

#### **SEPTEMBER**

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**THURSDAY 22** Eric Knowles What's It Worth, The Bigger Picture

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**THURSDAY 27** The Three Degrees with Richie Sampson SUNDAY 30 Dance with Flavia Workshop SUNDAY 30 Flavia and Jimi -Our Life at the Barn

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The Time Capsule

#### **DECEMBER**

**THURSDAY 1** Solve Along A Murder She Wrote

**SATURDAY 25** Claire Martin SUNDAY 26 Haverhill Youth and **Community Band** MONDAY 27



#### JANUARY

SATURDAY 7 Burglar Bill SATURDAY 14 - SATURDAY 21 Sleeping Beauty **THURSDAY 19** Like Water for Chocolate THURSDAY 26 The Crucible FRIDAY 27 Jimmy Cricket 50 Years

#### in Showbusiness **FEBRUARY**

THURSDAY 2 Jon Boden and The Remnant Kings FRIDAY 3 The Joke Jam SATURDAY 4 The Wild Boys, Back to the 80s **THURSDAY 9** Greatest Songs from the Movies SATURDAY 11 Facing the Music with Patricia Routledge & Edward Seckerson SUNDAY 12 The Ugly Duckling & Others MONDAY 13 Woman Like Me -The Little Mix Show TUESDAY 14

Moana Sing-Along (PG) WEDNESDAY 15

The Barber of Seville FRIDAY 17 FEBRUARY Looking For Me Friend: The Music of Victoria Wood

**SATURDAY 18** The Take That Experience

**THURSDAY 23** 

We Three Kings FRIDAY 24

**Opera Dudes - Licensed to Trill** 

**Tony Stockwell** 





#### Welcome to our Autumn/Spring 2022 season...

This brochure is a special one in several ways as it is my first as Creative Director at Haverhill Arts Centre, it is the first full brochure since COVID-19 hit in 2019, and it is also the first of our new design brochures - so a lot of firsts!

I need to start by thanking you all for continuing to come back since we reopened. Without the support of our loyal audiences Haverhill Arts Centre would not be able to continue, so please do keep booking and spreading the word about this wonderful community facility.

Our job is to put together a programme which has something to tempt everyone. I am proud that in my inaugural season we have managed to achieve an exciting mix of top-quality music, cabaret, film, comedy, literature and theatre; and also bring some familiar faces from stage and screen to Haverhill for you to enjoy – and all at affordable prices and on your doorstep!

Of course, no theatrical year would be complete without a Pantomime... and this year we are thrilled to bring you the most magical pantomime of them all - Cinderella. Do book early to ensure you get the best seats. I hope this brochure succeeds in tickling your theatrical fancy, but if it doesn't my door is always open to anyone in the community who would like to discuss the Arts Centre or our choices, so please feel free to make contact.

You will see later in this brochure that we are also introducing a 'Friends of Haverhill Arts Centre' scheme with many great benefits and also an opportunity to sponsor and dedicate a seat in our beautiful auditorium. These are just two examples of initiatives we have planned to link the Arts Centre with its community even more closely and provide extra support for HAC at the same time. Do consider one or both of these, if you can.

Thank you again for your unfailing support and I look forward to welcoming you to HAC very soon.



Thursday 8 September – 7:00pm *National Theatre Live* 

# **Much Ado About Nothing**

Katherine Parkinson (The It Crowd) and John Heffernan (Dracula) lead the cast in Shakespeare's romcom of sun, sea and mistaken identity.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50

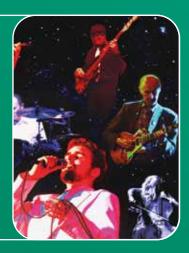


Friday 9 September – 8:00pm

#### The ELO Encounter

Roll Over Beethoven, the greatest tribute to Jeff Lynne's Electric Light Orchestra is here! An all-live show featuring soaring strings, striking vocal harmonies and playing all the much-loved songs from ELO's hit-filled library.

£20.00



Saturday 10 September – 7:30pm

# **Patsy Cline and Friends**

Celebrating what would be Patsy's 90 birthday, Sue Lowry, Marc Robinson and Lee Davidge play the iconic tunes of Patsy Cline, Hank Williams and Jim Reeves. Put on your Western wear and join them for a hayride of a show!

£18.50



Sunday 11 September – 7:30pm

#### Claude Bourbon

Known throughout Europe and America for amazing guitar performances that take blues, Spanish, and Middle Eastern stylings into uncharted territories.

£13.00



Friday 16 September – 8.00pm

### The Joke Jam

Off The Kerb Productions, (responsible for Live at the Apollo) programme 3 stand-up comedians from the UK circuit.

