

# **Hull Truck Theatre Season Brochure September 2025 – February 2026**

You can book tickets online at <a href="www.hulltruck.co.uk">www.hulltruck.co.uk</a>, by calling the Box Office on 01482 323638 or by popping into the theatre on Ferensway.

If you are unable to book online, communicate via telephone, or visit us in person, please email boxoffice@hulltruck.co.uk

## **Shoot the Bull Café Bar**

The café bar is open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 10am and until 5pm (or until the show starts if there is an evening performance)

On all other performance days, the café bar will be open from 2 hours before the show.

Last food orders are 30 mins before the show starts.

Opening hours may vary for morning shows, please enquire with the Box Office.

## **Booking & Box Office Information**

The Box Office is open Tuesday to Saturday, 11am until 5pm (later on performance nights).

Telephone: 01482 32 36 38 Website: www.hulltruck.co.uk

Tickets can be booked online, 24hrs a day.

## Pay What You Can (PWYC)

PWYC performances are a great way to try something new, attend the theatre for the first time, or enable you to attend if your current financial situation is tight. You can pay as little as £5 per ticket. Max. of 6 tickets per customer.

## **Income Related Benefits**

Customers who receive Income Related Benefits can book Band C seats for a reduced rate on Sat and Wed matinee performances of Hull Truck Theatre productions. For full T&Cs, please go to our website Your Visit – Booking Info – Concessions, Deals & Discounts.

## **Terms & Conditions**

Hull Truck Theatre's T&Cs will be regularly updated to reflect the most up to date information with regards to your visit. Details can be found by searching 'Terms' on our website.

## Drama Deal

See more shows for less with Hull Truck Theatre's Drama Deal. Giving you the best seats in the house and access to exceptional drama at affordable prices. Shows in the Drama Deal include:

- Pride & Prejudice (Sep Oct 2025)
- Black Tie Ball (Oct 2025)
- Macbeth (Feb 2026)

Buy tickets for two or more of the above shows and get 25% off the total price.

\*Drama Deal excludes any Preview performances and Band C seats on Off-Peak performances.

## **Secure My Booking**

Protect your tickets from the unexpected. Hull Truck Theatre has partnered with Secure My Booking to offer optional ticket refund protection at just £1.95 per ticket.

Ticket protection allows you to recover 100% of the paid ticket price in the event of accident, injury, illness, severe weather, travel disruption and more.

For full T&Cs visit our website – Your Visit – Booking Information

## **Access**

**Audio Description** is delivered via an infra-red headset and provides information about the visual elements of the show, for those who are blind or visually impaired. You only need a headset if you would benefit from using this facility - please pre-book one with the Box Office.

**Touch Tours** are available 90 mins before the audio described show and last approx. 30 mins. Touch Tours allow blind and visually impaired customers the opportunity to familiarise themselves with the set, costumes and props, ahead of the show. Spaces must be booked with the Box Office, 24hrs in advance, or online when buying tickets for the show.

Theatre Captions are similar to television subtitles and convert spoken word into visible text that provides those who are Deaf, deafened or hard of hearing with access to live performances. Captions can also be useful for those whose first language is not English or have difficulty understanding accents.

British Sign Language (BSL) performances enable Deaf BSL users to understand the performance through the signs of an interpreter, who is on stage during the performance.

**Relaxed Performances** are specifically designed to welcome people who will benefit from a more relaxed environment. They include additional lighting, a friendly attitude to noise and movement in the theatre and we can also offer additional space if requested.

Booking Access Tickets Online If you regularly require a wheelchair space or best view of captions screens/ BSL interpreter seats, we would love to show you how to book them online yourself. You can visit the Access page on our website and find instructions under 'Accessible Guides & Info', or contact the Box Office and we'll be happy to go through the process with you.

Assistance dogs are welcome in the theatre and performance spaces. If you are going to be accompanied by an assistance dog please contact the Box Office, before you book, so that we can make arrangements to either seat you together during the show or dog-sit for you.

Baby Friendly performances are designed for customers with babies under the age of 18 months. These shows have a relaxed atmosphere and friendly attitude to noise and movement in the theatre. Facilities include: additional changing tables both inside and outside of the auditorium, high chairs, bottle warming, buggy park and a baby play area. Baby Friendly performance available for *Pride & Prejudice* and *Oliver Twist*.

## **Sensory Items**

We have a small number of ear defenders, wobble cushions and weighted blankets which can be loaned from the Box Office, plus a range of sensory toys. Please feel free to bring along any items that usually assist in coping with busy or noisy environments – e.g. ear plugs, sensory toys or sunglasses.

