

Friday 26th December 2025

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The Thirsk 10 returns in 2026 with its fast, flat, course on partially closed roads, welcoming both runners and wheelchair athletes.

The event supports Herriot Hospice Homecare and Community Works, with charity places available. Generous prizes are offered across overall and age categories. Entry includes a T-shirt.

A 75-minute cut-off at 5 miles will apply. Registration and the finish are at Thirsk Racecourse, with a 9am children's Fun Run beforehand. There are only 1100 runner and wheelchair athlete places. This event sells out every year. Don't be disappointed and secure your place today at

[tasharriers.club/thirsk10](http://tasharriers.club/thirsk10)

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## What's on in the coming weeks

Send your event - go to [VisitThirsk.uk/event](http://VisitThirsk.uk/event)

### Fri 26 Dec

#### Free entry

*Thorp Perrow Arboretum, Bedale DL8 2PS*



On Boxing Day we're offering admission to the arboretum free of charge so you can take time to reset and enjoy nature after the rush of the big day. From Sat 27 Dec to Sun 15 Feb, admission is at half price but you must use code 'halfprice' at checkout for the offer to apply. 10am-5pm. E: [enquiries@thorpperrow.com](mailto:enquiries@thorpperrow.com). [thorpperrow.com](http://thorpperrow.com)

### Fri 26 Dec

#### Boxing Day Pilgrimage

*Start at Ripon Cathedral, Minster Road, Ripon HG4 1QS*

Annual St Stephen's Day celebration 4 mile walk from the Cathedral to Fountains Abbey, followed by a short service in the Abbey cellarium. The pilgrimage follows in the footsteps of the monks that founded Fountains Abbey. Start 10.15am, ends about 12.45pm. Entry to Fountains Abbey is free to non NT members until 12pm on Boxing Day when the service starts.

### Sat 27 Dec

#### Thirsk Christmas Walking Tour

*Meet by the information centre, Thirsk Market Place YO7 1EY*

This festive journey through Thirsk's history explores Christmas in poorhouses, alleys, and markets, crimes of the 16th century, and why carol singers were expelled from churches. Discover the Hermit's dwelling, Nelson's surgical link, a mysterious 7ft skeleton, and the canal that never was - revealing secrets beneath Thirsk's past. Please wear sensible shoes. 11am, finish about 12.30pm. No fixed price but donations gratefully received. Tickets: No need to book. E: [ThirskWalkingTours@gmail.com](mailto:ThirskWalkingTours@gmail.com). T: 07988 758288

### Sat 27 Dec until Mon 29 Dec

#### The Choral (12A)

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

Starring: Ralph Fiennes, Roger Allam, Robert Emms, Mark Addy, Simon Russell Beale, Alun Armstrong in Yorkshire, 1916. A choral society's male members enlist in World War I, leaving the demanding Dr. Guthrie to recruit teenagers. Together, they experience the joy of singing while the young boys grapple with their impending conscription into the army. Sat 2.30pm, Sun 7.30pm, Mon 2.30pm. £6, Child/Senior/Student £5. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.

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### Sun 28 Dec until Mon 29 Dec

#### Mince Pie Steam Specials

*Wensleydale Railway, Leeming Bar Station, Leases Road, Leeming Bar DL7 9AR*



For two-days only, travel back in time by steam locomotive and blow those post-Christmas cobwebs away. Enjoy a festive journey between Leeming Bar,



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Bedale and Leyburn and a complimentary mince pie and hot drink served on board Black Five steam locomotive No. 45407. You can also depart from Leeming Bar, Bedale or Leyburn stations, 10am, 12.20pm & 2.40pm. £25, Child (3-15) £5. Tickets: Booking essential. E: [admin@wensleydalerrailway.com](mailto:admin@wensleydalerrailway.com). T: 01677 425805.  
**wensleydalerrailway.com**

