

Wednesday 20th March 2024

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News and information

Send yours to news@visitthirsk.uk

Book online for The Ritz



Thirsk's Ritz Cinema is one of the oldest continuously run cinemas in the United Kingdom, having first opened to the public in 1912.

The original silent movie screen with the crest above it still exists behind the present screen. The 'talkies' arrived in 1927 and the cinema capacity was increased to accommodate the ensuing larger audiences by fitting a balcony area. It was at this time that the name was also changed to 'The Ritz'. Since 1995 the cinema has been run by a dedicated team of volunteers and it aims to bring recent film releases to this rural town at affordable prices.

Also keeping up with the times, you now have the option of booking online, choosing either downstairs or balcony seats. The price is £7 each and you pay by debit or credit card.

RitzCinema.co.uk

Choose your Mayor

The York and North Yorkshire Mayor will be chosen by residents in elections on Thu 2 May this year.

When they are elected in May 2024, the Combined Authority will be led by the York and North Yorkshire Mayor. The Mayor chairs the Combined Authority, details of which are here:

VisitThirsk.uk/CA

The role of the Mayor is to work alongside local leaders to create a long-term vision, secure more money and be a strong voice and champion for the region.

Once elected, the York and North Yorkshire Mayor will serve a 4 year term, at which point they can choose to

stand for re-election. There is no limit on how many terms a mayor can serve. If you are not already registered to vote, you have until midnight on Tue 16 Apr to register. Information about the election is here:

VisitThirsk.uk/vote

North York Moors Railway



From Sat 23 Mar the award-winning heritage attraction and registered charity will once again be full steam ahead with tickets available from Wed 13 Mar.

Adult all line day tickets are £49.50, and are automatically converted to a 12-month Annual Pass boosting the charity's Gift Aid income.

Due to popular demand, the NYMR is continuing its Kids Go Free (aged 0-15) campaign, making the railway more accessible. Book online at nymr.co.uk

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What's on in the coming weeks

Send your event - go to VisitThirsk.uk/event

Wed 20 Mar

J.Thurlow and T.Chalcraft 'Winter Salads'

Knayton Village Hall, Thirsk YO74AZ

Jane and Tony will join us at Knayton to tell us about WINTER SALADS. They have appeared on BBC Gardeners World

and so we look forward to gleaning some of the expert knowledge on what we can grow for our winter salads. All are warmly welcome, as a visitor, or you can become a member of the club. 7.30pm. £5 as a guest or £15 for an annual membership. Tickets: On the door. E: aileenandkeith3@gmail.com. T: 07989 265525

Wed 20 Mar

Traditional Sign Painting

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

An introduction to traditional sign painting in which you will learn about colour and shading, as well as the basic brush techniques needed to master lettering. 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. £20. Tickets: Online. E: admin@ruralarts.org. T: 01845 526536.

www.ruralarts.org

Up to Thu 21 Mar

The Iron Claw (15)

Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

The true story of the inseparable Von Erich brothers, who made history in the intensely competitive world of professional wrestling in the early 1980s. Through tragedy and triumph, under the shadow of their domineering father and coach, the brothers seek larger-than-life immortality on the biggest stage in sports. Sunday evening will be shown with English subtitles.

7.30pm, also Wed 2.30pm. £6 plus £1 booking fee if online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

www.ritzcinema.co.uk

Thu 21 Mar

Bumps, Babbies and Bairns

Kiplin Hall DL10 6AT

Two Lucys from History Wardrobe take you on a journey into historical motherhood, from maternity clothes to baby layettes. The stage is set for a brilliant array of smocks, baby frocks and toddler gear, not to mention nappies boiling on the hob.... 6.30pm for 7pm (finish 9pm). £20. E: info@kiplinhall.co.uk. T: 01748 818178.

