Wilson's biography of Marilyn Monroe presents the actress in a startling new light.

After a short break, there will be a screening of 'Some Like It Hot'

**Fri 12 Jun 7pm Tickets £15** (talk, Q&A and film screening)



## COMEDY @ THE FLAVEL

June's super summer funny funsters are Chris Brooker, Nathan Eagle and headlined by Stephen Carlin !

A gifted performer, Chris Brooker has taken his unique mix of comedy and improvisation to stages all over the world. Stephen Carlin is a hilarious Scottish comedian who has received great critical acclaim, accolades and a growing fanbase. Nathan Eagle is a comedian making waves on the circuit as a name to look out for.

**Sat 13 Jun 7.30pm Tickets £15**

Do note that line-up is subject to change.



## DARTMOUTH THEATRE COMPANY (DTC) PRESENTS: JIMMY TAMLEY – COMEDY VENTRILOQUIST

A world-class comedy ventriloquist known for his unforgettable characters like Lightening Les, Grandad, and Knuckles the Biker. Jimmy blends sharp comedy, brilliant vocal skill, and audience interaction to create a truly unique show. Best known for his standout appearance on Britain's Got Talent, Jimmy wowed audiences nationwide and brought ventriloquism back into the spotlight.

**Fri 19 Jun 7.30pm Tickets Adult £15 Child Under 16 £10**

THIS IS A FUNDRAISING EVENT for DTC





## INTERNATIONAL CLASSICAL: MARTIN ROSCOE (piano)

One of the UK's most loved and respected pianists, Martin Roscoe is in great demand as a concerto soloist, chamber musician and recitalist. He appears regularly at the Wigmore Hall and has long-standing associations with many UK orchestras, including the BBC Philharmonic and BBC Scottish Symphony. A prolific recording artist, Martin has a distinguished discography and is one of the most broadcast pianists on BBC radio.

**Fri 26 Jun 7.30pm**

**Tickets £24 Under 18 £5**

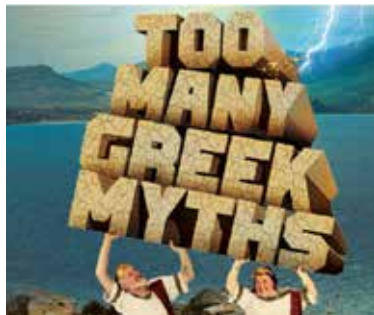


## THE HACKENSAW BOYS

We are very excited to bring you a rare UK gig with the fine gentlemen from Hackensaw Boys!

Celebrating the 20th anniversary of their classic album 'Love What You Do' with an extensive European tour in 2025/26. They could have chosen any album from their deep catalogue, but 'Love What You Do' stands out as a fan and band favourite. This album, with its unique blend of bluegrass, punk, and folk, is a true monument to Americana.

**Wed 1 Jul 7.30pm Tickets £16**



## LIVING SPIT PRESENTS: TOO MANY GREEK MYTHS

Two members of Clevedon-based comedy theatre company, Living Spit, are overheard bragging about how good they are, Zeus, enraged by their hubris, decides to teach them a lesson. His punishment? A Herculean challenge: to squeeze twenty of the greatest Ancient Greek myths into one chaotic, side-splitting show! Join Living Spit as they tackle everything from Hades to Heracles, Midas to Medusa, with their trademark blend of hairbrained humour, questionable wigs and a total disregard for historical accuracy. Will the gods have the last laugh? Prepare for a mythological marathon-Living Spit style!

Warning: May contain togas, ridiculous puns and an overworked Trojan Horse.

**Fri 10 Jul 7.30pm Tickets £16.50 Under 18's £10**





## JOIN US FOR HIGH TEA AT THE FLAVEL A FLAVEL FUNDRAISING EVENT

Details to be announced - the team are working on the plan right now - so just pop the date in your diary and look out for details nearer the time. on our website and on our poster windows.

Thu 16 Jul Tickets TBA



## REGGAE PARTY WITH THE SHINE STEEL BAND

Reggae & Ska Party with live music from Shine Steel Band who are hosting a celebration of community, music, and great vibes.

Shine is Dartmouth's very own Steel Band. Join them for a family friendly evening of great music, good food and Caribbean style cocktails.

Come dressed for your favourite beach holiday and sit back and enjoy the festival vibes or get up and dance to a familiar selection of reggae and ska classics.

