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Welcome to our final programme of events for 2025.

This season, we have lots to keep you entertained during Sept-Dec as we approach the busy festive period.

And what a festive season we have for you! Our panto this year is our version of the much loved story, Beauty & The Beast which features an all new cast, along with one or two local favourites. We can't wait to welcome you and your loved ones this year to create those magical Christmas memories.

As always, there's lots of comedy on offer this season with favourites, Jimeoin, Joanne McNally, Paul Merton, Ardal O'Hanlon, Jason Manford and Rob Beckett all returning to our stage.

Once again, we have plenty of fantastic live music with the return of Phil Coulter and Paul Brady as well as the ever popular Ulster Orchestra. I'm also delighted to welcome music icon and Grammy nominee, David Essex, to our stage for the very first time.

As we approach our 25th anniversary in 2026, we're very much looking forward to celebrating with you and we have recently announced a number of fabulous shows to kick-start the celebrations. The global stage musical phenomenon, Miss Saigon, will arrive with us in May. It's already broken box office records across the globe for the last few decades and I can't wait for local audiences to see it for the very first time on our stage. January sees the arrival of a brand new in-house revival of the critically acclaimed, The White Handkerchief. I'm delighted to be working with local director, Kieran Griffiths, to bring this poignant story to life on our stage in January.

As always, thank you for your continued support; without it, we can't continue to bring you these world class productions. I hope you enjoy the new season.

David McLaughlin
Chief Executive

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Chris Norman - The Original Voice Of Smokie

Date: Fri 5 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.00, £35.00, £38.00

Includes Development Fee

Limited availability

Under 16s to be accompanied by an adult

Contains flashing lights



This concert will celebrate fifty incredible years of Smokie, one of the most iconic and influential bands of the 70s.

The original lead singer, Chris has had an unparalleled success with Smokie and as a solo performer, selling over thirty million records worldwide. Hits like 'Living Next Door to Alice', 'Oh Carol' and 'Lay Back In The Arms Of Someone' have become anthems of a generation.

This unforgettable night will feature all the hits, plus some surprises, as Chris Norman and his band take the audience on a journey through the decades of Smokie's music alongside some of Chris's solo hits that made him a household name worldwide.

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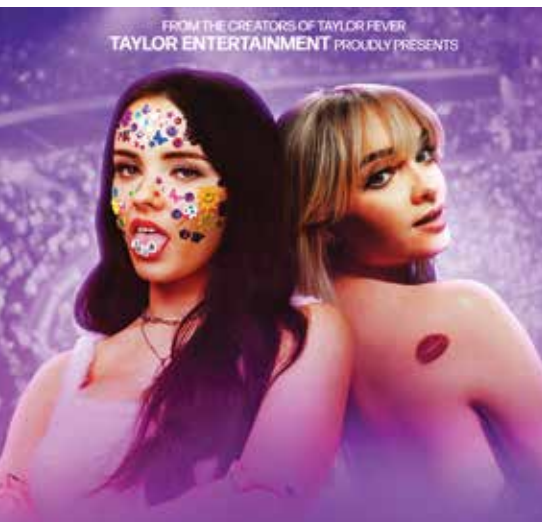
Bitter Sweet

Date: Sat 6 Sept

Time: 7pm

Tickets: £26.50

Includes Development Fee



Back by popular demand! Featuring four new tracks.

From the creators of the smash-hit theatre and arena show, Taylor Fever, comes Bitter Sweet, the incredible tribute concert to pop mega-stars Sabrina Carpenter and Olivia Rodrigo!

Carpenters and Livvies alike will rejoice in a spectacular show packed with pop smash-hits, heartbreak anthems and the undeniable thrill of friendly rivalry. Bitter Sweet will captivate audiences of all ages with its high-energy concert experience that brings together unforgettable hits including Drivers License and Vampire alongside Carpenter favourites like Espresso and Nonsense.

Gather your friends and family for an epic evening you'll never forget!