kiplinhall.co.uk

Thu 21 Mar

National Theatre Live

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP

The Motive and the Cue, a new play by Jack Thorne directed by Sam Mendes. 1964: Richard Burton, newly married to Elizabeth Taylor, is to play the title role in an experimental new Broadway production of Hamlet under John Gielgud's exacting direction. But as rehearsals progress, two ages of theatre collide and the collaboration between actor and director soon threatens to unravel. 7pm. £15, Child £10, Senior/Student £12.50. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Thu 21 Mar

Thirsk Lodge Barns Sushi Night

Thirsk Lodge Barns, Thirsk, YO7 4DB

The incredible Henny's Kitchen is back by popular demand! Enjoy a glass of fizz on arrival, along with some delicious canapés, before being seated for small dishes and sharing boards. YUM! Join us from 7pm, with food being served at 8pm. £60. Tickets: <https://thirsklodgebarns.com/product/sushi-night-3/>. E: enquiries@thirsklodgebarns.com. T: 01945 591158.

thirsklodgebarns.com/product/sushi-night-3/

Thu 21 Mar to Fri 22 Mar

Ukrainian Opera: Traviata & Butterfly

Darlington Hippodrome, Parkgate DL1 1RR

Ukrainian Opera & Ballet Theatre Kyiv present stunning classical productions of Verdi's La Traviata on Thu 21 Mar and Puccini's Madama Butterfly on Fri 22 Mar. 7.30pm. £21 to £44. Tickets: Phone or book online. T: 01325 405405. www.darlingtonhippodrome.co.uk

Fri 22 Mar

Ria Lina: Riawakening

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP

In the aftermath of a global pandemic, comedian and scientist, Ria Lina has had a Riawakening and sees the world differently. 7.30pm. £15. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E:

info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Up to Sat 23 Mar

Exhibition: Yore Valley

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Yore Valley Artists are a group of sixteen professional, semi-professional and experienced amateur artists who paint regularly together in a variety of styles and media, including oils, acrylics, watercolour, pastels, and prints. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Free Entry.

Sat 23 Mar

RedSky Bikes Reliability Ride

RedSky Bikes, 3 Campion Square, Thirsk YO7 1GW

An opportunity to test your fitness or kick-start your season with 4 routes to choose from. It's a road ride but use any bike. Rides start outside RedSky Bikes which is opposite Aldi at 3 Campion Square. On your return collect your Brevet Card from the shop and grab a hot drink! 08:30am. Free. Tickets: No tickets just turn up on the day.

Sat 23 Mar

Maxwell Quartet

Richmond School, Darlington Road DL10 7BQ

Richmondshire Concerts. Exploring the traditional music of the Maxwell Quartet's homeland of Scotland. It brings together songs, dances and stories from times past, borne out of the historic industries that Scotland is renowned for. 7.30pm. £20, Under 16 £1.

Sat 23 Mar

Harrogate Symphony Orchestra

Royal Hall, Ripon Rd. Harrogate, HG1 2RD

Rossini Barber of Seville, Saxophone concerto & Scaramouche (soloist Jonny Vaux), Grieg Symphonie Dances op 64. 7.30pm. Please enquire for ticket prices. Tickets: 01423502116.

Sat 23 Mar

Experimental Textiles

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Participants will be introduced to the technique of free hand machine embroidery and have opportunity to experiment with heat guns to create colourful and textured textile pieces inspired by rock pools. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. £40. Tickets: Online.

Sat 23 Mar

Bingo that's Bonkers (18)

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP

We're taking bingo out of the hall, adding comedy, music and even bigger balls. With a smashing atmosphere, crazy games, and not to mention great prizes, the Bingo revolution starts here. 7pm. £20. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E:

info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Sat 23 Mar to Sun 24 Mar

Northallerton Medieval Market

High Street, Northallerton DL7 8QR



Come and experience the sights, sounds and smells of Northallerton's market as it might have looked in Medieval England between 1066 and 1307. You will have the opportunity to talk to (and sample the produce from) medieval market traders including a baker, a pie stall, a surgeon, and a fletcher and bowyer with authentic medieval music providing a truly immersive experience. Free.