## MADE BY HULL TRUCK THEATRE

## **SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER**

Hull Truck Theatre, Octagon Theatre Bolton, Theatre by the Lake, Stephen Joseph Theatre, in association with Theatr Clwyd, presents

#### **PRIDE & PREJUDICE**

By Kate Hamill

Adapted from the novel by Jane Austen

Directed by Lotte Wakeham

THU 18 SEPT - SAT 11 OCT, 7.30PM

MATINEES: 20, 24, 27 SEPT & 1, 4, 8, 11 OCT, 2PM

PAY WHAT YOU CAN: THU 18 SEP, 7.30PM

Jane Austen's most iconic love story is brought dazzlingly to life on stage. When it comes to the subject of marriage, headstrong Lizzy Bennet is determined to resist the mounting pressures and expectations from society. But can she resist love, especially when the infuriatingly intriguing Mr. Darcy keeps popping up at every turn?

With sharp humour and sparkling dialogue, this witty stage adaptation brings to life the classic story of love, misunderstandings, and second chances (with plenty of music and dancing). Lose yourself in the world of Regency parties and courtship, as hearts race, tongues wag and passions swirl around the English countryside.

Discover the absurdities and thrills of finding your perfect (or imperfect) match in life, with this vibrant retelling of Austen's beloved novel, performed by a large cast of immensely talented actors.

**TICKETS: £32 - £11** 

Concessions available on select performances

Recommended Age: 12+

## **Access Performances**

Touch Tour: Sat 11 Oct, 2pm

Audio Described: Sat 11 Oct, 2pm

Baby Friendly: Fri 3 Oct, 11am

Relaxed: Tue 30 Sept, 7.30pm

BSL Interpreted & Captioned: Tue 7 Oct, 7.30pm

## **NOVEMBER – JANUARY**

**Hull Truck Theatre Presents** 

#### **OLIVER TWIST**

Based on the novel by Charles Dickens
Adapted by Deborah McAndrew
Directed by Mark Babych

## FRI 28 NOV 2025 – SUN 4 JAN 2026

PAY WHAT YOU CAN: FRI 28 NOV, 7PM

Please, sir, I want some more...

Join young Oliver Twist on the adventure of a lifetime in this festive adaptation of Charles Dickens' classic novel.

Born into a life of poverty, raised in a workhouse and sold into an apprenticeship, Oliver escapes to London where he is befriended by the charismatic Artful Dodger and recruited into Fagin's band of pickpockets and thieves.

After sinking into the grimy criminal underworld, Oliver is presented with an opportunity to change his fate...

but will this be his chance to finally find a loving family and a place to call home?

Featuring traditional much-loved carols, folk tunes and original music, Deborah McAndrew's dramatic and highly theatrical adaptation returns to Hull Truck Theatre in another enchanting and mesmerising production.

The perfect alternative to pantomime over the holidays, magically captivating audiences of all ages.

★★★★ 'Vivid and Vibrant' The Stage

★★★★ 'Dickens classic brims with energy and harmony' The Guardian

**TICKETS: £35 - £11** 

Concessions available on select performances Recommended Age: 7+

## **Access Performances**

Touch Tour: Sat 27 Dec, 12:30pm

Audio Described: Sat 27 Dec, 12:30pm

Baby Friendly: Fri 5 Dec, 11am

Relaxed: Fri 12 Dec, 7pm, Tue 16 Dec 10:15am, Sat 3

Jan, 2pm

BSL Interpreted: Wed 17 Dec 10.15am, Sun 21 Dec,

6pm

Audio Described: Sat 27 Dec, 2pm

**Hull Truck Theatre Presents** 

## THE LITTLE MERMAID

Written and Directed by Tom Saunders

## THUR 11 DEC 2025 - SUN 4 JAN 2026

Join Coral and her friends on an under the sea adventure this festive season...

Coral is a friendly, fun and inquisitive little mermaid... but she's a mermaid with a problem. Whilst she loves nothing more than nattering away with her family and closest pal Finn the fish, when it comes to talking to new people... something strange happens... she completely clams up.

But can a chance meeting with a human from above the waves bring Coral out of her shell? Or will she fall hook, line and sinker for the sea witch's trickery and never find her voice?

Exploring themes of friendship, courage and confidence, this heartwarming adventure is a modern-day twist on a classic story. From the team that brought you Rapunzel and Princess and the Frog, join Hull Truck Theatre for another magical festive production. Specially designed for young audiences and their families.

