Knaresborough Festival of Entertainment and Visual Arts

8 - 17 August 2025



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# feva 8 to 17 August 2025

### Welcome

feva is a constituted community not-forprofit organisation run by a team of volunteers. Each year, we host a series of arts-based events around Knaresborough, including music and spoken word events, arts workshops and our much-loved arts exhibitions, as well as a wide variety of other events such as Picnic in the Park and Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival. This year, we have lots of fun for the whole family! We can't wait to see you there! Please visit our website www.feva.info and follow us on social media for up-to-date information and photos.









Gwen Lloyd feva Chairperson

### **BOOKINGS** www.feva.info

Many of our events are available for advance booking. Pre-booking is strongly advised and for some events is essential. Tickets are available online via www.feva.info.

This will take you to TicketSource where you will be able to select your tickets and pay by debit or credit card.

You can also obtain a booking form for certain events from the website. Order forms will also be available in Knaresborough library. Return to Feva c/o Knaresborough House.

This can be posted to Knaresborough House with a stamped, addressed envelope or emailed to admin@feva.info. For any ticket enquiries, please do get in touch with us via the website or at admin@feva.info.

fevg cannot accept responsibility for any unforeseen changes to the programme.

### Thursday 7th August

#### Eve of **feva** 7:00pm

Join us at our exclusive event for Friends of **feva** to celebrate the opening of the festival. Become a Friend by visiting our website - www.feva.info **Free** 

### Friday 8th August

### Beach Party at CREATE CREATE Studios 10:00am-3:00pm

Pop down to CREATE Studios any time between 10am and 3pm for a range of beach-themed arts and crafts, games, and more! £5

### Professor Dan Market Place 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

Roll up! Roll up! Professor Dan will be entertaining with his mix of exciting games, outlandish magic and quirky humour. Suitable for all the family and not to be missed. **Free** 

### feva Opening Ceremony Market Place 12:00pm

Join the **feva** committee and the Mayor of Knaresborough for the opening of the 25th feva. **Free** 

### Collage and Painting: The BFG Theme (Ages 6–11) Briggate Art Studios 1:00pm-3:00pm

Let your kids unleash their creativity with a fun-filled day of collage and painting activities. Inspired by The BFG, children will have the opportunity to create their own masterpieces. £22.22

### Paul Mirfin: Oil Painting Demo Fri 8 Aug, 4–5pm Track & Sleeper, Knaresborough

Watch Paul Mirfin create a landscape in oils and share simple techniques. Artworks available to buy. £10

# Family Friendly Silent Disco The Kingfisher Kinsk

# The Kingfisher Kiosk 5:00pm-6:30pm

Join us for an unforgettable outdoor silent disco! Dance to your favourite songs with wireless headphones, enjoy great company, and enjoy the fantastic outdoor space at The Kingfisher Kiosk.



### Boat & Burger Marigold Cafe 6:00pm-9:30pm

Begin with a refreshing welcome drink, cruise into a scenic boat ride, then enjoy a juicy burger and crispy chips on the terrace as the sun sets.

£32.50 (Adults) £22.50 (Children)

### Adults Only Silent Disco The Kingfisher Kiosk 7:00pm-9:00pm

Join us for an unforgettable outdoor silent disco! Dance to your favourite songs with wireless headphones, enjoy great company, and experience a night of music under the stars. £10

### Snake Davis Solo Holy Trinity Church 7.30pm

Snake plays completely solo, bringing his musical family, saxes, flutes and more, enjoying the supreme acoustics of Holy Trinity Church, including his well-known solos: M-People, Lisa Stansfield and Take That! £17.50



### Retro Revival Cross Keys 8:00pm

Something for everyone - a bit of rock and roll from the '80s and '90s. Be prepared to have your socks rocked off!

Free

### Saturday 9th August

### Conyngham Hall Parkrun: Musical Marshals Conyngham Hall

#### 9:00am

Conyngham Hall parkrun will hold its regular free Saturday event with a feva inspired "Musical Marshals" twist.



