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DAVID HARMER
David's poems and stories appear in more than 100 books for children, and a number of collections for adults. He has worked nationally as poet, Drama specialist and inset provider in Local Authorities and schools, and has performed in venues all over the country.



CHAMU KUPPUSWAMY
Chamu explores the image of the dancing Shiva or *ataraja*, the iconic bronze sculpture from South India. She performs for *horizonfest* the South Indian classical dance form of *Bharatanatyam*, a dance of spiritual expression.

CAROLINE JARWALA
Caroline has led art projects in schools, galleries and community venues. She enjoys collaborating with storytellers, musicians, dancers and tile makers. Her art is a fusion of visual imagery drawn from traditional Indian Gujarati art with Hindu and Christian iconography. Several pieces of Caroline's artwork will be on display through out the festival.

BRIAN MCGARTHY
Brian first became interested in Photography in the 1970s. When digital cameras emerged, he signed up for "An introduction into Digital Photography" course. He has won numerous awards and regularly has work published in the media. Brian judges and lectures in local clubs and is an enthusiastic and generous tutor.

BODY OF SOUND
A women's group with a lively repertoire including both contemporary and traditional material, with music from Southern Africa, the African-American and Shape-note traditions, and songs from the British Isles and Europe.

ARKWRIGHT SPINSTERS
The group comprises both men and women of all ages with an interest and involvement in ancient and modern aspects of textile crafts. They are always keen to talk about their craft and to show and teach others their skills.

ANDY MESSER
Trained in schools work and church leadership, Andy has been a full time storyteller since 2008, and has worked in over 140 schools to date. During *horizonfest* Andy will be sharing his passion for storytelling with local school-children as they discover the joy and vibrancy of the creation story.

ALBERTS SKIFFLE BAND
An American Jug Band, playing toe-tapping, jazz, 1960s. The show features banjo, guitar, fiddle, bass, tap dancing, mouth organs, brass section, tea-chest (size 38A) and an ironing board.

ARTISTS AND PERFORMERS

horizonfest

1-21 July 2013



Horizon@Hunter's Bar

is an exciting initiative based at Horizon Methodist Church which aims to share the love of God by welcoming everyone, being a focus for the local community, and celebrating creativity and spirituality.

- Plans for Horizon@Hunter's Bar include the provision of:
- > a child friendly coffee shop and meeting point
 - > a multi-purpose venue for local groups, performances, exhibitions and displays
 - > a range of creative and spiritual activities
 - > community support and chaplaincy services
 - > Christian worship
 - > opportunities to explore life's big issues in the 21st century

Horizon Methodist Church (formerly Endcliffe Methodist Church) has been part of the local scene at Hunter's Bar for over 100 years. We are planning for the next 100 years by redesigning the inside of the church to create a flexible, adaptable resource for the local and wider community. We hope that horizonfest 2013 will give you just a taster of the possibilities of Horizon@Hunter's Bar.

Project Manager John Bailey, and Mission Development Officer Julia Fletcher, will be happy to hear your thoughts and suggestions. See www.horizonmethodist.org.uk for more information, or email juliamfletcher@btconnect.com

"the beating heart of Hunter's bar"



There's so much going on at horizonfest, so when you need a break, why not join us in our café for a drink and a biscuit? Open every day.



Horizon Methodist Church has disabled facilities, with disabled access to the main entrance and throughout most of the premises.

Get in touch!

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For more information about artists, see links to their websites on www.horizonfest.co.uk

...AND MANY MORE!

STEVE RIVERS
Having visited West Africa several times to research djembe drumming, Steve has developed a unique and fun style of teaching and performing which he demonstrates in a lively performance with big drums, booming bass beats and funky rhythms.



SHEFFIELD YOUNG SINGERS
Founded in 2007, and comprising children aged 7 to 18 years, this Sheffield children's choir performs in concerts and competitions, singing a wide variety of music including choral music, world music, musical theatre and specially commissioned works.



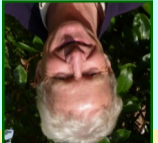
THE SECOND FLOOR BAND
An informal group of musicians who love getting together to play and sing, and to share their enthusiasm for jazz and blues.