Sat 23 Mar to Sun 24 Mar

Migration (U)

Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Fun animated adventure for all the family. After a migrating duck family alights on their pond with thrilling tales of far-flung places, the Mallard family leave the safety of home and embark on a family road trip, from New England, to New York City, to tropical Jamaica. Matinees only. Sat & Sun 2.30pm. £6 plus £1 booking fee if online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

www.ritzcinema.co.uk



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Sun 24 Mar

Mowbray Singers: Stainer's Crucifixion

St Oswald's Church, Front St, Sowerby, Thirsk YO7 1JG



The Easter-time favourite which includes the dramatic chorus 'Fling Wide the Gates' and the moving a capella chorus 'God So Loved the World'. The choir will be accompanied on the organ. 7.30pm. £8, Under 16s free. Tickets: On the door.

mowbraysingers.co.uk/performances

Sun 24 Mar

Richmondshire Orchestra Spring Concert

Tennant's Garden Rooms, Harmby Rd, Leyburn DL8 5SG

Beethoven: Leonore Overture No 3, Tchaikovsky: Rococo Variations, Tchaikovsky: Symphony No 5. 3pm.

Mon 25 Mar

Royal Air Forces Association

Thirsk & Sowerby Institute, The Flatts, Sowerby, Thirsk YO7 1LY

Thirsk & Sowerby Branch AGM All RAFA members very welcome to attend, as are non-members with an interest in the RAF community. 7.30pm. Free.

Tue 26 Mar

Thirkleby Easter Cake and Cuppa

Great Thirkleby Parish Hall, Mill Lane, Great Thirkleby YO72AT

"Come let us drink tea, eat cake, and talk about happy things." Craft stall & Raffle. Proceeds in aid of the Parish Hall. 2pm – 4.30pm. Donations.

Tue 26 Mar

Here is Love

Methodist church 73 High Street Northallerton DL7 8EG

Here is Love is an evening of inspirational music and readings presented by Northallerton Methodist church choir. 7pm. Free. Tickets: Not

required. E: jan.henderson1@icloud.com. T: 01609 780107

Tue 26 Mar

Here is Love

Northallerton Methodist Church, 73 High street, Northallerton, DL7 8EG

A setting of inspirational music and readings. No one has greater love than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. (John 15:13). 7.00pm.

T: 01609 776299

Tue 26 Mar

Case of the Missing Bunny

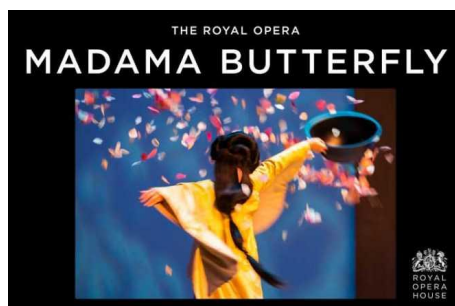
The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Join us at Mother Goose detective agency to go on a case like no other. This is an egg-tremely serious situation... it's no yolk... we must crack it... we shall crack it! 2.30 pm. £8, £6 concession. Tickets: Online.

Tue 26 Mar

ROH: Madama Butterfly (12A)

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP



Royal Opera House. With a score that includes Butterfly's aria, 'Un bel di, vedremo' ('One fine day') and the Humming Chorus, Giacomo Puccini's opera is entrancing and ultimately heart-breaking. 7.15pm. £20. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230. forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Wed 27 Mar

Romanby Jazz&Swing Cabaret Club

Romanby Golf & Country Club Yafforth Rd, Romanby DI7 OPE

Eugene Farrar Band. Including buffet lunch at 1.30pm. 12noon for 12.30 start Finish at 3pm. £15 Lunch is included. E: stephenwest277@gmail.com.

T: 07856 432673

Wed 27 Mar

Thirsk Probosc Club for Ladies

Rural Arts, The Old Courthouse, Westgate, Thirsk

Annual General Meeting. 10.15am. £2 Monthly Meeting fee to be collected at each Meeting.