### **Much Ado About Nothing:** Arts Award Discover in a Day

### The Kingfisher Kiosk 10:30am-5:00pm

Join Yorkshire CREATE for a creative and fun-filled day where young people can complete their Arts Award Discover in just one day-

through the magic of Shakespeare! £30



### James the Jester from Chester **Market Place** 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

James the Jester (From Chester) is an extremely well-liked and popular character. His hilarious comedy multi-skilled shows and walkabout leave audiences of all ages laughing. Free

### **Botanical Drawing Workshop Briggate Art Studios** 3:00pm-5:00pm

Join Briggate Art for a fun and creative session where you can learn to draw beautiful botanical illustrations. £38.62



### **Much Ado About Nothing** The Kingfisher Kiosk 6:00pm

Join The HandleBards for a bicycle-powered production like you've never seen before full of riotous amounts of energy, a fair old whack of chaos, and a great deal of laughter. Standard £20.50, 21 and Under £13.00 12 and Under £5.00

### Professor Flemental

does feva

### **Frazer Theatre** 7:00pm

Professor Elemental. Godfather of Chap Hop, brings his unique brand of Steampunk-drizzled. whimsy-riddled, tea tippled Hip Hop to Knaresborough, with an after-party at Six Poor Folk. £16.00 The Professor does feva + VIP After Party £19.50 Tea and Cake +

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### Arthur Bliss: A Man of Two Continents St John's Church 7:30pm

Music by Sir Arthur Bliss and others. commemorating the 50th anniversary of Bliss's death, performed by Matthew Secombe (Baritone), grandson of Sir Harry Secombe and great grandson of the composer. £15



### Into the Mystic Park Place Social Club ma00:8

A vibrant, young awardnominated rock band from Bradford plaving music from the 1970s through to the present day.

Free

### **Drop Leg Steppers** The Hart 9:30pm

Join Drop Leg Steppers at The Hart for a high-energy night of reggae, ska, dub, and dance vibes!

Free



### Sunday 10th August

### feva Family Bike Ride **Convngham Hall**

#### 10:00am

Knaresborough Cycling Club invites you to a fun, family bike ride, up and along the Greenway to Ripley Village. Dust off your bike, pump up your tyres and join in!



### **Busk Stop with Olly Market Place**

10:00am-2:00pm

Busk Stop is back for feva 2025, featuring Simon Senior. Simon Moffat, Damien Soul, James and Michael from Crafted in Rock, Ben Fleming, Sarah Boyle, Phil Simms, and Amy Thompson.

Free

#### feva Celebration Service

#### St John's Church

#### 10:30am

Knaresborough's historic Parish Church of St John the Baptist hosts a special service of celebration for **feva** with music from their internationally renowned choir. All are welcome!

Free

### The Knaresborough Eleven Knaresborough Castle

#### 11:00am, 1:00pm, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

The Knaresborough Eleven - a play inspired by the real events of the Castle Riot - tells the story of a community standing together in the face of injustice.

£10

### The Extraordinary Tale of the Castle Yard Riot Book Signing with JT Glew Knaresborough Castle

### 11:00am-6:00pm

Join JT Glew, researcher and author, to find out how the real-life story of The Knaresborough Eleven was uncovered. Books available for £8.

Free

# Storytime with Yorkshire CREATE The Kingfisher Kiosk

11:00am

Join Yorkshire CREATE for a morning of stories with a **fevg** pink theme!

Free

### Knaresborough Allotments Open Day Stockwell Road Allotments

### 1:30pm-4:00pm

KASHS welcomes you to wander round the site to see how they grow vegetables, fruit and flowers. Activities for families and children.

Free

### Town Criers Competition Market Place 2:00pm

Hear our own world famous Town Crier introduce fellow Criers from towns across the North of England in this ever popular event sponsored by W Bowers. Free



### Paul Mirfin and Warren Timmis Knaresborough WMC 5:00pm

Knaresborough WMC are looking forward to local musician, artist and railway guard, Paul Mirfin, and his exceptional wingman Warren to put on a set of popular and well known standards.