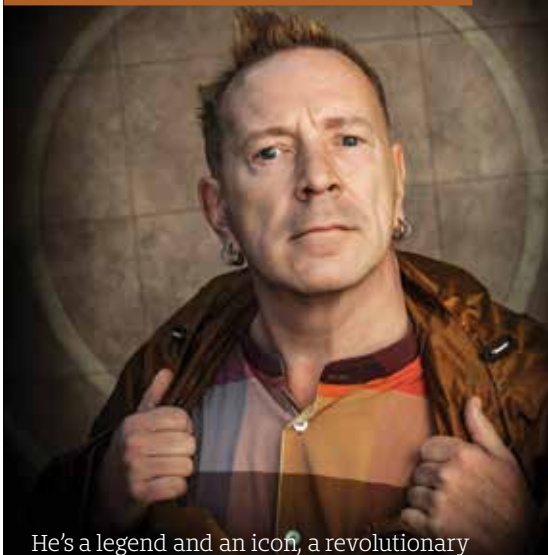
John Lydon

Date: Sun 7 Sept

Time: 7.30pm

Tickets: £37.50, £49.50, (Best seats plus goody bag)
£89.50 (Best seats plus, pre-show meet'n'greet with photo and autograph)

Includes Development Fee



He's a legend and an icon, a revolutionary and an immortal. John Lydon – aka Johnny Rotten – changed the face of music and sparked a cultural revolution. The frontman and lyricist of the Sex Pistols and Public Image Ltd (PiL) caused a political earthquake and transformed music for good. In his spoken word show, I Could Be Wrong, I Could Be Right, Lydon is touring the UK. He will talk about how he sees life, along with his unique and extraordinary career, and take audience questions during a pyrotechnic, one-off tour. Lydon will be sharing his thoughts with audiences. He Could Be Wrong. He Could Be Right.

VIP meet'n'greet packages are available.

Nip & Tuck

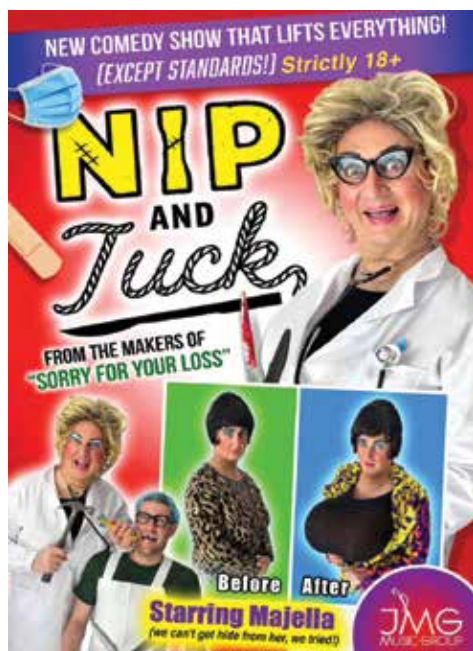
Date: Fri 12 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £26.50

Includes Development Fee

Strictly over 18s



The stage comedy that lifts everything (except standards!).

Starring Irish comedy legend Gary Gamble and a riotous cast of misfits!

Welcome to the most disastrous cosmetic clinic, where the only qualifications required are confidence, chaos and a steady hand — preferably someone else's.

When Barbara O'Flaherty turns up for a boob job and is mistaken for world-famous surgeon Dr. Barb Flaheejay, she decides to roll with it. After all, how hard can surgery be? Packed with innuendo, slapstick and belly laughs, *Nip & Tuck* is pure madness in scrubs.

Deirdre O'Kane - O'Kaning It

Date: Sat 13 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £26.50

Includes Development Fee

Suitable for age 16+



Comedic fireball Deirdre O'Kane is mad for road, mercilessly mining hilarity from the human condition. Will she conquer the chaos or revel in it? Tame the mayhem or "O'Kane it"? Either way you're in for a night of relentless laughs fuelled by warped personal insight.

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ARC Fitness

Date: Wed 17 Sept
Time: 9.15am-4.30pm
Tickets: £6.00
Includes Development Fee



Join ARC Fitness for the annual *Recovery in Motion* conference.

This year's event, themed *Iron Sharpens Iron*, is part of ARC's wider campaign to emphasise that recovery is strengthened through community, connection and mutual support. Featuring an incredible lineup of keynote speakers—including leading clinicians, advocates and individuals with lived experience—this impactful conference will explore innovative strategies, personal journeys, and expert insights into addiction recovery. Whether you're a professional, supporter, or someone on a recovery journey, *Recovery in Motion* is a chance to connect, learn and grow together.