### Sat 27 Dec until Tue 30 Dec **Blue Moon (15)**

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

ONLY MON TUE SAT. On the evening of March 31, 1943, legendary lyricist Lorenz Hart confronts his shattered self-confidence in Sardi's bar as his former collaborator Richard Rodgers celebrates the opening night of his ground-breaking hit musical "Oklahoma!". Sat 7.30pm, Mon 7.30pm, Tue 2.30pm. £6, Child/Senior/Student £5. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.  
**forumnorthallerton.org.uk**

### Sat 27 Dec until Tue 30 Dec **Nuremberg**

*Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS*

In postwar Germany, an American psychiatrist must determine whether Nazi prisoners are fit to go on trial for war crimes, and finds himself in a complex battle of intellect and ethics with Hermann Göring, Hitler's right-hand man. Subtitled on Sunday. 7.30pm. £6 on door, £7 online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.  
**ritzcinema.co.uk**

### Now until Wed 31 Dec **Goldilocks and the Three Bears**

*Darlington Hippodrome, Parkgate DL1 1RR*



Strictly Come Dancing star Brendan Cole leads as the Evil Ringmaster, joined by Darlington panto regulars Josh Benson and Jamie Jones as Joey the

Clown and Dame Betty Barnum. For four weeks only Darlington Hippodrome will be transformed into a sensational circus, where everything is possible, and anything could (and will) happen. 10.30am, 2pm, 5.30pm & 7pm: check website for dates. Family (3-6) £26. Tickets: Book online, no show 25 Dec. E: [hippodrome.boxoffice@darlington.gov.uk](mailto:hippodrome.boxoffice@darlington.gov.uk). T: 01325 405405.  
**darlingtonhippodrome.co.uk**

### Wed 31 Dec **Ripon New Year's Eve**

*Ripon Market Square*

Live music and the ringing in of the new year with fireworks at midnight. Watchnight Service and Torchlight Procession – From Ripon Cathedral to the Market Square starting at 11am. From 9pm.

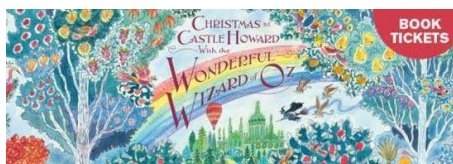
### Wed 31 Dec **Thai Supper Evening**

*Coxwold Tearoom*

New Years Eve special to include a bottle of Prosecco. Booking Essential. 7.00pm for 7.30pm. £39.95 per couple. E: [coxwoldtearoom@gmail.com](mailto:coxwoldtearoom@gmail.com).  
**www.coxwoldtearoom.co.uk**

### Now until Sun 4 Jan **The Wonderful Wizard of Oz**

*Castle Howard, near Malton, York YO60 7DA*



Follow in Dorothy's footsteps. The House is transformed into the magical world of Oz. Experience our festive take on this much-loved story, told through installations, soundscapes and projections. From £23+booking fee, including access to the Gardens. Tickets: Book online.  
**castlehoward.co.uk**

### Now until Sun 4 Jan **Yarnbombers display**

*Thirsk Market Place*

Christmas-themed knitting and crotcheting around the town.

### Now until Sun 4 Jan **Sleeping Beauty Family Pantomime**

*York Theatre Royal, St. Leonard's Place, York YO1 7HD*

The magical Sleeping Beauty is brought to life by Evolution Productions. Starring Jennie Dale as Fairy Moonbeam, Robin Simpson, Jocasta Almgill, Tommy Carmichael, Aoife Kenny, and Christian Mortimer, this festive family show promises adventure, laughs, and dazzling effects. A sparkling seasonal treat you won't want to miss! Tickets: Book online.  
**yorktheatreroyal.co.uk/show/sleeping-beauty**

### Fri 2 Jan until Sun 4 Jan **Wicked for Good**

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



As an angry mob rises against the Wicked Witch, Glinda and Elphaba will need to come together one final time. With their singular friendship now the fulcrum of their futures, they will need to truly see each other, with honesty and empathy, if they are to change themselves, and all of Oz, for good. Fri 2.30pm, Sat 11.30am, Sun 7.30pm. £6, Child/Senior/Student £5. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.  
**forumnorthallerton.org.uk**

