Supporting you with the cost of living

Challenges with the cost of living may no longer be the latest news headlines, but Hull City **Council remains as** committed as ever to supporting residents who may be struggling with their finances.

The council and its partners from the voluntary sector can support residents in a variety of ways from keeping warm, bills and debt, food and benefits to housing, mental health and much more.

And over the winter months they will continue to provide the latest updates about the cost of living.

Community Grants

A funding boost for around 40 voluntary and community organisations across Hull will allow them to help more residents with the cost of living during the colder months.

The Cost of Living Community Grants aim to support households who are finding it difficult to manage financial obligations - such as energy and food - and who may need help with managing debt. Some of the organisations will also use the grants to provide additional Warm Spaces and social activities, helping to bring communities together.

The grants are administered

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by the Hull-based umbrella group Forum, with local firm Ideal Heating providing additional sponsorship.

Leader of Hull City Council, Councillor Mike Ross, said: "I'm pleased that so many of these vital groups have been successful in applying for funding to boost their important work.

"They have a great understanding of how this funding can be best spent, whether it's by providing Warm Spaces, supplying winter clothing and bedding, or visiting people in their homes who can't get out easily.

"Our Community Plan sets out our aim for a healthier and fairer Hull, and it's good that these grants will be spread out across the city, both in terms of locations but also the specific groups of people being targeted for help.'

School uniform grants

Hull City Council has also agreed to provide extra help to families with school uniform costs. £50 grants will support around 1,400



Year 7 pupils in the city.

Leader of Hull City Council, Mike Ross, said: "Having been asked to look at the level of funding for school uniforms by full council, I know it was the right move to increase the amount available for those in need. We know that £50 won't cover every item of uniform, which is why we've called on the government to provide additional support to allow local authorities like Hull to get more help to children from low-income families."

As with previous years, families who receive free school meals who have children in Year 7 will be allocated the £50 grant which will be paid in vouchers. Working with the city's secondary schools, the funds should be distributed by the start of October half-term.



Most of the funding to help people with cost of living pressures is funded by the Department for Work and Pensions' Household Support Fund (HSF), which is used in Hull to help the most vulnerable people and families.

You can find out more about venues that are offering services this winter, including Warm Spaces, via the Your Hull Maps section of the council website: www.hull.gov.uk Select 'Warm Spaces' in 'Local Information.'

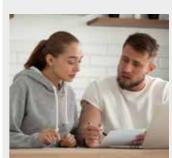
There's also lots of help and advice available ahead of the winter via Home Hull Warm Homes.

To find out more about cost of living support visit www.hull.gov.uk/costofliving

Scan QR Code to find out more



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Money Talks Talk Money Week to take place in November.



Celebration of women in maritime

First look at powerful portrait celebrating the role of women in the maritime industry.



RECYCLING CHANGES

Introduction of new waste management schemes.



Welcome to your Hull City Council News



Welcome to the latest issue of our residents newspaper, I hope you find it both interesting and useful. By working together, we can get the better Hull we all want.

I hear the concerns from residents about issues in daily life, from the cost of living

crisis, the state of their community or getting around the city.

As Leader of Hull City Council, I am doing everything possible to make our city a cleaner, safer and fairer place to live. Real change is happening, right across the city, day in, day out.

Right now, Drypool Bridge is being fixed. With Queen's Gardens nearly renovated, as a council, we passed a massive package of investment for our other jewels in the city's crown. From the King

Billy statue to the Cenotaph, and the fountains off Princes Avenue, we are getting on with the job.

Meanwhile, it's the same in our local communities. The council's 'Love Your Neighbourhood' team has cleaned hundreds of streets right across the city. The Crime Prevention Fund has funded over 100 projects to help with community safety. The council is doing its bit to support local people with the cost of living too. We have a dedicated area of the council

website for residents to visit. We have increased the grant for parents who need support to pay for school uniforms, and we're backing groups to help people right across the city. This is a national problem, but these are local actions to help the city. Finally, I want to say thank you. Thank you to every resident across the city who is doing their bit to make Hull a better place to live. It is by working together we will get the Hull we want.

Councillor Mike Ross, Leader of Hull City Council

Time to talk money



At the start of November
Hull City Council and
partners will come together
to promote Talk Money
Week where local experts
will join forces to help and
support residents with
managing their money.

Talk Money Week 2025 runs from the 3-7 November and encourages residents to speak up about their money worries.

Leader of Hull City Council,
Councillor Mike Ross, said:
"Talking about money isn't always
easy, but it is really important
people know there is help out there.
This campaign is about helping
people feel more confident,
supported and highlighting where
they can access help."

Throughout the week, the council is collaborating with local partners to highlight free, trusted

support to help you take control of your money. There will be resources shared online to highlight what help and support is available. The week will culminate with 'Talk Money Week – Ask the Experts', a public event, taking place at Princes Quay on 8 November from 11am – 3pm on the third floor.

Leader of the Council, Councillor Mike Ross added: "The event is a chance for residents to speak directly to local experts in a friendly, informal setting. Whether it's just a quick question or you need help finding the right support, this is a valuable opportunity to get free, honest advice from people who are here to help. Talking about money can help you make better decisions, feel less stressed, understand what help is available and help you plan more confidently."

At the event, you can expect to speak to experts from the following organisations:

GamCare, Stop Loan Sharks,
Age UK, Barclays, Mind, Warm
Homes, Money Helper, Army
Recruitment, Utility Warehouse,
Sight Support, Veterans
Outreach, MOD Recruitment,
Police Fraud and Scams, Fire
Services, James Legal, Just Now
Financial – Insurance Specialist,
Citizen's Advice, Hull Culture &
Leisure, Active Humber and
Healthy Start and more...
Find out more at:

hull.gov.uk/talkmoneyweek

Scan QR Code to find out more





A message from Citizens Advice

At Citizens Advice Hull and East Riding, we know that tackling your money issues starts with talking about them.

We are a local charity that's been helping people with a range of problems for more than 85 years. In the last year debt, benefits and other financial matters topped the list as we supported people with more than 112,000 issues.

Everyone's situation is unique, which is why it's important to get personalised, independent advice from a trusted source. Every day, we see people walk away from our services with a sense of a weight having been lifted.

Just recently, our debt team helped a single dad who was struggling to cope with debts and the endless letters and visits from bailiffs. The situation was having a terrible effect on his mental health, but we managed to secure a debt relief order for him clearing debt worth £49,000, allowing him to tackle priority bills.

Our client's parents were delighted to hear him singing one day when he returned home from work for the first time in a long while. They said we would never know how much this meant to them, but we do have some idea!



Last year, our clients gained £34,000,000 in their finances and we were able to write off £7,700,000 of debts. That's a lot of weight lifted, and it all started with a chat.

We're all thinking about the cost of living and our household bills with winter on the way – and we have a specialist Energy Team to help you save money on your bills, make sure you're not missing out on benefits you're entitled to and find support for you if you're in debt.

Friendly, sympathetic support is out there, whatever the problem. We're here to help – and that's why we're delighted to be part of Talk Money Week. You can get in touch with us at: hullandeastridingcab.org.uk or call our Advice Line on 0808 278 7981.





Transformed museum will celebrate women in maritime industry

Hull Maritime Museum is entering a bold new chapter in its history. As the Grade II listed building, a cornerstone of the city's heritage is reimagined as a dynamic, 21st century visitor attraction and educational space.

A standout feature of the new galleries will be a powerful portrait honouring the vital role of women in the maritime industry.

Created by acclaimed Yorkshire artist Ruth Fitton, the portrait features Karolina Jabrzyk, a Humber Marine Pilot 1st Class for Associated British Ports (ABP) Humber. This striking artwork not only celebrates Karolina's achievements but symbolises the broader contributions of women in a traditionally male-dominated field.

The portrait highlights the essential work of women like Karolina and the critical role



"It has been a delight to work with Karolina, getting to know her determination, skill and courage in her role as a Pilot on the Humber. It has been a pleasure to create this portrait for the permanent collection at Hull Maritime Museum."

Ruth Fitton

Humber Pilots play in ensuring the safe navigation of vessels in and out of the estuary.

Ruth Fitton, a self-taught artist with international acclaim, captured Karolina's likeness through a series of sittings and sketches, culminating in a beautifully detailed oil painting that will take pride of place in the museum's permanent collection.

Councillor Mike Ross, Leader of Hull City Council, said: "This portrait is a powerful tribute to the women shaping the maritime industry today. It reflects Hull's proud maritime heritage while also looking forward, recognising the diverse individuals who continue to drive it forward. We are proud to include this important new addition to the Maritime Museum's collection."

Karolina Jabrzyk, added: "It's a tremendous honour to have my portrait painted for the Hull

Turning a beautiful building into a 21st century museum

Work to transform the Maritime Museum is now reaching a significant milestone, with fit-out specialists Marcon, renowned for their work in heritage and cultural spaces, leading the next phase of the museum's redevelopment.

Following a detailed planning phase, Marcon is set to bring Hull's maritime stories to life through immersive storytelling, cutting-edge technology and interactive displays.