The ELO Tribute Show

Date: Thurs 18 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £29.50, £33.50

Includes Development Fee

Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Contains strobe lighting/flashing lights



The ELO Show, a tribute to Jeff Lynne and ELO, is back on the road with a stunning new stage production, featuring a band of amazing musicians complimented by a female string section and playing hit after hit from ELO's vast back catalogue.

With beautiful harmonies from six singers and featuring a string section and world class band, this really is as close as you will get to the real thing.

Expect songs like Evil Woman, Don't Bring Me Down, Telephone Line, Sweet Talkin Woman, Turn To Stone, Wild West Hero, The Diary of Horace Wimp and of course, the legendary Mr Blue Sky, plus many more. Don't miss out on this fantastic night of nostalgia and classic tunes.

Jason Manford: A Manford All Seasons

Date: Fri 19 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £21.50, £35.50, £41.50

Suitable for age 16+

Includes Development Fee



Jason Manford is back with his brand-new live show, A Manford All Seasons. Jason'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. A Manford All Seasons is Jason's latest comic offering set to hit the road and is sure to be 'expert observational comedy' (The Guardian) mixed with 'comic gold' (Mail on Sunday). 'Starstruck' (ITV1), 'First & Last' (BBC One), 'The Masked Singer' (ITV1), 'What Would Your Kid Do?' (ITV1), 'Olivier Awards' (ITV1), 'Scarborough' (BBC One), '8 out of 10 Cats' (Channel 4), 'The Nightly Show' (ITV1), 'Sunday Night at the Palladium' (ITV1), 'Live at the Apollo' (BBC One), 'Have I Got News For You', (BBC One), QI (BBC Two) and 'The Royal Variety Performance' (ITV1) have all helped establish Jason as a nationally known comic.

The Tumbling Paddies

Date: Sat 20 Sept
Time: 8pm
Tickets: £21.50 (standing tickets)
 £24.50 (seated tickets)

Includes Development Fee



The Tumbling Paddies are making tremendous waves across the Irish music scene and their dynamic live shows are certainly not to be missed! The Tumbling Paddies are a young, talented and energetic six-piece band from Co Fermanagh who have taken the music scene by storm over the past four years. With their catchy original songs and distinctive take on well-known cover songs, they have created their own unique trad/pop sound.

Featuring:

Lead vocals/ Tin whistle: Gareth Maguire

Banjo: Ciaran Owens

Guitarist: Lee Jones

Accordion: Martin Treacy

Keyboard: Oisín Mc Manus

Drummer: John Mc Cann

PCA Irish Classic

Date: Sun 21 Sept
Time: 10am
Tickets: £31.50, under 12: £16.50
Includes Development Fee



This show will act as a qualifying event for the PCA British Final.

Rob Beckett: Giraffe 2025 Tour

Date: Thurs 25 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.50

Includes Development Fee

Strictly age 14+ Likely to be swearing and adult content.



Yes! Bobby Beckles is back on tour. Smashing the life out of the M25, M1, M5 and any other road that's in his way. From Bromley to Brisbane, his new show Giraffe is going worldwide.

Expectations on him: put on 3 stone from takeaways and post-show drinking.

Expectations of you: leave the gig happier than when you arrived.

Host of Sky's Rob Beckett's Smart TV and Rob & Romesh Vs. He's also the unmistakable voice of Channel 4's Celebs Go Dating and the smash-hit podcast Parenting Hell.

"Hilarious." (The Mirror)

"Naturally funny." (The Times)

Blindboy

Date: Sat 27 Sept

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £29.50

*Includes Development Fee
Over 16s only*

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His live podcasts sell out worldwide, from Toronto to Brisbane to London's Hammersmith Apollo. Outspoken, informed and empathetic, Blindboy engages his audience with an acerbic wit.

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The Bootleg Beatles

Date: Sun 28 Sept
Time: 8pm
Tickets: £39.00, £46.50
Includes Development Fee



The Bootleg Beatles' new show will celebrate the music of The Fab Four on film.

