



## BOOKING INFORMATION

### Evening performances and events:

To book tickets for evening performances and events contact Emily Thwaite, programme co-ordinator on 01453 844851 - weekdays, 9am-6pm; weekends, 12noon-4pm.

Prices £5 - £15 (with concessions) - check for individual events. Tickets will also be on sale on the door, subject to availability.

### Classes and workshops:

To reserve places contact the relevant tutor:

If tutor's phone number is not displayed, contact 01453 844851.

Prices - vary from £2 upwards. In most cases, participants pay fees directly to the tutor. Again, it will usually be possible to turn up and take part on the day.

## Membership scheme

We have launched a membership scheme for the project. This allows people to show their support for the project whilst enjoying discounts and priority booking for events. Membership lasts for one year and is available to individuals and families.

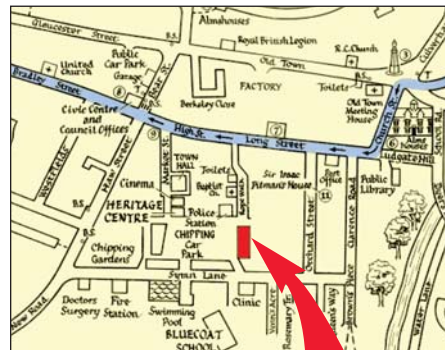
Full details are available from Margaret and Rob Carruthers on 01453 844129 or [www.UnderTheEdgeArts.org.uk](http://www.UnderTheEdgeArts.org.uk)

## Forthcoming events - Summer/Autumn 05

Edge Community Theatre's annual summer production - Saturday, July 30: The Crooked Mile (35 local young people in original play with music & dance)

Images of Wotton - everyone invited to submit framed works of art inspired by Wotton-under-Edge (contact Rob Collins on 01453 844070 for details)

## HOW TO FIND US



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We are here

UNDER THE EDGE ARTS  
The Chipping Hall, The Chipping  
Wotton-under-Edge

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## Want to run a class or an event?

If you are interested in organising a class or arts event, please contact us on 01453 844851.

Contact us at:  
Wotton Arts Project  
c/o The Court House, 9 Old Town  
Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire GL12 7DH  
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## Spring/Summer Programme

### at The Chipping Hall Wotton-under-Edge



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# THE EDGE ARTS 2005

# CALENDAR

## Performances and events

### April

- 23 **Poetry Event** internationally acclaimed poet, Wendy Cope, will read her work: an entertaining, memorable evening 8pm
- 24 **African Drumming & Dance** - first of monthly sessions for all ages, following last programme's success 11am-1pm
- 29 **Drama Showcase** - impressive work by young people from KLB: for all, particularly students interested in GCSE and A level drama courses 7pm
- 30 **Drawing & Printing Workshop** - for children aged 11+ Bring a photo of a building, musical instrument or flower to work from (book with Ann on 01454 294875) 2-4pm

### May

- 1 **Traditional Jazz Workshop** -musicians of all abilities invited to join Brian Hathaway & his trad jazz band 5-6.30pm
- 1 **Spatz Hathaway & the Hustlers** -local jazz band in concert, bar and food available first 7.30pm
- 7 **Lazy Daisies Exhibition** - fresh from the Eden Project in Cornwall, thousands of embroidered flowers made by local people, with artist Brenda Miller 10am-4pm
- 13 **Salsa Social** - party night with our popular salsa teachers Joe & Sinead 8pm
- 14 **Pandemonium Steel Band Workshop** for all ages Short, lively performance 6-7pm 7.30pm
- 15 **Under Fives Fun Day** - singing, art, stories, drama, puppets & dance 11am-3pm
- 15 **Jazz Club** - house trio, joined by Emma Hutchinson singing 'jazz standards' 8pm
- 22 **EDge Dance Day** - workshop for 11-21 yr old dancers, with London Contemporary Dance School, followed by short performance(book on 01453 844851) 11am-5pm
- 28 **Stained Glass Workshop** - with Caroline Hatherell of Gold Pink Glass. Fun and creative. Focus on design as well as making. Materials supplied to make a small panel. Book in good time, on 01453 844851 9.30am-5.30pm
- 29 **African Drumming & Dance** -join our regular popular group 11am-1pm
- 29 **Tea Dance** - for all ages,includes home-made cakes 3-5pm