£5

### The Robin Hood Code CREATE Studios

#### 7:30pm

Robert Chasterlaine will talk exclusively about his new book "The Robin Hood Code" which proves Robin Hood was a real outlaw born near Knaresborough and every bit the hero.

£5

### The Hart Open Mic Night The Hart 8:00pm

Open mic open to all abilities just bring yourself and your instrument! Hosted by Olly & lan and Crafted in Rock.

Free



### Monday 11th August

### Lantern Workshop with ARTventurers COGS (Centre On Gracious Street) 9:45am

A fantastic session for children aged 5+ to decorate two glass lanterns with ARTventurers.

£12.50

### Musical Theatre Workshop Day CREATE Studios 10:00am-4:00pm

Get ready to sing, dance, and act at Yorkshire CREATE's fun-filled Musical Theatre Workshop Day, designed for children aged 7+ who are eager to explore the world of musical theatre.

£25

### Punch and Judy Market Place

### 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

From enchanting storytelling and magic, engaging puppet shows, enjoy interactive workshops for all ages.

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### Clogarhythm Market Place 6:30pm

Formed in 2002, local team Clogarhythm specialise in English step and clog dancing. Their repertoire reflects the various styles of percussive traditional dance seen across the north of England. **Free** 

### An Evening with Mark Wells, author of Cambridge Gothic CREATE Studios 7:00pm

Stranger Things meets Dark Academia. Join Mark Wells as he traces his journey as an author, from the world of Warhammer to the haunting Young Adult Urban Fantasy world of Cambridge Gothic. £10

### Studio 3 presents Dance fevo Frazer Theatre 7:15pm

A dazzling display of jazz, tap, ballet, river dance and musical theatre by the talented youngsters from Studio 3 Dance Workshop. £7.50

### Ebor String Quartet St John's Church

7:30pm

The Ebor Quartet will bring a night of classical crossover on this unforgettable evening as they play a selection of reimagined popular songs; this is a concert not to be missed! £15



### Tuesday 12th August

### Handbell Ringing St John's Church 11:00am

A group of 4 bell ringers will demonstrate the Art of Ringing on Handbells in St John's Church. Free

#### The Knaresborough Eleven Mosaic Workshop CREATE Studios

#### 11:00am-3:00pm

Join Yorkshire CREATE to help to make a piece of Knaresborough history into a community art piece. Drop in any time between 11am and 3pm to add your contribution to the collaborative mosaic.

Free

### Junk Modelling Pen Pots Knaresborough Heritage Centre 11:00am-12:00pm

For more information or to book email info@knaresboroughtownmuseum.org.uk or call into the Heritage Centre. £5

### Pete's Suitcase Circus Market Place

### 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

Pete's Suitcase Circus show is full of spectacular juggling, plate spinning and magical circus fun.

Free

#### **Sock Puppets**

### **Knaresborough Heritage Centre**

#### 1:00pm-2:00pm

For more information or to book email info@knaresboroughtownmuseum.org.uk or call into the Heritage Centre. £5

### Silent Book Club CREATE Studios 6:00pm-8:00pm

Join Yorkshire CREATE for an informal evening of reading. Bring your own book. Socialising strictly optional! **Free** 

### Unravelled - The Story of Four Red Sweaters Frazer Theatre

#### 7:30pm

Following the success of The Dressmakers of Auschwitz, historian Lucy Adlington's new book Four Red Sweaters bears testament to the memories that the most fragile garments can hold.

£12.50

### Wednesday 13th August

### The Mayor of Knaresborough's Town Tour Market Place

#### 11:00am

A one-hour guided stroll through the charming market town of Knaresborough, led by a knowledgeable Knaresborough White Badge Tourist Guide.

