BELFORD ARTS FESTIVAL 2017.

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Timetable of events - flyer

SATURDAY 22nd JULY

- S Market in Market Place. 10am 1pm. Stalls selling a multitude of individual items and local food. Free face painting for children.
 - Art Event, 10am 4pm. The venues throughout the village are diverse from a grand ballroom to a garden shed. (See newsletter)
 - Britain on Film, Archive Films "Railways". See flyer for details
 - Live Music at the Black Swan. 9pm free. Georgina Percival, solo guitarist and singer.

SUNDAY 23rd JULY

- Art Event, 10am 4pm. See newsletter.
- "Felt Pictures". 10am 12noon. Workshop by Biteabout Arts. (See newsletter).
 - (At Ferguson Hall). Children's and adults workshops. (See newsletter).
 - "Find Your Voice" Performance. 7 9pm. (See newsletter)

MONDAY 24th JULY

● Folk Music Evening. 8pm. Blue Bell. (See newsletter)

TUESDAY 25th JULY

- Pavement Drawing, No charge. Pick up your chalks from Belford Newsagents until 4pm. Any age from toddler to k octogenarian can have a go.
- Britain on Film, Archive Films "Coast and Sea". See flyer for details.
- Belford Pluckers. 8pm at the Black Swan. Jam Session, join the locals, bring an instrument, your voice, yourself, join in. Friendly and welcoming.

WEDNESDAY 26th JULY

- Willage Open Gardens. 2 -5pm. Visit 13 beautiful 💐 gardens including Belford Hall Grounds. £3 for all gardens on both days available from village centre. Refreshments available.
- "Voice Male". 7.30pm. Blue Bell. £5 entry. See newsletter)

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THURSDAY 27th JULY

- Village Open Gardens. 2 -5pm. (See Wednesday) above).
- "Outer Places Inner Voices" 2 5pm. Bell View. (See newsletter).
- Illustrated talk about the architect of Belford Hall. James Paine, whose tercentenary it is, in the Portico Room of Belford Hall on Thursday 27th at 7.30. Refreshments available, tickets £3 at Belford

Newsagents or can be booked by ringing 07761470591.

FRIDAY 28th JULY

- Creative Writing Workshop run by Romi Jones. 10am 12 noon. Please book in advance through Bell View (01668 219220). Free.
- "Outer Places Inner Voices". (See Thursday).
- Belford Players perform "The Laidley Worm of Spindlestoneheugh". 6.30pm. Market Place.(See newsletter)
- Film "KISS THE WATER". See flyer for details.

SATURDAY 29th JULY

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- "Outer Places Inner Voices" (See Thursday).
- Belford Players perform "The Laidley Worm of Spindlestoneheugh". 6pm. Ferguson Hall.
- Choral Concert in St. Mary's Church by the "Clerks" Consort" from throughout the UK. 7.30pm. (See newsletter)
- Live Music at the Black Swan. 9pm free. Jonathan Page.

SUNDAY 30th JULY

- Eucharist Service in St. Mary's Church with singing by the "Clerks Consort". 10am.
- Summer Fair at Bell View Resource Centre. 2-4pm. Music by "Heads on the Block", cream teas, tombola, raffle. Free entry.
- Britain on Film, Archive Films "Rural life". See flyer for details.

cclaimed artists, father and son, Neville and Ben Wilson are staging a 10 day art exhibition in the Hidden History Museum starting on July 22nd.



tarting on Sat 22nd a display of life size scarecrows/mannequins inspired by ilms in various locations throughout the village.

Full details of all events on facebook BelfordArtsFestival and on posters throughout the village.









Belford Arts Festival 2017. Further details. (for newsletter)

SATURDAY 22nd JULY

● Art Event, 10am – 4pm. The venues throughout the village are diverse from a grand ballroom to a garden shed. Two days of art exhibitions and art and crafts to purchase. Exciting and talented artists and craft workers from Northumberland, Tyne and Wear and the Borders are exhibiting and some selling their work. There are jewellery makers, artists, Photographers, Glass artists, fabric artists, weavers, couture milliner, the list goes on.

SUNDAY 23rd JULY

- Art Event, 10am 4pm. As above.
- "Felt Pictures". 10am 12noon. Workshop by Biteabout Arts. Please book in advance through Bell View (01668 219220). Free. Try your hand at drawing and painting with wool. Explore techniques for visual representation to create a small wet felted picture. (bring a towel).
- (At Ferguson Hall). Children's and adults workshops. Children's Workshop for children aged 3-12 (action songs, singing games, instruments, puppets etc) 11 12 am. Children must be accompanied by an adult. £3 for the first child and £1.50 for siblings. Adult workshop 2-4.30pm £5 (All singers welcome, no need to read music). There will be a fun sharing event to show and share what has been learnt at 4pm for half an hour. Prices are heavily subsidised to make this affordable to all. To book your place email janeharlandmusic@gmail.com, phone Jane on 0191 2686765, or find her on Facebook at Jane Harland Music. Tickets are can be purchased at the newsagents or just turn up on the day.
- "Find Your Voice" Performance. 7 9pm. 1st half the students, 2nd half choir. Ferguson Hall free entry. The choir is called "SeaGlass". They are a small, women's choir singing mostly folk and traditional repertoire, with some pop MONDAY 24th JULY
- Folk Music Evening. 8pm. Blue Bell. Come and join in with the regular folk musicians and singers. Lovely warm and friendly event open to all, no matter what your expertise, if you want to take part or just enjoy the music and the atmosphere you are very welcome. Free entry.

TUESDAY 25th JULY

- Pavement Drawing, Tuesday 25th. No charge.
- Village Open Gardens. 2 -5pm. Visit 13 beautiful gardens including Belford Hall Grounds. £3 for all gardens on both days available from village centre. Refreshments available.
- "Voice Male" are over twenty strong. The choir's broad repertoire includes traditional songs from the British Isles, with particular emphasis on the rich and varied tradition of our own region together with contemporary material and folk songs from around the World. The arrangements and music ranges from the traditional to the exciting and innovative and are performed with wit and humour. THURSDAY 27th JULY
- Village Open Gardens. 2 -5pm. (See Wednesday above).
- "Outer Places Inner Voices" The material for these visual and sound reminiscences were gathered from a diverse range of older people, some living in villages or farms, some have grown up here, some moved here for their love of

this beautiful area. Explored are themes of home, belonging, ageing, community, birds, landscape and the sea which people have articulated in poetry, prose and short phrases.

For many their love of the landscape and the sea is the silent backdrop to their connections with family, friends and community; all of which is so important in their daily lives.

FRIDAY 28th JULY

• "The Laidley Worm of Spindlestoneheugh". 6.30pm. Market Place. Local legend dramatised into hilarious comedy. The King of Northumbria falls under the spell of a wicked witch who hates her new stepdaughter, turning her into a monstrous worm. Her devoted brother, after much fun and games, rescues her against all the odds.

SATURDAY 29th JULY

● The Clerk's Consort is a male classical group of singers with music ranging from Byrd to the Beatles, singing both sacred and secular music. The cost per ticket is £7 to include your first drink. Proceeds go to St. Mary's Church. The performance is in 2 parts, during the break there will be refreshments and a raffle.

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