### Fri 2 Jan until Sun 4 Jan **Community New Year Retreat**

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

Led by Revds. Sue Hammersley, Sybille Batten & the Holy Rood community for good times, good food, poetry, music, creative arts & rest, linking to our theme of the year -'Let Justice Flow.'. Friday 4pm to Sunday 2pm.  
**T: 01845 522580**



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**Sun 4 Jan**

**Thirsk Farmers' Market**

*Market Place, Thirsk YO7 1EY*



Unlike some other markets all stallholders are local independent businesses who grow, rear or produce the food or drink on their stall. They're passionate about what they do and it shows. 9am-2pm. E: [info@northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com](mailto:info@northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com). [northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com](http://northerndalesfarmersmarkets.com)

**Tue 6 Jan**

**Romanby Jazz and Cabaret Club**

*Romanby Golf & Country Club, Yafforth Rd. Romanby. DL7 0PE*

Jump, Jive 'n Wail with lashings of style bags of energy, breathing new life into classics from the 30's to the 60's. Swing, Jive, Rock'n'roll and soul. Buffet lunch inc. Doors open at 12pm. 12.30 to 3pm. £20. Tickets: online or by phone. E: [stephenwest277@gmail.com](mailto:stephenwest277@gmail.com). T: 07856 432673.

[www.romanby.com/jazz](http://www.romanby.com/jazz)

**Fri 2 Jan until Thu 8 Jan**

**Ella McCay (12A)**

*Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS*

Starring Emma MacKey and Jamie Lee Curtis. An idealistic young politician juggles familial issues and a challenging work life while preparing to take over the job of her mentor, the state's longtime incumbent governor. 7.30pm, also 2.30pm Wed. £6 on door, £7 online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

[ritzcinema.co.uk](http://ritzcinema.co.uk)

**Thu 8 Jan**

**Jim Smith: Prime Cuts**

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

One of Scotland's most beloved farming comedians, bringing his unique blend of rural humour and sharp storytelling to audiences across the country. Hailing from Perthshire, Jim is not only a stand-up comedian but also a working farmer, making his comedy deeply relatable to those who know the joys and struggles of agricultural life. 7.30pm.

£24. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E:

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**Fri 9 Jan**

**Bitter Sweet: Sabrina & Olivia**

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

The incredible tribute concert to pop mega-stars Sabrina Carpenter and Olivia Rodrigo. Carpenters and Livvies alike will rejoice in a spectacular show packed with pop smash-hits, heartbreak anthems, and the undeniable thrill of friendly rivalry. 7.30pm. £23. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E:

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**Sat 10 Jan**

**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 repair 12.30pm. Free, donations welcome.

E: [thirskrepaircafe@gmail.com](mailto:thirskrepaircafe@gmail.com)

**Sun 11 Jan**

**Chethams music school students**

*Holy Trinity Church, Kirkby Rd, Ripon HG4 2EY*

This famous school has launched so many talented musicians on their careers. Many have become household names in concert halls around the world. 3pm. £21.56 & £10.78, Students/18 and under free, Adult accompanying under 18 free. Tickets: Book online.

[riponconcerts.co.uk](http://riponconcerts.co.uk)

**Fri 9 Jan until Mon 12 Jan**

**Zootropolis 2 (PG)**

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

NOT SUN. Detectives Judy Hopps (voiced by Ginnifer Goodwin) and Nick Wilde (voiced by Jason Bateman) find themselves on the twisting trail of a mysterious reptile who arrives in Zootropolis and turns the mammal metropolis upside down. Fri 10.30pm, Sat 2.30pm, Mon 2.30pm. £6, Child/Senior/Student £5. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.

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**Mon 12 Jan**

**Rock Choir**

*Thirsk Methodist Church, St James Green, Thirsk, YO7 1AQ*

Monday evenings we sing contemporary songs from the 50's to today. No auditions and all abilities. Great experiences from recording at Abbey Road, Edinburgh Fringe, stadium areas and our own gigs. Look up our website and click on 'join' or 'taster session'. 7.00pm till 8.30pm. Monthly payment - see website. Tickets: Book online.

