



# ● what's on

spring/summer 2018



This season's art, music & children's events in Knaresborough



**Open weekdays**

9am - 4pm

**Sundays**

10am - 4pm

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# hello

## and welcome



I'm Maria Dawbarn, Centre Manager and I'd like to welcome you to our Arts & Crafts Centre. Set in beautiful surroundings at the heart of Knaresborough, we're a community hub where creativity, friendships and opportunities come to life.

### what we do



During the week we run a range of creative and employability workshops for disabled people, from pottery and printmaking to horticulture and music. Through these workshops, people living with a range of disabilities discover their talents, put them into practice and realise their full potential.

### get creative with us

Open to all, we'd love you to come in and explore, meet our Art Makers and be inspired by their beautiful and unique work. Pop into our café, take a wander round our gardens or come to one of our events and you'll be helping us support disabled people to go beyond expectations.

### find out more

Our what's on guide is a summary of the events we offer but for full details please visit our website. Events are free unless otherwise stated.

Follow us on Facebook and Twitter for the latest news, beautiful artwork and stories from people we support  @henshawsacc  henshawsarts

Thank you for your support

## Maria

All details are correct at the time of printing but we reserve the right to amend the published programme if necessary.



## may

**Tue 8th May, 10am – 2pm**

### **Art Maker Open Day**

Open event for people interested in accessing our workshops for disabled people. Book your free place via our website or call 01423 541888

**Thu 10th May, 6pm – 9pm**

### **May Disco Fever**

Dinner and disco night for adults with learning disabilities. £5 with food, £2.50 disco only.

**Fri 25th May, 7.30pm – 11pm**

### **The Friday Night Mix**

Free live music: 3 of the best local acts. Licensed bar. Free entry.

**Sun 27th May, 10am – 2pm**

### **May Craft Fair**

Buy from local crafters at our handmade marketplace and give it a try yourself. Free entry. Craft activities for all ages to make and take home, from £2.

**Sun 27th May – Sun 3rd June**

### **Busy Bear Bonanza**

Join us during half term for a week of bear themed activities including a famous bear trail around the centre (£1 entry) and children's Teddy Bears picnic bags (£3.50 to include a choice of teddy bear sandwich, crisps, a sweet treat and a drink). **Painting Pots** will also be offering bear-making workshops and painting pottery bears (prices from £5).



## june

**Sun 3rd June – end August**

### **Summer Showcase - “B” is for Beach**

Our Art Makers have created a summer showcase inspired by the seaside and the letter B.....Blackpool, Buckets and Beautiful artwork. Come and explore our workshop windows.

**Sat 9th June, 12noon – midnight**  
**Bed Fest 2018**

The annual Knaresborough Bed Race after party. Free live music from the best local acts & nationally acclaimed artists. Children’s activities throughout the afternoon. Licensed bars and food outlets open all day.

Entry £1 (suggested donation).

**Sun 24th June, 10am – 2pm**

### **Diversity Craft Fair**

Buy from local crafters at our monthly marketplace, this month celebrating LGBT and diversity. Free entry. Craft activities for all ages to make and take home, from £2.





## july

**Interact is a local fully inclusive dance, music and drama scheme.**

**Sun 8th July, 11am – 4pm**

### **Interact Summer Craft Fair**

Selection of quality craft stalls selling handmade gifts. Café open for refreshments. Crafters looking to book a table at this event should call 07940 873217.

**Mon 9th July, 7pm**

### **Interact Summer Show**

Come and enjoy Interact's Spectacular X-factor Final. An evening of entertainment for all the family. Tickets £5 available by calling 07940 873217 or on the door, carers go free. Refreshments available.

**Thu 12th July, 6pm – 9pm**

### **July Disco Fever**

Dinner and disco night for adults with learning disabilities. £5 with food, £2.50 disco only.

**Fri 20th July, 7pm – 10pm**

### **Summer Bistro Night**

An evening of great food, with acoustic music and bar provided by the Gin Shack and Quirky Ales. £25/head. Booking required. See website for menu and additional details.

**Fri 27th July, 7.30pm – 11pm**

### **The Friday Night Mix**

Live music night showcasing some of the best local acts. Licensed bar. Free entry.

# meet the team

## kate simpson



Hi, I'm Kate, the Community and Events Fundraiser for Henshaws based here at the Arts & Crafts Centre.

I am very lucky because I find it easy to feel passionate about what I do. My own daughter Tessa had several amazing years at Henshaws Specialist College. Raising both awareness and the money needed to make sure that Henshaws can continue to help many more people like Tessa, and many more families like ours, is a joy!

Henshaws offers a huge range of services for people with a wide range of disabilities and my role is to encourage and assist members of the community to raise funds for whichever of these important services they feel most interested in and passionate about.

If you or your community group would like to know more about Henshaws and all that we do, please get in touch. If you have an idea for raising money but would like support or if you have been thinking about becoming a Henshaws volunteer, there will be a valuable role for you and your amazing skill set, I'd love to hear from you.

Henshaws is fortunate to be a part of such a wonderful and supportive community within Harrogate and Knaresborough.

I feel privileged to be able to encourage, support, recognise and value all your amazing efforts on behalf of this wonderful charity!

I look forward to talking to you soon.

**Kate**

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**Open every  
Tuesday and  
Sunday**

**Join Painting Pots every Tuesday and Sunday at the Arts & Crafts Centre for fun, relaxed pottery painting or foam clay for all ages. Price start from £5.**

Tuesday mornings 10am - 11.30am is children's storytime and paint sessions which bring our favourite children's book characters to life.


These include Zog and the Flying Doctors, The Rainbow Fish and The Smartest Giant in Town.

Storytime dates: May 1st, 15th, 29th; June 12th, 26th; July 10th, 24th; August 7th, 14th.

Feva story time – The Rainbow Fish, August 21st.

We will be running activities on Henshaws Urban Beach for the **whole of August**. Choice of foam clay or painting from £5.00 up.

**More information & booking:**

 [paintingpotsknaresborough](https://www.facebook.com/paintingpotsknaresborough)  
[paintpotsknaresborough@gmail.com](mailto:paintpotsknaresborough@gmail.com)  
**07871 038997**

tel: **01423 541888** 7

# •henshaws urban beach

**Sunday 5th - Sunday 26th August 2018**

**Discover 3 weeks of family fun in Knaresborough.  
Open every day from 10am. Free entry.**

**Sun 5th Aug, 12pm – 6pm**

**Urban Beach Opening Party**

**Sat 11th Aug, 3pm – 5pm**

**Beats on the Beach with DJ Rory Hoy**

**Sat 18th Aug, 3pm**

**March of The Mermaids**

**Sun 19th Aug, 12.30pm**

**Family Disney Quiz with DJ Trev  
(£1 per person quiz entry fee)**

**Sun 26th Aug, 2pm – 10pm**

**Mods on the Beach 2018 -  
Urban Beach Closing Party**



Check our website in June for full details of all Henshaws Urban Beach events.

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