



**JANUARY-APRIL 2020** 

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**Friday 20 – Monday 30 December • Various times** Make this Christmas go with a bang with this traditional panto at a family-friendly price.

### **GIVE THE GIFT OF ENTERTAINMENT**



Everyone knows someone who already has everything they need. Instead of buying them awful socks or a boring box of chocolates this Christmas give them one of our gift vouchers instead! They can be exchanged for shows, cinema, afternoon tea or pre-show platters. They are available for any amount and can be bought online or via the box office.

## PRE-SHOW PLATTERS





For broadcasts and selected other events we offer a pre-show platter (£12.00) so you can eat here before the show. If you'd like a platter for a performance that doesn't automatically offer you the option, give us a call on 01440 714140 and if we can arrange it for you, we will! Please note, platters must be booked before 1.00pm on the day of the performance.

### Help us recycle and re-use

At the end of each performance please sort your cans, plastics and general waste into the relevant bins.







Saturday 4 January • 7.00pm

## **André Rieu-70 Years Young**

Cinema host Charlotte Hawkins welcomes in the New Year by inviting audiences from around the world to André's castle in Maastricht. During the party, André talks to Charlotte about his life and music.

£18.00 / £16.00

**Sunday 5 January • 2.00pm**Royal Ballet recorded broadcast

## The Nutcracker

Clara is given an enchanted Nutcracker doll on Christmas Eve. As midnight strikes, she creeps downstairs to find a magical adventure awaits her.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50



From Wednesday 15 January • 2.00pm - 4.00pm

## Roger Simpson: The Enduring Art of Illustration



Another engaging series of 10 talks ranging throughout the history of world art, this year the importance of story telling in the history of visual art; from earliest human records to the greatest age of illustration - ours. Ten Wednesdays from 15 January (not including 19 February). No need to pre-book.

£10.00 at the door / £85.00 for all ten



Saturday 18 January • 1.00pm/4.30pm Sunday 19 January • 1.00pm Thursday 23 January • 7.00pm Friday 24 January • 7.00pm Saturday 25 January • 3.00pm/7.00pm

## Treasure Island

Pieces of eight and ooo-ahh me hearties! It's panto time on the high seas with the talented Centre Stage crew. Come along and chase away the post-Christmas blues with some traditional panto fun.

£13.00 / £11.00 / £40.00

**Monday 20 January • 7.15pm** Royal Ballet recorded broadcast

## **Sleeping Beauty**

The wicked fairy is furious she isn't invited to the princess's christening. She gives the baby a spindle, saying that one day she will prick her finger on it and die. But Princess Aurora falls into a deep sleep, which only a prince's kiss can break.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50



# Lucian Freud: A Self Portrait

The exhibition displays more than 50 paintings, prints and drawings in which this modern master of British art turns his unflinching eye firmly on himself.

£10.00 / £7.50





## **Wednesday 29 January • 7.45pm**Royal Opera House live broadcast

## La Bohème

Puccini's opera of young love in 19thcentury Paris is packed with beautiful music, including a poignant final scene over which the composer himself wept. Richard Jones's character-led production perfectly captures comedy, romance and tragedy, with striking designs by Stewart Laing.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50





Thursday 30 January • 7.00pm More2Screen recorded broadcast

## **42nd Street**

The largest ever production of the Broadway spectacular, filmed as live at the magnificent Theatre Royal, Drury Lane in 2018.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50



Friday 31 January • 8.00pm

## **Monkey Nuts Comedy Club**

A night of laughs with three stand-up comics.

£10.00 / £9.00



### Sunday 2 February • 3.00pm

## **Linton Jazz**

A concert of big band music with modern and classic tunes in aid of The Joshua Tarrant Trust. The Trust aims to raise funds and awareness for children with brain tumours.



£10.00



**Tuesday 4 February • 7.30pm** *More2Screen recorded broadcast* 

## **Kinky Boots**

Inspired by true events, this huge-hearted hit tells the story of two people with nothing in common – or so they think. Charlie is a factory owner struggling to save his family business, and Lola is a fabulous entertainer with a wildly exciting idea. Filmed at the Adelphi Theatre.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50

Friday 7 February • 8.00pm

## **Open Mic Night**

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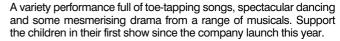




Saturday 8 February 2.30pm / 6.00pm

The Mayes School of Performing Arts

## Showtastic!



£9.00



Sunday 9 February • 7.30pm

# Eduardo Niebla in Concert with Joao Lima

Hailed by the Guardian for his exquisite guitar playing, the fleet fingered virtuoso Eduardo presents an evening of flamenco jazz along with his acclaimed duo. Eduardo has traversed the worlds of flamenco, jazz, classical, world and pop music and collaborated with such diverse partners as Craig David, Juno Reactor, sitar maestro Nishat Khan, and the Dante String Quartet.