Wed 27 Mar

Spring Fair

Scampston Hall & Walled Garden, Malton YO17 8NG

Spring Fair in Conservatory. E: info@scampston.co.uk.

T: 01944 759111

Wed 27 Mar

Cyanotype

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Cyanotype is a form of art whereby the image created can only be achieved once. This allows for a truly unique piece to be created each time. 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. £18. Tickets: Online. E: admin@ruralarts.org. T: 01845 526536. www.ruralarts.org

Fri 22 Mar to Thu 28 Mar

Bob Marley: One Love (12A)

Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Biographical Musical Drama that celebrates the life and music of Jamaican singer-songwriter Bob Marley. The story of an icon who overcomes adversity to become the most famous reggae musician in the world. Sunday evening will be shown with English subtitles. 7.30pm, also Wed 2.30pm. £6 plus £1 booking fee if online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

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Wed 27 Mar to Thu 28 Mar

Base Camp

Baldersby Park, Park Rd, Thirsk YO7 3BZ

Wed: 8-14 year olds - Archery & Campfire cooking
Thu: 5-11 year olds - Forest School & Nature Detectives. 10am-3pm. £30 per day including drinks & homemade snacks. Tickets: Book online. basecamplearning.co.uk/holiday-adventures

Thu 28 Mar

Thirkleby Local History Society

Thirkleby Parish Hall, Great Thirkleby YO7 2AT

Talk by Glennis Whyte- "The Treasurer's House and the Rise of the Green family". 2pm. £3 visitors welcome. Tickets: On the door or



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telephone.
T: 01845 501365

Thu 28 Mar

Thirsk Ladies Club

*Thirsk & Sowerby Town Hall Annexe,
Westgate, Thirsk., YO7 1QR*

"The Nightingale Shore Murder" by Rosemary Cook. The fascinating story of the unsolved murder on a train, of Florence Nightingale's god-daughter in 1920. As the jury, guess who the murderer might be. 7.30pm. Free for members, visitors £3.

T: 01845 522819

Fri 29 Mar

Hansel & Gretel

Workshop-Performance

Baldersby Park, Park Rd, Thirsk YO7 3BZ

This SEND inclusive performance and workshop will be set in Base Camp's woods, the perfect setting for Hansel and Gretel to tell their story. We will enjoy crafting and exploring before heading to our woodland stage for a bespoke performance of The Grimm Brothers' famous tale. 9.30am-12pm. £15 including drinks & healthy snacks. Tickets: Book online.

basecamplearning.co.uk/holiday-adventures

Fri 29 Mar

Walk of Witness

St Mary's Church, Kirkgate, Thirsk YO7 1PR

GOOD FRIDAY WALK OF WITNESS

Start at St Mary's Church, along Kirkgate, anticlockwise around Thirsk Market Place, ending up at Thirsk Clock Tower. Afterwards at St James Green Methodist Church for refreshments. Supported by Thirsk Royal British Legion Band. Gather at 9.30am.

Fri 29 Mar

Experimental Print

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Produce printing plates and different inking effects to explore pattern, texture and mark making. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. £50. Tickets: Online.

Fri 29 Mar

Fleeting Rumours

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP

The North's premier tribute band to Fleetwood Mac. Getting that special blend of vocals, guitars, keyboards and drums to an exceptional level of authenticity. 7.30pm. £22. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Fri 29 Mar

Joel is Elton

Thirsk & Sowerby Institute

Elton John tribute. Members £4, non-members £6.

Sat 30 Mar

Easter Party ages 4-11

Family Life Church, Finkle St, Thirsk YO7 1DA

Fun, Crafts & Games. Phone, email or use Facebook /flcthirk or @flcthirk for more information. 3.00-5.00pm. E: admin@flcthirk.co.uk. T: 01845 868188.

flcthirk.co.uk

Sat 30 Mar

Spring Makers Market

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Join us for our Spring Makers Market at The Courthouse. Pick up some gorgeous gifts or treat yourself to something special at this springtime showcase of contemporary art and craft from local artists and makers. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Free Entry.

