



What is County Youth Arts?

County Youth Arts work across the whole of Nottinghamshire developing and delivering exciting arts projects with young people aged 11 - 25. We also operate The Old Library, Venue and Media Centre in Mansfield, with a dynamic programme of projects and events on offer throughout the year.

TOLFest featuring SONAR 24 June - 10 July 2015

Nine days of performances at The Old Library and other fringe venues:

Music Night Wednesday 24 June Thursday 25 June

Unanima Theatre Company Friday 26 June **Unanima Theatre Company**

Tuesday 30 June **Dance Night** Wednesday **Drama Night** 1 July

BBC 'The Beat Live' Gig Thursday 2 July

Friday 3 July **Worksop Dance Fringe Event**

Sunday NPA Showcase Event at The Workhouse, Southwell 5 July Friday 10 July

Unanima Theatre Company



SONAR

This year's SONAR (Music Industry Week) takes place as part of TOLFest and features a variety of FREE workshops and masterclasses and also includes: auditions for our new Super Groups on Monday 29 June at The Royal Concert Hall and a BBC Beat gig at The Old Library on Thursday 2 July.

For more information contact: County Youth Arts, The Old Library, Leeming Street, Mansfield NG18 1NG. Tel 01623 644377



County Youth Arts Summer Schools

For information please contact the County Youth Arts Office.

From September 2015 at The Old Library

Mondays 5 - 7pm: MX4 Breakers Crew

Mondays 6 - 8pm: PLUG Promotions

Mondays 6 - 8pm: Urban Music Project

Mondays 7 - 9pm: MX4 Street Dance Crew

Tuesdays 5 - 7pm: Singer Songwriter Academy

Tuesdays 7 - 9pm: North Notts Youth Dance Company

Wednesdays 5.30 - 9.30pm: **Super Groups**

Wednesdays 6.30 - 9.15pm: Red Hot Band

Thursdays 3.30 - 5.30pm: Unanima Theatre Company

Saturdays 10am - 12noon: Rock School

Sundays 1.30 - 5.30pm: Black Box Theatre Company

Showcose 2016

Major events at The Royal Concert Hall and the Palace Theatre in Mansfield in February 2016. Auditions take place 27 - 29 November 2015.

What is Notts Performing Arts?

Notts Performing Arts offers exciting, high quality arts opportunities for young people aged 7-19, in year 3 and above, who want to develop their skills in performing arts. We offer a choice of music, dance and drama workshops and a variety of performance opportunities.

Notts Performing Arts Centres – Saturday Mornings

- No audition start dates are each half term
- Music, dance and drama workshops
- Students create their own timetable, based on the availability of activities at the centre they join
- Support Assistants work closely with students with Special Educational Needs. Please note that we do not administer medication or provide personal care
- We recommend a visit to your chosen Saturday Centre prior to enrolling to check availability of the sessions that your child is interested in. Contact the NPA Office to book a visit on the next available date.



Notts Performing Arts Companies – Evenings and Sundays

Email/send in an application. NO PAYMENT REQUIRED AT THIS STAGE.

Performing Arts Companies (Prices in brackets for one term only)

For Year 3 and above

Intermediate Concert Band £35 (£20) (Grade 2 and above)

The Minster School, Southwell Fortnightly during term time Sundays 1.30 – 3.30pm

For Year 7 and above

Senior Concert Band £80 (£45) (Grade 5/6/7 depending on instrument)

The Minster School, Southwell Fortnightly during term time Sundays 12.45 – 5pm

Red Hot (Swing) Band (Grade 4 and above)

The Old Library, Mansfield Weekly during term time Wednesdays 6.30 – 9.15pm

Steel Band (Advanced)

The Brunts Academy, Mansfield Weekly during term time Tuesdays 6.30 – 8.30pm

£50 (£30)

£80 (£45)

Black Box Theatre Company

The Old Library, Mansfield Weekly during term time Sundays 1.30 – 5.30pm

Grades are a guide only to the standard required. Students do not need to have taken examinations. Entry standards are dependent on the instrument played.