Free

### Knaresborough Forest Family Fun Day The Kingfisher Kiosk 10:00am-4:00pm

Join Community Stars, Yorkshire CREATE and ARTventurers for a day of forest-themed family fun, including a tree trail, arts and crafts and more! Supported by Knaresborough Town Council. Free

### Children's Day at Knaresborough Library Knaresborough Library 10:30am-4:00pm

Join Yorkshire authors to celebrate all things children's books! Suitable for children aged 4+. Free

### Knaresborough Forest Day Knaresborough Forest Park 12:00pm-6:00pm

The first annual event to celebrate public ownership of Knaresborough land! Volunteers will meet participants at The Kiosk to lead them to the site. **Free** 

# Collage & Printing: Charlie & The Chocolate Factory (Ages 6–11) Briggate Art Studio 1:00pm-3:00pm

Join Chameleon Creative Arts for a joyful Charlie & The Chocolate Factory-themed workshop! This creative session will focus on collage and printmaking techniques inspired by Roald Dahl's imaginative world. £22.38

### Studio 3 Dance Workshop presents: Sing a Song of Sixpence Knaresborough Castle 2:00pm

Studio 3 Dance Workshop presents Sing a Song of Sixpence and more of your favourite nursery rhymes performed by their very youngest students (with just a little help from their friends!) **Free** 

### Painting in the Pub: Exotic Animals Wed 13 Aug, 6–9.30pm The World's End, Knaresborough

Relaxed painting session for all levels — create your own exotic animal artwork with drinks and pub grub. £15–25

#### Knaresborough Knightmares: a feva Ghost Walk Market Place

### 7:00pm

Join the Knaresborough
Mummers for a fearful feva
ghost walk around the town,
with spooky tales of hauntings
and witchcraft. You'll hear
about Murderous Knights,
Levitating Bedpans and
Vampire Bumble Bees.
£6 (Adult) £3 (Child)



### Medusa Gothic Morris Dancers Market Place 7:00pm

This small
Knaresborough
based dance
team brings
elegance and
Gothic mystery to
the art of Morris
dancing, with
black kit and
purple hankies,
and tunes in a
minor key.

Free



### A Twisted Tale COGS (Centre on Gracious Street) 7:30pm

A review in story and song of Knaresborough's once-thriving linen industry and its sudden demise. Performed by Red Wall Theatre with its trademark mix of satire, humour and social edge. £10



### More Poetry Please CREATE Studios 7:30pm

More Poetry Please is an evening celebrating poetry. Bring a poem to read aloud or come and listen. Original poems are welcome! £7.50

### Status Faux Knaresborough WMC 8:30nm

Fast, loud and in your face, Status Faux deliver a high octane tribute to the music of Quo. Covering the early albums up to present day, you will be rocked and rocked hard! £15



### Thursday 14th August

### Dear Zoo inspired Baby Only Intergenerational ARTventurers Workshop Manor House Care Home 11:00am-11:50am

ARTventurers are hosting a special Baby Only Intergenerational session inspired by Dear Zoo! £9.50

### The Great Mandavi Market Place 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

Come and see The Great Mandavi risk his life for your entertainment! Fire, knives, danger and excitement! Juggling, balloons and a chocolate biscuit race too! **Free** 

### Medieval Bestiary Knaresborough Heritage Centre 11:00am-12:00pm

For more information or to book email info@knaresboroughtownmuseum.org.uk or call into the Heritage Centre. £5

### Orb Fest Orb Community Arts 12:00pm-5:00pm

Orb Community Arts presents Orb Fest, an afternoon of live music, performances, films, visual art, food and open garden celebrating Orb's creative community. **Free** 

### Orpheus: A New Musical - Launch Event CREATE Studios 1:00pm-4:00pm

Discover the story of the Greek myth, explore the music and script, and find out more about how you can get involved. Suitable for age 12-18.£12.50

### Silver Keys Frazer Theatre 2:00pm

Based in Wetherby and formed in 2022, Silver Keys is a dynamic clarinet quartet that delights in performing a wide variety of music. £5



### Leaf Printing Knaresborough Heritage Centre 1:00pm-2:00pm

For more information or to book email info@knaresboroughtownmuseum.org.uk or call into the Heritage Centre. £5

### Photo Walk with Knaresborough Camera Club Thu 14 Aug, 7–9pm

#### Meet at Market Cross, Knaresborough

A gentle photography walk for all levels. Bring any camera or phone and capture the town's hidden corners with club members. £5