Each gallery will be uniquely



themed to reflect different aspects of Hull's 800-year maritime history, from its bustling docks and shipping industry to its worldfamous whaling collections and intricate scrimshaw art. Visitors can expect state-of-the-art displays, striking graphics and captivating audio-visual elements that will breathe new life into the museum's historic interiors.

Hull Maritime is funded by



Hull City Council and The National Lottery Heritage Fund, thanks to National Lottery players. It encompasses the redevelopment of six historic sites in Hull city centre: the transformation of the Grade II Hull Maritime Museum and the Dock Office Chambers, Queen's Gardens and the creation of a new visitor attraction at the North End Shipyard and the restoration of two historic vessels, the Arctic Corsair and Spurn Lightship.

Maritime Museum. Ruth Fritton has captured not just my likeness, but the spirit of a profession that's deeply rooted in the Humber's maritime heritage. I hope this exhibition inspires others to explore the rich history of our region and the vital role marine pilots continue to play in keeping our ports safe and thriving."

Andrew Dawes, Regional Director for the Humber ports, commented: "Karolina's portrait being featured in the Hull Maritime Museum is a proud moment for all of us. It's a powerful recognition of her achievements as a marine pilot and a celebration of the vital role women continue to play in shaping



"Ruth Fritton has captured not just my likeness, but the spirit of a profession that's deeply rooted in the Humber's maritime heritage

Karolina Jabrzyk

the maritime industry. Seeing her represented in this way is not only inspiring - it's a milestone that will encourage future generations to pursue careers on the water."

Ruth Fitton said: "The depiction of women in contemporary art is a subject very close to my heart. It has been a delight to work with Karolina, getting to know her determination, skill and courage in her role as a Pilot on the Humber. It has been a pleasure

to create this portrait for the permanent collection at Hull Maritime Museum.'

The portrait will be unveiled when the Hull Maritime Museum reopens next year offering visitors a fresh and inclusive perspective on the city's seafaring legacy. With its blend of heritage and innovation, the museum promises to be a beacon of cultural pride for Hull and a must-visit destination for generations to come.

Getting ready for recycling change

We're introducing new waste management schemes in Hull. With just three clear categories, recycling is simple. Less waste, less hassle - more impact for our community and the environment.

From March 2026, recycling will be easier and more consistent across England. The new Simpler Recycling system means everyone, whether at home, work or school, will be able to recycle the same materials.

Hull already meets many of the

government's new simpler recycling standards. However, some key changes are coming:

- weekly food waste collections will be introduced for all flats and households
- · households with brown bins



will have them collected weekly from March 2026

- blue bin collections will continue as normal for all households
- flats will receive new recycling facilities and separate food waste bins
- businesses and public buildings to separate food waste and recyclables from general waste.

Flats recycling trial

Trials are taking place at a number of flats across the city to prepare for the city-wide rollout of recycling and food waste collections. This will see a six-month trial launch for over 700 flats across the city.

The trial will test:

- different bin types and collection frequencies
- ways to reduce contamination
- how to keep bin areas clean and tidy.

Our recycling staff have been out engaging with residents throughout the trial to gather feedback and help shape the final service.

Why recycling matters

Recycling is important for both the environment and local services. Unlike black bin waste, which is often incinerated, recycled

materials are reused, helping to lower carbon emissions. It also costs less to recycle waste than to process general waste, saving money for council taxpayers and allowing more funding for other essential services.

With the introduction of

weekly food waste recycling, collected food waste will be turned into peat-free compost, supporting local farmers and promoting sustainable agriculture.

Waste and recycling packs

Waste and recycling packs should have arrived on residents' doorsteps from the first week of October. The packs include your new waste and recycling centre pass - keep this until March 2027, as well as information guides and a calendar for the next few months. However, from March 2026, you will receive a new calendar with the new changes.

"This is going to be a really exciting change for Hull," said Councillor Charles Quinn, portfolio "I'm in my nineties and enjoy recycling and thinks it's good for the environment."

Your waste and recycling pack 2025/26



holder for environment, Hull City Council, adding, "The new waste management scheme will make the recycling process for residents in Hull much simpler. By adding a weekly food waste collection, it will bring down the amount of general waste we are producing. I am pleased as this will also have a huge, positive, impact on the environment."



All Hull City Council households are eligible for one free bulky item collection of up to 5 single items in a 12-month period.

If you need to dispose of more, there is a minimum charge of £5.

Book a free bulky item collection at www.hull.gov.uk/bulky





Tackling fly-tipping in Hull

The council continues to keep Hull clean, clearing tonnes of fly-tipping every month. Recently, enforcement officers referred five fly-tipping cases for prosecution, resulting in the offenders receiving a criminal record, and paying a combined £3,950 in fines and costs.

Councillor Charles Quinn, portfolio holder for environment, said: "Fly-tipping is a crime. It's unsightly and harmful. Together, we can keep Hull clean."

Fly-tipping is defined as the 'illegal deposit of any waste onto land that does not have a licence to accept it'. Anyone caught fly-tipping will receive a £1,000 fine.

If the fine is unpaid, attempts





to communicate are ignored or the council has to remove waste, the case will be referred for prosecution – which can result in an unlimited fine, imprisonment, or both.

To report fly-tipping visit the council website or call **01482 300 300.**

Support for families struggling with school attendance SUPPORTING HULL'S COMMUNITY PLAN



Hull City Council is reaching out to parents and carers across the city with a clear message: vou're not alone. The council is encouraging families to access the wide range of support available to help children get back into the classroom.

While attending school every day may seem straight forward, many families face real and complex barriers that make regular attendance difficult.

From mental health struggles to financial pressures, these challenges can quickly lead to a decline in attendance that's hard

Councillor Linda Tock, portfolio holder for children's services says: "Helping families overcome the barriers to school attendance is one of the most important things we can do. It's not about blame it's about working together to give every child the best chance.

"We know every family's situation is different, and we're here to listen, not judge. Our role is to make sure support is available when it's needed most.'

Recognising this, Hull City Council is working closely with schools, local services, and

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organisations to ensure families receive the right help at the right time. The council's educational welfare team, alongside NHS partners, are committed to offering practical, non-judgmental support tailored to each family's needs.

What support is available?

Depending on individual circumstances, families can access advice on:

- · mental health support for children and parents.
- · help with school meals, uniforms and independent travel training.
- advice on applying for a school place.
- guidance from the education welfare team.

To make support more accessible, the council is hosting informal "Tea and Chat" sessions every term. These drop-in

events take place at Family Hubs and youth centres across Hull, offering expert advice in a relaxed setting where families can talk openly about any issues affecting attendance.

Hull City Council is urging families not to wait until problems become overwhelming. If you're feeling unsure, worried, or overwhelmed about your child's school attendance, help is available now.

For more information and to explore available resources, visit: www.hull.gov.uk/schoolattendance

New vision for the future

In the summer, Hull **City Council officially** launched its new plan for children and young people.

The Children and Young People's Plan 2025-2030 outlines how the local authority and its partners will work together to improve the lives and outcomes of Hull's youngest citizens.

The plan was co-produced with children, young people and partners, creating a strong, shared vision and understanding of the needs of the children and young people in the city.

Through surveys and with the help of local partners, the council managed to gather the views of over 9,000 young people in the city, providing much insight into

the things that need to

be focused on in order to most improve children's lives and experiences.

Councillor Linda Tock, the portfolio holder for Children's Services at Hull City Council, said: "Hull City Council has placed children and young people at the very heart of its Community Plan. We have the ambition to make Hull a child-friendly city and a place where lifelong learning is valued, supporting access to good quality jobs, and ensuring everyone can reach their potential.

"Children from across the city have helped the council to co-produce this refreshed five-year Children and Young People's Plan, setting out how we and our partners will

continue to support children. This means we can live in a city that children and young people feel proud to call home and a city where every young person knows their voice matters.

"It's a shared commitment - one that ensures children and young people are not just spoken about, but heard, included, and empowered. The plan helps shape how services are delivered and ensures we are held accountable for the decisions we make and the futures we influence."

You can find the plan on the council website hull.gov.uk or access a copy through your local library or Family Hub.



WOW, WHAT A SUPER SUMMER IT WAS!

Here are just a small selection of photos taken at a few of the many events that took place over the summer period.

Councillor Rob Pritchard, portfolio holder for culture and leisure said: "Wow, what a super summer it was, with so many great events and activities taking place right across the city. My personal highlights were Humber Street Sesh and the Freedom Festival to name just a couple.



Councillor Rob Pritchard volunteering at Humber Street Sesh

"Over the following six pages you'll find lots more to do in the months ahead, there something for everyone and a number of them as always are free to attend.

"Make sure you visit **culturehull**. **com** as there is much more happening than we can cover in this edition of Hull CC News."



Care to share?

Zebfest

Could you open your home to an adult, offer them the best level of care and support and welcome them as a valued member of your family?

This is exactly what Nigel and Brian do, and they love it!