£11.00 / £10.00



Saturday 17 September – 8:00pm

# Simon Evans: The Work of the Devil

The star of Live at the Apollo, Mock the Week and BBC Radio 4's The News Quiz, Simon's new show excoriating views of a world on fire from personal revelations that turned his world upside down.

£18.00

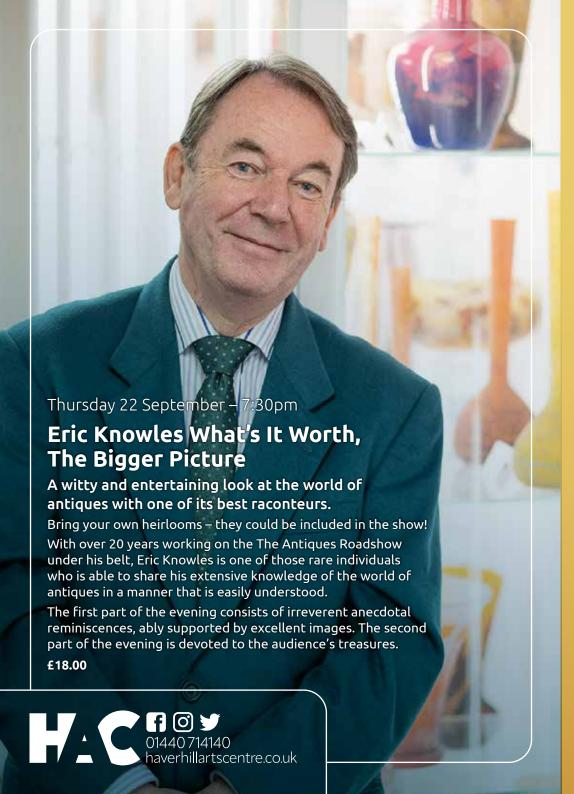


Sunday 18 September – 2:30pm *Garlic Theatre* 

# The Nosy Little Troll

Something is leaving a trail of destruction through the trees in the heart of the Norwegian Forest, leaving a stinky smell behind them. Join the Nosy Little Troll on a quest to solve the mysterious pong. £8.00 / £7.00





Friday 23 September – 7:30pm

# The Carpenters – The Voice of the Heart

With superb vocals from Carole Gordon and the outstanding talent of the exceptional Blue Jeans Band and singers, a stunning two-hour show, performing a celebration of music from one of the world's most popular duos, The Carpenters.



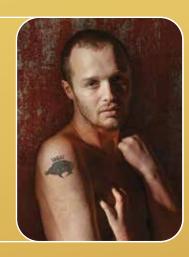
Wednesday 28 September – 7:00pm A Royal Shakespeare Company broadcast

#### Richard III

£23.50

Richard of Gloucester uses the chaos of the Wars of the Roses to begin his climb to power. Despite being unfit to govern, he seizes the crown. Richard III is a savagely comic analysis of the exercise of power. It reminds us both of the dangers of tyranny and of our duty not to let it go unchecked. Directed by Gregory Doran.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



Thursday 29 September – 8:00pm

# Alfie Moore: Fair Cop Unleashed

Join BBC Radio 4's cop-turned-comedian Alfie Moore for his latest stand-up tour show. Based on a dramatic real-life incident from Alfie's police casebook, relive with him the thrilling ups and downs of the night a mysterious clown came to town.

£16.00



Saturday 1 October – 7:30pm

## Bob Drury's Viva Neil Diamond

Bob Drury's award-winning show is an absolute 'must-see' for Diamond fans. Prepare to be blown away by his vocal likeness and his stunning prowess on the guitar.

£16.50



Tuesday 4 October – 7:15pm A Royal Opera House broadcast

## **Madama Butterfly**

On a starlit night in Nagasaki, these are the words spoken by American naval officer Pinkerton to young geisha Cio-Cio-San. But as they both learn, words and promises carelessly spoken can have indelible consequences.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



Wednesday 5 October – 7:15pm A Royal Opera House broadcast

# Mayerling

Inspired by dark and gripping real life events, this Royal Ballet classic depicts the sexual and morbid obsessions of Crown Prince Rudulph that led to the murder-suicide scandal with his mistress Mary Vetsera.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



Thursday 6 October – 8.00pm

Tom Allen





Friday 7 October – 8:00pm

#### The All That Jazz Club

Hannah Horton and her quartet return playing a selection of songs from her album Inside Out, a selection of her own compositions alongside several iconic songs that she holds close to her heart.