TICKETS: £13.50 Concessions £2 off

#### **Access Performance**

BSL Interpreted: Sat 20 Dec, 1.15pm All performances have a laid-back attitude to noise and movement in the theatre space.

## **FEBRUARY**

Hull Truck Theatre, Octagon Theatre Bolton and Derby Theatre Presents

#### **MACBETH**

By William Shakespear Directed by Mark Babych

THUR 5 FEB - SAT 28 FEB 2026, 7.30PM

**MATINEES:** 7, 14, 18, 21, 28, 2PM

**SCHOOLS PERFS:** 11, 12, 24, 25, 26, 10.15AM **PAY WHAT YOU CAN:** THUR 5 FEB, 7.30PM

## **HELL IS MURKY**

In a country ravaged by war and rebellion, a fragile peace has finally broken out across an exhausted and wounded land.

Macbeth, returning from battle, meets three witches bearing a strange and fateful prophecy that begins a chain of bloody and brutal events.

Driven by an insatiable desire to succeed, Macbeth sets out to become King, by any means possible.

As his power-hungry wife sets him off on a murderous course to seize the crown, he is consumed by a great darkness... with violence and tyranny inflicted upon everything and everyone who stands in his way. But will their sanity remain intact, or will they pay the ultimate price for their destructive actions?

Don't miss this powerful and chilling production of Shakespeare's iconic tragedy, which lays bare the human cost of unchecked ambition.

Recommended Age: 13+

**TICKETS: £32 - £11** 

Concessions available on select performances

## **Access Performances**

Touch Tour: Sat 14 Feb, 12:30pm Audio Described: Sat 14 Feb, 12pm

Relaxed: Tue 17 Feb, 7.30pm & Wed 25 Feb, 10.15am BSL Interpreted & Captioned: Tue 24 Feb, 7.30pm

**Hull Truck Theatre Presents** 

## A GREAT HALLOWEEN ADVENTURE

## **SAT 25, MON 27 & TUE 28 OCTOBER**

Session 1: Arts & Crafts at 10am, Show at 10.45am

Session 2: Arts & Crafts at 11.30am, Show at 12.15pm

Session 3: (Mon & Tue only)
Arts & Crafts at 1.30pm, Show at 2.15pm

TICKETS £7.50 PER CHILD, one free accompanying adult (no ticket required)

Do you want to come on a silly and spooky adventure?

Come to Hull Truck Theatre for a Halloween themed adventure that features an arts & crafts session, followed by an interactive play that uses whatever you have made.

Adventurers are invited and encouraged to come in Halloween dress!

All shows on Sat 25, Mon 27 & Tue 28 will be the same story and themes.

## **AUGUST**

Freedom Festival Presents

THE TORCH: TRIBUTE TO AFROBEAT LEGEND EBO

**TAYLOR** 

THU 28 AUG, 9PM, FRI 29 AUG, 7.30PM TICKETS: £13.50 | CONC. £2 OFF

Producer and actor Kobby Taylor brings his own brand of gig-theatre to life with live-synth, harp and remixes of classics from afrobeat legend, his grandad Ebo Taylor. Vivek Santhosh will bring Moog and prophet synths basslines and pads and progressive harpist Stephanie Halsey will put a modern spin on a traditional instrument. Kobby's music blends hip-hop storytelling with jazz tinted Afrobeat grooves. The result is The Torch – part-mixtape, part-confessional, all performed live with the spontaneity of an improvising band.

Freedom Festival Presents

## THE GENESIS

By Copenhagen Collective

THUR 28 AUG, 7.30pm FRI 29 AUG, 6pm & 9pm SAT 30 AUG, 6pm

## TICKETS: £28.50 - £21.50 | CONC. £5 OFF

In this breath-taking circus performance, 17 worldclass acrobats take to the stage to defy the limits of human movement and emotion.

The Genesis brings together an original soundscape, a rich and atmospheric lighting design, and gravity-defying performers in a piece that celebrates the beauty of diversity in artistic expression.

Prepare for a truly unique experience as these extraordinary artists weave and soar around the stage, creating a beautiful narrative of human connection using just their bodies.

## **SEPTEMBER**

## **SALT**

TUE 2 SEP, 7.30pm TICKETS: £21 | CONC. £3 OFF

From Great Yarmouth's Contemporary Ritual Theatre comes the spellbinding new drama SALT, a magical tale of North Sea fisherfolk filled with sea shanties, folk songs and the supernatural.

