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MANSFIELD CENTRAL LIBRARY
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As one of Arts Council England's National Portfolio Organisations, we are delighted to present a funded programme of work for children and young people.



In this brochure, the following exciting events are all funded by Arts Council England: The Big Draw 2019; Drawn to Life; Space Stories Workshop; Alien Animation Workshop; Blast Off family concert and The Girl of Ink and Stars.



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ENGLAND**

We're an Arts Award Supporter!



Inspire is proud to be registered as an Arts Award Supporter and offers a wide cultural programme across our venues. Many of our events are free or incur a very small charge and many can be accessed by young people looking for opportunities locally to help them achieve an Arts Award. inspireculture.org.uk/artsaward

The Reading Agency and Libraries Present

SPACE CHASE

Summer Reading Challenge 2019

Landing at all Inspire libraries this summer...

Join our super space family, The Rockets, for a thrilling mission to track down books nabbed by mischievous aliens!

13 July to 8 Sept

Complete the Summer Reading Challenge to be entered into a prize draw, sponsored by arcpartnership

inspireculture.org.uk/summerreadingchallenge

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WELCOME TO YOUR JULY - OCTOBER SEASON! ARTS AND CULTURE, LIVE AT YOUR LIBRARY

Blast into the summer at Mansfield Central Library with a packed programme of events, including this year's Space Chase Summer Reading Challenge, which will launch with our fabulous family music concert which will take you on a space adventure!

A collaboration with The Spark Arts for Children brings more not-to-be missed family theatre to the library, exploring maps, myths and monsters in *The Girl of Ink and Stars*. Book early to avoid disappointment!

Our series of Dementia Friendly Screenings continues, offering the perfect afternoon out for people living with dementia, their friends and families.

This season sees the return of the Inspire Poetry Festival (23 - 28 September), with some fantastic headline events and workshops taking place at Mansfield Central Library as well as The Old Library on Leeming Street, including appearances from Raymond Antrobus as well as an inspiring reading workshop, a film screening and our fun annual Poetry Takeover.

We will be welcoming an array of heritage experts to take us through stories of town halls and Victorian fairs, as well as the opportunity for Exploring Ancestry.com with our Heritage Open Days event. Celebrate Nottinghamshire's recipe heritage and food stories past and present in our Home Cooked Heritage exhibition and talk.

And don't forget to come and have a go with the interactive drawing machines as part of this year's The Big Draw 2019 festival.

With these events and more, it's set to be an exciting season. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Inspire is registered for the **Family Arts Standards** for family events in our four largest libraries, including Mansfield Central. This means we are working hard to make families feel welcome. Look out for events in our programme and online with this badge:



Find out more: familyartsstandards.com

Mansfield Central Library 03
Four Seasons Centre
Westgate
Mansfield NG18 1NH

Opening hours

Open seven days a week
Monday to Friday 8.30am - 5.30pm
Saturdays 9am - 4pm
Sundays 11am - 3pm

Booking events

Tickets for events can be booked online, in person at the library, or by phone.

Phone: 01623 677 200
Online: inspireculture.org.uk

Tickets are non-refundable unless an event is cancelled. Programme is subject to change.

Contact Inspire

Phone: Ask Inspire 01623 677 200
Email: ask@inspireculture.org.uk

Keep up to date

Would you like to receive news and information about Inspire, including our events, direct to your inbox? Then visit the website to sign up to our email updates. You'll be able to select from a range of preferences based on your own interests. Visit: inspireculture.org.uk/emails

Access

Mansfield Central Library is accessible for wheelchair users. There is a lift to the first and second floors. Please let us know if you require a wheelchair space for ticketed events or have access needs.

A large print version of this brochure is available on the website, and can be made available at the library.

inspireculture.org.uk

ARTS AND HERITAGE
EXHIBITION**HOME
COOKED
HERITAGE**

Tuesday 23 July –
Monday 2 September
Free

How do you bring archive materials, 120 school children, 50 adults, a storyteller, an artist and an archaeologist together in one project? FOOD! Exploring the heritage of recipes unearthed in Nottinghamshire Archives, a celebration of food stories, past and present have become a sea of tea towels showcasing creative responses to this Heritage Lottery Fund Shared Heritage project.