£12.50

Friday 14 February • 8.00pm

# The All That Jazz Club

Join singer Esther Bennett and saxophonist Hannah Horton this Valentine's for songs of the heart. Esther and Hannah continue their electric partnership presenting a fabulous evening of jazz and contemporary song and music with a world class trio.







Saturday 15 February • 8.00pm

## **Uncle Funk**

Boogie on-down with a night of funky favourites, no fillers allowed!

£15.00



Wednesday 19 February • 2.00pm Theatre of Widdershins

£7.50 / £6.50 / £26.00

## Rumpelstiltskin and the Snail of Destiny

Poor Polly, the Miller's daughter, is in a bit of a pickle! If she doesn't turn a roomful of straw into gold by morning, the greedy King will turn a bit nasty. But should she accept the kind help of an eccentric dwarf? Using its trademark puppets, music, storytelling and transforming sets, Widdershins aims to create gold on stage with this new version of the classic tale.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50



Thursday 20 February • 6.00pm

## **Pop Divas**

Get ready for the best songs from all your favourite female stars in one fabulous fun-packed show. Little Mix will cast some Black Magic and Taylor Swift will Shake It Off as four talented girls bring you up close and personal with the greatest female pop performers of today.

£15.50



Friday 21 February • TBC

## **BurySOUND Heat 3**

Established in 1998, one of East Anglia's best-known and longestrunning band competitions, set up to discover, nurture and promote up and coming musical talent.

£5.00

**Tuesday 25 February • 7.15pm** Royal Ballet live broadcast

## The Cellist/Dances at a Gathering



Artist of the Royal Opera House and Director of Bern Ballet, and is much in demand internationally. This exercise in pure dance for five couples is a masterpiece of subtlety and invention.



Friday 28 February • 7.30pm

## **The Swinging Blue Jeans**

The boys stormed the charts worldwide in 1963 with Hippy Hippy Shake. Other major hits included Good Golly Miss Molly, You're No Good, It's Too Late Now and Don't Make Me Over. The Blue Jeans band still work up a party atmosphere today that will have everybody tapping their toes.

£16.50

Sunday 1 March • 4.00pm

# Haverhill Youth & Community Band

The Haverhill band join with Cottenham Junior Band to entertain you with a selection of music to suit all tastes. You will feel the enthusiasm and exuberance of the young players as they fill the hall with exciting and uplifting music to begin the celebration of 200 years of banding in Haverhill.



£6.00 / £2.00 U16s



**Thursday 5 March • 7.00pm** *NT Live recorded broadcast* 

## Cyrano de Bergerac

Fierce with a pen and notorious in combat, Cyrano almost has it all - if only he could win the heart of his true love Roxane. There's just one big problem: he has a nose as huge as his heart. Will a society engulfed by narcissism get the better of Cyrano? James McAvoy returns to the stage in this inventive new adaptation.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50

## Ben Hart

**Sold Out** 





**Saturday 7 March • 7.30pm** *Oddbodies* 

## King Lear

Armed with only a drum, a guitar, a knife and a chair, the tragic trajectory of Lear's demise is presented to you from the point of view of his long suffering and ever-loyal fool in this one man show. The bastard Edmund, haughty Goneril, poor deluded Gloucester, oily Oswald, sweet Cordelia, mad Tom – all the characters from this sad and sorry tale are brought to glorious life.

£10.50 / £8.50

Thursday 12 March • 7.00pm Friday 13 March • 7.00pm Stoke College

## All Shook Up



Local school, Stoke College are back performing All Shook Up by Joe DiPietro with songs by Elvis Presley. All music in the show is from Elvis Presley varying from *Can't Help Falling in Love, Jailhouse Rock* to *A Little Less Conversation* with a story line based on Shakespeare's *Twelfth Night*.

£16.00 / £7.00 U16s

Saturday 14 March • 8.00pm

**Paul Firman** 

## Soul, Funk, Disco

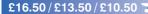
A party night with DJs Mark Sweet (Turbo), Andy Palazon (Soul Town) and Paul G (Soul Mafia).