'Extraordinary...If Shakespeare, Ken Loach and Nick Cave went on a day trip to Great Yarmouth, SALT could be the result.' - The Reviews Hub

## ART OF ANDALUCIA FLAMENCO DANCE

**THUR 4 SEPT, 7.30pm** 

TICKETS: £32

Daniel Martinez returns with a brand-new show dedicated entirely to flamenco dance. Art of Andalucia delivers an immersive experience where dancers take centre stage – featuring world-renowned artist Angel Reyes – capturing the passion and spirit of Andalucia. Daniel also unveils new pieces from his highly anticipated third album.

## **ALL OR NOTHING**

FRI 5 SEPT, 7.30pm TICKETS: £32 | CONC. £3 OFF

The Small Faces encapsulated all that was Mod. Sharp, hip, cool, talented, and streetwise. The four charismatic young kids from the East End of London who went on to become one of the most iconic and influential bands of the 1960's.

After three sell-out tours and a successful West End run of All Or Nothing the Mod Musical bring you the new and exciting All Or Nothing Experience Concert Show.

## THE VOID

**SAT 6 SEPT, 7.30pm TICKETS: £24 - £18 | CONC. £3 OFF** 

Dare you enter a world infected by fear? Eight million miles from Earth, a haunted space ranger boards an ageing craft and finds a failing ship, a missing crew, and a deadly force running out of control...

The Void is a chilling sci-fi horror with a creeping sense of dread – a decaying future of desperate humans, all-seeing AI, and memories of a distant, dangerous past.

Park Street Performing Arts Present

## **BOUNCERS**

By John Godber

**TUE 9 – WED 10 SEPT, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50** 

Bursting with imagination and wit and presented by just four actors, Bouncers is an outrageous and hilarious parody of the disco scene.

The four brutish bouncers of the title portray over twenty different characters as we are invited for a night out on the town.

We see them as giggly girls and lads on the make preparing for the big night out, as we follow their progress to the disco floor, where we also meet an entire cross-section of disco-goers, including Hooray Henrys, pogoing punks and drunken slobs!

Performed by Park Street Performing Arts, with kind permission from the John Godber Company

## SOUND OF SPRINGSTEEN

WED 10 SEPT, 7.30pm TICKETS: £32

Celebrate 40 years since the iconic Born in The USA album was first released with the world-class theatre production The Sound of Springsteen.

Experience the pure rock 'n' roll euphoria of Bruce Springsteen as this outstanding show brings his iconic sound to life, taking you on a musical journey through the incredible catalogue, from Greetings from Asbury Park to 2020's Ghosts via the legendary hits Born in the USA and Born to Run

## **KAILEY**

FRI 19 SEPT, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50

Kailey's mum's in prison, and at eighteen, she's forced to grow up fast. New job, new flat, big nights out, maybe this is freedom? But when life unravels, who's there to catch her? Inspired by true events, KAILEY is a bold, honest play about society's forgotten young people.

**STEPHEN BAILEY: TART** 

SAT 20 SEPT, 7pm TICKETS: £19.50

Stephen has appeared on every light entertainment show and come second on every celebrity quiz show and in his new show will gossip about everything from his funeral plans to his unrequited love for Ben Shephard - and if he needs to pad it out, he will read you secrets direct from the girlies WhatsApp group chat. Brassy, sassy and always classy – the perfect ingredients to make a proper Tart. 'A rising star' - The Sun

## **OCTOBER**

## **CREEPY BOYS**

TUE 7 OCT, 7pm
TICKETS: £15 | CONC. £2 OFF

You're invited: The Creepy Boys, are throwing their 13th birthday party. It will have everything. Games. Gifts. Possibly Satan. Probably Cake. Combining 2000s sexy songs, satanic rituals, and Willam Dafoe, these horny little boys do whatever it takes to make their birthday dreams come true (think Oh, Hello meets those twins from The Shining, meets My Super Sweet 16).

## DADDY'S FIRST GAY DATE

FRI 10 OCT, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50

Is it selfish to leave someone you love in order to find yourself? Ben's hoping his first date with a man can provide him with some much-needed answers, but is he expecting too much?

An uncomfortable restaurant break-up becomes a pressure-cooker first date in this new comedy by Sam Danson (BI-TOPIA), directed by the award-winning Rikki Beadle-Blair.

From a local village pub to a big gay rave in the city, Daddy's First Gay Date takes audiences on a Northern rom-com rollercoaster. The show explores identity, self-acceptance and coming out as LGBT later in life.