Sun 31 Mar

Easter Party

Thirsk & Sowerby Institute, The Flatts, Sowerby, Thirsk YO7 1LY

Baking competition, Bonnet competition, Inflateables, Easter Egg Hunt. Members' children/grandchildren under the age of 13 will receive an Easter Egg (complete form on noticeboard). 12pm-5pm. Free for everyone to attend.

Fri 29 Mar to Mon 1 Apr

Historic Experiences guided Easter Walks

Clock Tower, Market Square, Thirsk YO7 1EY

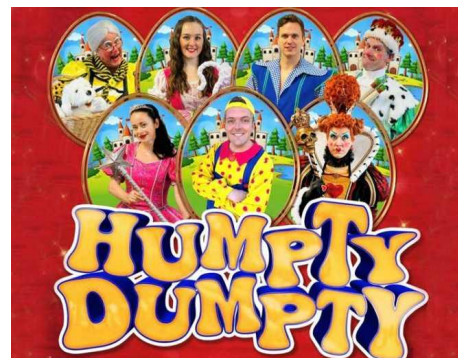
Historic Experiences are bringing to life the history and hauntings of Thirsk this

Easter with their guided tours/street theatre being offered with something for everyone. History tours and Haunted tours last 75 minutes and are great fun for everyone. Hope to see you there! Adults £8 Children/OAPS/Benefits £6 Family (2 x adults and 2 x children) £24. Tickets: Please contact Tina directly. E: tina@historicexperiences.com. T: 07876 010835

Sat 30 Mar to Mon 1 Apr

Humpty Dumpty Easter Pantomime

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP



Once upon a time in Storybrooke all was going well until the evil Queen of Hearts caused misery and corrupted all the nursery rhymes in the land. Will Bo Peep manage to find her sheep and marry Boy Blue? Will Mother Hubbard finally get to move out of the shoe? Will the Queen of Hearts be banished from the village? Will Humpty Dumpty get put back together again? All shall be revealed in this brand new cracking family pantomime. Sat 1pm & 4pm, Sun 2pm, Mon 1pm & 4pm. £11, family of four £41. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Mon 1 Apr

Afternoon Tea in the Hall

Scampston Hall & Walled Garden, Malton YO17 8NG

A very special occasion. E: info@scampston.co.uk. T: 01944 759111. <http://>

Wed 27 Mar to Tue 2 Apr

Easter Retreat

Holy Rood House, Centre for Health & Pastoral Care, 10 Sowerby Rd. Thirsk. YO7 1HX

Place & People bringing Presence & Peace. Travel with our Community



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through this special week, including reflections with poetry & prayers from our Patron, Prof. Nicola & philosopher & priest Steven Shakespeare. With liturgy, discussion, music, creativity, trips out & good food. Wed. 4pm to Tues. 11am. Tickets: 01845522580. E: enquiries@holyroodhouse.org.uk. T: 01845 522580.
www.holyroodhouse.org.uk

Tue 2 Apr

Bedale Archaeology & History Society

Bedale Hall and Zoom

A Yorkshire Year: 365 days of folklore, customs and traditions - an illustrated talk by local historian and author Catherine Warr. 7.30 pm. non-members £3 (full-time education free), or £12 for this talk and membership for the whole of 2024. Tickets: pay on the door or email for details and the Zoom link.
E: bahsoc@outlook.com

Tue 2 Apr

Thirsk Ladies Cycle Group

Outside the Thirsk and Sowerby Leisure Centre YO7 1LU



An invitation to join us on the first Tuesday of each month, cycling on the lanes around Thirsk and surrounding villages with a social coffee stop. 10am. Free, just bring money for coffee stop.
E: glenbank.2@gmail.com. T: 07531 093357 / 01845 522942.
www.cyclinguk.org/group/thirsk-ladies

Wed 3 Apr

Drawing Urban Rooftops

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Lose yourself in the beautiful architecture of urban rooftops in recognisable cities such as Oxford, London and Paris. 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. £18. Tickets: Online.