### Royal British Legion Quiz Knaresborough WMC 7:00pm

Annual Branch Quiz for The Ken Haw memorial. To book, contact David - houlgated00@gmail.com

### Live at the Library – Who would you like to murder?! Knaresborough Library

#### 7:00pm

Some of Yorkshire's most devious crime writers will be confessing who they would like to murder and more importantly, how they will get away with it! Free

### History Wardrobe presents Halfway to Hollywood Frazer Theatre

#### 7:30pm

Like picture-goers of the thirties and forties, we invite you to escape into the world of cinema's golden age, with sensational styles, stories from behind the camera and a show-stopping transformation...

£15

### Dan Burnett Six Poor Folk 7:30pm

Seamlessly blending technical virtuosity with heartfelt expression, Dan Burnett's soulful voice and incredible musicianship combine to create music that is both timeless and contemporary, touching the heart and soul. £12.50

### Friday 15th August

### Live at the Library – Poetry Day Knaresborough Library 10:00-4:00pm

A day of listening to, reading, writing and discussing poetry with local poets. There will be an open mic opportunity at the of the session.

Free

### Magic Keith Market Place 11:00am, 1:00pm and 2:30pm

Keith brings to you a complete magical package and will provide a show full of magic, comedy and entertainment. **Free** 

### Roller Disco The Kingfisher Kiosk 4:30pm-9:00pm

Get your skates on, Knaresborough!

Join Knaresborough Revolution for a night of retro fun at the Roller Disco! £5

### Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival Knaresborough House 5:00pm-11:00pm

Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival featuring live music from the Chorus Crew 6:30pm-8:00pm and The Blarge 8:00pm-10:30pm. Free

### Arabella and Other Stories Information Evening Frazer Theatre 6:00pm

Rejoin Arabella and Mara on their journey. If you're interested in theatre, music or storytelling this is a chance to learn more and get involved in this incredible ongoing project. **Free** 

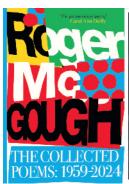
## An Evening with Roger McGough: Alive and Giggling Holy Trinity Church

#### 7:30pm

87 years old and at that awkward age now between birth and death, Roger McGough puts on a brave face and takes to the stage with a show featuring new poems as well as old favourites. £20

### Park Place Jam Night Park Place Social Club 8:00pm

A fun, interactive jam night with full back line provided so you just need to bring your instrument! Free





### Jon Matthews The Orange Groves 9:00pm

Award winning acoustic singer 50's - 00's

### Saturday 16th August

### Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival Knaresborough

#### House

### 12:00pm-9:00pm

Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival alongside Picnic in the Park featuring live music.

#### Free

### Picnic in the Park Knaresborough House

12:00pm-5:00pm

An afternoon of

live, outdoor music, including Orb House Band, Dan Burnett, Rory Hoy, Hot sauce, Sarah Collins Band Free





## feva Exhibitions

- Art at The Hub: Mel Lisney, Chris Woodard, Andrew Stratford, David Ferguson, Amanda Toase and B. Smith Jewellery
- St John's Hub, Vicarage Lane, Knaresborough, HG5 9AE

Saturday 9th August 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Sunday 10th August 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Monday 11th August Tuesday 12th August 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Wednesday 13th August 10:30 am - 3:00 pm Thursday 14th August 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Friday 15th August 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Saturday 16th August 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Sunday 17th August 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

A mixed exhibition featuring unique abstract images with metal leaf, Dales landscapes, atmospheric paintings, ceramic sculptures, emotional textile art, and unique handcrafted jewellery by six talented Yorkshire-based artists.

#### Digitally Layered Wonderlands by Kristjana S. Williams

#### Half Moon Freehouse, 1 Abbey Road, Knaresborough, HG5 8HY

Friday 8th August 4:00 pm - 11:00 pm Saturday 9th August 12:00 pm - 11:00 pm Sunday 10th August 12:00 pm - 10:30 pm 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm Tuesday 12th August Wednesday 13th August 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm Thursday 14th August 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm Friday 15th August 4:00 pm - 11:00 pm Saturday 16th August 12:00 pm - 11:00 pm Sunday 17th August 12:00 pm - 10:30 pm

A captivating exhibition of prints by internationally celebrated Icelandic artist Kristjana S Williams, whose magical universes intricately layer Victorian engravings with vividly exotic botanicals, fauna, and vintage cartography.