The Home Cooked Heritage programme has seen children and adults creatively explore the theme. The exhibition of archive materials and contemporary responses is touring library galleries and will then be added back into Nottinghamshire Archives for future food historians to uncover.

Nottinghamshire Archives is a fabulous resource open to the public and holding more than four million documents waiting to be discovered.

**HERITAGE TALK****HOME COOKED HERITAGE TALK**

Tuesday 23 July, 2pm
Free | Booking advised
Adults

James Wright is the heritage expert behind our recent project Home Cooked Heritage and has delved into Nottinghamshire Archives in search of interesting food related stories. As a Buildings Archaeologist he is ideally suited to reveal the ways food was prepared and served in earlier times.

This talk is also available at Beeston and Worksop Libraries
inspireculture.org.uk/homecookedheritage

**LOTTERY FUNDED**

The Girl of Ink and Stars



FAMILY THEATRE
THE SPARK ARTS FOR CHILDREN
IN ASSOCIATION WITH INSPIRE:
CULTURE, LEARNING AND LIBRARIES
PRESENT:

THE GIRL OF INK AND STARS

Saturday 27 July, 11am

Library members: £3

Non-library members: £6

Ages 7+

Booking advised

A new play by Satinder Chohan, based on
the book by Kiran Millwood Hargrave.

A tale of maps, myth and monsters.

Forbidden to leave her island, Isabella dreams of the faraway lands her father once mapped. When a girl from the village disappears into the island's Forgotten Territories, Isabella and her lifelong friend Pablo go in search of her.

Following her map and an ancient myth, Isabella discovers that deep beneath the dry rivers and smoky mountains, a fiery legend is stirring from its sleep...

The performance is presented through headsets to give an immersive 360° sound experience. Headsets will be provided.

The Girl of Ink and Stars will tour 20 libraries this summer.
See inspireculture.org.uk/inkandstars for details



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SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2019: SPACE CHASE

Saturday 13 July to Sunday 8 September

Free

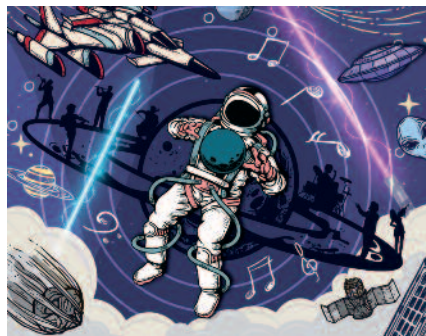
Ages 4 – 11



Help our super space family, The Rockets, track down books that have been nabbed by aliens!

Inspired by the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing, this year's Summer Reading Challenge is an out-of-this-world adventure. Children are invited to read six library books of their choice, collecting special stickers (including some very stinky ones!) along the way to complete their mission. Can they find the aliens in time to save the day?

Find out more about the Summer Reading Challenge at inspireculture.org.uk/summerreadingchallenge



FAMILY CONCERT

BLAST OFF! A MUSICAL SPACE ADVENTURE

Saturday 13 July, 2pm

Library members: £3

Non-library members: £6

Booking advised

Ages 5 - 11

Join us for a fun family concert packed with intergalactic favourites. Our magnificent orchestral band, The Hubs, will perform music from *Star Wars*, *E.T.* and *Doctor Who*, alongside popular classics from composers such as Richard Strauss.

After the performance, meet the musicians and try out some instruments for yourself. For more about our family concerts visit inspireculture.org.uk/familyconcerts

20 YEARS SUMMER READING CHALLENGE





FAMILY ARTS WORKSHOP
SPACE STORIES
 Monday 12 August, 2 - 4pm
 Free
 Booking essential
 Ages 7+ and their families
 (children must be accompanied)

Join Steve Smallman, Inspire's author in residence, for a hilarious space-inspired workshop. You'll be drawing planets, spaceships and lots of aliens and writing silly poems about them too! Steve is a silly poem expert as well as a brilliant illustrator so book your ticket now, it'll be out of this world!

As part of Inspire's Arts Council National Portfolio Organisation funded work we are delighted to have an artist and author in residence. This year we have commissioned local digital artist Trevor Woolery and children's author, Steve Smallman to work with families across the county inspired by the Summer Reading Challenge theme of Space Chase.

inspireculture.org.uk/outofthisworld



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE
JOHN KIRK PRESENTS:
IF YOU BELIEVE... A TRIO OF TALES
 Thursday 15 August, 2pm
 Free
 Booking advised
 Ages 4+ and their families

Get ready for three fun-packed, fantastical adventures as storyteller John Kirk brings a trio of space themed tales to the library.