Reviews from previous show (BI-TOPIA):

★★★★ 'Extremely moving, nuanced piece of theatre, steeped in humour' -N The Stage

The John Godber Company Presents

## **BLACK TIE BALL**

Written & Directed by John Godber

**TUE 14 – SAT 18 OCTOBER, 7.30pm MATINEES: WED 15 & SAT 18, 2pm** 

## TICKETS: £24 - £18 | CONC. £3 OFF

It's the glitziest night of the year, and everyone wants to be there, from the great to the good. The Bentleys are parked, the Jazz Band has arrived, and the magician is magic; so pick up your invite for this fundraising frenzy. But behind the bow ties and fake tans there are jealousies and avarice, divorces and affairs. This is upstairs meets downstairs through a drunken gaze.

The raffle is ready, the coffee is cold, the service is awful, the Guest speaker is drunk and the hard pressed caterers just want to go home. By turns satirical and touching, Godber turns his laser gaze onto the Black Tie Ball in all its sophisticated pomp. Told in his signature visceral style, this hilarious comedy sees the hotel staff recount an entire evening at breakneck speed from arrival at seven to carriages at midnight. Being short staffed has never been so funny.

Post Show Q&A: WED 15 OCT (After 2pm matinee)

## **IRONING BOARD MAN**

**TUE 14 OCT, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50** 

Jody Kamali stars as Jeremy Irons in Ironing Board Man. One man. Ten ironing boards. One unforgettable soundtrack. Get ready to be amazed as physical comedian Jody Kamali masterfully transforms everyday household items into the tools of a Hollywood-style, action-packed romance. With heart-pounding moments and emotional depth, this show thrilled audiences during its sell-out run at the 2024 Edinburgh Fringe, earning numerous standing ovations.

There's gunfire, there's a wedding, there's more gunfire, and there's revenge – plus plenty of laughter along the way.

Ironing Board Man is a high-energy physical comedy that surprises audiences with unexpected emotional twists, captivating audiences from 12 to 80.

Plosive Live in Association with Sophie Chapman Talent Present

**NICK HELM: NO ONE GETS OUT ALIVE** 

FRI 17 - SAT 18 OCT, 7pm TICKETS: £19.50 | CONC. £3 OFF Are you ready to have the best damn night of your effing life? Well don't worry - the man with the golden larynx is back. Nick Helm, the greatest entertainer of his or any generation, is coming to a town near you. Relent to him. He. Is. Your. New. God.

## **OUTLAWED**

OCTOBER WED 22 OCT, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50

Get ready for a night at The Major Oak, the hottest speakeasy in the whole of Sherwood Forest, where Robin and their dangerously talented gang of Merry Fools are set to throw a party so big, even the Sheriff wants in! Get set for the fiercest night of burlesque, drag and comedy the middle ages can muster.

**Hessle Theatre Company Presents** 

## **EVERYBODY'S TALKING ABOUT JAMIE**

TUE 21 – SAT 25 OCT, 7.30pm

MATINEE: SAT 25 OCT, 2pm TICKETS: £21

## CONC. £2 OFF

Jamie New is sixteen and stepping into the spotlight! Living on a Sheffield council estate, he doesn't quite fit the mould - but Jamie was never made to blend in. With his loving mum behind him and true friends by his side, he proves the haters wrong, finding strength in sequins!

## **SOMETHING ABOUT GEORGE**

TUE 28 OCT, 7.30pm TICKETS: £29.50

Something About George – The George Harrison Story, the musical biopic tribute about the so-called "quiet" Beatle is back following a hugely successful 2024 UK and Ireland tour. Starring West End actor and musician Daniel Taylor, Something About George – The George Harrison Story tells the truly remarkable tale of one of music's most understated icons

THE BUBBLE SHOW 2 – MORE BUBBLES!

OCTOBER WED 29 OCT, 2pm

**TICKETS: £15** 

Journey through the awe-inspiring story of the origins of Bubbleland, as it's brought to life in a dazzling display of soap and water. Immerse yourself in this spectacular adventure as the master of bubbles breathes life into: light, water, plants, animals, stars, and the essence of human nature itself

Recommended Age: 2+

# JOSH JONES: I HAVEN'T WON THE LOTTERY SO HERE'S ANOTHER TOUR

THUR 30 OCT, 7pm TICKETS: £16.50

After his 2023/24 sell-out smash tour Gobsmacked, this marvellous Manc is back with his best show yet. A TV favourite, and now an aspiring doctor's wife, Josh Jones is now knee deep into his 30's and nothing thrills him more than a Greggs Sausage Roll and an M&S food shop. Living a more sedate life isn't without its challenges though - he's still trying to earn his cat's respect! ★★★★ Edinburgh Festivals

## **Barry Collings Entertainment Presents**

# THE SIGNATURES: NORTHERN SOUL LIVE With special guest Original Northern Soul Artist Lorraine Silver.

FRI 31 OCT, 7.30pm TICKETS: £29.50

The UK's most authentic Northern Soul Live Show. Experience the soul-stirring magic of The Signatures, The Official backing band for many of the Northern Soul original artists.