£12.50



Saturday 8 October – 3.00pm & 7.00pm Sunday 9 October – 2.00pm

#### The Lisa Mason School of Dance

A dance showcase of different dance styles to include ballet, tap, modern, lyrical, contemporary, acro, street dance and musical theatre. Performers are aged from 3 years to adults. This year they showcase two routines the school performed at London's Shaftesbury Theatre earlier in the year. £14.00 / U16 £10.00



Thursday 13 October – 7:30pm A National Theatre broadcast

# **Jack Absolute Flies Again**

Pilot Officer Jack Absolute flies home to win the heart of his old flame, Lydia Languish. His advances soon turn to anarchy when the young heiress demands to be loved on her own, very particular, terms. Starring Caroline Quentin and Kelvin Fletcher. £16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



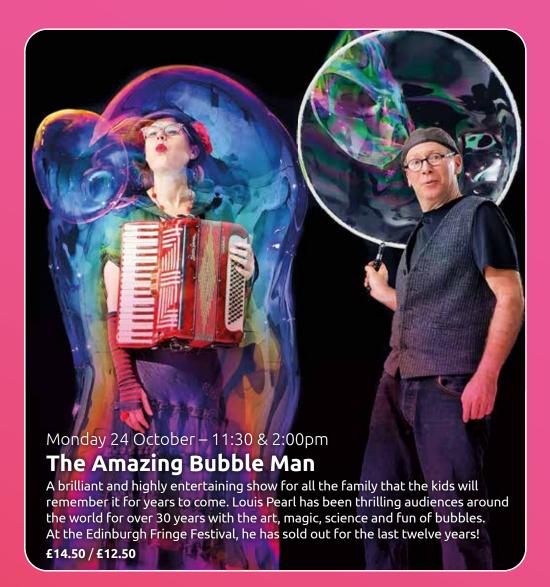
Tue 18 Oct – 7:30pm | Wed 19 Oct 7:30pm Thu 20 Oct – 7:30pm | Fri 21 Oct – 7:30pm Sat 22 Oct – 3:00pm & 7:30pm Centre Stage Company

#### **Bugsy Malone**

It is 1929 in New York and the city is divided by gang warfare. When Fat Sam's gang is brutally splurged, he engages the help of Bugsy Malone.

From £13.50 to £17.50





Wednesday 26 October – 7:15pm A Royal Opera House broadcast

#### La Bohème

Paris, 1900. Penniless writer Rodolfo believes that art is all he needs – until he meets Mimì, a lonely seamstress. So begins a timeless love story that blooms, fades, and rekindles with the passing seasons.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



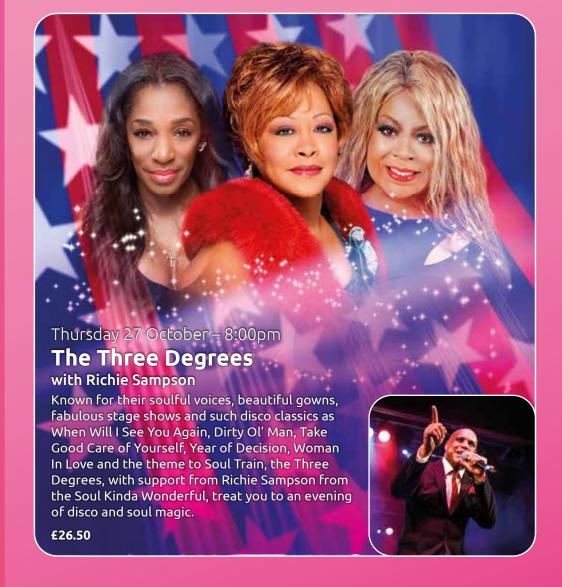
Tuesday 25 October – Thursday 27 October, times TBC

Phoenix Theatre

#### **Blast!**

A theatre workshop aimed at ages 7-11. Lunch included. No charge for those on free school lunches. Call the box office to be added to the waiting list.







Tuesday 1 November – 1:30pm Exhibition on Screen **Hopper** 

Edward Hopper's work is the most recognisable art, popular, praised and mysterious. But who was he? and how did a struggling illustrator create such a bounty of notable work? This new film takes a deep look into Hopper's art, his life, and his relationships. £10.00 / £7.00



Thursday 3 November – 7:00pm A National Theatre broadcast

### The Seagull

Emilia Clarke (Game of Thrones) stars in this 21st century retelling of Anton Chekhov's tale of love and loneliness. In an isolated home in the countryside, dreams lie in tatters, hopes are dashed, and hearts broken.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £ 11.50



Friday 4 November – 8.00pm

# Open Mic Night

A chance for local performers to showcase their talents.

Free entry, donations welcome



Sunday 6 November – 4:00pm

# Haverhill Silver Band in Concert

Fresh from their performance at the Royal Albert Hall in September, Haverhill Silver Band perform a wide selection of exciting music featuring fine soloists and dazzling ensemble playing. All under the direction of Musical Director Paul Filby.