Hear how a mole attempts to pull down the moon in Jonathan Emmett's *Bringing Down the Moon*, and find out what happens when Stanley decides to go to Mars and a not so well-behaved Martian arrives in his place in Simon James' *The Boy From Mars*. Plus, to complete the trio, enjoy a brand-new story by author Dom Conton written especially for this storytelling presentation.

John Kirk is a storyteller. His previous work includes Michael Morpurgo's *Private Peaceful*, Roald Dahl's *The Twits* and Jeremy Strong's *The Hundred Mile an Hour Dog*. John enjoys bringing stories to life with dynamic and imaginative ideas.



FAMILY ARTS WORKSHOP
ALIEN ANIMATION
 Monday 19 August, 2 - 4pm
 Free
 Booking essential
 Ages 7+ and their families
 (children must be accompanied)

Make an alien out of modelling clay and design a speedy space craft to zoom off into space. Work with our digital artist in residence Trevor Woolery to animate your creations and turn them into a GIF.

Book your ticket now and be part of a wonderfully silly space race!

The Reading Agency and Libraries Present



Summer Reading Challenge 2019

FILMS

DEMENTIA FRIENDLY SCREENINGS

Enjoy an afternoon film on the big screen in the welcoming setting of the library's auditorium. While open to the general public, these screenings are particularly suitable for people living with dementia, their families and friends. Lighting and volume are sensitively set, and the audience is free to talk, sing and move around. Doors open 20 minutes before the screenings, and there will be a 20-minute interval. Free tea and coffee available.

The auditorium is on the second floor, and there is lift access. There is tiered seating with steps. If you have any additional requirements or questions before booking please contact arts@inspireculture.org.uk or visit the website for more details.

Due to the popularity of these screenings, booking is advised.



ANYTHING GOES (U)

Thursday 25 July,
2 - 4.30pm
£1

Musical starring the great Bing Crosby, Bill Benson and Ted Adams are to appear in a Broadway show together and, while in Paris, each discovers the perfect leading lady. Both men promise the prize role to the girl they selected without informing the other...



ON THE BUSES (PG)

Thursday 19 September,
2 - 4.30pm
£1

Feature length spin-off of the popular TV series. Stan gets a little annoyed when his Mum and sister keep buying expensive items on hire purchase, but the money he earns for overtime working as a bus driver means that he can afford it... just! His prospects are good, until the bus company decide to revoke a long-standing rule and employ women bus drivers...



PADDINGTON (PG)

Thursday 22 August,
2 - 4.30pm
£1

Adapted from Michael Bond's much-loved books, *Paddington* follows the comic misadventures of a polite young Peruvian bear with a passion for all things British. Featuring an all-star cast including Hugh Bonneville, Nicole Kidman, Sally Hawkins, Jim Broadbent, Peter Capaldi and Julie Walters.



BEETHOVEN'S 2ND (PG)

Thursday 24 October,
2 - 4.30pm
£1

The sequel to *Beethoven* sees the loveable St Bernard becoming a father. But the puppies' owner wants to use them and the mother in her divorce bargaining. However, the Newton kids steal the puppies, but will they be allowed to keep them and re-unite the family?





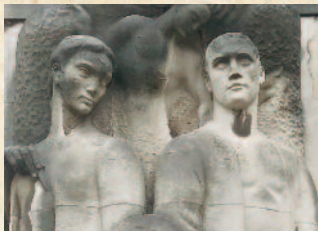
HERITAGE EVENT EXPLORING ANCESTRY.COM

Tuesday 17 September, 10.30am

Free

Booking essential | Adults

Join one of our Librarians for a small group session, where they will demonstrate some of the lesser-known aspects of this valuable Family History research tool. Ancestry.com is free to use in Inspire Libraries, and at Nottinghamshire Archives.