Fri 17 Jul 7pm Tickets £12



## THE FLEETWOOD MAC SONGBOOK

Touring across the UK since 2018, and earning rave reviews from Fleetwood Mac fans and venues wherever they appear, The Fleetwood Mac Songbook's dynamic, hit packed show includes well-loved songs from all eras of FM's incredible six decade career ... Go Your Own Way, Little Lies, Dreams, The Chain (the Formula One racing theme song), Don't Stop, Everywhere, Rhiannon, Seven Wonders, Oh Well, Big Love.

On their last visit to The Flavel they SOLD OUT - so get your tickets quickly.

Sat 25 Jul 7.30pm Tickets £24






# Flavel Supper & Show

We are often asked whether we could do more pre-show suppers. Whilst there is a limit to how many suppers we can cater for at The Flavel Cafe - we would love to offer you more **pre-show dining options** and we have been working to collaborate with Dartmouth Restaurants to create an offering which would benefit us all.

If you dine out before a show or before a film, and give more business to our wonderful local eateries at those quiet times (between 5.30pm and 7pm) then that's a WIN WIN for all of us.



**We are delighted to announce an exciting new collaboration between a number of Dartmouth Restaurants and The Flavel - see details opposite.**

We would LOVE to work with more partner restaurants, so if you are in Dartmouth and would like to get involved - please contact Sarah Easton [sarahe@theflavel.org.uk](mailto:sarahe@theflavel.org.uk)



We would also like to hear your feedback - please let us know what you think and if you use the offer let us know how it went.



# Flavel Supper & Show



**We are thrilled to announce that these restaurants have already signed up - but please check on our website as we may announce more, as they join the scheme.**

PLEASE NOTE: In all cases you need to contact the restaurant and book in advance, mentioning that this is a **Flavel Supper & Show** - you will need to show a valid ticket for that evening's event at The Flavel to get the special offer or discount.

AND: This is a community 'trial' initiative and each restaurant will have a different offering which might be a % discount or special set menu and all will be making a donation back to the Flavel. Some restaurants may open a little earlier than usual, for this offer, and the Flavel will also be trialing starting some films a little later at 7.30pm to allow you time to dine out first.



## HELENA CLEWS: LIFE DRAWING CLASSES

Book your place and join in on the hugely successful life drawing workshops at the Flavel.

A wonderful opportunity to draw alongside Helena and practice one of the fundamental skills of art. The workshops are for all abilities. Helena will provide individual feedback and help. Sessions are divided into the first part of short poses, ranging from 1 - 20-minutes, a short break and then one long pose for around 55 minutes (max 30 people per session).

**Wed 29 Apr, 6 May, 13 May, 20 May from 10am to 12.30pm**

**£95 for block of 4 classes**, includes complimentary hot drink & biscuits



## WEST AFRICAN DJEMBE DRUMMING WITH DRUM DEVON

Learn to play a traditional West African Djembe rhythm - no experience necessary! Starting from scratch, through games and activities, you will learn fundamental techniques in order to create uplifting, authentic rhythms. As a group, we will create a polyrhythmic montage of sound using a range of instruments including djembes, dun dun bass drums, bells and shakers. Expect BIG Beats, Big Breaks and most of all Big smiles!  
Sat April 4, May 23, Jun 20

£15 Adults per session or buy 3 sessions and pay £12.50 per session. Family sessions are £15 per person including one child and then £5 per extra child.



## ADULT ACTING WORKSHOPS

'Galore Theatre Company is a vibrant, community-focused theatre group based in South Devon, working with both young people and adult actors across a range of projects and performances. Alongside our thriving youth theatre, we are really keen to create opportunities for adults to explore acting in a supportive environment. Our adult workshops are for anyone aged 18+ who is curious about acting - whether you're completely new or returning after time away. Sessions are relaxed and friendly, focusing on building confidence, developing skills and technique and enjoying the process without pressure.

**Tuesday evenings from 5 May or Saturday mornings from 4 July**  
**£12.50 per session**, discounts for multiple bookings, see website for details



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**Wed 3 June, 10 Jun, 17 Jun, 24 Jun, 1 Jul, 8 Jul**  
from **10am to 12.30pm**

**£135 for block of 6 classes**, includes complimentary hot drink & biscuits



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**Young Dart Voices**

## NEW YOUTH CHOIR

Young Dart Voices, a new youth choir for ages 10 to 19. Led by Jeremy Kenyon, the new Director of Music for the Benefice of Dartmouth and Elle Miles, the choir will offer an uplifting and inclusive space for young people to sing music from a variety of genres, build confidence, and make new friends through music.