£6.00

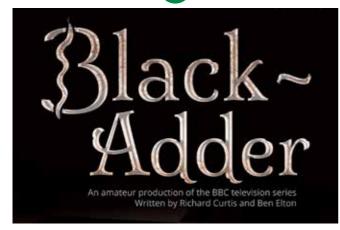
**Tuesday 17 March • 7.15pm**Royal Opera House live broadcast

## Fidelio

Beethoven's only opera is an uplifting story of risk and triumph. In this new production, conducted by Antonio Pappano, Jonas Kaufmann plays the political prisoner Florestan and Lise Davidsen his wife Leonore (disguised as 'Fidelio') who daringly sets out to rescue him.







Wednesday 25 March • 7.30pm
Thursday 26 March • 7.30pm
Friday 27 March • 7.30pm
Saturday 28 March • 2.30pm / 7.30pm
Centre Stage Company

## **Blackadder**

The show, originally starring Rowan Atkinson, is made up with three episodes, Bells, Beers and Chains, from the series set in the Elizabethan era. The script is from the original television series written by Richard Curtis and Ben Elton with the licence fee being paid directly to Comic Relief.

From £9.00



Wednesday 1 April • 7.30pm

## **The Fureys**

The legends of Irish music and song, renowned for their hit songs I Will Love You, When You Were Sweet 16, The Green Fields of France, The Old Man, Red Rose Café, From Clare to Here, Her Father Didn't Like Me Anyway, Leaving Nancy, Steal Away and more, return for another stomping evening!

£22.00

Friday 3 April • 8.00pm

## **Open Mic Night**

Don't just watch our shows, take part! Open to musicians, singers, poets and comedians. We provide the stage, you provide the creativity.

**Donations** 

**Sunday 5 April • 2.00pm**Royal Ballet recorded broadcast

## **Swan Lake**

Liam Scarlett's glorious 2018 production of Swan Lake remains faithful to the Marius Petipa / Lev Ivanov text whilst his additional choreography and John Macfarlane's magnificent designs breathe new life into this much-loved classical ballet.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50







Tuesday 7 April • 2.00pm

## **Exciting Science**

With fun, fact filled experiments, watch in amazement as the crazy scientists recreate a volcanic eruption, turn a vacuum cleaner into a missile launcher or take aim at you with the smoke blaster! So stand clear and prepare for action, as this show is full of WHIZZ, BANG, POP... and SPLURT! For ages 4+

### £11.00



**Tuesday 7 April • 7.30pm Exhibition on Screen** 

## **Easter in Art**

This beautifully crafted film explores the Easter story as depicted in art, from the time of the early Christians to the present day. Shot on location in Jerusalem, United States and Europe, the film explores the different ways artists have depicted the Easter story through the ages.

£10.00 / £7.50

## Wednesday 8 April • 7.30pm LDN Wrestling

An explosive evening of top action with American wrestling stars facing the homegrown talent in this rip-roaring entertainment for all the family. Buy VIP backstage passes on the night to meet the stars.







**Thursday 9 April • 2.30pm**Long Nose Puppets with music by
Tom Gray from the band Gomez.

## **Arthur's Dream Boat**

One night, Arthur has an amazing dream about a beautiful boat. He can't wait to tell everyone about it but no one is interested. In fact, they don't even notice that this very same boat is growing on his head, getting larger and larger by the minute! A magical show with puppets so enchanting that everyone will want to sail away with Arthur.

£7.50 / £6.50 / £26.00



Wednesday 15 April • 2.00pm/6.00pm KD Theatre and Scott Ritchie Productions

## Rapunzel

A brand-new staging of the popular, tangled fairy tale featuring catchy songs, high energy choreography, loveable characters, colourful set and costumes and an opportunity for the audience to meet the characters after the show. This production promises to be perfect holiday entertainment for all the family.

£10.50 / £8.50



Saturday 18 April • 7.30pm

## **Cliff and The Shadz**

A two-hour show of songs celebrating the finest achievements of Cliff Richard and The Shadows with authentic recreations of all the big hits complemented by some slick choreography and sharp dressing.

£16.50

Sunday 19 April • 7.30pm

# Raymond Froggatt

In Birmingham in the early 60s Raymond met up with Lou Clark, Len Ablethorpe and H. Cain to form a band. In 1967, Raymond wrote his first hit and the rest is history. Come along to a fantastic show with great songs spanning 54 years.