[rockchoir.com/join](http://rockchoir.com/join)

**Tue 13 Jan**

**John Gully: Fighter & Miner**

*Sacred Heart Church, Thirsk Rd, Northallerton DL6 1PJ*

Northallerton & District Local History Society. 'John Gully: Prize Fighter & Mining Developer'. Talk by Anthony Wood. 7pm. Non members £5, full-time students free. E: [heritage1138@outlook.com](mailto:heritage1138@outlook.com).

T: 07566 770625

**Wed 14 Jan**

**Royal Opera: La Traviata (12A)**

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

At one of her lavish parties, celebrated Parisian courtesan Violetta is introduced to Alfredo Germont. The two fall madly in love, and though hesitant to leave behind her life of luxury and freedom, Violetta follows her heart. 8.45pm. £16, Child £10, Senior/Student £13. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E:

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**Fri 9 Jan until Thu 15 Jan**

**Fackham Hall (15)**

**Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

A new porter embarks on an unlikely relationship with the youngest daughter of a prominent English family. Simultaneously, rivalries are spilling over in the Davenport family, led by the Lord and Lady as they also weather the epic failure of the wedding of their eldest daughter to her caddish cousin. 7.30pm. £6 on door, £7 online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751. [ritzcinema.co.uk](http://ritzcinema.co.uk)

**Fri 16 Jan until Thu 22 Jan**

**Marty Supreme (15)**

**Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

Starring Timothee Chalamet, Gwyneth Paltrow, Odessa A'zion. In 1950s New York, Marty Mauser, a young man with a dream no one respects, goes to hell and back in pursuit of greatness. 7.30pm, also 2.30pm Wed. £6 on door, £7 online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

[ritzcinema.co.uk](http://ritzcinema.co.uk)

**Fri 23 Jan**

**Romanby jazz and cabaret club**

**Romanby Golf & Country Club, Yafforth Rd. Romanby. DL7 0PE**

The Firebirds bring the spirit of the 50's roaring in with fabulous harmonies, showmanship and pure vintage power. recognised as one of Europe's top Rock 'n' roll bands covering rockabilly, doo wop instrumentals and ballads. Doors open 6.45pm. 7pm to 10.30pm. £25. Tickets: online or by phone. E: [stephenwest277@gmail.com](mailto:stephenwest277@gmail.com). T: 07856 432673.

[www.romanby.com/jazz](http://www.romanby.com/jazz)

**Fri 23 Jan**

**Justin Moorhouse**

**Helmsley Arts Centre, Meeting House Ct, Helmsley, YO62 5DW**

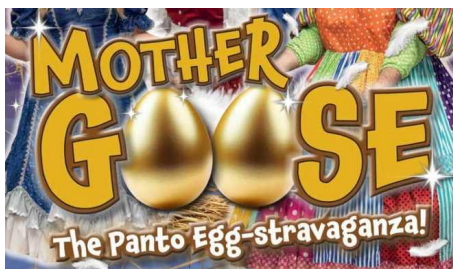
'The Greatest Performance of my Life 2026' Get ready for an unforgettable experience as Justin returns after a successful & extended tour of his 2022 'Stretch & Think' He's back on the road with his new show. Above all it's the Justin you have come to expect. It's funny and interesting and perhaps there's a little bit that warms the soul too. 8pm. £17.50. T: 01439 771700.

[helmsleyarts.co.uk/whats-on](http://helmsleyarts.co.uk/whats-on)

**Sun 18 Jan until Sat 24 Jan**

**Mother Goose Pantomime NAVC**

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



NOT WED. Northallerton Amateur Variety Company presents Mother Goose written by an expert panto script writer Alan Frayn. We have Priscilla the Goose who the children will love and our wonderful dame Mother Goose who with her son, Billy Gosling, will no doubt be getting into all sorts of trouble. Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri, Sat 7.15pm. Also Sun & Sat 2.15pm. £14, Child £12.

Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.

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**Fri 23 Jan until Sat 24 Jan**

**Star Wars**

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

'May the Force be with You'. The Dark Web threatens Galactic freedom – but what's the password? In a period of deep unrest, rebel forces are fighting for survival. Led by Garth Vader, the Empire has created a sinister network called The Dark Web, through which Vader could travel back in time and crush the rebellion. All proceeds go to Yorkshire Air Ambulance and Candlelighters. Fri 7.30pm, Sat 2.00pm & 7.30pm. £15, 18 & under £10.

Tickets: Book online. E: [boxoffice@jrtheatre.co.uk](mailto:boxoffice@jrtheatre.co.uk). T: 01904 501935.

[josephrowntreetheatre.co.uk](http://josephrowntreetheatre.co.uk)

**Sat 24 Jan**

**Mixed Media Journalling**

**Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

Join Dove Armistead for a 2.5 hour Mixed Media Journalling workshop this January. Explore textures, colours, and ideas. Materials and a hot drink included. 13:00 - 15:30. £25.00. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536.

[www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/workshops/a-taste-of-mixed-media-journaling/](http://www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/workshops/a-taste-of-mixed-media-journaling/)

**Fri 23 Jan until Sun 25 Jan**

**Music & Mindfulness**

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

Led by Rev Mike Leigh and Shaun Lambert. Fri. 4pm - Sun. 2pm. E: [enquiries@holyroodhouse.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@holyroodhouse.org.uk). T: 01845 522580

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[www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/workshops/a-taste-of-mixed-media-journaling/](http://www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/workshops/a-taste-of-mixed-media-journaling/)

**Fri 23 Jan until Thu 29 Jan**

**Song Sung Blue (TBC)**

**Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

Starring Hugh Jackman, Kate Hudson. Based on a true story, two down-on-their-luck musicians form a joyous Neil Diamond tribute band, proving it's never too late to find love and follow your dreams. 7.30pm. £6 on door, £7 online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751.

[ritzcinema.co.uk](http://ritzcinema.co.uk)

**Thu 29 Jan**

**National Theatre Live: Hamlet**

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

Olivier Award-winner Hiran Abeysekera (Life of Pi) is Hamlet in this fearless, contemporary take on Shakespeare's famous tragedy. Trapped between duty and doubt, surrounded by power and privilege, young Prince Hamlet dares to ask the ultimate question – you know the one. 7.00pm. £16, Child £10, Senior £13. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.

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### **St Cecilia Orchestra**

**Holy Trinity Church, Kirkby Rd, Ripon HG4 2EY**

'The Vienna Connection'. Take a journey to Vienna with a programme showcasing two of the greatest composers ever to live and work in the city, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and Richard Strauss. 7.30pm. £20, Under 18s free. Tickets: On the door or book online. E: [mail@st-cecilia.org.uk](mailto:mail@st-cecilia.org.uk). [st-cecilia.org.uk](http://st-cecilia.org.uk)

**Sun 1 Feb**

### **Thirsk Farmers' Market**

**Market Place, Thirsk YO7 1EY**



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**Fri 30 Jan until Thu 5 Feb**

### **Hamnet (12A)**

**Ritz Cinema, Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

Starring Jessie Buckley, Paul Mescal, Emily Watson, Joe Alwyn. The powerful story of love and loss that inspired the creation of Shakespeare's timeless masterpiece, Hamlet. 7.30pm, also 2.30pm Wed. £6 on door, £7 online. Tickets: Online or on door. T: 01845 524751. [ritzcinema.co.uk](http://ritzcinema.co.uk)

**Thu 5 Feb**

### **Buster Keaton's Sherlock Jr**

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



Silents Synced pairs classic silent movies with epic rock music to bring audiences a unique big screen experience. Buster Keaton's 1924

comedy classic is reimagined with R.E.M.'s alt-rock masterpieces Monster (1994) and New Adventures in Hi-Fi (1996). 7.00pm. £16, Child £10, Senior £13. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230. [forumnorthallerton.org.uk](http://forumnorthallerton.org.uk)