"It's rewarding, very rewarding. We have a nice family unit now. Michael, who we support, is very much loved and we all have a nice life together," explains Nigel.

The scheme needs people with a big heart, strong family values and room in their home to be able to care for and support an adult in living their life with choice and control, doing the things that they enjoy and with the people that are important to them.

Michael describes how this has changed his life: "It's a better life which I never had. I now go on



"It's rewarding, very rewarding. We have a nice family unit now."

Nigel, Shared Lives Carer

holidays, swimming and go to the beach."

You can support people on a long-term basis (for as long as you both need and want) or, for short breaks, such as one weekend, a month or an occasional week to give a main carer a break. This gives you flexibility to provide care and support when you can.

You will receive training to meet the person's care and support needs, and you will have ongoing emotional and financial support throughout. No Shared Lives arrangement will take place unless everyone is happy to go ahead.

Brian is very happy with the support he and Nigel receive. He said: "Any questions, if there is something we are unsure of, we can just ring the Shared Lives Team and get an answer from one of them. They are great to work with."

Councillor Linda Chambers, portfolio holder for adult social care, said: "The commitment from Shared Lives Carers to the people they support is inspirational. I'd like to thank them for being involved in the scheme and I would very much encourage others to do so."



Next steps of becoming a **Shared Lives carer**

The best way to register your interest or for more information is to complete the online form via the following webpage:

www.livewellhull.org.uk/accessing-adult-care/care-homes-housing/6 Alternatively, you can email hullsharedlivesscheme@hullcc.gov.uk

Relaxed Family (SEND) Craft - Autumn artworks and Magical Creatures

Ferens Art Gallery

Mon 27 Oct 10.30am-12noon

• Free but booking essential
This is a relaxed, prebooked craft activity
with limited numbers designed for children
who have a disability, are neurodivergent or
experience anxiety. In the session children
can have a go at making their own autumn
themed artworks and unicorn/magical
creature craft.

www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Autumn Artworks-Family Art Activity

Ferens Art Gallery
Mon 27 Oct 1-3pm • Free
Make your own beautiful autumn
inspired art using a selection of different
materials, in this fun family activity.
www.hullmuseums.co.uk



Black Ball 40th Anniversary Show

Hull City Hall

Mon 27 Oct 7.30pm • £35.00 | VIP Meet & Greet £70.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Join Steve Davis and Dennis Taylor alongside host and referee John Virgo as they recreate the match that gripped a nation, the 1985 World Snooker Final in this special 40th Anniversary show. Age guidance 14+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Rude Science

Hull City Hall

Tue 28 Oct 11.30am & 3pm • £17.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
The naughtiest, funniest, most revolting science show in the world, Rude Science returns to Hull. Packed with outrageous science stunts, this curriculum-driven adventure is perfect for young audiences.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Inside No.9 Stage/Fright

Hull New Theatre
Tue 28 Oct- Sat 1 Nov Tue, Wed and
Fri 7.30pm; Thu and Sat 2.30pm &
7.30pm • £20.00 - £75.00 (Subject to
£1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50
per ticket facility fee)

"Expect the unexpected as the acclaimed BBC TV series comes to life on stage starring Reece Shearsmith and Steve Pemberton, weaving its signature web of twisted tales and black humour. Please note, this event is now sold out. Age guidance 12+ www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Something About George

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Tue 28 Oct 7.30pm • £29.50

The George Harrison Story – a musical biopic tribute from the creators of Something About Simon. Starring Daniel Taylor. www.hulltruck.co.uk

A Great Halloween Adventure

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Sat 25, Mon 27 & Tue 28 Oct 10am, 11.30am & 1.30pm • £7.50

A Halloween-themed adventure with arts & crafts followed by an interactive play. Adventurers are encouraged to come in Halloween dress! For ages 3–6. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Unicorns and Magical Creatures- Family Craft Activity

Streetlife Museum
Wed 29 Oct 1-3pm • Free

Join us to make your own craft inspired by unicorns and other magical creatures in this fun family activity! www.hullmuseums.co.uk

The Princess Proms Hull City Hall

Wed 29 Oct 1.30pm • £22.50 - £44.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Calling all Princes and Princesses, you are invited to an enchanting concert featuring magical music from the likes of Frozen, Wicked, Beauty and the Beast and Pocahontas. Age guidance 3+
www.hulltheatres.co.uk

The Bubble Show 2 – More Bubbles!

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Wed 29 Oct 2pm • £15

A dazzling bubble show telling the story of Bubbleland. A mesmerizing family experience. Suitable from age 2+.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Nosferatu X Radiohead: A Symphony of Horror (PG)

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Wed 29 Oct 7pm • £16 (Conc. £2 off)
Classic silent film paired with
Radiohead's Kid A & Amnesiac albums.

A unique big screen experience. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Relaxed (SEND) Halloween Family Crafting

Hull and East Riding Museum

Thur 30 Oct 10am-12pm • Free but booking essential

Join us for some spooky family crafting in this relaxed session designed for children and young people who have a disability, are neurodivergent, or experience anxiety, that would find it difficult to our drop-in sessions. Make your own ghost ship or cat and pumpkin inspired Halloween crafts.

www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Ghost Ships and Spooky skeletons Family Craft Activity

Hull and East Riding Museum

Thur 30 Oct 1-3pm • Free, Make your own spooky boat or skeleton craft in this fun maritime themed family activity inspired by spooky takes of the sea.

What will you create?

www.hullmuseums.co.uk



Josh Jones: I Haven't Won The Lottery So Here's Another Tour

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Thur 30 Oct 7pm • £16.50
Stand-up comedy from Josh Jones with light-hearted humour about life, cats, wrestling and more.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Hulloween Spooktacular Trinity Market

Fri 31 Oct 10am – 5pm • Free
Have a scarily good time at Trinity
Market this Halloween with free family
fun for all ages. With spooky storytelling,
red carpet fashion show and costume
competition, Hull's first ever Zombie
Walk, mini-disco and stalls to explore it's
not to be ghosted! Come along and join
in frightfully good fun.
wwwhullbidevents.co.uk

Paul & Paulette Take A Bath (15)

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio



Silent Disco - Halloween Special!

Hull City Hal

Fri 31 Oct 8pm • £20.00

(Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Join us for a night of epic tunes and endless possibilities as we celebrate Halloween with one night at the disco. Slip on your headset with a banging soundtrack of epic dancefloor fillers from the 80s and 90s. Strictly 18+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Fri 31 Oct 7pm • £5 (£4 HIC Members)
An unconventional romantic comedy with dark themes, exploring fantasy and reality.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

The Signatures: Northern Soul Live

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Fri 31 Oct 7.30pm • £29.50
Authentic Northern Soul live show with
The Signatures, featured on BBC 6 Music.
www.hulltruck.co.uk

Jeddy Bear & Gary's Pie Wars

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Sat 1 Nov 2pm • £7

Comedy double act return with a Star Wars parody for ages 2+. Part of Hull Comedy Festival.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Best of 'Ull

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Sat 1 Nov 7pm • £13.50 (Conc. £2 off) Hull's comedy talent showcase. Part of Hull Comedy Festival. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Eddie Izzard: Hamlet [SOLD OUT]

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Sat 1 Nov 7.30pm • £45 - £35
Eddie Izzard performs Shakespeare's
Hamlet in a critically acclaimed
solo performance.
www.hulltruck.co.uk

Too Much Too Young

Hull City Hall

Sat 1 Nov 7.30pm • £26.00 - £28.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Prepare to be transported back in time with hits from the likes of Madness, The Specials, The Beat, Bad Manners, The Selecter, The Bodysnatchers, and more. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Michael Starring Ben

Hull City Hall

Sun 2 Nov 7.30pm • £28.50 - £30.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Celebrate the King of Pop with the ultimate tribute to Michael Jackson featuring a live band, dazzling costumes, iconic dance routines, and the greatest hits including Beat It, Billie Jean, and Thriller.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Herlarious Comedy

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Tue 4 Nov 7pm • £13.50 (Conc. £2 off)
A showcase of funny and female
comedians. Part of Hull Comedy Festival
www.hulltruck.co.uk

HENRY group programme for parents with children aged 0–5

Rainbow Family Hub, Wheeler Street, Tue 4 Nov (8 weeks) 10am – 12pm • Free Everyone wants the best for their

Free regular events across Hull

Business Coffee Mornings Hull Central Library (Business Pods) Fri 24 Oct, Fri 14 & 28 Nov 11am- 12pm Grab a cuppa, connect with other business owners and find out about the support available. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Maritime Guided Tours

Starts at the Museum Quarter gardens, outside the Hull and East Riding Museum of Archaeology Multiple Dates Every Thur, Sat and Sun.
Thur and Sat at 10.30am and Sun at 11.30am - long tour. Sun at 1.30pm - short tour

Free book your place online
Explore Hull's maritime city with a guided tour. Learn more about the city and how it's been shaped by its past, present and future.