### June

- 3 **Poetry Event** - a rare opportunity to hear the Poet Laureate, Andrew Motion, reading his own work in Wotton-under-Edge (book early on 01453 844851) 8pm
- 11 **Karaoke Day** - all welcome - Children 3-5.30pm (for details, 01453 845193) Adults & young people 7.30pm
- 12 **Merlin Haven Garden Event** - special fundraising event, for the arts centre, by Merlin Haven residents: enjoy the street's gardens, music, art, teas & unicycling! 12noon-4.30pm
- 12 **Jamming Session** - musicians, 10 - 17yrs (book, 01453 844495) 2-5pm
- 18 **Stroud Valleys Artspace Open Studios** - Exhibition featuring work by a dozen locally-based artists, including Rob Collins 10am-5pm
- 18 **Vibranauts** - six-piece band, formerly Brubaker, playing at Wotton Town Hall. Back by popular demand - Pre-booking essential, on 01453 521279 8pm
- 26 **Jazz Club** - house trio, joined by Londoner Patrick Soul playing tenor & soprano saxophone and piano 8pm

### July

- 2 **Wotton-under-Edge Dance Festival** -Workshops and performances involving wide variety of styles from local groups & individuals - refreshments available. Details, 01453 844851 4-9.30pm
- 3 **Folk Night** - musicians and audience all welcome: a chance to enjoy folk music together; with real ale & snacks! (contact Ann on 01454 294875) 8pm
- 3 **African Drumming & Dance** 11am-1pm
- Under the Edge Quilters Exhibition** - a chance to enjoy and admire quilts & patchwork created by our resident craft group: crafts also available to buy 10am-4.30pm 11am-3pm
- 9 & 10 **Hayley Savage & Appassionata** - concert of classical guitar music 7.30pm
- 15 **Music Workshop for young people, with PeeWee Ellis**, internationally acclaimed saxophonist & former music director for James Brown 2-5pm
- 16 **The PeeWee Ellis Band** - seven-piece band playing a mix of funk & gospel sounds, at Wotton Town Hall Book on 01453 845705 8pm (for 8.30pm)
- 17 **Jamming Session** (book, 01453 844495) 2-5pm
- 23 **Groove Project Gig** - culmination of the season's work by this creative, local young band, followed by DJ Jack. At Wotton Town Hall. Unmissable! 7.30pm (for 8pm)
- 24 **Tea Dance** - for all ages, includes home-made cakes 3-5pm

## Classes

### Dance

- NEW!** Tues **Freestyle Jazz** with Sarah-Jane Noad (young adults & 15+) 07813 973 786 6-7pm
- Wed **Creative Dance** with Gloucestershire Dance (11-16 yr olds) 01452 550431 6.30-7.30pm
- Thu **Salsa** with Joe and Sinead (07971 065750) 8-10pm
- Sat **The Edge Street Dancers** with Di King (9 -14 yr olds) 01453 791844 Postponed until September 10.30am-12.30pm

### Arts & Crafts

- Tues **Back to the Drawing Board** - drawing course with Sue Waterfield, for unemployed people & 'returners' - limited places ( book on 01453 542060) 9.30am-12 noon
- NEW!** Tues **Mosaics** - short introductory course with Jill Frank, designing & making simple mosaic tiles (book on 01453 542060) 1-3pm
- Wed **Painting** with Rob Collins, Life,still life, landscapes (01453 844070) 9.30am-12.30pm
- Wed **Life Drawing** contact Christopher Smith (01453 844495) 7.45 - 9.45pm
- Thu **Quilting & Patchwork:** May 5 ; June 9; July 7 monthly (Betty Hebditch, 01453 845319) 1-3pm
- Thu **South Cotswold Artists** April 28; May 26; June 30 monthly (Jenny Higgins 0117 937 2612) 10am-3pm

### Music & Singing

- Mon **Blow Away Band** with Gordon Phillips - wind instruments, all ages (01453 842499) 4.15-5.15pm
- Mon **Round the Edge Community Choir** with Liz Martin (01453 845193) 8-9.30pm
- Tues **The Groove Project** with Katie Elliott. Variety of instruments & voices, young people (01453 845705) May 10; June 7; July 12 7.30-9.30pm
- NEW!** Tues **Orchestra**, playing classical music for fun fortnightly (for details, contact 01453 547317) 7.30-9.30pm

### Drama

- Mon **Improvisation drama** - Soup of the Evening - with Bill Sanderson & Emily Thwaite (12 - 18yr olds) 6.30-7.45pm
- Wed **Drama** with Jacky Scofield & Pam Stewart (8 -13 yr olds) 01453 521782 4.45-6.15pm
- Thurs **Drama with Creative Play**, with Jacky Scofield & Becky Shaw (4-7 yr olds) 01453 521782 3.30-4.15pm