**Thu 5 Feb**

### **Music Monthlies: Edwina Hayes**

**Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

One of the finest female singer/songwriters this country has produced in years. Edwina brings together English folk, Americana and the rich Northern singer/songwriter tradition to create a sound that's truly her own. 7.30pm. £15.00. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536. [www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/at-the-courthouse/music-monthlies-edwina-hayes/](http://www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/at-the-courthouse/music-monthlies-edwina-hayes/)

**Fri 6 Feb**

### **The Counterfeit 70s Show**

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

The unique Seventies show from a decade of glam rock through to new wave music, and everything in between. Featuring the music of Slade, Sweet, T.Rex, The Bay City Rollers and many, many more, they will take you through a rollercoaster ride of the biggest 70's hits. 7.30pm. £25, Seniors £24. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230. [forumnorthallerton.org.uk](http://forumnorthallerton.org.uk)

**Fri 6 Feb**

### **After Supper Ghost Stories**

**Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

Join us for a Victorian-inspired evening of comic ghost stories by Jerome K. Jerome, paired with a ghostly supper: a charcuterie board for two and your choice of drink. Doors and supper served from 6pm, Stories from 7pm. £25 or £20 concession. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536. [www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/performances/after-supper-ghost-stories-by-jerome-k-jerome/](http://www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/performances/after-supper-ghost-stories-by-jerome-k-jerome/)

**Sat 7 Feb**

### **Thirsk Brick Show**

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



A small, one day LEGO show featuring exhibits, traders and activities for LEGO fans of all ages. 10am-4pm. £4, Child (5-15) £2. Tickets: On the door, cash or card. E: [events@brickalleylug.co.uk](mailto:events@brickalleylug.co.uk). [brickalleylug.co.uk/events/thirsk-brick-show](http://brickalleylug.co.uk/events/thirsk-brick-show)

**Sat 7 Feb**

### **Watercolour and Calligraphy**

**Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate, Thirsk YO7 1QS**

Explore watercolour and calligraphy in this two-hour workshop with artist Dove Armistead. Learn colour, composition, and lettering while creating personalised pieces. Includes all materials and a hot drink. Perfect for beginners. 1pm - 3:30pm. £25. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536. [www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/workshops/a-taste-of-art-watercolour-and-calligraphy/](http://www.ruralarts.org/whats-on/workshops/a-taste-of-art-watercolour-and-calligraphy/)

**Sat 7 Feb until Sun 8 Feb**

### **York Ice Trail**

**York City Centre**

Wander through the historic streets and discover dazzling ice sculptures inspired by magic, mystery, and the weird and wonderful. The same weekend sees the 'Ice Village' - a market filled with family-friendly fun and themed traders offering magical delights. Just around the corner, warm up with delicious street food at Shambles Food Court. [visityork.org/york-ice-trail](http://visityork.org/york-ice-trail)

**Sun 8 Feb**

### **The Experience of Love**

**Holy Trinity Church, Kirkby Rd, Ripon HG4 2EY**

Heartstrings - Songs on the Experience of Love. Counter tenor Hugh Cutting and lutenist Sergio Bucheli celebrate the ways that songwriters have coloured our experience of love in all its forms. 3pm. £21.56 & £10.78, Students/18 and under free, Adult accompanying under 18 free. Tickets: Book online. [riponconcerts.co.uk](http://riponconcerts.co.uk)



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**Tue 10 Feb**

**Castle as a Holiday Home**

*Sacred Heart Church, Thirsk Rd,  
Northallerton DL6 1PJ*

Northallerton & District Local History Society. 'The Castle as a Holiday Home: Sigston & Whorlton'. Talk by Erik Matthews. 7pm. Non members £5, full-time students free. E: [heritage1138@outlook.com](mailto:heritage1138@outlook.com).  
**T: 07566 770625**