REACH MUSICAL THEATRE
This thriving musical theatre school provides young people with quality Performing Arts coaching. Through dancing, singing and drama, the youngsters develop confidence, communication skills and self-awareness whilst having fun and meeting new friends.

PLAYBACK THEATRE
Playback's actors improvise stories from members of the audience. These might be major events or the simple details of everyday life. By re-creating people's stories, Playback can be affirming, exciting, moving or simply fun.

REVD PHILIP RODERICK
Philip is a percussionist and priest who loves walking of Contemplative Fire. The Quiet Garden Movement and Community Leader of Spirituality, Chaplain to Whitlow Grange, founder-director by the seashore. He is the Bishop of Sheffield's Adviser in



PAUL BELL
Paul's music has received airplay on BBC Radio 2 and BBC Radio Sheffield, and he has performed at Christian festivals including Spring Harvest, Green-belt and New Wine. His music will make you laugh, cry, and maybe look at things a bit differently.



NEIL GRANT
BBC Radio Sheffield's gardening expert and friends join us to answer your gardening questions.

MIKE SIMMS
Mike's music has been featured on BBC Radio Sheffield's "Introducing...". He has played in pubs, clubs, cafes and festivals in Sheffield and further afield, and last year he supported Mike and the Mechanics on part of their UK tour. Mike's songs range from the soulful to the upbeat, all with engaging and heartfelt lyrics.



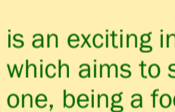
JOHN ARCHER
John is a comedian, magician, actor, singer, musician, writer, and didgeridooist, and a past winner of the Magic Circle Stage Magician of the Year award. Probably one of the most popular comedy magicians in the country today, John was also the first magician to fool the famous Las Vegas magicians Penn and Teller.



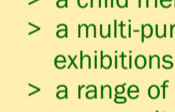
JENNY MATHER
In her painting Jenny seeks to encounter each situation, person or landscape with anticipation and respect, then works alongside in a process of reflection and interpretation. As a Christian, Jenny is conscious of the ongoing creative process between self and creation and Creator, and her painting reflects the interactions between elements, structures and emotions. Jenny works full time at her studio in Bamford, Derbyshire. She is currently on sabbatical and is unable to be with us, but her painting "The Benediction" is on display in the Arts Chapel throughout horizonfest.



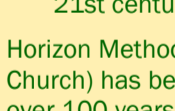
IAN McMILLAN
Ian is a TV regular, radio presenter, playwright and poet from Darfield, near Barnsley. Currently he is poet-in-residence for Barnsley F.C., English National Opera and The Academy of Urbanism.



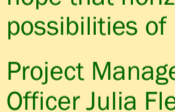
KAREN HERRICK
Karen is a textile artist working across the East Midlands in the areas of arts and health, primary education and family learning. She uses creativity, colour and contemplative prayer to enable others to draw closer to God.



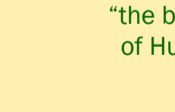
THE KATIE CAMPBELL BAND
The band has played at a variety of events and venues, from parties and weddings to business functions and open-air events in and around the Sheffield area. Their music includes a wide variety of styles ranging from jazz, blues and soul to more contemporary tunes.



LESLEY HOLLINGWORTH
While recovering from serious illness, Lesley began to paint and make things, finding it therapeutic and helpful in her own recovery. She now uses art as therapy for people with long term illnesses, and enjoys being able to explore her creativity and call it a job!



MILLHOUSES COMMUNITY CHOIR
A newly formed choir's debut performance, featuring folk and pop songs.



THE VOXETTES
An all-women vocal harmony group who love to sing. They perform a wide range of contemporary songs, from Elbow to the Andrews Sisters.



SUE SYMONS
CREATION: A CELEBRATION: MONDAY 1—SUNDAY 21 JULY



Acclaimed artist Sue Symons studied Fine Arts at Bath Academy of Art before going on to specialise in needlework at Leicester University. Sue lived in France for a while before moving to British Columbia, Canada, where she taught in Further Education and exhibited her work. Having returned to England in 2005, she now lives near Bath.