- Faces, Places and Pots: Henshaws Artmakers
- Henshaws Arts and Crafts Centre, 50 Bond End, Knaresborough, North Yorkshire, HG5 9AL

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An inclusive exhibition of sculpture, mosaics, painting, jewellery, print, pottery and textiles created by Henshaws Artmakers. Explore our trail of innovative portraits, landscapes and vessels throughout our centre and gardens.

d Gracious St Church Art Exhibition: Sue Bramham, Sue Hadley, Amy Horton, and Shirley Vine

COGS (Centre On Gracious Street),
Gracious Street Methodist Church,
4 Chapel Street, Knaresborough, HG5 8AN

Friday, Aug 8 - Saturday, Aug 16 10:00 am - 4:00 pm daily. A group show featuring watercolours and some textile works by four contributing artists. This exhibition offers a diverse and uplifting collection of visual artworks for visitors to enjoy during the festival.

- **©** COGS (Centre On Gracious Street)
- Gracious Street Methodist Church, 4 Chapel Street, Knaresborough, HG5 8AN

Saturday 16th August 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Knaresborough Art Society's Summer Exhibition showcases original cards and paintings by members, created in a range of media and styles. The exhibition includes live demonstrations and hands-on activities for children, making it a lively and welcoming space for all ages.

- Knaresborough Camera Club Photography Exhibition
- Friendship and Leisure Centre, 23 Market Place, Knaresborough, North Yorkshire, HG5 8AL

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 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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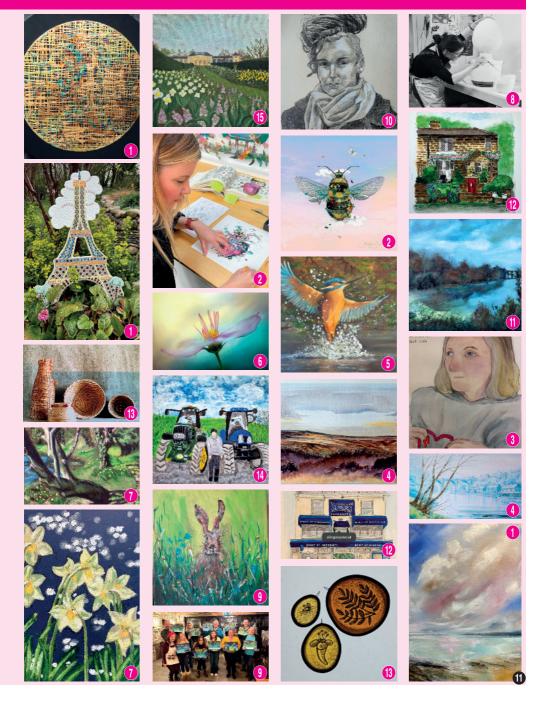
An exhibition of photographs by members of Knaresborough Camera Club showing a range of styles and various types of images.

- Leaves from 'The Yellow Book': Cate Quinn
- Honeybees at Hannah's 8 Castlegate, Knaresborough HG5 8AR

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Cate's work features scenes from local gardens open as part of the National Garden Scheme. Her 2025 FEVA exhibition, Leaves from 'The Yellow Book', takes inspiration from visits to some of Yorkshire's most beautiful public and private gardens.

#### Please refer to map on the back for locations



# feva Exhibitions continued

- Narrative Objects Work in Progress: Zoe Phillips.
- The Cow Shed, located in a private field between 20 and 22 Waterside, HG5 8DF

 Saturday 9th August
 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

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 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

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 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Visitors are invited to meet Zoe, view her previous work, and witness her creative process as she develops a new body of work. Blending nature, wellbeing, and mental health, Zoe crafts bespoke handmade objects using ceramics, brass, and leather.

