

PEOPLE & PLACE

Welcome to the programme for the first ever People & Place season.

Inside these pages you'll find information about all of the events happening in the 2017 season, including profiles for the groups as well as some details about what they'll be performing and when they'll be canal-side.

People and Place is a project bringing young people's performances to the side of the canal here in Dudley, connecting them to the site through the performing arts. It's giving young performers the opportunity to do what they do best for the public without any cost to them, and we're very excited about it!

Browse the groups on the following pages and we're sure you'll find something to interest you. If you'd like to come and see any of the groups perform there are no tickets required and it's completely free; just turn up at our site around 15 minutes before the show starts. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for updates closer to each show's date for the best places to stand for each performance, as different groups will be performing in different spaces beside the canal.

We hope you enjoy discovering People & Place!

For more information about
Dudley Canal & Tunnel Trust,
see our website:
www.dudleycanaltrust.org.uk



LANGLEY YOUTH THEATRE

MUSICAL THEATRE

See us on 17th June @ 2.00pm

Who we are

Based in Oldbury we are a musical theatre company whose aim is to provide young people aged 8yrs to 19yrs with the opportunity to develop skills and experience in dance, acting and singing whilst working towards annual productions at professional theatres throughout the area.

About our performance

We will be performing a medley of musical theatre songs which are based around children and the workhouse. The piece will feature solos from some members of the group.

As with any live performances, the details in this programme are subject to change without notice due to weather, group availability or other reasons, though obviously we will try our best to ensure that everything goes ahead as planned.



HALESOWEN YOUTH THEATRE

MUSICAL THEATRE

See us on 16th July @ 1.00pm

Who we are

Halesowen Youth Theatre were established in Summer 2016. We are a non-profit organisation and simply believe in providing as many students as possible with affordable training in all areas of the arts.

We offer junior classes (4 - 10) and youth classes (11+) and specialise in areas such as dance, drama, singing, writing, backstage and directing. Find us on Facebook or contact us on halesowenyouththeatre@outlook.com or 07584162895.

About our performance

We are performing a piece inspired by the idea 'the sinking canoe'. We have included some references to the Titanic story, however this is an original theatre piece created by the Halesowen Youth Theatre directors and the students themselves, including all areas of the performing arts.



WREN'S NEST PRIMARY

SCHOOL CHOIR

CHORAL

See us on 5th July @12.00pm

Who we are

Wren's Nest Choir are a relatively new choir. We have been singing together for nearly three years now. Children from different year groups sing together.

About our performance

This term we have been learning a new skill – singing in harmony! We have found it a challenge but we hope you enjoy our programme this afternoon. Some of our songs are rounds and some we sing altogether. Our theme is 'Sing'.

Today we are singing;

- Gospel Medley
- Mango, Mango!
- Read all about it
- I like the flowers
- Sing



STAGECOACH WALSALL

DANCE

See us on 8th July @ 2.30pm and 3.00pm

Who we are

We are a new performance troupe set up to represent our Stagecoach school in Walsall, which is a part time performing arts school for young people aged 4 - 18 years. We are actively looking for new opportunities to perform in exciting places showing our students and their families that the performing arts are versatile and exciting!

About our performance

The group have created a dance piece with their teacher and choreographer Nikki, looking at the elements of earth and water, their durability, danger, beauty and excitement, set to a selection of popular music from family films.

They are looking forward to showcasing their work to their families and to the site's general visitors!



TEAM PRODUCTIONS MUSICAL THEATRE SCHOOL

MUSICAL THEATRE

See us on 15th July @ 11.00am

Who we are

Team Productions are a musical theatre school who perform musical theatre and dance at venues across the West Midlands throughout the year, and we're open to anyone of any age or experience, without audition. We have students from 3 years up in our various classes and believe the most important part of performing is having fun!

Find us on Facebook or read more about us on our website: www.teammusicaltheatre.co.uk

About our performance

Today we'll be performing songs that are inspired by water! We hope everyone will hear something they know, as there is plenty for everyone to enjoy!