Fri 29 Mar to Thu 4 Apr

Wicked Little Letters (15)

Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

A 1920s English seaside town bears witness to a dark and absurd scandal in

this riotous mystery comedy. Based on a stranger than fiction true story, the film follows two neighbours: deeply conservative local Edith Swan and rowdy Irish migrant Rose Gooding. Sunday evening will be shown with English subtitles. 7.30pm, also Wed 2.30pm. £6 plus £1 booking fee if online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

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Fri 5 Apr

Colourways inspired by Albers

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

From Joseph Albers' teachings, learn to create a range of interesting, and often surprising, colour effects. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. £45. Tickets: Online.

Sat 6 Apr

The Cherry Stones

Sessay Village Hall

Retro harmony duo singing all your favourite songs from the 50s, 60s & 70s, mainly Motown. 7.30pm bar opens 7pm. Pre-booked tickets £10 (including nibbles) or £12 on the door. Tickets: Pre-book with Heather Dale or Lisa Cornell. E: hsdale@outlook.com.
T: 0746754930207894750155

Sat 6 Apr

Repair your stuff

Thirsk Library, Meadowfields, Chapel St YO7 1TH



Be greener by avoiding waste and save money by letting a team of dedicated and talented volunteers try to repair your broken or "worn-out" items; cost is a voluntary donation. For further details or if you would like to volunteer, please email. 10am-1pm, last entries by 12.30pm. Free, donations welcome.
E: thirskrepaircafe@gmail.com

Sat 6 Apr

Thirsk Community Library Quiz

Thirsk Library, Meadowfields, Chapel St YO7 1TH

Thirsk Community Library Quiz. 7.30pm. £5 per person. Tickets: Payment on door.

Sat 23 Mar to Sun 7 Apr

Easter at Castle Howard

Castle Howard Estate, York, YO60 7DA

Enjoy a fantastic day out during the Easter holidays at Castle Howard. Take part in the Easter Animal Trail for children, and embark on an animal adventure around the Gardens. Step into the magnificent House which reopens on 29th March, and indulge in Easter treats in our cafes and shops. Tickets: Online. E: house@castlehoward.co.uk. T: 01653 648333.

www.castlehoward.co.uk/whats-on/easter-at-castle-howard-2

Sun 7 Apr

Thirsk Farmers' Market

Market Place, Thirsk YO7 1EY



Around 20 artisan food and drink producers bring the fruits of their labour to the centre of this historic market town. 9am-2pm. E: info@northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com.
www.northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com

Sun 7 Apr

Sunday Jazz

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton DL6 1LP



Come along and enjoy the fabulous sounds of the Big Band Era performed, in an open session, by Alan Owens and The Forum Big Band. The bar is open. Noon until 2pm. £4. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.



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Tue 9 Apr

FREE Spring ribbon wreath workshop

East Thirsk Learning and Resource Centre
YO7 1SL

A relaxed 2 hour session where you will make a Spring wreath by measuring out lengths of pretty ribbon. All the materials are provided and you will take home a wreath that will last for years.

10am. FREE. Tickets:

helen.jefferies@northyorks.gov.uk.

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Tue 9 Apr

Northallerton Local History Soc

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Hall, Thirsk Rd, Northallerton

'All Human Life: extracts from the Quarter Session records'. Dan Sudron, NYCRO. 7pm. Non-members welcome £3. E: heritage1138@outlook.com. T: 07566 770625.

northyorkshistory.co.uk

Tue 9 Apr

ROH: MacMillan Celebrated (12A)

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton
DL6 1LP



Royal Opera House / The Royal Ballet. Danes Concertantes, commissioned by Ninette de Valois in 1955, was MacMillan's first major work. An early sign of the incredible artistic output that would follow, the work's critical success spurred MacMillan to abandon performing in favour of choreography. It is followed by Different Drummer, MacMillan's complex and haunting balletic interpretation of Woyzeck, Georg Büchner's play about a soldier's descent into madness. 7.15pm. £16, Child £10, Senior £13. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