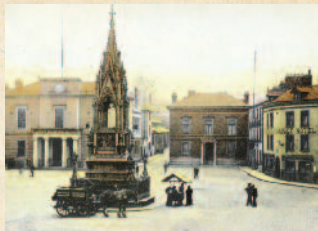
HERITAGE TALK TOWN HALLS – BUILDINGS, PEOPLE AND POWER

Tuesday 17 September, 2pm

£3

Booking advised | Adults

Town Halls are symbols of democracy, civic pride and power, reflected in a range of architectural styles. So many stories happen inside these amazing buildings, and this illustrated talk explores their past, present and possible futures. Join author Dawn Reeves and Nottinghamshire County Councillor Diana Meale for a discussion featuring Town Halls across Nottinghamshire and beyond.



HERITAGE EVENT MANSFIELD TOWN CENTRE HERITAGE WALK LED BY DENIS HILL

Thursday 19 September, 10.30am

Free

Booking essential | Adults

Following an established town centre trail, you will discover many curious, ornate and often-overlooked architectural features, hear some of the history behind the street scenes we see today, and learn of the economic contribution the town has made to the local area.

Heritage specialist Denis Hill will fit as many of Mansfield's unique stories as possible into an hour and a half, inspiring us all to look up and appreciate the visible links to the town's heritage.



HERITAGE TALK THE VICTORIAN FAIR: FREAK SHOWS AND FISTICUFFS

Tuesday 15 October, 2pm

£3

Booking advised | Adults

Dr Ann Featherstone gives a fascinating insight into the strange world of the Victorian fair, looking at its history and development, and exploring some of the colourful shows and showmen that emerged in the 19th century.

INSPIRE POETRY FESTIVAL 2019

Monday 23 September – Saturday 28 September

We're thrilled that Mansfield Central Library and The Old Library (Leeming Street) will once again host events for Inspire Poetry Festival – alongside libraries in Beeston, Southwell, Worksop and West Bridgford.

Enjoy award-winning poetry, acclaimed film and fascinating workshops, plus the fun annual Poetry Takeover, during what's set to be a wonderful week of words!

The full festival programme features appearances by Raymond Antrobus, Patience Agbabi, Wendy Cope and more.

For the latest details visit inspireculture.org.uk/poetry-festival



Ben Norris

EXHIBITION VOICES AT INSPIRE POETRY FESTIVAL

Thursday 5 – Sunday 29
September (and Thursday
27 June – Thursday 18 July)
Free

Voices presents a thought-provoking collection of poetry created by and with people whose voices, for health, social or age-related reasons, may rarely be heard, combined with photography of those involved.

Voices is a community poetry project led and facilitated by writer and performer Ben Norris, with photographs by Ben Harriott, in collaboration with Inspire: Culture, Learning & Libraries. It was supported with funding from the National Lottery through Arts Council England.

With special thanks to the groups involved: Woodleigh Christian Care Home, Mansfield; Building Bridges, West Bridgford; Bassetlaw Day Service, Worksop and Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Refugee Forum, Youth Project.

Don't miss this special poetry festival showing of VOICES, which also appears at Mansfield Central Library Thursday 27 June – Thursday 18 July.



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FILM
BRIGHT STAR (PG)
Tuesday 24 September, 3pm
£2

Written and directed by Oscar-winner Jane Campion (*The Piano*), *Bright Star* tells the story of the romance between 19th-century Romantic poet John Keats and Fanny Brawne, who together rode a wave of romantic obsession that deepened as their troubles mounted.



READING WORKSHOP EVERYTHING YOU WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT POETRY BUT DIDN'T DARE ASK

Wednesday 25 September,

2 - 3.30pm

£5

Booking essential | Adults

Poetry is an adventure. Some of us set off fearful that everybody else understands what's going on in a poem, whereas we may feel confused, inadequate, bewildered even. Some poems speak to one person but not another. This workshop explores a selection of poems to see whether and how they work.

Join publisher and poetry consultant Jenny Swann as we all expose our own ignorance, misunderstandings and general confusion on the path to enlightenment. By the end, we're hoping that all of us will be the richer for sharing our unknowns and our humanity, and will come to poetry with renewed excitement and faith in our own thought-processes.



LIVE AT THE OLD LIBRARY: RAYMOND ANTROBUS

(British Sign Language
Interpreted Performance)

Thursday 26 September, 7.30pm

The Old Library,

Leeming Street, Mansfield

£7 / £5

Booking advised | Adults (16+)

This year's Live at The Old Library festival headliner is the brilliant Raymond Antrobus, whose Ted Hughes award-winning work explores wide-ranging themes from deafness and race to dementia, death and masculinity.