Sixty years ago, The Beatles' debut feature-length film *A Hard Day's Night* became a huge critical and commercial success, even being nominated for two Academy Awards. The following year in 1965 their second film *Help!* received similar glowing plaudits.

Featuring hits from *A Hard Day's Night*, *Help!*, *Magical Mystery Tour*, *Yellow Submarine* and *Let It Be*, The Bootleg Beatles and their orchestra will take you on a whistle stop trip through the celluloid career of The Fab Four in their brand new spectacular multi-media stage show.

The Greatest Love of All starring Belinda Davids

Date: Thurs 2 Oct
Time: 8pm
Tickets: £35.00
Includes Development Fee

Whitney Houston's musical legacy is brought to life in this critically acclaimed tribute concert. Be stunned by the breathtaking vocals of Belinda Davids – as seen on Britain's Got Talent, Showtime at the Apollo and winner of the BBC's Even Better Than The Real Thing.

Accompanied by her live band and backing vocalists plus glorious state-of-the-art sound, lighting, vision and theatrical FX, making this a beautifully crafted tribute to one of the world's most revered singers.

This is a special concert event not to be missed.

**Not associated with the Estate of Whitney Houston*



JIMEOIN - Pandemonium!

Date: Fri 3 Oct & Sat 4 Oct
Time: Fri 8pm & Sat 5.30pm & 8pm
Tickets: £29.50

Limited seats available

Includes Development Fee

Suitable for age 16+



A not-to-be-missed, hilarious evening with one of live comedy's universally acclaimed true masters - we are absolutely delighted to welcome the stand-up legend that is Jimeoin back to the Millennium Forum with his brilliantly funny new show.

Portstewart's own Jimeoin has a cheeky no-gimmicks sense of humour that keeps audiences in stitches across the globe. You might be one of the hundreds of millions of fans who have viewed his online comedy clips, or perhaps you've seen his laugh-out-loud TV appearances on 'Live at the Apollo', 'The Royal Variety Performance' or 'Conan O'Brien'... but NOTHING beats seeing this Irish observational joke-master where he is most at home – live-on-stage!

'Don't miss it! If laughter is the best medicine, Jimeoin is a course of steroids.'
 Edinburgh Evening News

'A comic masterpiece.' **** Mail on Sunday

Michael English

Date: Sun 5 Oct
Time: 8pm
Tickets: £30.00
Includes Development Fee



Michael English remains one of Ireland's best loved singers and entertainers. He returns to our stage as part of a special nationwide concert tour.

In this brand new show, audiences can expect to hear lots of familiar singalong Irish songs including intimate ballads and, of course, many great country favourites from artists such as Charley Pride, Jim Reeves and Hank Locklin. Not forgetting some of his own biggest hits and most requested songs.

Join Michael as he brings you on a musical journey of Ireland's most loved country and Irish songs.

A Night With The Stars

Date: Wed 8 Oct

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £25.00

Includes Development Fee



Join a host of Ireland's top stars for an unmissable night in memory of the late Charlotte McEvoy and in aid of Marie Curie Cancer Care.

The stellar line-up for this very worthy cause will include Patrick Feeney, Philomena Begley, Red Hurley, Jim Devine, Gary Gamble, Ritchie Remo. Aidan Quinn plus performances from Charlotte's son, Gary McEvoy, grandson Gary Fitzpatrick and granddaughter Cheryl Ann McEvoy. Accompaniment on the night is provided by Ireland's top backing band Keltic Storm.

Comperes on the night will be Mickey Doherty and Gary Gamble.

Early booking is advisable.

Paddy Raff - Here's One For Ya!

Date: Fri 10 Oct

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £19.50

Suitable for age 16+

Includes Development Fee



Paddy Raff is hitting the road again following the success of his last show, the biggest selling NI stand-up comedy tour of 2024 which was seen by a whopping 15,000+ people! With more comedy songs, hilarious tales of fatherhood, his former wedding band antics, musings on modern life and another musical visit from Nigel, the King of BT9 – 'Here's One For Ya!' isn't just a stand-up gig, it's a show not to be missed.

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Why not treat yourself to an upgrade?