£15.50

**Tuesday 21 April • 7.00pm**Royal Opera House live broadcast

## Cavalleria Rusticana/ Pagliacci

This award-winning production vividly presents the shocking events brought about by a travelling theatre and the eruption of love and jealousy. The music is full of Italianate melody in the great choruses, alongside the solo arias.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50





Friday 24 April • 8.00pm

## **Monkey Nuts Comedy Club**

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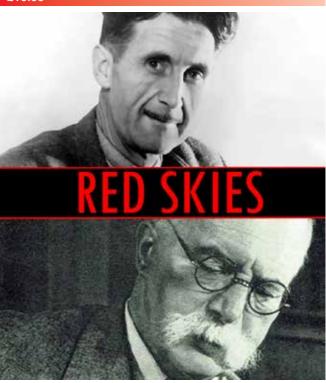
Saturday 25 April • 8.00pm

Paul Firman

## **Big 10**

A night of ska and two-tone with DJs playing Motown and ska.

£10.00

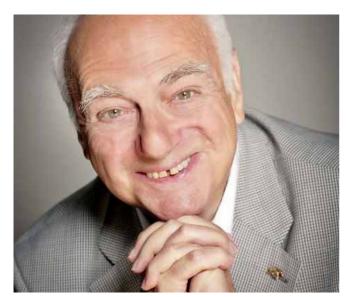


**Wednesday 29 April • 7.30pm** *Eastern Angles by Ivan Cutting* 

## Red Skies

Southwold Harbour 1939, two famous authors with very different links to Ipswich fish for hidden secrets... George Orwell took his name from the river, and Arthur Ransome was resident on it. What would happen if they were to meet? Both are in search of answers, both political and personal – whilst George is about to write *Animal Farm*, Arthur is married to Trotsky's secretary. Sparks could fly!

£11.50 / £9.50



## Thursday 30 April • 7.30pm Roy Hudd

Join the *Master of Mirth* in comical conversation with Debbie Hudd, as he celebrates 60 years in show business! Roy Hudd OBE and his wife Debbie present a fascinating chat show bursting with laughter in a collection of triumphs, disasters, name dropping, songs, monologues, jokes and funny anecdotes about Roy's 60 years in the business.

£13.00



Friday 1 May • 7.30pm

## **Stumpy Oak Ceilidh**

A mixture of Scottish, Irish and English tunes to get the rafters shaking. Stumpy Oak boasts an unusually large sound and a patient caller to talk everyone through the dance moves prior to and during each dance so that they know what to do and have fun. Age and experience don't matter!

Friday 8 May Saturday 9 May Sunday 10 May

## Haverhill Beer Weekend

We've got together with The Nethergate Brewery in Clare to bring you the chance to sample beers, ciders and gins from local and not-solocal craft brewers and distillers.

£2.00

Wednesday 13 May • 7.30pm

## **Tony Stockwell**

Tony demonstrates his belief that those who have passed can communicate with their loved ones with detailed messages frequently including names, dates and locations and all delivered with emotion, sensitivity and empathy For entertainment purposes.

£21.50 / £19.50





**Thursday 28 May • 7.15pm** Royal Ballet live broadcast

## The Dante Project

In this new work, trailblazing choreographer Wayne McGregor collaborates with an award-winning team – composer Thomas Adès, artist Tacita Dean, lighting designer Lucy Carter and dramaturg Uzma Hameed – to bring us closer to Dante and his extraordinary vision.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £10.50

### **Haverhill Arts Centre Closures**

Wednesday 25 December, Thursday 26 December and from Tuesday 31 December to Friday 3 January.

## **ON SALE NOW**

**December 2020** 

## Jack and the Beanstalk

Starring Sue Hodge Book NOW to get the seats you want!

Royal Shakespeare Company broadcast

## The Comedy of Errors

Royal Shakespeare Company broadcast

## **Pericles**

Royal Shakespeare Company broadcast

## The Winter's Tale

Royal Opera House live broadcast

## **Elektra**

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### Help us recycle and re-use

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- 😘 Bring your own re-usable cups to use in the café/bar.



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# The Zone



# **Special New Year Offer Play and Eat at The Zone**

• Soft-play • Ball pit • Climbing frame • Cafe • Free WiFi

Get entrance and a child's meal for  $\mathfrak{L}7.00$  Valid on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays in January.