Raymond Antrobus was born in London to an English mother and Jamaican father, and is the author of *To Sweeten Bitter* (Out-Spoken Press), and *The Perseverance* (Penned In The Margins) which was awarded the UK Poetry Book Society's Winter Choice in 2018 and the Ted Hughes award in 2019. He is a founding member of Chill Pill and Keats House Poets Forum, and in 2018 he was awarded The Geoffrey Dearmer Prize (judged by Ocean Vuong).

This performance will be BSL interpreted.



Photo: Martyn Bennett

WRITING WORKSHOP CREATING INSPIRED IMAGES WITH DEBORAH TYLER-BENNETT

Saturday 28 September,

10.30am - 12.30pm

£5

Booking essential | Adults

A workshop using pictorial images with a local flavour, which Nottinghamshire-born writer Deborah Tyler-Bennett will provide. The workshop exercises will help you explore ideas of tone, rhythm, detail and narrative voice. Come along, be inspired, and have a go at creating a piece of work from scratch.

POETRY TAKEOVER

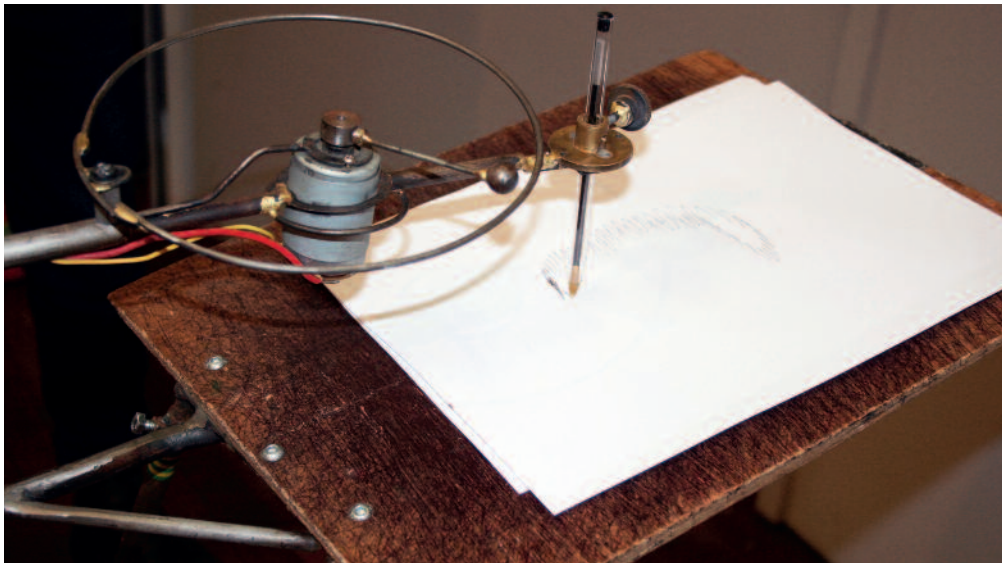
Saturday 28 September,

11am - 3pm

Free | Just drop in

Suitable for all

Our poetry takeover returns for 2019! Visit the library between 11am and 3pm on the closing day of the festival and you're in for a poetry surprise. Have a go at giant magnetic poetry, let the little ones enjoy the children's poetry trail, create poems from book titles using our self-serve kiosks and more.

**EXHIBITION****THE BIG DRAW 2019:
DRAWN TO LIFE**

Friday 18 October – Wednesday 18 December
Free

Celebrating the fun of drawing in different ways, this exhibition tells the story of young artists from Nottinghamshire special schools working with Kinetic Sculptor Jim Bond, to use his inventive drawing machines to change the way we think about drawing.

By removing direct control away from the artist and challenging the way we think about making a mark, Jim and the young artists have enjoyed meeting the challenges of adapting and making drawing machines accessible for all. Come and try the drawing machines for yourself at the exhibition.

The Big Draw is the world's biggest drawing festival. In 2019 The Big Draw Festival #DrawnToLife focuses on the vital role of creativity for health and wellbeing for living a healthier and happier life. Creating opportunities for accessible, fun, creative events has become more important than ever. So, this is a great year to draw your community together, draw, explore, get out and about, kickstart a new creative you and be part of the world's biggest community of drawing enthusiasts!