Sue began planning *Creation: A Celebration* in 2007, and the work was completed in the summer of 2009. Originally the panels were displayed at Bath Abbey, alongside Sue's previous work, the Bath Diptychs, but following a generous donation, the panels were framed, enabling them to be displayed in different locations around the country and shared with a wider audience.

These 42 breathtaking mixed media panels celebrating the beauty and bounty of the world form the centrepiece of horizonfest. The panels are based primarily on the creation narratives in the book of Genesis in the Christian Bible, but you will also find Jewish and Islamic influences incorporated in the artwork.



Featuring embroidery, painting and calligraphy, the panels form a luminescent piece of storytelling. Rich in detail, vitality, and even humour, *Creation: A Celebration* enables the viewer to reconnect with the natural world through a blend of historic and contemporary artistry.

The *Creation: A Celebration* exhibition panels are currently held in the care of the Bible Society. For more information about the artist's work, hosting an exhibition, or the work of the Bible Society, visit www.biblesociety.org.uk



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Creation: A Celebration



Exhibition open every day 1st–21st July

Monday–Friday*
10.00am–3.00pm

Saturdays
10.00am–5.00pm

Sundays
12noon–3.00pm

* NB: Tuesdays 2 & 9 July:
exhibition open for pre-booked school groups only

Free admission to exhibition with opportunity to donate if you wish

festival PROGRAMME

Monday 1 July

10.00am–12.00noon Knitting, Nattering and Crafting

Bring along a project of your own, or try something new. Needles, wool and cross-stitch kits available to get you started. Free of charge

10.00am–12.00noon Scrapbooking Workshop 1

Dig out all those old photos and create a scrapbook full of precious memories. In this beginners' workshop we'll look at some completed scrapbooks and learn a few techniques.

[A more advanced workshop is on Wednesday 10 July]
£5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 15)

1.00pm–3.00pm Flower Arranging for Beginners 1

Over three workshops, learn the basics of flower arranging with Janet Hardwick. Session 1: an oval arrangement (see example in photo). Basic equipment provided. Participants need to bring a bunch of roses, a bunch of spray carnations, some greenery (e.g. conifer) and a pair of scissors. £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12)



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7.45pm Poetry Evening

With Ian McMillan & David Harmer. Laughter, joy, delight and happiness—and just a small and unthreatening amount of audience participation. £8.00 (£6.00 concessions) in advance £9.50 (£7.50 concessions) on the door

Tuesday 2 July

7.45pm Gardeners Question Time

With BBC Radio Sheffield's Neil Grant and team. Includes 'bring-and-buy' plant sale—so please bring along any extra plants or seedlings to sell. Free admission, donations invited

Wednesday 3 July

10.00am–12.00noon Sewing Bee 1

With Liz Jenkinson. Make a line of decorative bunting and add your own personal touches. All materials provided, but feel free to bring your own if you wish. A few sewing machines are available, or bring your own. £5.00 (Please book in advance, and state if a sewing machine is required)



12.30pm–1.00pm Lunchtime Worship

A short act of Christian worship.

7.45pm English Wild Orchid: An Illustrated Adventure

A fascinating illustrated talk by Graham Reed, with a display of some of Graham's award-winning watercolour illustrations. Free admission, donations invited



Thursday 4 July

10.00am–12.00noon Hardanger for Beginners

Learn the basic skills of Kloster blocks, cutting out and a filling stitch, taught by Mary Joan. £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 6)

4.30pm Sheffield Young Singers

A varied programme of songs from stage and screen. Free admission, donations invited



8.30pm African Drumming

An evening of booming beats and funky rhythms, and maybe some audience participation, with Steve Rivers and Unbeatable Energy. Free admission, donations invited

Friday 5 July

10.00am–3.00pm Artisans at Work:

Graham Reed—Botanical Artist

Free admission, donations invited

10.00am–4.00pm Mosaic Workshop

With Caroline Jariwala. Adults only. Learn a new skill in a small and informal group. No previous experience necessary. All equipment and materials provided.