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Tue 9 Apr

The National Gallery

The Golden Lion Hotel, High Street, Northallerton, DL7 8PP

The Arts Society Hambleton - the World's Greatest Paintings; 200 years of the National Gallery. Simon Whitehouse explores the founding of the Gallery and its evolution since. 1.45pm. Free to members, Visitors £10. Tickets: on the door.

theartssociety.org/hambleton

Tue 9 Apr

Thirsk Races

Thirsk Race Course

Season Opener. Accompanied u18's come free and do not require a ticket or badge. Gates open 11am. Tickets: From £15 (adult), under 18s free. E: info@thirskracecourse.net.

thirskracecourse.net

Wed 10 Apr

Organic Ceramic Forms

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

You will explore a variety of ceramic techniques including creating pinch pots and joining using slip. Glazing and finishing techniques will also be explored to finish off your piece. 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. £18. Tickets: Online.

Wed 10 Apr

Despite Everything (14+)

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton
DL6 1LP

'Price Still Includes Biscuits'. With original songs, topical stories and Jewish humour, Naomi Paul performs a comedy-cabaret with theatre, storytelling and audience engagement at its centre. Using her Jewish background she takes the audience on a surreal journey: from Birmingham to the Balkans via lingerie shops and libraries. She has been praised for her comic timing and clever storylines. Sometimes poignant, always funny and ultimately uplifting, this show explores everything from the personal to the political. And of course, it also includes a 'biscuit' break! 7.30pm. £12.50, Child £8. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Fri 5 Apr to Thu 11 Apr

Dune: Part Two (12A)

Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Follow the mythic journey of Paul Atreides as he unites with Chani and the Fremen while on a warpath of revenge against the conspirators who destroyed his family. Facing a choice between the love of his life and the fate of the known universe, Paul endeavors to prevent a terrible future only he can foresee. Sunday evening will be shown with English subtitles. 7.30pm, also Wed 2.30pm. £6 plus £1 booking fee if online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

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Tue 2 Apr to Sat 13 Apr

Exhibition: The Arts Collective

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Come and enjoy an excellent selection of artwork by our Open Studio scheme participants who produce prints and ceramics. The artwork is made by The Arts Collective. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Free Entry.

Fri 22 Mar to Sun 14 Apr

Buckets of Fun Easter

Kiplin Hall DL10 6AT

Discover buckets of fun activities hiding in the grounds of Kiplin this spring. Play games, explore trails, learn, and laugh as a family in the fresh air. Kiplin's buckets of fun will be placed in the grounds and gardens for you to find. After using the resources in the buckets please put them back for another family to find. 10am-5pm, closed Thursdays. No extra charge - standard admission. Tickets: On the gate or online. E: info@kiplinhall.co.uk. T: 01748 818178.

kiplinhall.co.uk

Fri 12 Apr to Sun 14 Apr

Wicked Little Letters (15)

The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton
DL6 1LP

A 1920s English seaside town bears witness to a dark and absurd scandal in this riotous mystery comedy. Based on a stranger than fiction true story, the film follows two neighbours: deeply conservative local Edith Swan and rowdy Irish migrant Rose Gooding. Fri 2.30pm, Sat & Sun 7.30pm. £6, Child/Senior/Student £5. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

forumnorthallerton.org.uk

Sun 14 Apr

**Northallerton Farmers' Market
DL7 8EF**

Applegarth Car Park

From jams to gin, sourdough to scones, and cupcakes to Korean pickles - we've got it all. 9am-2pm. E:

info@northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com.

www.northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com

Sun 14 Apr

21st Century ABBA

**Joseph Rowntree Theatre, Haxby Rd. York
YO31 8TA**

Grab your sequins, flares and platform boots and get ready to be taken back in time with 21st Century ABBA. 7.30pm. £24, Concessions £22. Tickets: Book online. E: boxoffice@jrtheatre.co.uk. T: 01904 501935.