The Zone Christmas opening times:

Open

Friday 27 December 10.00 – 17.00 Saturday 28 December 10.00 – 17.00 Sunday 29 December 10.00 – 16.00 Monday 30 December 10.00 – 17.00



**Closed** (in addition to Bank Holidays)

Monday 23 December Tuesday 24 December Tuesday 31 December

**No Chill Out** 

**Tuesday 24 December Tuesday 31 December** 



Normal opening times resume from Thursday 2 January 2020

www.thezone.org.uk 01440 710071

The Zone, Boundary Road, Haverhill, CB9 7YH



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### **Box Office opening hours**

MONDAY	10.00am – 5.00pm	
TUESDAY	10.00am – 5.00pm	6.30pm – 8.00pm
WEDNESDAY	10.00am – 5.00pm	6.30pm – 8.00pm
THURSDAY	10.00am – 5.00pm	6.30pm – 8.00pm
FRIDAY	10.00am – 5.00pm	6.30pm – 8.00pm
SATURDAY	10.00am – 4.00pm	6.30pm – 8.00pm
SUNDAY	One hour prior to a performance	

Please note that these times are occasionally subject to change

### Our address is: High Street, Haverhill, CB9 8AR

### Payment and booking

To book and pay by card go to www.haverhillartscentre.co.uk or call 01440 714140. If you prefer to call in at the Box Office to book you can pay by either cash or card. Our address is High Street, Haverhill, CB9 8AR.

#### Concessions

Under 16s, full time students, those who are unemployed or receiving disability related allowances or the state pension. We may ask you for proof of when paying/collecting tickets.

### **Group bookings**

Available on selected events, please enquire if you have a group of 10+

### Refunds

We can only refund if an event is sold out and tickets can be sold on. For our full T&Cs go to the info hub on our website.

### **Booking fee**

Your ticket price for most events includes a 50p booking fee which is reserved to help offset our running costs.

#### Latecomers

To avoid disturbing other customers, if you arrive late, you may have to wait to be seated.

### **Accessibility and parking**

We have ramped access to the main entrance, a lift to the upper floor, accessible toilet, and an infra-red hearing system. Go to our website for further information or call us to discuss your needs. There is free parking after 6.00pm in the South Car Park. CB9 8DN. This brochure is available in electronic format.

### What else happens at HAC?

#### **Food and Drink**

Our café is a wheelchair and pram friendly space and is open Monday to Saturday, 10.00am to 2.30pm. Our bar is open before all events. See our website for more information.

### Having a meeting, conference or party?

Our spaces can be hired for meetings, functions, exhibitions and conferences and more. Go to our website to get more details.

Haverhill Arts Centre reserves the right to change or amend the programme. Every effort has been made to ensure the details in this brochure are correct.

### Haverhill Arts Centre hosts a number of local organisations

All groups are happy to welcome new members.

If no contact details are given please call 01440 714140 for more details

### **Centre Stage Company**

Producing and performing musicals, pantomimes and plays. Contact: info@centrestagecompany.co.uk

### **Haverhill Art Group**

Relaxed and friendly workshops/demonstrations by visiting artists. 7.30pm on the second Wednesday of the month. Contact: haverhillartgroup@gmail.com

### **Haverhill & District Local History Group**

Monthly local history talks/search the archives. 10.30am to 12.30pm Thursdays and Fridays, Saturday 10.30am – 3.30pm. Every second Tuesday of the month, or by appointment. Contact: 01440 714962, haverhillhistuk@gmail.com

### **Haverhill Silver Band**

Performing concerts in and around the town/region. Also with a youth and community wing. Contact: info@haverhillsilverband.com

### **CB9 Media Hub**

Working with young people to help them improve skills and qualifications in photography, film-making, animation web design and more.

### Silverliners Line Dancing

Tuesdays, 2.00pm. Tickets: £3.00 (including refreshments) 21/28 Jan, 11/25 Feb, 10/31 Mar, 4/28 April, 12/26 May. These dates may change, please check with Box Office.

### **Music Maestro Tea Dancing**

Wednesdays 22 Jan, 26 Feb, 18 March, 22 April, 6 May, 17 June, 15 July. These dates may change, please check with Box Office.

### **University of the Third Age (U3A)**

Encouraging retired people to continue educational interests in an informal setting. Contact: 01440 763858.

### **Haverhill Men's Social Group**

First Friday of the month, 10.30am for ages 50+. Coffee, chat and meet friends.

### **Haverhill Dementia Group**

The Terrific Tuesday Group, 11.00am. Coffee, chat, activities and support.

### **Gallery**

January, February, March: Haverhill Local History Group

April: David Dawson

### May: 'In the Sticks'

A photographic documentary by Geoff Price, celebrating a season in the life of Clare Town Football Club.







In the past year we've announced shows with **Jack Dee**, **Alan Carr** and **Ben Hart** the *Britain's Got Talent* finalist on Facebook - and all have sold out in minutes.



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