FAMILY ARTS WORKSHOP**THE BIG DRAW 2019:
DRAWN TO LIFE**

Saturday 19 October, 10am - 3pm

Free | Just drop in

Accessible for families of all ages and abilities

The Big Draw invites us all to explore drawing in all its forms and this year we invite you to drop in and draw with Jim Bond's interactive kinetic drawing machines.

The machines make your pen dance, wiggle and spin across the page as you try to work out the next move to keep it on the paper. Jim's clever and ingenious machines make the drawing experience accessible. No matter what your experience of art, this workshop is fascinating fun and suitable for all.



REGULAR FREE EVENTS

AN HOUR TO KILL CRIME CAFÉ

**Last Tuesday of the month,
2pm**

Love crime fiction? Come along and chat to other readers about the books you love.

READING GROUP

**Third Wednesday of the month,
2pm**

Talk about books and discover new reads.



CRAFT, CREATE AND DONATE

**Every fourth Saturday
of the month, 10am – 12pm**

Enjoy mixed crafts and giving. Anything goes. All welcome!

RATTLE, RHYME AND ROLL

**Tuesdays & Thursdays,
10 – 10.30am (Under 5s)
Wednesdays, 10 – 10.30am
(Under 1s)**

Rhyme times with your little ones!



CHILDREN'S CRAFT

**Second Saturday of
the month, 11am – 1pm**

Drop by with the children to enjoy simple craft activities.



INSPIRE YOUTH ARTS

MUSIC DANCE
DIGITAL THEATRE FILM

INSPIRECULTURE.ORG.UK/IYA



FAMILY LEARNING WORKSHOPS

for children and their carers

ALL
FREE!

THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR

Monday 29 July
1 – 3pm

U5's

Booking Essential

Celebrate the 50th anniversary of this wonderful book using a story sack. The session will focus on different skills: arts and crafts, programming, and maths to help you support your child's development.

DINOSAUR EXPLORERS

Tuesday 6 August
10am – 12pm

Aged 5+

Booking Essential

Explore the world of Dinosaurs with crafts, maths and science.



WEIRD SCIENCE

Tuesday 6 August
Aged 6 – 10

U5's

Booking Essential

Experiment with everyday items and explore the weird world of science!

CODING WITH MICRO: BITS

Wednesday 7 August
10am – 2.30pm

Aged 9 – 12

Booking Essential

Learn how to create a simple game and app using basic computer programming and how to use the BBC Micro:bit minicomputer. No experience needed.

PETER RABBIT

Monday 19 August
1 – 3pm

U5's

Booking Essential

Help to tell the story of Peter Rabbit using props and songs. Afterwards there is a chance to do craft activities such as making your own bunny ears.

BABY MASSAGE

Wednesday
24 July – 28 August
9.30 – 11am

Adults with babies aged 8 weeks to mobile

Booking Essential

A course for parents/carers and babies aged 8 weeks to mobile. Learn about the health benefits and how to massage your baby. Please check with your doctor if your baby has any medical problems.

FUN FOR THE FAMILY & LITTLE ONES

ADULT COURSES

COME JOIN US!

ADULT LEARNING COURSES

19+

IS IT ME OR IS IT HOT IN HERE?

Saturday 6 July, 10am – 2.30pm, £16

Adult 19+

Booking Essential

Natural ways to deal with the menopause, and get your zest for life back. Suitable for anyone going through a difficult time at menopause or is interested in learning more about managing symptoms.

SUGARCRAFT SEASONAL FLOWERS

Monday 15 July – 5 August, 10am – 12pm

£32, Adult 19+

Booking Essential

Progress your sugarcraft skills, producing a peony and hydrangea following step by step instructions.

FOOD SAFETY IN CATERING LEVEL 2 (RQF)

Wednesday 17 July, 9am – 4pm, £26

Friday 30 August, 9.30am – 4.30pm, £29.25

Adult 19+

Booking Essential

An essential course for anyone working in the catering sector as required by the Food Standards Agency.

SEWING A COVERED NOTEBOOK

Friday 19 July, 10am – 1pm, £12

Adult 19+

Booking Essential

Create a bespoke book cover using hand and machine sewing techniques. Please bring an A4 or A5 notebook and materials of your choice to cover it.