- FREE to attend – no previous singing experience required
  - Ages: 10–19
  - Monday evenings at 17.00 (term time)
  - Just turn up - it's free and very welcoming
- Supported by**

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## THE FLAVEL'S OWN YOUTH DRAMA GROUP

A fun and lively weekly drama group aimed at developing performance skills, building confidence and making new friends through the Dramatic Arts. With Director & facilitator, Rachel Swain, award winning Youth Theatre Practitioner.

**FREE TRIAL SESSION - just come along and your first session is free so you can see how you like it. The first session after Easter will be Wed 22 Apr.**

**Wed term time. Two age groups at 4-5pm and 5.15-6.15pm (ages 7 to 18)**  
Please see website for more information and a full list of sessions

**Cost** £95 per term

Subsidised places available to eligible Dartmouth Residents through Bursary Scheme. Please email for details: [flaveldrama.bursaries@gmail.com](mailto:flaveldrama.bursaries@gmail.com)

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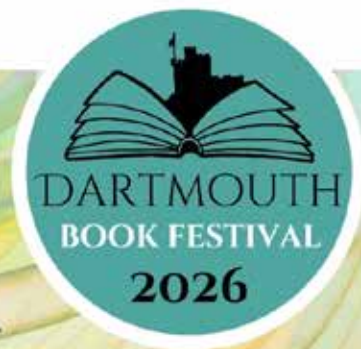
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## HEADLINERS ANNOUNCED FOR DARTMOUTH BOOK FESTIVAL



Beloved poet, broadcaster and former Children's Laureate **Michael Rosen**, in conversation about his deeply personal and widely acclaimed memoir *Getting Through It* reflecting on illness, recovery, and the power of storytelling.

Acclaimed novelist **Patrick Gale** with his latest work *Love Lane*, a story of married love, romantic compromise and how sometimes secrets and an ability to keep one's counsel might be key to a relationship's enduring.

**Emily Hauser**, award winning classicist and historian whose latest work *Mythica*, tells for the first time the real women behind some of the world's greatest legends.

Historical fiction writer **Megan Clothier** with her brand new novel *In The Shadow of the Solstice* (published Sept 2026), a vivid and atmospheric tale set in medieval England, blending history with powerful storytelling.

Legendary cinematographer **Roger Deakins**, the multi BAFTA and Academy Award-winning filmmaker behind visually iconic works including *1917*, *Blade Runner*, 2049.

Politician **Jeremy Hunt** talks about his recent book *Can We Be Rich Again?*, offering insight into Britain's place in the modern world and sparking timely conversation.



## RBO: THE MAGIC FLUTE

Mozart's fantastical opera glitters in David McVicar's enchanting production. A star cast including Julia Bullock as Pamina, Amitai Pati as Tamino, Huw Montague Rendall as Papageno, Kathryn Lewek as the Queen of the Night, and Soloman Howard as Sarastro, led by French conductor Marie Jacquot in her Covent Garden debut.

Sung in German with subtitles. From the Royal Opera.

**Tue 21 Apr 6.45pm Tickets Adults £18 Under 18 £11**



## NT LIVE: ALL MY SONS

One family, the heart of the American dream. When wartime delivers profits for Joe, it comes at a price when his partner is charged with criminal manufacturing deals, and his eldest son goes missing in action. Will peacetime bring peace of mind, or will he be confronted by the consequence of his actions? Filmed live from the West End, Paapa Essiedu (I May Destroy You), Tom Glynn-Carney (House of the Dragon), and Hayley Squires (I, Daniel Blake) also feature in this disturbingly prescient play.

**Wed 22 Apr 7pm Tickets Adults £18 Under 18 £11**



## RBO: EUGENE ONEGIN

Following her acclaimed 2024 company debut in Puccini's Madama Butterfly, soprano Asmik Grigorian returns to the Met as Tatiana, the lovestruck young heroine in this ardent operatic adaptation of Pushkin. Baritone Igor Golovatenko reprises his portrayal of the urbane Onegin, who realizes his affection for her all too late.

Sung in Russian with English subtitles. From The Metropolitan Opera.

**Tue 5 May 6pm Tickets Adults £18 Under 18 £11**



## EXHIBITION ON SCREEN: FRIDA KAHLO

Exhibition on Screen's trademark combination of interviews with world experts and a detailed exploration of her art, with new special bonus footage from the curators of the blockbuster 2026 exhibition, delivers a treasure trove of colour and emotion. This personal and intimate film offers privileged access to her works, her home, her studio and highlights the source of her feverish creativity, her resilience and her unmatched lust for life, beauty and revolution.