www.maritimehull.co.uk/get-involved/guided-tours

Hands-On with Hull Maritime

Streetlife Museum, Museum Quarter

Every Thur (ongoing) 1pm-3pm

You will be able to explore objects related to the human and natural history of the River Hull, which the museum backs on to. Did you know the river was originally the site of the main port in Hull before the docks were built? maritimehull.co.uk

Family Hubs

Various Family Hubs across Hull
Multiple Dates & Locations Sessions throughout the week (term time) Free or a voluntary contribution of £1 per family Hull's 12 Family Hubs offer support to you and your family in your local community from conception, through the first 1,001 days (2 years) of your child's life and up to age 19, or up to 25 for young people with special educational needs and disabilitie

Located across Hull: North: Lemon Tree, Parks, McMillan East: Acorns, Longhill, Marfleet, Mersey, Little Stars West/Central: Priory, Rainbow, Fenchurch, Octagon

At Hull's Family Hubs you can find:

- Fun play and learning activities for babies and toddlers
- Social groups for parents and carers

 Access to health professionals including midwives and health visitor. Family Hubs give you the chance to meet other parents and carers as well as access services to support you and your growing family. The teams at our Family Hubs can also support you and your family with non-judgmental information and advice in your home." www.familyhubshull.org.uk

Ice Skate at the Hull Ice Arena!
The Hull Ice Arena Multiple Dates
Daily public skating; SEND sessions Tues & Fri; Junior Disco Skate Fri evenings Standard admission prices (see website) Whether you fancy gliding across the ice yourself or cheering on a team, the Hull Ice Arena is the perfect spot, with no booking needed for public skate sessions - just turn up and skate. The Hull Ice Arena is home to eight adult teams and recreational sides that attract fans from across the UK. If you would rather hold a stick than watch from the stands, beginner ice hockey lessons are also available. www.liveithull.co.uk/leisure-centres/hull-ice-arena



Try Cold Water Swimming! Albert Avenue Pools & Fitness, Albert Avenue, Anlaby Road, Hull, HU3 6QE Multiple Dates & Locations Multiple weekly sessions (see website for timetable) Standard admission prices (see website)
Try something new and take the plunge in the Lido! With proven health benefits, cold water swimming is a great way to energise body and mind. Sessions are for people aged 18+ only - if you have any medical issues or concerns, you must consult your GP before participating.
The cold water swim sessions can fill up fact, so secure your place in The cold-water swim sessions can fill up fast, so secure your place in advance on the Live It Hull App or by visiting www.hcandl.co.uk/ebookings. www.liveithull.co.uk/leisure-centres/

albert-avenue-pools-fitness

FREE Swimming for Under 3's! Albert Avenue Pools & Fitness, Woodford Leisure Centre, and Beverley Road Baths Multiple Dates & Locations Daily swim sessions available • Free for under 3's

Children under the age of 3 can enjoy free swimming at all of our leisure centres. Whether it's splashing around in the Leisure Fun Pool at Woodford Leisure Centre, joining a family swim session, or taking part in a public swim at Beverley Road Baths or Albert Avenue Pools & Fitness, there's plenty of fun to be had in the water. www.liveithull.co.uk

Under 5s Sessions (Baby Bounce, Toddler Time, Toddler Tunes, Storytime) Hull Central, Ings, Fred Moore, Freedom Centre, Avenues,

East Park and others various days and times
Keep little ones entertained and develop their love of language,
literacy and learning. Baby Bounce (rhymes & singing), Toddler Time
(crafts & stories), Toddler Tunes (music & movement) and Storytime across multiple libraries. No need to book (East Park Library requires booking).www.hulllibraries.co.uk



LEGO Club (Ages 4-14)

Various libraries Multiple Dates & Locations Various days & times Central (Wed 6-7pm & Sat 2-3pm) Bransholme (1st Sat 10:30-11:30am) Greenwood (fortnightly Fri 3:15-4:15pm)
Ings (3rd Sat 10:30-11:30am)
Fred Moore (Thu 4-5pm)
Join us for LEGO building fun at a library near you. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Family LEGO Club (Drop-in)

Hull History Centre First Sat monthly (to Dec) 10am-12pm Free family LEGO session - all welcome. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Street Dance (Ages 5-11) Various libraries Ongoing Various days & times Learn new skills and impress your friends with super

funky dance moves.

Bransholme (Mon 3:30-4:15pm)
Ings (Tue 3:45-4:30pm)
Freedom Centre (Thu 4-4:45pm)
Western (Sat 10:15-11am).

www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Make & Take Craft Club (Ages 4-14)

Hull Central Library Every Thur (ongoing) 6pm-7pm Get your craft on every week. All materials provided. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Family Crafts East Park Library *First Sat monthly (ongoing)* 12.30pm-1.30pm
Bring the whole family for a free creative crafting session in the Children's Library. All materials provided. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Chess Club (All ages & abilities)

Hull Central Library Every Sat (ongoing) 11am-1pm Sociable chess - boards, sets and clocks provided. Just turn up! www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Children's Art Club (Ages 4-16)
Bransholme Library Every Sat (ongoing) 10.30am-12pm
Weekly art club hosted by Hull artist Jon Keen. Painting, drawing and more. All materials provided. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Kids Book Club (Ages 8-11)

East Park Library Last Sat monthly (ongoing) 12.30-1.30pm Bring a book to chat about and help choose group reads. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

New Parents Group (Drop-in)

Bransholme Library Tues (term time) 10am-11.30am Meet other new parents; sensory toys and books provided for babies and toddlers. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Childminders Club

Avenues Library Mons (term time) 10am-11am Grab a free cuppa and connect with other childminders while the kids play. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Adult Book Clubs

Hull Central, Ings, Fred Moore Multiple Dates & Locations Various days & times • Free Join a regular reading group: **Hull Noir Crime** (2nd Tue 2-3pm, Central), **Ings Book Club** (last Tue 4:45-5:45pm, Ings), Afternoon Book Club (last Wed, Central),

Fred Moore Crime (1st Wed 2:30-3:30pm), LGBTQ+ Book Club (last Sat 11:15-12:45pm).

Hull Noir - Author in Conversation Hull Central Library & online Monthly Weds 7pm-9pm Jake Arnott, 22 Oct

Nicola Upson 10 Dec Carolyn Kirby 11 Feb. Crime authors in conversation with Hull Noir co-founders. In person + livestream. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Women of Words Hull Central Library *First Wed monthly 2-4pm*A platform for women writers; all welcome in the audience. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Family History Groups
Fred Moore Library: Mon & Thu 10am-12pm.
Greenwoode Library: 2nd & 4th Sat 10:30am.
More resources at Hull History Centre. Explore your family tree using free online websites or join a group session www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Bransholme Community Adults' Art Club (18+)

Bransholme Library Every Tue 1.30-2.30pm
Have fun, learn something new and be creative. All materials provided. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Art Club for Adults (18+)

Bransholme Library Every Thur 10am-12pm Bring your own materials and get creative together. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Mindful Colouring for Adults

Fred Moore (Mon & Thu 10am-12pm) Greenwood (2nd & 4th Sat 10:30am) Relax with mindful colouring in a friendly group setting. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Monday Mingle
Fred Moore Library Every Mon 2.30-4.30pm
Games and good company - make new friends. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Adults LEGO Lounge (18+)
Western Library Every Mon 2-4pm • Free Build, chat and relax - includes a free cuppa! www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Over 50s Fun & Games

Bransholme (fortnightly Wed 1:30-3pm); Ings (Mon 10-12noon & 2-4pm; Thu 1:30-3:30pm) Florence Nightingale House (fortnightly Tue 2-4pm). Gentle activities followed by a natter and a cuppa. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Yap & Yarn (Knitting & Crochet)

Avenues (1st Mon 11:30am-12:30pm) Bransholme (Thu 11:30-3:30pm) Fred Moore (Thu 2-4pm) Greenwood (Mon2-4pm) Craft groups for all skill levels. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Work Club (Drop-in)

Central (Thu 2-4pm)
Bransholme (Thu 10am-12pm)
Greenwood (Mon 2:30-4:30pm),
Ings (Wed 10am-2pm), Western (Thu 1-3pm)
Free support to use computers, search for jobs, complete a CV and find courses. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Universal Credit Drop-In

Bransholme Library Every Tue 2pm-4pm
Help setting up and updating your Universal Credit account. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Business Ideas Meetings

Hull Central Library or online Multiple Dates Various times Chat with an Enterprise & IP Librarian about starting up, protecting IP or developing ideas. In person or online. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Starting Solid Foods Workshops for Parents and Baby

Various Family Hubs
Multiple Dates & Locations Various times

Explore when your baby is ready to try solid food, what to start with, signs your baby is hungry and when they've had enough. Workshops also offer the chance to meet other parents and build your support network. Contact healthylifestylesteam@hullcc.gov.uk, visit www.facebook.com/healthylifestyleshull, or ask at your local Family Hub. www.familyhubshull.org.uk



Drypool exhibition - At the Heart of Drypool: One Year Streetlife Museum From Now Until-Sun 9 Nov

Streetlife Museum From Now Until- Sun 9 Nov
Step into the past at the Streetlife Museum this autumn as we
uncover 700 years of Hull's hidden history, from Tudor pottery to
evidence of an 18th century street. This new exhibition showcases
some of the extraordinary items unearthed by a team of archaeologists
and local volunteers at the site of Drypool, Hull's lost medieval village.
One year on from the dig, this exhibition explores what these rare finds
can tell us about the people who lived and worked there over
hundreds of years. www.hullmuseums.co.uk

2025 Open Exhibition

Ferens Art Gallery From Now Until - 11 Jan 2026 • Free The annual Open Exhibition at the Ferens Art Gallery has celebrated the creativity of local amateur and professional artists since 1967. Each year the Open Exhibition provides an exciting opportunity for artists to display and sell artwork. Visitors can expect to see a fascinating array of artwork including impressive paintings, photography and textiles, as well as a number of striking sculptures and ceramics, most of which will be for sale. www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Young Artist Open Exhibition

Ferens Art Gallery From Now Until - 11 Jan 2026

The Young Artist Open exhibition has been held annually at the Ferens Art Gallery since 2003 and celebrates the creative talent of young people in Hull and the surrounding area.