£12.00 / £10.00



Tuesday 8 November – 7:30pm Apollo Theatre

# The Steptoe and Son Radio Show

These two, warring rag-and-bone-men, in their Shepherd's Bush scrapyard, became household favourites throughout the 60s and 70s. This hilarious adaptation of three original episodes from the long-running sitcom, faithfully recreates a live radio recording and some of Albert and Harold's finest misadventures.

£16.00 / £14.00



Thursday 10 November – 7:30pm

## One Night in Dublin

A glorious night of high-energy Irish music and more than a little bit of Irish Craic. In their own inimitable style, multi-award-winning Irish band The Wild Murphys perform classics tracks including Galway Girl, Tell Me Ma, Dirty Old Town and more.

£19.00



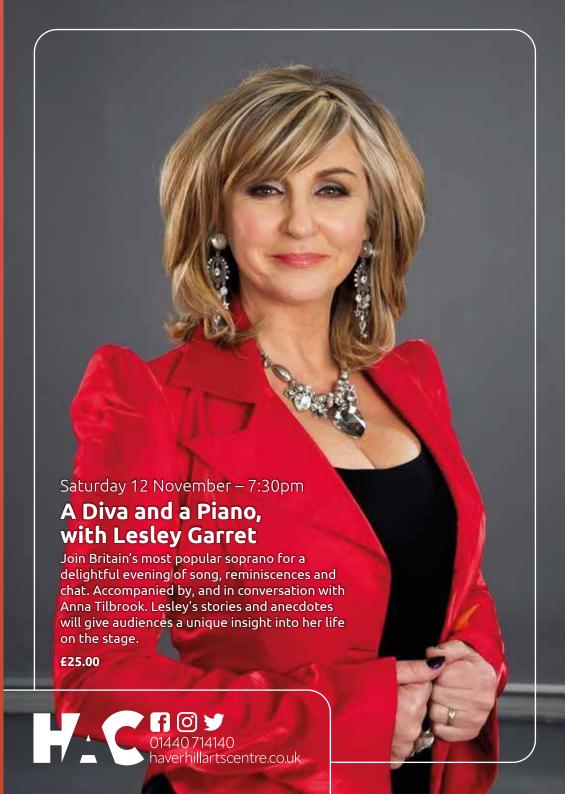
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### The Joke Jam

Off The Kerb Productions, (responsible for Live at the Apollo) programme 3 stand-up comedians from the UK circuit.

£11.00 / £10.00





Tuesday 15 November – 1:30pm & 7:30pm

Recorded broadcast

### Matthew Bourne's Nutcracker!

Following Clara's bittersweet journey from a darkly comic Christmas Eve at Dr. Dross' Orphanage, through a shimmering, ice-skating winter wonderland to the scrumptious candy kingdom of Sweetieland.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



Wednesday 16 November – 7:15pm A Royal Opera House broadcast

## The Royal Ballet – A Diamond Celebration

A dazzling showcase marking 60 years of the Friends of the Royal Opera House.

£16.50 / £13.50 / £11.50



Friday 18 November – 7:30pm

### Forever in Blue Jeans

Come and join the greatest party in town. Starring Carole Gordon along with superb singers, dancers and musicians playing the best in country music and rock 'n' roll!

£23.50



Saturday 19 November – 8:00pm

### **Funk Odyssey**

A night of 70s & 80s Soul & Disco with the fantastic Funk Odyssey playing live, plus sets from The Soul Mafia DJs.

£12.50



Sunday 20 November – 7:30pm

# Through the Eyes of an Irishman

Dominic Kirwan lights up the stage with his warm charismatic approach. His welcoming Irish vocal tones, along with his genuine engagement with his fans always leaves audiences wanting more. £26.00



Tuesday 22 November – 7:30pm Wednesday 23 November – 7:30pm *The Freaky Haze* 

## Pop Up Pinter

An intimate, stripped back performance of two dark one-act plays The Dumb Waiter and One For The Road from the the master of menace, Harold Pinter. Supported by HADOS & HTC. **£7.50** 



Thursday 24 November – 7:30pm

# Simon Mark as Peter Kay

With support from Phil Reid

Simon Mark will have you in fits of laughter from 'Garlic Bread' to his 'Misheard Song Lyrics' Simon really does have Peter Kay down to a tee. With his mannerisms, faces and impeccable Peter Kay delivery, he will leave you wanting more.



Saturday 26 November – 1:00pm Sunday 27 November – 1:00pm & 4:00pm

# The Time Capsule

The children of The Ballet Shoe Workshop dance their way through Mary's adventure with Auntie Claire and The Time Capsule. Produced by Alison Law.