- Painting in the Pub Expressions
- Mnaresborough Library, The Market Place, Knaresborough, HG5 8AG

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A collective display of Painting in the Pub participants throughout 2 years of monthly acrylics workshops.

- Portrait Window: Shirley Hudson
- The Window at Number 10, 10 Kirkgate, Knaresborough, HG5 8AD

Linking with the Henshaws Artists' exhibition 'Faces, Places and Pots', workshop leader Shirley Hudson displays portraits she's made for local community projects.

The Branch Line - Paul Mirfin

branch lines.

Track and Sleeper, Knaresborough Railway

Station, Knaresborough, HG5 9AA

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Superb impressionistic oil paintings of the Harrogate Line by contemporary painter Paul Mirfin. Hosted at The Track and Sleeper – part of Knaresborough Railway Station – the exhibition uniquely reflects on journeys, architecture, and the distinct mood of one of England's most scenic ■ The Harrogate Illustrator at Painting Pots

Painting Pots, Studio, 2a Castlegate, Knaresborough, HG5 8AR

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Georgina Benson-Green is a new and upcoming watercolour artist with a particular interest in architecture and landscape. Her work captures buildings and places with exceptional attention to detail.

- Trapped in the amber of the moment: Sherry Doyal and Hilary Holmes.
- Studio Tanacetum, 14 Kirkgate, Knaresborough, HG5 8AD

10:00 am - 4:00 pm daily

A window exhibition of art works celebrating paleo botany including prints, pine needle and rosin basketry and inclusion painted amber glass. Other works will be available to view inside.

- It's not just art it's Yorkshire art Craft & Social
- Cliff House, 1 Hilton Lane, Knaresborough, HG5 8BX

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Grab yer flat cap and join Craft & Social at their Yorkshire-Themed Art Display! It's not just art – it's Yorkshire art, with a dollop of charm and a sprinkle of cheek.

- Reflections on Landscape
- Greenwoods Solicitors, 58 High Street, Knaresborough, HG5 OEA

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Ana is an architect and artist who works primarily in oils with an impressionist sensibility. She draws endless inspiration from the English countryside and her work captures the quiet beauty of landscapes and everyday moments.

#### Saturday 16th August continued

### Space to CREATE (Junior - Age 7-11) **CREATE Studios** 4:00pm-5:00pm

Join Yorkshire CREATE for Space to CREATE, a space to explore your creative side through arts-based activities for children aged 7-11.

### Space to CREATE (Senior - Age 11-17) **CREATE Studios** 5:00pm-7:00pm

Join Yorkshire CREATE supported by Knaresborough Rotary and Revolution for Space to CREATE. Explore a range of arts-based activities and develop your skills in a safe space.

Free

### Afghan Kitchen **COGS (Centre on Gracious Street)** 7:00pm

Join Afghan Kitchen for a warm and welcoming evening featuring authentic, home-cooked Afghan cuisine. Guests will enjoy a set menu including starter, homemade bread, salad, main course, dessert, and tea and coffee.

Set Menu £30,

Vegetarian Menu £28

### The Dana Ali Band Carriages 7:00pm

Dana Ali and her band from Atlanta GA offers a blend of Soul, Jazz, Blues, and R&B with Funk Rhythms, which has resonated with audiences across the world.

£20



#### A Night with Rising Local Artists

#### The Hart 7:00pm

The Band: The Chris Blackwood Band The Duo: Olly + lain Free

### feva Burlesaue **Frazer Theatre** 7:30pm

feva Burlesque is a dazzling

night of tease and talent, blending glamorous costumes, playful wit, bold performances, and unexpected twists. A high-energy celebration of body positivity, expression, and sparkle!



### **Cooler Kings** The Cross Keys 9:00pm

Rock and blues followed by timeless classics. Free

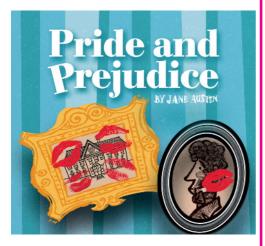


### Sunday 17th August

### Pride and Prejudice: Arts Award Discover in a Day The Kingfisher Kiosk

#### 10:30am-5:00pm

Join Yorkshire CREATE for a creative and fun-filled day where young people can complete their Arts Award Discover in just one day—through the magic of theatre!