#### **NOVEMBER**

Presented By Mick Perrin Worldwide LTD in Association with PBJ Management

**EDDIE IZZARD: HAMLET** 

**SAT 1 NOV, 7.30pm TICKETS: £45 - £35** 

Akin to the original performances of Hamlet, Eddie performs on the blank canvas of a bare stage. Shakespeare's words and pure storytelling take the spotlight. 'Spectacular.' Dame Judi Dench

#### **HULL COMEDY FESTIVAL**

# JEDDY BEAR & GARY'S PIE WARS Episode V: The Jest Star Rises

SAT 1 NOV, 2pm TICKETS: £7

The galaxy is in peril as the evil Empire has unleashed its ultimate weapon – the Jest Star, a humour-sucking force threatening to destroy all laughter across the universe.

But hope is not lost. Multi award nominated double act, Jeddy Bear and Gary return with their fifth epic mission. With wit as their weapon and silliness as their shield, they must train a new generation of Jeddy Knights to fight back. Join the rebellion. Restore the laughter... And may the pie be with you...

Recommended Age: 2+

## **BEST OF 'ULL**

SAT 1 NOV, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50 | CONC. £2 OFF Hull is funny! Prepare for laughter as a selection of Hull's comedy talent return for our annual "Hullarious" showcase, for one-night-only! Come and join us for our showpiece event with Hull's multi-award winning comedians to see what everyone is laughing about!

Recommended Age: 16+

PHIL NICHOL: TRYING MY BEST

WED 5 NOV, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50 | CONC. £2 OFF

Phil has been getting better at comedy since March 1987. One of these days he may get it right. Until then Phil just keeps trying. If at first you don't succeed, try and try your best.

This is a tour of Phil trying his best.

Edinburgh Comedy Award Winner (Formerly Perrier) 2006.

Recommended Age: 18+

# JOE KENT-WALTERS IS FRANKIE MONROE: DEAD!!! (GOOD FUN TIME)

THUR 6 NOV, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50 | CONC. £2 OFF

Yorkshire's biggest bastard and Edinburgh Comedy Award Best Newcomer 2024 is back!

This time he's dead... dead good!! And also dead. He's a dead man.

Join the nation's favourite demonic Working Mens Club owner as he dazzles you from beyond the grave.

Recommended Age: 16+

ONE OFF PRODUCTIONS PRESENT

'ALLO 'ALLO!

TUE 4 - THUR 6 NOV, 7.30pm TICKETS: £18.50 | CONC. £3 OFF

Following the success of The Vicar of Dibley, local group, One Off Productions, returns to Hull Truck Theatre with another TV favourite.

'Allo 'Allo! was seen in 82 countries and pulled in weekly audiences of 20 million. Come and enjoy the stage version of David Croft and Jeremy Lloyd's hit comedy.

This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals Ltd.

## STRICTLY THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

**VINCENT SIMONE: TANGO PASSIONS** 

FRI 7 NOV, 7.30pm TICKETS: £37.50 - £33.50

Argentine Tango King and Strictly Come Dancing legend, Vincent Simone, returns to the stage in 2025 with Tango Passions.

Accompanied by world-class Argentine Tango and Latin specialists, let the original Italian stallion take you on a journey to Buenos Aires and tell the tale of love, passion and lust set at the turn of the 20th century.

Featuring classic and modern Argentine Tango music from the likes of Astor Piazzolla and Gotan Project.

A sexy, steamy, passionate night not to be missed!

## **HULL JAZZ FESTIVAL**

# JOSEPH COX AND GARY HAMMOND: CONVERGENCE MERIDIAN: CLAIRE HOLDICH AND STEPHANIE HALSEY AWAKENING

FRI 7 NOV,6pm – 7pm TICKETS: £10 (students and under 26s £6)

A highly atmospheric double-bill featuring Meridian, a flute and harp duo, who craft original compositions, seamlessly blending live improvisation, electronic soundscapes, field recordings, Native American-style flutes, and world instruments, inspired by a passion for mindfulness, yoga, and meditation.

They are joined by Convergence, whose work moves between many genres and features electronic musician Joe Cox and percussionist Gary Hammond, who has worked with countless jazz and rock artists including The Beautiful South, Noel Gallagher and Nina Simone.