Book your place online at inspireculture.org.uk/learning or call 01623 677 200



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Gallery hire

Are you an artist or a creative group looking to show your work to local audiences? Inspire library art galleries offer professional, affordable exhibition spaces that bring great art to local communities in the vibrant, creative and welcoming setting of libraries.

Our galleries feature exhibitions by amateur, semi-professional and professional artists, alongside our own programmed exhibitions throughout the year.

Six of our libraries have galleries that you can apply to hire: Mansfield Central, Worksop, West Bridgford, Arnold, Retford and Beeston.

For full details and application forms visit the website inspireculture.org.uk/galleries

Gift shop

Looking for the perfect present for a book lover? Then visit our library shop where you'll find a selection of quirky book-related gifts, fun items for young creatives and other unusual finds.

Venue hire

Mansfield Central Library is a great place to hold meetings and events. With a range of creative spaces including our 192-capacity auditorium, it's a great setting for corporate, community and cultural events. Visit our website inspireculture.org.uk/venuehire for more details, or call Ask Inspire on 01623 677 200.

Discounts are available for community groups.



About Inspire

Inspire is an innovative cultural organisation launched by Nottinghamshire County Council. We are a Community Benefit Society that is dedicated to inspiring people to read, learn and enjoy culture with the help of our services.

Join us!

It's free to join Inspire and becoming a member will allow you to help shape the way our services are managed. Visit the website to find out more.

inspireculture.org.uk

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WHAT'S ON AT A GLANCE...

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Date and time	Event	Type	Price	Page
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Sat 13 Jul – Sun 8 Sep	Summer Reading Challenge	Children and Families	Free	6
Sat 13 Jul, 2pm	Blast Off! A Music Space Adventure	Family Music Concert	£3/£6	6
Tue 23 Jul – Mon 2 Sep	Home Cooked Heritage	Exhibition	Free	4
Tue 23 Jul, 2pm	Home Cooked Heritage talk	Heritage	Free	4
Thu 25 Jul, 2 – 4.30pm	Anything Goes (U)	Dementia Friendly Screening	£1	8
Sat 27 Jul, 11am	The Girl of Ink and Stars	Family Theatre	£3/£6	5
Mon 12 Aug, 2 – 4pm	Space Stories	Family Arts Workshop	Free	7
Thu 15 Aug, 2pm	John Kirk Presents: If You Believe... A Trio of Tales	Children and Families	Free	7
Mon 19 Aug, 2 – 4pm	Alien Animation	Family Arts Workshop	Free	7
Thu 22 Aug, 2 – 4.30pm	Paddington (PG)	Dementia Friendly Screening	£1	8
Tue 17 Sep, 10.30am	Exploring Ancestry.com	Heritage	Free	9
Tue 17 Sep, 2pm	Town Halls – Buildings, People and Power	Heritage	£3	9
Thu 19 Sep, 10.30am	Mansfield Town Heritage Walk with Denis Hill	Heritage	Free	9
Thu 19 Sep, 2 – 4.30pm	On The Buses (PG)	Dementia Friendly Screening	£1	8

INSPIRE POETRY FESTIVAL

Thur 5 – Sun 29 Sep	Voices	Exhibition	Free	10
Tue 24 Sep, 3pm	Film: Bright Star (PG)	Film	£2	10
Wed 25 Sep, 2 – 3.30pm	Everything You Wanted To Know About Poetry But Didn't Dare Ask	Reading Workshop	£5	11
Thu 26 Sep, 7.30pm	Raymond Antrobus at The Old Library, Mansfield	Performance	£7/£5	11
Sat 28 Sep 10.30am – 12.30pm	Creating Inspired Images with Deborah Tyler-Bennett	Writing Workshop	£5	11
Sat 28 Sep, 11am – 3pm	Poetry Takeover	Free event	Free	11
Tue 15 Oct, 2pm	The Victorian Fair: Freak Shows and Fisticuffs	Heritage	£3	9
Fri 18 Oct – Wed 18 Dec	The Big Draw 2019: Drawn to Life	Exhibition	Free	12
Sat 19 Oct, 10am – 3pm	The Big Draw 2019: Drawn to Life	Family Arts Workshop	Free	12
Thu 24 Oct, 2 – 4.30pm	Beethoven's 2nd (PG)	Dementia Friendly Screening	£1	8

REGULAR EVENTS For details of our regular, free events see page 13.