Performing Arts Centres

£75 (£40)

Saturdays 9.15am – 1.10pm £75 full year or £50 autumn term and £40 spring term

Arnold Performing Arts Centre

Redhill Academy, Redhill Road, Arnold NG5 8GX

Mansfield Performing Arts Centre

The Brunts Academy, The Park, Park Avenue, Mansfield NG18 2AT

Southwell Performing Arts Centre

The Minster School, Nottingham Road, Southwell NG25 0LG

Worksop Performing Arts Centre

Outwood Academy Portland, Sparken Hill, Worksop S80 1AL

Centre Dates

Autumn Term 2015

September		12	19	26
October	3	10	17	
November	7	14	21	28
December	5	12		

Spring Term 2016

January	9	16	23	30
February	6			27
March	5	12	19	

Membership Fees

Do you live in Nottinghamshire or attend a Nottinghamshire maintained school?

Saturday Centres £75 per year or £50 autumn term, £40 spring term.

Companies range from £35 - £80 per year for each Company or pay on a termly basis.

Financial assistance is available for students Looked After by Nottinghamshire and those eligible for free school meals.

Do you live AND attend a school/ college in the City of Nottingham or do you live AND attend a school/ college out of the County?

Saturday Centres £150 per year or £100 autumn term, £80 spring term.

Companies range from £70 - £160 per year for each Company or pay on a termly basis.

All students who join after a half-term break only pay 50% of the termly fee for the remainder of that term.

How do I join?

Complete the application form in this leaflet or download the application form from our website: nottinghamshire.gov.uk/performingarts OR

Call us on 0115 977 2782 Mondays - Fridays,

8am – 3pm and we can take your details over the telephone

OR

Email performingarts@nottscc.gov.uk and we will send you an application form.



Paying by cheque or postal order?

Please make payable to:

Nottinghamshire County Council
and send with your application form to:

Notts Performing Arts Nottinghamshire County Council Floor 3, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham NG2 7QP

If you are **only** applying for your child to join a Company, do not send any payment with the application. Payment will only be taken if your child is offered a place. Payments for existing Company members must be received by the NPA Office by 3pm two working days prior to the first rehearsal of each half term.

Paying by debit or credit card?

Call us on 0115 977 2782

Mondays – Fridays 8am – 3pm We will take your child's details over the telephone and transfer your call to a secure card payment centre.

If you are applying or re-enrolling for a Saturday Performing Arts Centre payment is required with an application whether by telephone or post and must be received by the NPA office by 3pm on the Wednesday before the first Saturday of each half term.

Please note: late payment will delay a student starting until the next half term.

The membership fee is non-refundable and non-transferable.



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Application and parental consent form

Name of the Saturday Centre/Company you are applying/re-enrolling for

e.g. Mansfield Saturday Centre	/Senior Concert Band	
General details		
Name of student		
Date of birth	Age on 1/9/2015	Male O Female O
Address	Post	Code
Home telephone number (in	c code)	
Parent/Carer's name		
Parent/Carer's mobile numb	er	
Student's mobile number (o	ptional)	
Parent/Carer's email addres	S	
Student's email address (op	tional)	
Name of the school/college t	he student will be attending	from September 2015

If **applying for a Company** please attach additional information indicating the instrument/art form, level/grade, experience and skills achieved.



Health declarations and parental consents Does your child have a medical condition or take regular medication? Yes O No O If yes please give further details or attach additional information Yes O No O Does your child have a disability/learning difficulties? If yes please give further details or attach additional information Does your child receive additional support at school Yes O No O from a Teaching Assistant? If yes please give further details or attach additional information A waiting list will operate if applications exceed the number of Support Assistants available. Current NPA students with support need to re-enrol requesting this to ensure it is in place. Consent for off-site performances During the year students may have the chance to perform at off-site venues. Your consent below covers students during the 2015-2016 academic year only. Parent/Carer's signature Date Consent for use of images taken by Nottinghamshire County Council I give consent for Nottinghamshire County Council to take photographs and film footage. Your consent below covers images during the 2015-2016 academic year only. Parent/Carer's signature Date Consent for use of images taken by third parties I give consent for third parties e.g. parents to take photographs and film footage at public performances. Your consent below covers images during the 2015-2016 academic year only.

Parent/Carer's signature

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Date