£20 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 10)

7.45pm Local Sounds

A concert by Horizon members and friends.



Illustrations by award-winning botanical artist Graham Reed

Saturday 6 July

7.45pm Sheffield Folk Choral

A concert of modern and traditional folk music drawn from different countries, times and cultures. £8.00 (£6.00 concessions) in advance £9.50 (£7.50 concessions) on the door

Sunday 7 July

10.30am Sunday Worship

Christian worship Led by Deacon Merry Evans. Merry and friends explore how routine and spontaneity interact to give daily life its creative spark.

Monday 8 July

10.00am–12.00noon Knitting, Nattering and Crafting

Bring along a project of your own, or try something new. Needles, wool and cross-stitch kits available to get you started. Free of charge

10.00am–3.00pm Artisans at Work:

Ann Dent—botanical artist

Free admission, donations invited

1.00pm–3.00pm Flower Arranging for Beginners 2

In this second workshop, Janet demonstrates a vertical arrangement for participants to try (see example in photo). Basic materials and tools provided, bring your own flowers (details on horizonfest website). £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12)



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Tuesday 9 July

7.45pm A Night at the Music Hall with The Vulcan Varieties

Music from the Golden Eras of Victorian and Edwardian Music Hall. £8.00 (£6.00 concessions) in advance £9.50 (£7.50 concessions) on the door

Wednesday 10 July



10.00am–12noon Scrapbooking Workshop 2

dig out all those old photos and create a scrapbook full of precious memories. For this more advanced workshop, bring your own photos and have a go. [There is a workshop for beginners on Monday 1 July]
£5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 15)

10.00am–3.00pm Artisans at Work:

Maxine Boot—jewellery making demonstrations

Free admission, donations invited

12.30pm–1.00pm Lunchtime Worship

A short act of Christian worship.

2.30pm Pray and Love: The Jesus Journey

Philip Roderick leads an exploration of some of the extraordinary and life-giving threads and themes of Christian spirituality, the way of love and the journey into wholeness. Free admission, donations invited



7.45pm Local Sounds

Women's singing group Body of Sound perform a lively programme of music from around the world. Also on the bill are jazz and blues combo The 2nd Floor Band. Free admission, donations invited

Thursday 11 July

10.00am–12.00noon Sewing Bee 2

With Liz Jenkinson. Make a pencil or A-line skirt. You will need 1m x 150cm wide fabric or 1.5m x 112cm wide fabric, plus matching thread and 20cm zip. Please tell us when booking if you would like to borrow a sewing machine or can bring your own. £5.00 (Please book in advance)

7.45pm The Dance was The Beginning

A talk and performance of *Bharathanatyam*, a South Indian classical dance form, by Chamu Kuppuswamy. Free admission, donations invited



Friday 12 July

10.00am–12noon Weave-a-Prayer Workshop

A quiet creative workshop with Karen Herrick of Harlequin Arts. Let God meet with you through creative prayer as you learn the simple art of peg loom weaving, using colour, texture and the rhythm of the weaving to facilitate time with God. £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12-15)

7.00pm Family Evening with John Archer

The popular comedy magician presents an evening of entertainment suitable for all the family. £8.00 (£6.00 concessions) in advance £9.50 (£7.50 concessions) on the door
Family of 4: £20.00



Saturday 13 July

10.00am–12.00noon Christian Creative Writing Workshop

The Christian creative writing group aims to encourage people to think about their Christian faith within the world, and supports and encourages all forms of writing. Members are challenged to write on a given topic, within a set period of time. They are then invited to read their work out loud, but there is no pressure to do so. Free admission, donations invited

2.30pm Fame Jr: The Musical

Reach for the Stage Youth Theatre Group tell the bittersweet but ultimately inspiring story of a diverse group of students as they commit to four years of gruelling artistic and academic work. With candour, humour and insight, the show explores the issues that confront many young people today. £5.00 (£3.00 concessions) in advance £6.50 (£4.50 concessions) on the door

7.45pm Playback Theatre

An evening of improvisation and audience participation. Free admission, donations invited



Sunday 14 July

ALL DAY: SHARROW VALE MARKET

10.30am Sunday Worship and Holy Communion

Christian worship led by Rev Gareth Jones.