**Wed 11 Feb**

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**Fri 13 Feb**

**Macrame Wall Hangings**

*Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate,  
Thirsk YO7 1QS*

Join artist Claire Ford for a three-hour workshop where you'll learn the art of macramé and create your own stunning wall hanging. 10:30am - 1:30pm. £35. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536.  
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**Fri 13 Feb**

**Romanby Jazz and Cabaret Club**

*Romanby Golf & Country Club, Yafforth Rd. Romanby. DL7 0PE*

The Swing Commanders are a vibrant and versatile group performing a mix of 1940's classics. boogie-woogie, western swing. 50's jump jazz and more. Hot supper included. Doors open 6.45pm. 7pm to 10.30 pm. £25. Tickets: online or by phone. E: [stephenwest277@gmail.com](mailto:stephenwest277@gmail.com). T: 07856 432673.  
[www.romanby.com/jazz](http://www.romanby.com/jazz)

**Tue 10 Feb until Sat 14 Feb**

**We Will Rock You**

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

Award winning Crash Bang Wallop Youth Theatre brings the worldwide smash hit musical, We Will Rock You by Queen and Ben Elton. 7.00pm, also Sat 1.30pm. £17, Senior/Child (0-14) £14. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.  
[forumnorthallerton.org.uk](http://forumnorthallerton.org.uk)

**Sat 14 Feb**

**Paint Your Partner**

*Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate,  
Thirsk YO7 1QS*

Celebrate this Valentines (or Galentines!) at Rural Arts with our new paint your partner experience. Enjoy a savoury platter for two and be guided by our in-house artist to create your masterpiece. 7pm - 9pm. £40pp. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536.  
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**Sat 14 Feb until Sun 15 Feb**

**Peppa Pig & Baby Evie**

*Darlington Hippodrome, Parkgate DL1 1RR*



Peppa Pig Live is back with a brand-new 'oinktastic' stage show: Peppa Pig's Big Family Show, which will feature the new addition to the family, baby Evie. Based on the much-loved animated preschool TV series, Peppa Pig's Big Family Show is packed full of music, adventure and surprises for little ones and is the perfect introduction to theatre. 10am, 1pm & 4pm each day. £13 to £22. Tickets: Book online. E: [hippodrome.boxoffice@darlington.gov.uk](mailto:hippodrome.boxoffice@darlington.gov.uk). T: 01325 405405.  
[darlingtonhippodrome.co.uk](http://darlingtonhippodrome.co.uk)

**Sun 15 Feb**

**Royal Ballet: Woolf Works (12A)**

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

Virginia Woolf defied literary conventions to depict rich inner worlds – her heightened, startling and poignant reality. Resident Choreographer Wayne McGregor leads a luminous artistic team to evoke Woolf's signature stream of consciousness writing style in this immense work that rejects traditional narrative structures. 2.00pm. £16, Child £10, Senior £13. Tickets: Book online, at The Forum or on the door. E: [info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk](mailto:info@forumnorthallerton.org.uk). T: 01609 776230.  
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**Sun 15 Feb**

**Thirsk Artisan Market**

*Market Place, Thirsk YO7 1EY*



An artisan market that wants to help serve local communities with the best artisan stalls, whilst giving traders the best opportunities to showcase and sell their handmade goods. 10am-3pm. E: [info@littlebirdmade.co.uk](mailto:info@littlebirdmade.co.uk).  
[littlebirdmade.com](http://littlebirdmade.com)

**Tue 17 Feb until Wed 18 Feb**

**Family Make and Create Drop-In**

*Rural Arts, The Courthouse, 4 Westgate,  
Thirsk YO7 1QS*

Join our free, family make and create drop-in sessions! Explore self-led creativity in our beautiful courtroom space, with materials provided. 10am - 2pm. Free drop-in. Please book in to help us manage numbers, all children must be accompanied. Tickets: Online. E: [admin@ruralarts.org](mailto:admin@ruralarts.org). T: 01845 526536.  
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