Artworks are submitted by individuals, schools, and local community

Artworks are submitted by individuals, schools, and local community groups, aged 15 and under. Each year there is a huge variety of work on display, from paintings and drawings to pastels, collage, and prints. Young artists are in the running to win prizes in three age categories, generously sponsored by the Friends of the Ferens and the Hull and East Riding Branch of The Arts Society. www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Echoes of our Heritage

Wilberforce House Museum From Now Until-23 Jan 2026 • Free "Echoes of Our Heritage" is a captivating exhibition that explores the rich history of Black music. As part of ""The Sound of Our Skin"" festival, this exhibition celebrates the vibrant and transformative power of Black musical traditions.

Beginning in Africa, where rhythm and melody were woven into daily life, Black music has journeyed across continents, profoundly shaping global culture. ""Echoes of Our Heritage"" highlights how African rhythms, such as the clave—a distinctive three-beat pattern—travelled through the transatlantic slave trade. These rhythms blended with other musical elements to create influential genres like blues, jazz, reggae, and hip-hop.

This exhibition showcases pivotal moments and influential figures in Black music, reflecting its resilience and creativity. It also highlights how contemporary Black musicians use their art to tackle social issues and inspire change.

Join us in celebrating this rich musical legacy and discover how the echoes of the past continue to shape the music of today.

Age UK Museums Group

Wilberforce House Museum Every Tue 11am-1pm • £3 per session (payable on the day)
Social group for over 55s run by Age UK
www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Community Café

Streetlife Museum Last Fri of the month 12-2pm Dementia friendly session for older people. Join us for quizzing, singing, crafting and a cuppa all in the inspiring setting of the Streetlife Museum. www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Recovery College

Ferens Art Gallery
Mondays in termtime 10-11:30am
Wellbeing through Creativity
www.hullmuseums.co.uk

children, but it can be hard to know what to do as a parent. That's where HENRY comes in. This free programme helps parents and carers give their children the best possible start in life. Delivered in person at Family Hubs, local venues, and online (8 sessions). A great way to meet other parents, enjoy social time and build your support network. Contact healthylifestylesteam@hullcc. gov.uk or visit www.facebook.com/healthylifestyleshull www.familyhubshull.org.uk

'Allo 'Allo

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1

Tue 4 – Thur 6 Nov 7.30pm • £18.50
(Conc. £3 off)

Stage version of the hit TV comedy performed by One Off Productions.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Lunchtime Organ Showcase

Hull City Hall
Wed 5 Nov 12.30pm • £5.00

The popular Lunchtime Organ Showcase returns with Organist of the Metropolitan Tabernacle Baptist Church in London, Benjamin Chewter. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Phil Nichol: Trying My Best

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Wed 5 Nov 7pm • £13.50 (Conc. £2 off) Stand-up comedy show. Part of Hull Comedy Festival.

www.hulltruck.co.uk



I'm Sorry I Haven't A Clue

Hull New Theatre

Wed 5 Nov 7.30pm • £15.00 - £20.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Join chairman Jack Dee, a panel of top comedians plus pianist Colin Sell for an unmissable evening of inspired nonsense with Radio 4's long running comedy show. Age guidance 14+ Single seats only

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

First Thursday Theatre Club – Theatre Making: Approaches to Co-Creation

Hull Truck Theatre, Inter@ct
Thur 6 Nov 10.30am • £7.50
Workshop exploring collaborative
theatre-making methods.
www.hulltruck.co.uk

Joe Kent Walters is Frankie Monroe: Dead!!! (Good Fun Time)

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Thur 6 Nov 7pm • £13.50 (Conc. £2 off)

Comedy from Frankie Monroe. Part of Hull Comedy Festival. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Joseph Cox & Gary Hammond: Convergence / Meridian: Claire Holdich & Stephanie Halsey 'Awakening'

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Fri 7 Nov 6pm • £10
Atmospheric double-bill with music, improvisation, and soundscapes.
Part of Hull Jazz Festival.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Vincent Simone: Tango Passions

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Fri 7 Nov 7.30pm • £37.50 - £33.50
Strictly Come Dancing star Vincent
Simone presents a passionate
Argentine Tango show.
www.hulltruck.co.uk

Deirdre Cartwright Organik Trio

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Fri 7 Nov 8pm • £15

Jazz trio performing classics and originals. Part of Hull Jazz Festival. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Talk Money Week - Ask The Experts

Princes Quay - 3rd Floor
Sat 8 Nov 11am - 3pm • Free
A chance to get free face-to-face
advice from local experts on bills,
benefits, budgeting and much more!
Drop in at our city centre event to find
out what support is available to help
you feel more in control of your money.
www.hull.gov.uk/talkmoneyweek

Hull Youth Jazz Orchestra with Humber Music Hub Ensembles

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Sat 8 Nov 3pm • £10

Youth musicians perform Ellington and Mingus. Part of Hull Jazz Festival. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Su Pollard: Still Fully Charged

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Sat 8 Nov 7.30pm • £29
Celebrating Su Pollard's 50 years in show business with stories, songs, and characters.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Roy Chubby Brown

Hull City Hall

Sat 8 Nov 7.30pm • £28.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

After 50 years in show business, Roy Chubby Brown has proven himself time and time again, his millions of fans are testimony to the fact that he is Britain's King Of Comedy. Strictly 18+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Mambo Jambo and Joe Martin

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Sat 8 Nov 8pm • £15 Eclectic genre-defying music with violin and world influences. Part of Hull Jazz Festival.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Remembrance Sunday

Cenotaph – Ferensway (parade from Queen Victoria Square) Sun 9 Nov Parade 10.25am, Service 10.55am, Silence 11am, March past 11.25am • Free to all

The annual Hull Remembrance Day Parade and service will take place at the Cenotaph on Sun 9 Nov. The service is a partnership with Hull City Council, 150 Regiment – (The Royal Logistic Corps) and Royal British Legion. The service is open to all to attend. The parade will leave Carr Lane at 10:25am and arrive at the Cenotaph for 10:30am followed by civic guests arriving at 10:40am. The service will commence at 10:55am with two minutes silence at 11:00am, then continues with wreath laying followed by a march past at 11:25am. Members of the public are advised to arrive early around the Cenotaph. The service is by the Hull Branch of the Royal British Legion with military representation from 150 Regiment. Any members of the public wishing to lay wreaths or wooden crosses are asked to wait until the service has taken place before making their way to the cenotaph monument to lay them.

Albertine Sarges (Get It Loud in Libraries)

Hull Central Library
Sun 9 Nov 2:30 - 4:30pm • £12
Live performance from Albertine Sarges

www.seetickets.com

on her UK tour.

Countess Dracula

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio

Tue 11 Nov 7pm • £13.50

A bold new take on a classic monster story.

www.hulltruck.co.uk



Stick Man

Hull New Theatre
Tue 11 and Wed 12 Nov
Tue 4.30pm; Wed 10.30am and
4.30pm • £16.00 | U16 £14.00 (Subject
to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and
£2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Touching, funny and utterly original, the
stage adaptation of Julia Donaldson and
Axel Scheffler's Stick Man returns to Hull.
www.hulltheatres.co.uk



hristmas light's switch on

Queen Victoria Square

Thur 20 Nov 5:25-6:45pm (fireworks after switch on) • Free

Christmas begins on Fri 14 Nov with the delivery of the main 50ft Christmas tree into Queen Victoria Square, decorated by KWL staff ready for the Switch On event. Hull's stunning Christmas lights will be switched on in November in Queen Victoria Square. Over 300 decorations with approx 156,000 LEDs will adorn the city centre across the festive period with additional trees in some of our key areas, alongside the centrepiece 50ft spruce. The Lord Mayor Councillor Cheryl Payne will be joined by very special guests, including one direct from the North Pole, to get the festive period underway. On Thursday 20 November, Hull city centre will come alive with stunning light and sound installations, with thousands expected to join the crowd. Entertainment will get under way at 5.25pm, with DJ Darren Lethem once again taking the reins and introducing a whole host of entertainment live from Hull City Hall balcony, provided by State of The Arts Academy, with the countdown and switch-on at 6.45pm. The evening also kicks off late-night shopping across the city centre.