www.josephrowntreetheatre.co.uk

Sun 14 Apr

Classic Car Sunday

Thorp Perrow Arboretum, Bedale DL8 2PS

Bring your classic vehicle to the stunning parkland of Thorp Perrow for easy Sunday morning car chat. The ticket price includes a hot or cold drink, and a bacon or sausage bap (or a piece of cake for a sweet treat). Keep your ticket handy so that you can show it to our staff in the Tea Room. 10am-noon. Classic Car Sunday £10. Tickets: Book online.

www.thorpperrow.com

Wed 17 Apr

NT Live: Vanya

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Andrew Scott (Fleabag, Sherlock) brings to life multiple characters in Simon Stephen's (The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time) radical new version of Anton Chekhov's Uncle Vanya. 7:30 pm. £10, £8 concession. Tickets: Online.

Wed 17 Apr

Pet Sketch, Drawing Animals

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

A Taste of Art. With all materials included and each workshop suitable for beginners, our Wednesday morning Taste Of... sessions give the perfect introduction to a range of artistic styles and techniques. Develop your

observational skills of our furry friends! 10.30am-12.30pm. £20. Tickets: Online. E: admin@ruralarts.org. T: 01845 526536.

www.ruralarts.org

Fri 12 Apr to Thu 18 Apr

Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire

Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Returning to where it all started – the iconic New York City firehouse – to team up with the original Ghostbusters, who've developed a top-secret research lab. But when the discovery of an ancient artifact unleashes an evil force, Ghostbusters new and old must join forces to protect their home and save the world. Sunday evening will be shown with English subtitles. 7.30pm, also Wed 2.30pm. £6 plus £1 booking fee if online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

www.ritzcinema.co.uk

Fri 12 Apr to Thu 18 Apr

Bob Marley: One Love (12A)

**The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton
DL6 1LP**

ONLY THU FRI SAT. Jamaican singer-songwriter Bob Marley overcomes adversity to become the most famous reggae musician in the world. Celebrating the life and music of an icon who inspired generations through his message of love and unity. Fri 7.30pm, Sat 3.30pm, Thu 7.30pm. £6, Child/Senior/Student £5. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

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Fri 19 Apr

**Broadacres Thirsk and
Sowerby Community Action
Day**

East Thirsk Community hall

Focus on: Improving the environment, Discussion of Housing/ Neighbourhood issues, Police presence, Reducing Anti-Social Behaviour, Council related issues. 10am - 2pm. Free.

Fri 19 Apr

Colour Reduction Linoprinting

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

Learn how to create beautifully coloured lino prints during this specialist printmaking workshop. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. £50. Tickets: Online.

Sat 20 Apr

Club Origami

The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS

An immersive and interactive dance show inviting family audiences to create, imagine and explore whole new ways of thinking, playing, and moving. 2:30 pm. £8, £6 concession. Tickets: Online.

Sat 20 Apr

**Phil Ellis's Excellent Comedy
Show**

**The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton
DL6 1LP**

(14+) Do you like comedy? Do you like shows? What are your thoughts on excellence? If you like all three, then Edinburgh Award-nominated Phil Ellis's Excellent Comedy Show is the excellent comedy show for you. 7.30pm. £15. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

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Sat 20 Apr

Thirsk Races

Thirsk Race Course

Vickers.Bet racing. Accompanied u18's come free and do not require a ticket or badge. From £15 (adult), under 18s free. E: info@thirskracecourse.net. thirskracecourse.net

Sun 21 Apr

Thirsk Artisan Market

Market Place, Thirsk YO7 1EY

Locally-produced arts & crafts, food & drink. A diverse, quality, shopping experience that celebrates independent producers and makers. 9am-2pm.

Sun 21 Apr

An American in Paris (PG)

**The Forum, Bullamoor Rd, Northallerton
DL6 1LP**

This breathtakingly beautiful Tony Award-winning Broadway musical inspired by the Oscar winning MGM film, tells the impassioned story of discovering love in the 'City of Light'. 7.30pm. £16, Child £10, Senior £13. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk. T: 01609 776230.

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