### Storvtime The Kingfisher Kiosk 11:00am

Join Yorkshire CREATE for a morning of stories at The Kingfisher Kiosk at Conyngham Hall. Free

### **Chorus Crew High Bridge Gardens** 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

Knaresborough's own chorus crew will brighten your day with sea shanties, folk songs, and humorous songs, with a focus on audience interaction and singalongs.

Free



### **Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival Knaresborough House** 12:00pm-3:00pm

Knaresborough Lions' Beer Festival featuring Knaresborough Silver Band from 1:00pm- 2:30pm. Free

### Spa Sax **High Bridge Gardens**

Spa Sax are a Harrogate-based Saxophone Ensemble formed in 2010. They enjoy playing an eclectic mix of music, including light jazz classics, Disney and other popular tunes.

Free

### **Pride and Prejudice** The Kingfisher Kiosk 6:00pm



Lizzy finds disdainful Mr Darcy detestable! Or does she...? Can she see beyond his pride - and could he overcome her prejudice - to consider a possible future together? Award-winning Illyria returns to celebrate Jane Austen's 250th birthday in sparkling style.

£18 (Adults) £10 (Under 18s)



The Hart Open Mic Night The Hart mq00:8

Open mic open to all ability - just bring yourself and your instrument! Hosted by Olly & Ian and Crafted in Rock. Free

# Flavours of **feva**

### Friday 8th August

Boat & Burger Marigold Cafe 6:00pm-9:30pm

Begin with a refreshing welcome drink, cruise into a scenic boat ride, then enjoy a juicy burger and crispy chips on the terrace as the sun sets.

£32.50 (Adults) £22.50 (Children)

### Thursday 14th August

Dan Burnett Six Poor Folk 7:30pm

Seamlessly blending technical virtuosity with heartfelt expression, Dan Burnett's soulful voice and incredible musicianship combine to create music that is both timeless and contemporary, touching the heart and soul.

£12.50

### Saturday 16th August

Afghan Kitchen COGS (Centre on Gracious Street) 7:00pm

Join Afghan Kitchen for a warm and welcoming evening featuring authentic, home-cooked Afghan cuisine. Guests will enjoy a set menu including starter, homemade bread, salad, main course, dessert, and tea and coffee.

Set Menu £30, Vegetarian Menu £28

### Saturday 16th August

The Dana Ali Band Carriages 7:00pm

Dana Ali and her band from Atlanta GA offers a blend of Soul, Jazz, Blues, and R&B with Funk Rhythms, which has resonated with audiences across the world. £20



# Be a friend of feva

### What is Knaresborough feva?

The name feva means 'the festival of entertainment and visual arts' and is the annual Knaresborough Festival held over 10 days in the middle of August each year. feva is run on a not-for-profit basis by volunteers and provides an exciting focus during the summer holidays as the town shifts up a gear with a huge number of events for all ages and tastes, for both residents and visitors to Knaresborough.

### Become a Friend of fevo

For just £10 a year for individuals and £50 for corporate members, people become Friends of **feva** and help preserve the continued success of the Festival. Friends assist in many ways for example by getting involved in staging events, mounting artistic projects and volunteering during the Festival.

### The benefits of becoming a Friend

For Individuals: Friends are able to enjoy:

A Priority Booking Period

Early Programme Review

Invitation to 'Eve of feve' party and other events Involvement in one of the most important summer festivals in the North, helping to put Knaresborough on the map

For Companies: In addition, for those taking out a corporate Friend of feva membership your business will be able to enjoy:

Event sponsorship opportunities of your choice Corporate entertainment

Alignment with community good neighbour activities

Become a **feva** Friend and help us build on the successes since **feva** began as the Knaresborough Festival in 1996.

Find out out more and become a friend online at feva.info/feva-friends



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### **Sponsors**

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