John Robertson Plays With His Audience

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Wed 12 Nov 7pm • £15

90 minutes of anarchic comedy and gaming fun

www.hulltruck.co.uk



Chuckl. Hull Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Wed 12 Nov 7.30pm • £23.50 Comedy night featuring Ed Byrne, Fiona Allen, Phil Ellis, and Joe Zalias. www.hulltruck.co.uk

The Illegal Eagles **Hull City Hall**

Wed 12 Nov 7.30pm • £36.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) This critically acclaimed show features the very best from the Eagles' catalogue of classics including Hotel California, Desperado, Take It Easy, New Kid In Town, Life In The Fast Lane and more. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

The Old Curiosity Shop

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Thur 13 - Sat 15 Nov 7pm • £17 Stage adaptation of Charles Dickens' novel. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Suzi Ruffell: The Juggle

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Thur 13 Nov 7.30pm • £18.50 (Conc. £2 off) Confessional stand-up comedy about life's challenges.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Steve Steinman's Anything For Love

Hull New Theatre

Thur 13 Nov 7.30pm • £35.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) From the highly acclaimed show producer of Vampire Rock, Steve Steinman returns to Hull with an evening of nostalgic classic rock from Meat Loaf and Jim Steinman. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

George Lewis: The Best Thing You'll Ever Do

Hull City Hall

Thur 13 Nov 8pm • £20.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Described as "the funniest dad on Instagram", stand-up comedian George Lewis heads to Hull. Activate the parents' WhatsApp groups, dump the kids with whoever is willing to have them, and join George for a brilliant night out. Age quidance 14+ www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Barry Steele's Roy Orbison Story

Hull City Hall

Fri 14 Nov 7.30pm • £30.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)



Take a journey back in time when Barry Steele's Roy Orbison Story returns to Hull City Hall featuring all the hits from the chart-toppers of the 60s to the remarkable sounds of The Traveling Wilburys in the 80s.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Locomotive for Murder: The Improvised whodunnit

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Fri 14 Nov 7.30pm • £24 - £18 ('Conc. £3 off) Interactive improvised murder mystery on a train www.hulltruck.co.uk

Laugh Out Loud Comedy Club

Hull City Hall: Mortimer Suite Fri 14 Nov 8pm • £18.00 - £22.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Each Laugh Out Loud Comedy Club show has three top professional comedians, plus your resident host and compere, Jed Salisbury, Hull's very own gagster extraordinaire. Age quidance 16+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Flourish with Ferens

Ferens Art Gallery Sat 15 Nov and Sat 20 Dec 10:30am - 12:00pm • Free but booking essential Artist led session for disabled and neurodivergent children and young people with Rosie Ireson. www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Saturday Talks: A City of Change with Ian Wolstencroft

Hull Central Library Sat 15 Nov 11am - 12.30pm • £3 donation

Talk exploring Hull as a city of change. Includes refreshments. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

Rave On

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Sat 15 Nov 7.30pm • £26 50s and 60s rock & roll musical adventure www.hulltruck.co.uk

Start Up Day 2025

Hull Central Library Mon 17 Nov 10.30am - 3pm • Free

As part of Global Entrepreneurship Week, enjoy an inspiring day of talks and practical sessions with resources to progress your business ideas. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

New Generation Wrestling

Hull City Hall Fri 21 Nov 7pm • £18.00 - £38.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee Europe's biggest and best familyfriendly wrestling show, New Generation Wrestling, returns home to Hull City Hall with a packed night of non-stop action. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Jon Ronson's **Psychopath Night**

Hull City Hall Sat 22 Nov 7.30pm • £29.50 - £39.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Join Jon Ronson for an electrifying journey into the enigmatic world of psychopaths and the perplexing concept of normalcy www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Hull Philharmonic Orchestra - Operatic **Showstoppers**

Hull City Hall

Sun 23 Nov 4pm • £10.00 - £29.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) The Hull Philharmonic Orchestra join forces with singers from East Riding County Choir and Hull Choral Union for an unforgettable afternoon of rousing operatic choruses. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

The Elvis Years at Christmas

Hull City Hall

Tue 25 Nov 7.30pm • £26.00 - £29.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Get into the Christmas spirit with the King when The Elvis Years at Christmas returns with a seasonal show featuring many of Elvis' biggest hits alongside some of the festive favourites he loved so much. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Tre Amici

Hull City Hall

Thur 27 Nov 7.30pm • £22.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Hull-born classical crossover trio Tre Amici return to their roots with a sensational evening of song featuring the All For One Choir, Gemma's Dance Academy and Andy Wilkins. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Step Into Christmas Hull City Hall

Fri 28 Nov 7.30pm • £30.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Guaranteed to fill your heart with holiday cheer, this spectacular Christmas concert is the ultimate way to kickstart your festive celebrations and is sure to have you singing along from start to finish.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Hull Truck Theatre presents... Oliver Twist

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Fri 28 Nov 2025 - Sun 4 Jan 2026 **7pm & 2pm •** £35 - £11 (Conc. avail.) Festive adaptation of Dickens' classic novel with music and dance. Supported by Hull Trains. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Victorian Christmas

Museums Quarter 29 and 30 Nov • Free

You are invited you to us at Hull Museums Quarter for a joyous Christmas celebration. Join us and immerse yourself in the

magic of Christmas with a wonderful selection of activities and delicious food and drink!

www.hullmuseums.co.uk

Hull Christmas Market

Hull City Centre 29 and 30 Nov • Free

Market stalls selling quality products, entertainments area with children's panto, music and food. Other exciting and wonderful entertainment throughout the city centre!

Thank ABBA For The Music

Hull City Hall

Sun 30 Nov 7.30pm • £20.50 - £25.50

(Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Celebrate the music of one of the greatest pop bands of all time when Thank ABBA For The Music returns. Expect to hear all ABBA's greatest hits including Mamma Mia!, Dancing Queen and Super Trouper.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Rod Campbell's Dear Santa Live

Hull City Hall

Mon 1 and Tue 2 Dec Mon 2.30pm; Tue 10.30am & 1.30pm • £15.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) From the author of the much-loved children's book Dear Zoo, Rod Campbell's Dear Santa Live returns to Hull City Hall. This enchanting show is the ideal introduction show to theatre for those aged one and over www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Afternoon Tea Dance

Hull City Hall

Wed 3 Dec 1.30pm • £8.50 Dance the afternoon away in Hull City Hall's Mortimer Suite with renowned Blackpool Tower Organist John Bowdler playing all your favourites, including ballroom, sequence and Latin www.hulltheatres.co.uk

First Thursday Theatre Club-Acting and Theatre: Stanislavski's System

Hull Truck Theatre, Inter@ct Thur 4 Dec 10.30am • £7.50 Workshop on Stanislavski's system with Hull Truck Theatre's drama workers. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Showaddywaddy

Hull City Hall

Fri 5 Dec 7.30pm • £25.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Rock 'n' roll icons Showaddywaddy return to Hull City Hall playing some of their biggest hits from the last five decades including Under The Moon of Love, Blue Moon and Pretty Little Angel Eyes.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

BIPC Christmas Craft Market

Hull Central Library Sat 6 Dec 10am - 3.30pm • Free Support local small businesses with a range of handmade gifts, flavoured teas

www.hulllibraries.co.uk

and novelty items.

Fabric Charms: Embroidery and appliqué workshop with Erin Ledsom

Ferens Art Gallery

Sat 6 Dec 10am - 3:45pm • £65 Work with Erin, an award-winning graduate of the Royal School of Needlework, to design and stitch your own small fabric charms using embroidery, appliqué, and embellishments. These mini textile pieces can be used as brooches, decorations, gifts or keepsakes, All resources provided This event takes place from 10am - 3:45pm. There will be a break for lunch.

www.hullmuseums.co.uk

A Country Night in Nashville

Hull City Hall

Sat 6 Dec 7.30pm • £27.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Prepare to be transported on a musical journey through the history of country music, featuring songs from its biggest stars both past and present including Dolly Parton, Kacey Musgraves, and Willie Nelson.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

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Beauty And The Beast

Wed 10 – Wed 31 Dec Times vary see website for details • £17.50 - £33.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) oin Coronation Street's Sue Cleaver and comedy legend Paul Chuckle when the spellbinding pantomime Beauty And The Beast heads to Hull New Theatre. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

The Snowman Film with Live Orchestra

Hull City Hall

Sun 7 Dec 1pm & 3.30pm • £16.00 -£26.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Make it a Christmas to remember, with a special screening of the festive familyfavourite The Snowman accompanied by a live orchestra and a special visit from the Snowman himself. Age quidance 3+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Christmas Memories

Hull City Hall

Mon 8 Dec 2pm • £13.00 The master of matinees, Neil Sands, returns with an afternoon full of festive joy and heart-warming nostalgia,

featuring all the classic Christmas songs and carols

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Lunchtime Organ Showcase

Hull City Hall

Wed 10 Dec 12.30pm • £5.00 The popular Lunchtime Organ Showcase returns with Hull City Hall Organist, John Scott Whitely. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Hull Truck Theatre presents... The Little Mermaid

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Thur 11 Dec - Sun 04 Jan 10.30am, 1.15pm & 3pm • £13.50 (Conc. £2 off) Festive family production with themes of friendship and courage. Recommended age 3-6.