## **DEIRDRE CARTWRIGHT ORGANIK TRIO**

FRI 7 NOV, 8pm – 10pm TICKETS: £15 (students and under 26s £6)

**ORGANIK TRIO** 

FEATURING DEIRDRE
CARTWRIGHT (GUITAR);
PETE WHITTAKER (ORGAN);
GARY HAMMOND (PERCUSSION)

Celebrating the classic jazz organ-guitar trios of the 1960s Kenny Burrell & Jimmy Smith, Grant Green & Larry Young, Wes Montgomery & Melvin Rhyne, plus some original takes on The Beatles, The Doors, Curtis Mayfield and Kate Bush. Swing,

grooves and inventive improvisation between these outstanding musicians led by award winning guitarist and composer Deirdre Cartwright who became well known presenting the BBC TV's groundbreaking series 'Rockschool'.

'If there is a more complete guitarist in contemporary music than Deirdre Cartwright, I'd like to know who it is' Dave Gelly, the Observer

# HULL YOUTH JAZZ ORCHESTRA WITH HUMBER MUSIC HUB ENSEMBLES

SAT 8 NOV, 3pm – 4.15pm TICKETS: £10 (students and under 26s £6) The culmination of a celebratory Youth Jazz Orchestra project with young musicians gathered from across the Humber region. Duke Ellington and Charlie Mingus are at the heart of this project alongside other pieces especially arranged for the Festival by Humber Music Hub, showing how healthy the modern jazz scene is.

## MAMBO JAMBO AND JOE MARTIN

# SAT 8 NOV, 8pm – 10pm TICKETS: £15 (students and under 26s £6)

Eclectic genre-defying, Mambo Jambo are joined by violinist extraordinaire, Joe 'Hotbow' Martin for spontaneous, joyful music making. Expect all sorts of musical wildness, a mash-up of some swing, some Latin American, Cajun, Eastern European, some folky Bluegrass, plus original pieces that they composed together for last year's Out Of The Box Festival. Some may remember Joe from when he was fronting the legendary Hull band 'Ain't Misbehavin' and leading them to perform at the Montreux Jazz Festival.

BOOK ALL 4 SHOWS FOR THE PRICE OF 3

SU POLLARD: STILL FULLY CHARGED

**SAT 8 NOV, 7.30pm** 

TICKETS: £29

Celebrating Su's 50 years in show business in a onewoman variety show packed with fabulous songs, hilarious stories, and much-loved characters. In a flurry of costumes, props, and live musical accompaniment, Su takes the audience through her career from the earliest days of auditions, through her many acclaimed musical theatre appearances, to her international TV successes.

OFTHEJACKEL IN COLLABORATION WITH JOANNA HOLDEN PRESENTS

## **COUNTESS DRACULA**

**TUE 11 NOV, 7pm TICKETS: £13.50** 

This is no ordinary adaptation.

Joanna Holden is getting on. The roles are drying up and so is her skin. After too long in the shadows she's coming to claim what is hers.

One of literature's greatest monsters as you've never seen it before.

## JOHN ROBERTSON PLAYS WITH HIS AUDIENCE

WED 12 NOV, 7pm TICKETS: £15

New tour show for 2025! 90 minutes of improv, mayhem, gaming comedy, crowdwork and songs from the UK's most manic comic on his first-ever stand-up tour! Best known for his high-octane improvisation and game show The Dark Room, come get played with!

★★★★ 'A force of nature' – Daily Telegraph

## **CHUCKL. HULL**

# WED 12 NOV, FRI 23 JAN, 7.30pm TICKETS £23.50

Two massive comedy nights at Hull Truck Theatre with Chuckl. this season. Featuring stars from Live at the Apollo, Mock the Week, BBC R4 and more, expect brilliant lineups, big laughs and a fantastic atmosphere. Book now and join us in November and January for two unforgettable nights of stand-up.

## **OFF THE KERB PRESENTS**

**SUZI RUFFELL: THE JUGGLE** 

THUR 13 NOV, 7.30pm TICKETS: £18.50 | CONC. £2 OFF

It's hard to be good all the time. A good mother, a good daughter, a good partner, a good friend, a good person. To be ambitious but not ruthless; a success but not a sell-out. A gentle parent but not a pushover. To be smashing life and make it look easy. The juggle. Suzi is exhausted and she hasn't even started. This is a stand-up show and a support group!