**Wed 20 May 7pm Tickets Adults £14 Under 18 £12**



## NT LIVE: THE PLAYBOY OF THE WESTERN WORLD

Nicola Coughlan (Bridgerton) joins Éanna Hardwicke (The Sixth Commandment) and Siobhán McSweeney (Derry Girls) in John Millington Synge's riveting play of youth and self-discovery. Pegeen Flaherty's life is turned upside down when a young man walks into her pub claiming that he's killed his father. Instead of being shunned, the killer becomes a local hero and begins to win hearts, that is until a second man unexpectedly arrives on the scene...

**Thu 28 May 7pm Tickets Adults £18 Under 18 £11**



## NT LIVE: LES LIAISONS DANGEREUSES

BAFTA Award-winner Lesley Manville (Phantom Thread) joins Aidan Turner (Rivals) in a striking new staging of Christopher Hampton's celebrated adaptation of the classic novel, where among the glittering salons of the super-rich, one misstep can mean ruin. Marquise de Merteuil is a master in the art of survival. Alongside the magnetic Vicomte de Valmont, they turn seduction into strategy and weaponise desire. But when their alliance collapses into rivalry, the battle between them threatens to destroy everyone in their path.

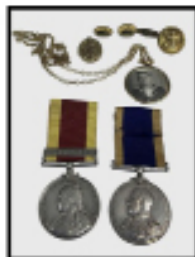
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Sat 18 Apr	COMEDY @ THE FLAVEL	7.30
Tue 21 Apr	RBO: THE MAGIC FLUTE Event Cinema	6.45
Wed 22 Apr	NT LIVE: ALL MY SONS	7.00
Thu 23 Apr	SEA SHANTY CONCERT for RNLI	7.30
Fri 24 Apr	THE VINTAGE JAZZ COLLECTIVE	7.00
Thu 30 Apr	BELINDA KIRK: EXPLORER TALK	7.30

### May 2026

Fri 1 May	THE INVISIBLE MAN: OUR STAR THEATRE Co	7.30
Tue 5 May	RBO: EUGENE ONEGIN Event Cinema	6.00
Thu 7 May	LIFE & DEATH UNDER VESUVIUS (U3A)	10.30
Thu 7 May	RICHARD DURRANT	7.30
Fri 8 May	NAVAL & SECRET FORCES, DARTMOUTH 1939-45	5.30
Sat 9 May	FROM THE DART TO D-DAY	10.30
Sat 9 May	PRE-SHOW SUPPER at THE FLAVEL CAFE	6.00
Sat 9 May	ROCKET MAX: ELTON JOHN EXPERIENCE	7.30
15, 16, 17	DARTMUSIC FESTIVAL	various
Wed 20 May	EXHIBITION ON SCREEN: FRIDA KAHLO	7.00
Thu 21 May	WINE TASTING: FLAVEL FUNDRAISER	7.30
Sat 23 May	OVER 50's DISCO	7.30
Thu 28 May	NT LIVE: THE PLAYBOY OF THE WESTERN WORLD	7.00
Fri 29 May	ALEX HART TRIO - Folk at The Flavel	7.30
Sat 30 May	GALA EVENING - DEVIL WEARS PRADA 2	7.00
Sun 31 May	TOP SECRET: THE MAGIC OF SCIENCE	2.00

### June 2026

Thu 4 Jun	LIFE IN ROMAN SPAIN (U3A)	10.30
Thu 4 Jun	MONTY HALLS: CHURCHILL'S KILLING HOUSE	7.30
Fri 12 Jun	ANDREW WILSON: I WANNA BE LOVED BY YOU	7.00
Sat 13 Jun	COMEDY @ THE FLAVEL	7.30
Fri 19 Jun	JIMMY TAMLEY: COMEDY VENTRILOQUIST	7.30
Thu 25 Jun	NT LIVE: LES LIAISONS DANGEREUSES	7.00
Fri 26 Jun	INTERNATIONAL CLASSICAL: MARTIN ROSCOE	7.30

### July 2026

Wed 1 Jul	THE HACKENSAW BOYS	7.30
Fri 10 Jul	TOO MANY GREEK MYTHS	7.30
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### August 2026

Sat 1 Aug	DARTMOUTH WARTIME SOUNDS	2.30
Sat 1 Aug	DARTMOUTH WARTIME SOUNDS	7.30

### September 2026

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