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Exhibition: Alex Kalogerakis - Poverties **Ov The Imagination**

HUFree: Gallery, Western Libary From now until Thur 11 Dec Library opening hours • Free

Exhibition by HU3-born artist Alex Kalogerakis in HUFree: Gallery. www.hulllibraries.co.uk

A Fairytale for Christmas Hull City Hall

Fri 12 Dec 7.30pm • £28.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

With a nod to Irish culture, this concert includes Yuletide favourites including Santa Claus Is Comin' To Town, O Holy Night, The Fairytale of New York, The Galway Girl, The Irish Rover, and Dirty Old Town

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Laugh Out Loud Comedy Club

Hull City Hall: Mortimer Suite Fri 12 Dec 8pm • £18.00 - £22.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Each Laugh Out Loud Comedy Club

show has three top professional comedians, plus your resident host and compere, Jed Salisbury, Hull's very own gagster extraordinaire. Age guide 16+ www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Motown's Greatest Hits - How Sweet It Is

Hull City Hall Sat 13 Dec 7.30pm • £32.00 (Subject

to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) The UK's favourite Motown show returns to Hull delivering first-class music with slick choreography and an amazing band. It's Motown as it is, as it was and as it should be www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Christmas with Anna Lapwood

Hull City Hall

Tue 16 Dec 7pm • £27.50 - £50.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Hailed as "the dream ambassador for classical music" by Gramophone, organist and viral sensation Anna Lapwood brings an evening of festive organ music to Hull City Hall's stunning instrument.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

A Christmas Spectacular with AFO Choir

Hull City Hall

Thur 18 Dec 7.30pm • £16.00 - £18.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) This awe-inspiring concert features more than 350 sensational singers from a gold-award winning choir, bursting with festive joy, this spectacular will kickstart Christmas in the most magical way. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

80's MANIA

Hull City Hall Fri 19 Dec 7.30pm • £32.00 (Subject to

£1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) Head back to the 80's with this incredible tribute featuring hits from some of the biggest acts of the decade including Duran Duran, The Human League, Madonna and Wham! www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Healthy Holidays Hull Winter Throughout Hull

Mon 22 Dec - Fri 2 Jan School holidays (various times) • Free to children and young people living in Hull Healthy Holidays Hull is back for the Christmas season, bringing a wide range of free activities for schoolaged children and young people aged 5-16, including a dedicated SEND programme. Activities include swimming, sports, arts, dance and more. Warm Zones return to provide welcoming spaces for families to come together, enjoy a hot meal, and take part in crafts and games. Visit

healthyholidayshull.org for full details. www.healthyholidayshull.org

Lunchtime Organ Showcase

Hull City Hall

Wed 7 Jan 12.30pm • £5.00 The popular Lunchtime Organ Showcase returns with UK Concert Organist, Carol Williams. She has previously been appointed Chapel Organist at Yale University in the USA and is now Organist Emerita. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

The Dazzling Diamonds

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Fri 9 Jan 7.30pm • £24

Comedy variety drag show with comedy, vocals, and dance routines. www.hulltruck.co.uk

ELO Experience

Hull New Theatre

Fri 9 Jan 7.30pm • £31.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

The Hull-based ELO Experience are the world's foremost tribute to the Electric Light Orchestra featuring a sensational string section and a stunning light show to further enhance the experience. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Bridget Christie: Jacket Potato Pizza

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Thur 15 Jan 7.30pm • £29.50 Stand-up comedy from Bridget Christie, creator of Channel 4's The Change. www.hulltruck.co.uk

The Olivia Rodrigo **Experience**

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1 Sat 17 Jan 6pm • £18

Tribute show featuring Olivia Rodrigo's biggest hits from Sour and Guts albums. www.hulltruck.co.uk

The Eternal Shame of Sue Perkins

Hull City Hall

Sat 17 Jan 7.30pm • £28.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

You may know her as Bake-Off Sue, Taskmaster Sue, Just A Minute Sue, or the Sue that gives you travel envy - but stand-up Sue Perkins is full of surprises. Age guidance 16+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

A Brass Band Spectacular: Brighouse & Rastrick and City of **Hull Band**

Hull City Hall

Sun 18 Jan 3pm • £12.00 - £20.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee) The world-famous Brighouse & Rastrick Band return with their special brand of entertainment in a spectacular show

that is not to be missed featuring support by the City of Hull Band. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Bat Out Of Hell – The Musical (Screening)

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Tue 20 Jan 7pm • £16 (Conc. £2 off)
Screening of the West End production
with Meat Loaf's iconic songs.
www.hulltruck.co.uk

Miss Saigon

Hull New Theatre

Tue 20 – Sat 24 Jan Tue and Fri 7.30pm; Wed, Thu and Sat 2.30pm & 7.30pm • £21.00 -£71.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

This spectacular new production of Miss Saigon features hit songs including The Heat Is On In Saigon, The Movie In My Mind, Last Night Of The World and The American Dream. Age guidance 14+ www.hulltheatres.co.uk

NT Live: The Fifth Step (Encore Screening)

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio Wed 21 Jan 7pm • £16

Critically acclaimed play starring Jack Lowden and Martin Freeman. www.hulltruck.co.uk

Jason Manford: A Manford All Seasons

Hull City Hall

Thur 22 Jan 7.30pm • £20.00 - £40.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Rescheduled from Wed 26 Nov - original tickets remain valid.

Jason Manford is back with his live show. He's been busy since his last smash-hit stand up show, but fans of his Absolute Radio show will know this nationally acclaimed comedian hasn't changed a bit. Age guidance 14+ www.hulltheatres.co.uk

All Star Wrestling

Hull City Hall

Fri 23 Jan 7pm • £14.50

High flying, electric, five star rated live professional family friendly wrestling returns to Hull City Hall with guaranteed action from the sound of the first bell. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Exhibition on Screen: Caravaggio

Hull Truck Theatre, Godber Studio
Fri 23 Jan 7pm • £13.50 (Conc. £2 off)
Extensive documentary film about
artist Caravaggio.

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www.hulltruck.co.uk

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Fri 23 Jan 7.30pm • £23.50
Comedy night – lineup to be confirmed.
www.hulltruck.co.uk

Ronnie Scott's Jazz Club: The Ronnie Scott's Story

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1
Sat 24 Jan 7.30pm • £26

The Ronnie Scott's All Stars celebrate the history of the world-famous jazz club. www.hulltruck.co.uk



Contact your GP practice

If you've had a cough for three weeks or more, don't ignore it. It's probably nothing serious but it could be a sign of cancer.

Your NHS wants to see you. nhs.uk/cancersymptoms



The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical

Hull New Theatre

Wed 28 Jan – Sun 1 Feb Wed - Fri 7.30pm; Sat 2.30pm & 7.30pm; Sun 1pm & 5pm • £11.00 - £48.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
When 16 -year-old Percy Jackson discovers that he is the half-blood son of the Greek God, Poseidon, his life takes a dramatic turn as he is plunged into a world much bigger than he could possibly have imagined.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Go Your Own Way – The Fleetwood Mac Legacy Hull City Hall

Sat 31 Jan 7.30pm • £26.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50

Paying tribute to their Rumours line up of Stevie, Mick, John, Christine and Lindsey, this spellbinding tribute show perfectly recreates the live energy and passion of Fleetwood Mac. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

La Traviata - Ellen Kent's Farewell Opera Tour

Hull New Theatre

per ticket facility fee)

Tue 3 Feb 7.30pm • £19.50 - £43.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Ellen Kent returns with the love story that gripped Paris, Verdi's La Traviata.
Based on a true story, this tragic and memorable opera tells the tale of passionate love and the life of a consumptive courtesan.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Lunchtime Organ Showcase

Hull City Hall

Wed 4 Feb 12.30pm • £5.00

The popular Lunchtime Organ Showcase returns with Stefan Donner who currently teaches at the University of Music & Performing Arts in Vienna. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Carmen - Ellen Kent's Farewell Opera Tour

Hull New Theatre

Wed 4 Feb 7.30pm • £19.50 - £43.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Ellen Kent's dazzling production of Bizet's Carmen features an evening of passion, sexual jealousy, death and unforgettable arias alongside highly praised soloists and a full orchestra.