# GINGER GREEN IN ASSOCIATION WITH NORTHERN THEATRE PRESENTS

THE OLD CURIOSITY SHOP

THUR 13 – SAT 15 NOV, 7pm TICKETS: £17

First published in 1841, The Old Curiosity Shop was Charles Dickens' fourth novel and a phenomenon in its day. When the final instalment arrived by ship in New York, eager readers reportedly stormed the dock in anticipation.

Expect humour, heartbreak and unforgettable characters in this dramatic retelling of one of Dickens' most enduring works.

## LOCOMOTIVE FOR MURDER: THE IMPROVISED WHODUNNIT

FRI 14 NOV, 7.30pm TICKETS: £24 – £18 | CONC. £3 OFF

Pinch Punch welcome you aboard Locomotive for Murder: The Improvised Whodunnit, a totally improvised, totally hilarious murder mystery where killing the cast and cracking the case is in your hands. Expect shaky alibis and silver-tongued sleuths along with thrills, spills, and good old-fashioned kills.

Four characters board a train, but not everyone will survive... Thankfully, a world-famous detective is onboard, ready to solve the case.

#### **RAVE ON**

SAT 15 NOV, 7.30pm TICKETS: £26

Rave On - take an exhilarating step back in time to the fabulous 50s and swinging 60s in a musical experience like no other. From the arrival of Rock and Roll from Memphis to the British Invasion...

Be blown away by a thrilling, authentic show packed full of iconic classics, vibrant vintage costumes, and colourful staging - guaranteed to have you dancing in the aisles!

'So much energy, footwork and brilliant voices. I didn't want the show to end' Audience Quote

## **JANUARY**

## THE DAZZLING DIAMONDS - COMEDY DRAG SHOW

FRI 9 – SAT 10 JAN, 7.30pm TICKETS: £24

Fresh from London's West End, The Dazzling Diamonds bring their smash-hit comedy drag show to the stage!

Expect outrageous comedy, sensational live vocals, jaw dropping dance routines, and iconic hits from stars like Tina Turner and Lady Gaga. A fast-paced, laugh-outloud night of pure entertainment! 'Hilarious and high-energy performance - they left me in stitches' Audience Quote

## LITTLE WANDER IN ASSOCIATION WITH PBJ MANAGEMENT PRESENTS

**BRIDGET CHRISTIE: JACKET POTATO PIZZA** 

**THUR 15 JAN, 7.30pm** 

**TICKETS: £29.50** 

A kidney stone. A stray cat. An eye-themed fetish. Bridget Christie hits the road again with a brand new show. Creator of Channel 4's smash hit sitcom The Change and BBC Radio 4's Mortal. Star of Taskmaster, Ghosts, Uncanny, and Off Menu.

'One of the brightest and best around.' The Independent

'Razor sharp, consistently hilarious, expertly paced and structured set.' The Telegraph

## THE OLIVIA RODRIGO EXPERIENCE

SAT 17 JAN, 6pm TICKETS: £18 After exploding onto the music scene in 2021, Olivia Rodrigo has produced a catalogue of anthems especially for the younger generations.

The Olivia Rodrigo Experience is a tribute to the Pop Rock Sensation celebrating all her biggest hits. This show is energetic,

fun, and very lively with lots of interaction - Featuring a show-stopping set list including Drivers License, Good 4 U, Get Him Back!, Vampire, Bad Idea Right? and many more!

Complete with authentic costumes, vocals and dancers, this show promises to have something for every age and the audience singing along from start to finish!

## RONNIE SCOTT'S JAZZ CLUB: 'THE RONNIE SCOTT'S STORY'

**SAT 24 JAN, 7.30pm** 

TICKETS: £26

Direct from London's world-famous jazz club and combining world-class live jazz, narration, rare archive photos, and video

footage, The Ronnie Scott's All Stars take to the stage to celebrate The Ronnie Scott's Story.

Mixing classic music from the jazz greats who have performed at Ronnie Scott's over its incredible history, alongside tales of old Soho, miscreant musicians and police raids, this is a unique evening celebrating one of the world's most famous venues, its music, and history.

## **HULL TRUCK SCREEN**

SHOWCASING THE BEST IN ART AND INDEPENDENT CINEMA FROM AROUND THE WORLD

Experience world-class screenings in The Godber Studio, equipped with a state-of-the-art screen and sound system. Enjoy live broadcasts from The Royal Shakespeare Company, National Theatre Live, and the Royal Ballet & Opera.

These screenings run alongside our exciting season in partnership with Hull Independent Cinema (HIC).

New screenings are added every month – visit www.hulltruck.co.uk/whats-on/films-screenings to see what's coming up!

Book your tickets early to avoid disappointment!