Arts in East Herts Programme of Events

September – October 2026









About Arts in East Herts

Running across the district and throughout September and October 2026, the Arts in East Herts showcase event provides an opportunity for residents to access arts and cultural activities that may have previously been inaccessible to them. This is a live programme and so will be updated almost daily with more amazing events, activities and experiences!

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Company of Players

When: Every Friday from 11 September to 23 October, 7.30pm - 9.30pm
Where: 3rd Hertford Scout Hut, Port Vale, Hertford, SG14 3AF

Youth Group in partnership with Mimic Theatre Company

These FREE sessions help teens develop acting skills and technique through script work, improvisation, devising and much more. They build confidence, meet new people with a shared interest and learn to work together, all in a fun and supportive space led by experienced theatre practitioners. No singing or dancing involved!

Sessions are for 13-18 year olds and are held every Friday in term time. Email youth@cops.org.uk to snap up a spot.
More information: www.cops.org.uk/youth-group/



Art @ Parsonage Hall

When: Various
Where: Parsonage Hall,
Bishop's Stortford, CM23 5PY

Sunday, 11 October - 5.45pm - 8pm
Introduction to Lino Printing

Sunday, 11 October - 5.45pm - 8pm
Ceramics with Sarah

Sunday, 18 October - 5.45pm - 8pm
Gold Leaf Success

Sunday, 25 October - 5.45pm - 8pm
Advanced Lino Printing

More information:
www.facebook.com/besthallinHerts/



Drawing Voices

On demand 10-min audio drama @ Hertford Library
On demand 10-min audio drama @ Nourish Cafe, Hertford
5 September - 31 October
Look out for posters and bookmarks and listen with headphones via the QR code.

Online Singing for Carers
Thursday, 22 October, 7.30pm - 8.30pm

More information:
www.drawingvoices.org/news
@drawingvoices



Buntingford Festival Choir



When: Saturday, 10 October - 4pm
Where: St Mary's Church, High Street, Westmill

A Harvest of Sound

Four centuries of choral masterpieces.

Tickets cost £10.

More information:
https://bfc.qrplanet.com/biyjs9



Bishop’s Stortford College

When: Saturday, 10 October - 10am - 2pm
Where: Bishop’s Stortford College, Maze Green Road, CM23 2PQ

Artist-led workshops, a sculpture trail and creative activity packs that inspire children, young people and families to explore the arts.

More information:
https://www.bishopsstortfordcollege.org/
https://www.facebook.com/bishopsstortfordcollege
https://www.instagram.com/thebishopsstortfordcollege/



Ware Photographic Society

When: Saturday, 10 October
Where: Thundridge Village Hall, Ermine Street, SG12 0SY

Annual Photography Exhibition

More information:
www.wareps.co.uk
Instagram: waredistrictphotosociety
Facebook: Ware & District Photographic Society



Sarah Hollis

When: Sunday, 11 October, 6pm-8pm
Where: Community Centre, Parsonage Lane, Bishop's Stortford

Clay workshop for 12 people.



Bishop’s Stortford Sinfonia

Sunday, 11 October, 1pm - 2pm
Open rehearsal
@ Memorial Hall, Bishop’s Stortford College, Maze Green Road, CM23 2PQ (Doors will open at 12.45pm)

Sunday, 11 October, 4pm - 6pm (approx)
Concert
@ Memorial Hall, Bishop’s Stortford College, Maze Green Road, CM23 2PQ

More information:
@bishopstortfordsinfonia
Website: https://bishopsstortfordsinfonia.com/america-250-music-of-life-landscape/
Box office: https://www.tickettailor.com/events/bishopsstortfordsinfonia/2351943



ArtVibe Community

Where: Jackson Square
Community Space, Bishop's
Stortford

Sunday, 11 - Friday, 16 October - 10am - 3pm
Solo Exhibition by Roma Bankowski

Sunday, 11 October - 11am - 1pm
'Anyone Can Draw' workshop by Roma Bankowski

Monday, 12 - Friday, 16 October - 1pm - 3pm
'Draw Your Own Digital Portrait' by Mumbi Munyua

Tuesday, 13 October - 11am - 2pm
'Mindful Creative Experience' by Zeta Iakovou

Thursday, 15 October - 10am - 3pm
Painting Presentation by Roma Bankowski

More information:
Facebook:ArtVibe Community
Website: artvibeworld.com



Hertford Regional College

Where: HRC, Ware Campus, London Road, Ware, SG12 9JF

Tuesday, 13 October, 6.30pm - 8.30pm
Heat Press Printing Workshop
Thursday, 15 October, 6.30pm - 8.30pm
Cyanotype Workshop
Tuesday, 20 October, 6.30pm - 8.30pm
Pottery Workshop
Thursday, 22 October, 6.30pm - 8.30pm
Lampshade Making Workshop
Tuesday, 27 October, 10.30am - 1pm
Oil Painting Workshop
Thursday, 29 October, 10.30am - 1pm
Life Drawing Workshop

More information: www.hrc.ac.uk



Sirena13art Workshop

Where: Leaside Church & Community Centre, High Street, Ware, SG12 9BT

Art workshops:
Wednesday, 14 October - 10am - 1pm
Saturday, 17 October - 10am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm

Art Exhibition:
Friday, 30 October - 5pm - 8pm
Saturday, 31 October - 10am - 5pm

More information:
https://www.instagram.com/sirena13art
https://www.facebook.com/SirenaLunaAtelier
https://www.youtube.com/@Sirena13art
https://sirena13artgallery.sumupstore.com/



& by Donna Reeves

When: Friday, 16 October, 6.30pm - 9pm
Where: 27a Baldock Street, Ware, SG12 9DH

Exhibition - Art & Community

More information:
andbydonnareeves
andbydonnareeves.com



Herts Book Festival

When: Friday ,16 October, 10am-12pm & Friday, 23 October, 10am- 12pm
Where: Hertford Library

Creative writing workshops for home educating families

More information:
www.hertsbookfestival.com
@hertsbookfestival



Master Arts Workshop

When: Saturday, 17 October
- 9.30am - 12.30pm &
1pm - 4pm
Where: Little Berkhamsted Village Hall, Church Road, SG13 8LY

Acrylics, Watercolour and Calligraphy Workshops

More information:
www.masterartworkshops.com
http://www.facebook.com/masterartworkshops
Instagram: @masterartworkshops



Sue Nicholls

When: Various
Where: 66 Baldock Road, Buntingford, SG9 9DH

Machine Embroidery Workshop Taster Sessions

Saturday, 17 October, 10.30am - 2.30pm

Saturday, 24 October, 10.30am - 2.30pm

More information:
Instagram:suenicholsdesigns
Facebook:Sue Nicholls Designs
www.suenicholsdesigns.co.uk



Matipo Arts

Saturday, 17 October, 11am - 12pm
@ BEAM, The Wash, Hertford, SG14 1PS

Sunday, 25 October, 2pm - 3pm
@ Bishop's Stortford Library, The Causeway, CM23 2EJ

Friday, 30 October, 1.30pm - 2.30pm
@ Sawbridgeworth Memorial Hall, The Forebury, CM21 9BD

More information:
www.matipoarts.com/what-s-on
@matipoarts on Facebook, Instagram and LinkedIn



Bishop's Stortford Arts Society

When: Various
Where: Bishops Stortford Swifts, 138 Hadham Road, CM23 2QE

Tuesday, 20 October, 1pm - 2.30pm
Jo Sinclair - Watercolour Workshop

Thursday, 29 October, 7:30pm - 9pm
Gabrielle Vickery - Paint a Mate! - Beginners Acrylic Painting workshop

Book online: http://www.carolineclarkartist.com



Hertford Art Society

When: Saturday, 24 October, 9am - 1pm
Where: BEAM, The Wash, Hertford, SG14 1PS

Free Open Critique
This event is open to anyone age 17 years and over who has never professionally exhibited their work. A critique is a positive and constructive experience designed to build confidence in your work and help you progress. There is no right or wrong!
The critique will be hosted in a classroom environment by professional art critic Estelle Lovatt FRSA along with Hertford resident and professional comedian/writer Alistair Barrie. Our critics will give you honest and constructive feedback on your work, from both a professional and layman point of view.

More information:
www.hertfordartsociety.co.uk
Facebook: Hertford Art Society
Instagram: hertfordartsociety



Much Hadham Forge Museum



When: Various

Where: Much Hadham Forge Museum, SG10 6BS

Saturday, 24 October, 11am - 2pm
Sunday, 25 October, 11am - 2pm
Friday, 30 October, 11am - 2pm

Much Hadham's amazing Tudor murals are 450 years old this year. Join us to make a mural of you own using templates printed onto rollable plaster wallpaper.

Get up close and personal with the real thing in our wall painting room, find out how they were created, discovered and conserved. Be inspired by heraldry and Elizabethan devices and create your own design to take away.

More information:
www.hadhammuseum.org.uk
@HadhamMuseum



Eloise Pilbeam

When: Sunday, 25 October
Where: Southern Maltings,
Kibes Lane, Ware SG12 7BS

Botanical Plaster Casting Workshop
In this workshop, you will explore the process of botanical plaster casting to create your own sculptural plaster tile inspired by plants and natural forms.

The workshop will have a friendly and relaxed atmosphere and is all about experimenting, getting a little messy and having a go! No previous experience with clay, plaster or sculpture is needed.

Workshop 1: 10am - 11.30am (Collect at 2.30pm)

Workshop 2: 12pm - 1.30pm (Collect at 4.30pm)

Workshop 3: 2pm - 3.30pm (Collect at 6pm)

More information:
www.eloisepilbeam.art/workshops-1



Hazel Russell

Workshops using recycled materials to create piece of art. All are free events though donations to the library will be welcome on the day.

Monday, 26 October, 10.30am - 12pm
'The magic of ecoprinting' family workshop at Ware Library

Friday, 30 October, 10.30am - 12pm
'Wild Inks' family workshop at Hertford Library

Friday, 30 October, 2pm - 4pm
'Flower fusion' adult communal flower painting at Hertford Library

More information:
Instagram - hazeymazeyful
Facebook - Hazel's Art



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