Madama Butterfly - Ellen Kent's Farewell Opera Tour

Hull New Theatre

Thur 5 Feb 7.30pm • £19.50 - £43.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
One of the world's most popular operas,

Puccini's Madama Butterfly tells the heart-breaking story of the beautiful young Japanese girl who falls in love with an American naval lieutenant with dramatic results.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk



The Best of Frankie Valli - Starring Peter Andre

Hull City Hall

Thur 5 Feb 8pm • £35.00 - £45.00 | Meet & Greet £100.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Peter Andre returns to Hull City Hall with a spectacular high-pitched celebration of timeless music from Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons. Expect to hear hits including Sherry and Big Girls Don't Cry. www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Vampires Rock Eternal Love - The Musical

Hull New Theatre

Fri 6 Feb 7.30pm • £25.00 - £39.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Steve Steinman returns with the hilarious rock musical Vampires Rock Eternal Love. Join this incredible cast on an epic journey into a fantastical, dark, thrilling world filled with vampires. Age guidance 12+

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Punk Off - The Sounds of Punk & New Wave

Hull City Hall

Fri 6 Feb 7.30pm • £19.50 - £30.50 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Fifty years since punk and new wave kicked the door in, Punk Off returns to Hull to storm the stage, bolder and messier than ever featuring music from the likes of Blondie, The Ramones, Sex Pistols and The Clash.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Royal Philharmonic Orchestra – Sibelius' Symphony No.2

Hull City Hall

Sat 7 Feb 7.30pm • £15.00 - £35.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Featuring conductor Vasily Petrenko and oboist John Roberts, this energetic evening features Berlioz's Béatrice et Bénédict: Overture. Mozart's Oboe Concerto and Sibelius' Symphony No.2.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

That'll Be The Day

Hull New Theatre

Wed 11 Feb 7.30pm • £28.50 - £30.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
The ultimate nostalgia filled show
That'll Be The Day celebrates its 40th
Anniversary with an unforgettable evening packed full of music and comedy from the 50s through to the 80s.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Buddy - The Buddy Holly Story

Hull New Theatre

Thur 12 – Sat 14 Feb Thu and Fri 7.30pm; Sat 2.30pm & 7.30pm • £15.00 - £42.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)

Experience the drama, passion, and excitement as a multi-talented cast of actor-musicians tell Buddy Holly's story, from his Texas rockabilly beginnings to international stardom www.hulltheatres.co.uk

Sing The Musicals Hull City Hall

Fri 13 Feb 7.30pm • £26.00 (Subject to £1.50 per ticket booking fee and £2.50 per ticket facility fee)
Singalong to some of the biggest

Singalong to some of the biggest showtunes of all time performed by a sensational live band and character singers. Expect to hear songs from iconic musicals including Mamma Mia!, Mary Poppins and Les Mis.

www.hulltheatres.co.uk



Hull Truck Theatre Presents... Macbeth

Hull Truck Theatre, Stage 1

Thur 5 – Sat 28 Feb 7.30pm & 2pm

£11 - £32 (Conc. avail.)

A powerful and chilling production of
Shakespeare's tragedy, co-produced with
Octagon Theatre Bolton and Derby Theatre.

HENRY group programme for parents with children aged 5–11

www.hulltruck.co.uk

Priory Family Hub, Priory Road

Mon 23 Feb (8 weeks) 1.30pm – 3pm

• Free

HENRY is free and supports parents and carers to give children the best start in life. Delivered locally and online in eight sessions.

www.facebook.com/ healthylifestyleshull /www. familyhubshull.org.uk

Ready to respond when winter weather arrives



Hull City Council is once again prepared to deliver its winter maintenance service, ensuring the city is kept safe and moving throughout the colder months.

The service, which runs from October to April, sees the council's Streetscene team on standby 24 hours a day to grit roads, clear snow, and keep priority routes open when bad weather hits.

So far, the 2025/26 season has begun with pleasant weather conditions, but preparations have been underway since the summer, with equipment tested, salt stocks replenished, and gritter crews familiarising

themselves with their routes

This year, the council has a fleet of six gritters ready to go, supported by 5,000 tonnes of rock salt and more than 800 grit bins placed in locations across the city for residents to use.

Councillor Mark Ieronimo, portfolio holder for transport and infrastructure at Hull City Council, said: "Our aim is to make Hull's roads as safe as possible and to keep disruption to a minimum during periods of ice and snow. From late autumn through to spring, our teams are on standby around the clock to respond quickly when the weather changes.

"Detailed forecasts from local monitoring stations help us plan where and when to grit, so that

key routes are treated before conditions become hazardous."

As part of this year's campaign, the council's gritters have also been given new names chosen by local residents. The initiative proved a popular way to celebrate Hull's identity and highlight the hard work of winter crews. To discover the names and follow their journeys, residents are encouraged to keep an eye on the council's social media channels, where gritter updates and winter safety tips will be shared throughout the season.

As the local highway authority, the council prioritises main roads, footways, and cycleways, including key bus routes and the city centre. Residents can find details of gritting routes, grit bin locations, and request a grit bin via the council's website.

To further support communities, the council's street cleansing teams also treat high-footfall pedestrian areas when snow and ice are predicted. Vulnerable areas, such as bus stops and neighbourhoods with higher numbers of elderly residents, are prioritised during prolonged cold conditions.

Winter preperation tips

Winter can be challenging. especially for older people, but a little preparation can make a big difference. Age UK **Hull & East Yorkshire is here** to help you stay safe, warm and well this season.

Key tips for winter:

- · check your heating have your boiler serviced and test smoke and carbon monoxide alarms
- · stay warm wear several light layers, keep your home at a steady temperature such as 18°C, and use blankets or hot water bottles if needed

- look after your health book your free flu jab if you're eligible, keep simple remedies at home, and order prescriptions in advance
- be prepared keep a stock of food, know where your stopcock is, and have a torch handy in case of power cuts
- seek support contact Age UK Hull & East Yorkshire for information if you need support or help, 01482 324 644.

Together, we can make winter safer and more comfortable.





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YOUR POLICE AND **CRIME COMMISSIONER**





JONATHAN EVISON

I'm pleased to bring you the latest update from my office on the work we are doing to improve community safety in Hull.

As we enter the summer months, we welcome the new Mayor of the Hull and East Yorkshire Combined Authority, Luke Campbell. I am delighted to sit on the board and believe together, we can help make our region an outstanding place to live, work and visit.

In April, we welcomed the arrival of the new Chief Constable of Humberside Police, Chris Todd. The performance of Humberside Police continues to improve and remains the highest performing force in the country with three outstanding gradings from the independent inspectorate. Our communities deserve the best service, and I will be challenging Mr Todd to continue this trajectory for the force so that the public continue to see sustainable improvements in service.

Chief Constable Todd said "I am delighted and hugely honoured to have joined Humberside Police as Chief Constable. I intend to bring consistent, stable and ethical leadership and build on the excellent work that is already being delivered every day across the Humber region.

"Through my leadership I will be striving to make Humberside Police an outstanding, globally acclaimed Police Service which is, victim focused, community focused and workforce focused. I would like the communities we serve to have confidence in and be proud of the service they receive from the force."

Please follow us on social media, and subscribe to My Community Alert to be notified of the work we are doing in your area.

HUMBERSIDE POLICE TO INCREASE OFFICER NUMBERS FOR NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING

In April, the Home Office announced an additional £200m investment for Neighbourhood Policing available to Police Forces in 2025/26, with Humberside receiving just over £3.2m. This will enable the force to recruit 38 new Neighbourhood Policing Officers.

Neighbourhood Policing is vital to the British Policing Model, and I want to make sure it is more accessible to all our communities. Humberside Police proactively shares details of your local neighbourhood team's priorities and surgery sessions online for those that want to keep up to date on work in their community.

As highlighted in the latest independent inspection, Humberside Police already have an effective Neighbourhood Policing model, however we will always welcome initiatives to help us to continue to improve the service provided to our communities.



GRANT FUNDING TO HELP IMPROVE COMMUNITY SAFETY

Round 5 of my Community Safety Fund has committed a further £350,000 of funding towards projects led by the voluntary and community sector organisations, social enterprises or town and parish councils across the region. This takes the overall investment committed to the Community Safety Fund since its launch in 2022 to £1,850,000, supporting over 150 projects that impact on crime and community safety at a local level.

This round focused on the purchase of equipment and / or assets that will support the reduction in crime and improvement in community safety, providing funding of between £500 and £35,000 towards eligible projects.

Successful projects in Round 5 include:

- CCTV for Lonsdale Community Centre
- Security fencing in the Thornton Allotments
- Tigers Trust Arena provided with CCTV
- CCTV for The Preston Road Women's Centre
- Security Improvements for the Hull Sisters Building

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Your Councillor contacts Get involved



There are three main ways you can have your say on local matters.

Some councillors hold monthly surgeries in their ward where you can meet your councillors, details can be found on the council website.

Many decisions relevant to residents are made at council committees, which are usually open to public attendance.

For details on how to make your voice heard details of meetings, agendas, reports and minutes of previous meetings please scan this QR Code or visit: https://cmis.hullcc.gov.uk/cmis/Home.aspx

Don't forget you can also contact your local councillor by email or telephone.



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