Sunday 14 July [cont]

12.00noon–4.00pm Artisans at Work:

The Arkwright Spinsters—spinning and fibre-craft

Free admission as part of Sharrow Vale Market

7.00pm Women's Singing Workshop

For women and girls aged 10 and over, all levels of skill welcome. A fun, lively and entertaining singing workshop with Sheffield Harmony. £5.00 in advance £6.50 on the door

Monday 15 July

10.00am–12.00noon Knitting, Nattering and Crafting

Bring along a project of your own, or try something new. Needles, wool and cross-stitch kits available to get you started. Free of charge

10.00am–3.00pm Artisans at Work:

Ann Dent—botanical artist

Free admission, donations invited

10.00am–2.30pm Flower Photography Workshop

With Brian McCarthy. A workshop in three parts:

1. hints and tips on photographing flowers in the open
2. an group photography session outside,
3. back indoors to download images, critique, edit and process.

Bring your own camera (any type, but not mobile phone), and a small tripod if you have one.

£15 (includes two A4 prints—additional prints £2.50 each) (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 10)
Workshop repeated at 3.30pm



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1.00pm–3.00pm Flower arranging for beginners 3

In this final workshop, learn to make an asymmetrical arrangement. (see example in photo). Basic materials and tools provided, bring your own flowers (details on horizonfest website). £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12)



3.30pm–8.00pm Flower Photography Workshop

Repeat of today's 10.00am workshop—see details above. £15 (includes two A4 prints—additional prints £2.50 each) (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 10)

Tuesday 16 July

7.45pm Local Sounds

A varied musical programme including Albert's Skiffle Band, The Voxettes, the Millhouses Community Choir, and Mike Simms. Free admission, donations invited

Wednesday 17 July

10.00am–12noon Needle Felting Workshop

Make amazing things with ribbon, fibres, wool, pom-poms, organza & lots more. A craft for everyone, as the basic skill level is low, but it can stretch as far as your imagination can take you. With Lesley Hollingworth. £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12)
Workshop repeated at 1.00pm

12.30pm–1.00pm Lunchtime Worship

A short act of Christian worship.

1.00pm–3.00pm Needle Felting Workshop

Repeat of today's 10.00am workshop—see details above. £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12)

7.45pm Sounding the Body, Moving the Soul

Even if you think you can't sing, and the thought of prayer posture and gesture makes you either grimace or smile, take courage and explore sound and stillness, movement and pause on the Way of Christ. Session led by Philip Roderick. Free admission, donations invited



Thursday 18 July

10.00am–12.30pm Stitch-a-Prayer Workshop

A quiet, creative workshop with Karen Herrick of Harlequin Arts. Using a variety of materials we will still ourselves to allow God to speak individually to us as we create our own prayer collage to God. £5.00 (Please book in advance. Numbers limited to 12-15)

7.45pm The Katie Campbell Band

A wide variety of live music styles ranging from jazz, blues and soul to contemporary smooth tunes. £5.00 (£3.00 concessions) in advance £6.50 (£4.50 concessions) on the door



Friday 19 July

10.30am–12.00noon Watercolours for Beginners

Barry Byles teaches basic techniques for absolute beginners. £5.00 Please book in advance

7.45pm Sheffield Harmony in Concert

Popular classics, barbershop, show tunes and pop music with the women's *capella* chorus and guests Hallmark of Harmony. £8.00 (£6.00 concessions) in advance £9.50 (£7.50 concessions) on the door

Saturday 20 July

10.00am–12.00noon Messy Church

Games, crafts, stories and songs on the theme of 'Creation', for children of all ages. Children **must** be accompanied by a parent or carer at all times. Free of charge

7.45pm Paul Bell in Concert

A variety of music with the local singer-songwriter. £8.00 (£6.00 concessions) in advance £9.50 (£7.50 concessions) on the door



Sunday 21 July

10.30am Sunday Worship

Christian worship led by Rev Vernon Marsh.