Dylan Moran: Dollah Ho

Date: Sat 11 Oct

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £32.00

Strictly 16+

Includes Development Fee



BAFTA and Perrier award-winning comedian Dylan Moran brings his brand new stand-up show 'DOLLAH HO' to our stage with choice servings of his thoughts on everything and anything - delivered with his trademark poetic panache.

Throughout the summer of 2024, Dylan traversed the highways and byways of Ireland for a 'Work In Progress Wander' which saw him craft hours of new material throughout 50 shows in 35 towns.

The fruits of these flights of fancy have now been distilled into a brand new hour of stand-up from one of Ireland's comedy heroes.

"In his heightened ideas and vocabulary, Moran compulsively swerves clichés as he builds up layers of laughs... funny and fascinating, and utterly deserving of his place in the modern classics" - The Times

Chitty Chitty Bang Bang

Date: Thurs 16 to Sun 19 Oct

Time: Thurs & Fri 7.30pm, Sat 2.30pm & 7.00pm, Sun 2.30pm

Tickets: Opening Night & Sun matinee: £18.50 concessions available
Fri & Sat: £19.50, £22.50, £24.50

Includes Development Fee



The Grove Theatre Group brings the first ever production of 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang' to the Millennium Forum stage.

An eccentric inventor, Caractacus Potts sets about restoring an old race car from a scrap heap with the help of his children, Jeremy and Jemima. They soon discover the car has magical properties, including the ability to float and take flight. Trouble occurs when the evil Baron Bomburst desires the magical car for himself. The family joins forces with Truly Scrumptious and batty Grandpa Potts to outwit the dastardly Baron and Baroness and their villainous henchman, the Child Catcher.

Filled with amazing stage spectacle and unforgettable songs, including the Academy Award-nominated title song, *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* is a high-flying, fun-filled adventure for the entire family.

Brian Bilston

Date: Mon 20 Oct

Time: 7.30pm

Tickets: £22.00 concessions available

Includes Development Fee



Brian Bilston has been described as the Banksy of poetry and Twitter's unofficial Poet Laureate; with over 400,000 followers on social media, Brian has become truly beloved by the online community.

He has published several collections of poetry, including *You Took the Last Bus Home* and *Alexa, what is there to know about love?*, described by one reviewer as 'the funniest collection of humorous verse I have seen in a long time'. His novel *Diary of a Somebody* was shortlisted for the Costa First Novel award. He has also written poetry for children, including a collection of football poems, *50 Ways to Score a Goal*, while his acclaimed poem *Refugees* was set to music by composer Mark-Anthony Turnage and turned into a picture book.

The City Of Derry International Choir Festival

Date: Wed 22 - Sun 26 Oct

Time: 7.30pm

Tickets: £5.00-£25.00

Includes Development Fee



This autumn, the City of Derry International Choir Festival returns for its 13th edition, lighting up the North West with a thrilling celebration of the human voice. A cornerstone of Northern Ireland's cultural calendar, the festival transforms Derry and its surrounding region into a global stage for the finest in choral music.

Over eighty choirs from around the world—including ensembles from Estonia, France, Germany, Nigeria, the Philippines, and across Ireland and the UK—will come together to fill the city with harmony. Expect an exhilarating mix of world-class guest artist concerts, school and international competitions, and the ever-popular pop-up performances and community concerts that bring music to unexpected corners and connect audiences of all ages.

Conor Moore - Me, Myself and Them

Date: Sat 1 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.00

Includes Development Fee

Strictly 16+

Conor Moore brings his legendary impressions to life in his brand-new comedy live show!

Known for his razor-sharp takes on GAA legends and his pitch-perfect impressions of politicians, Conor delivers a new show packed with personality – many personalities in fact!

Mary Lou, Loughnane, KEANO, Brolly, Tommy Tiernan, Trump and many, many more feature throughout!

CONOR MOORE ME, MYSELF AND THEM!

"He's gutless."
LOUGHNANE

"He can't do me."
BROLLY

"I'm sayin' nothin'!"
DAVY FITZ



The Rainbow School of Dance - Just Dance

Date: Sun 2 Nov

Time: 5pm

Tickets: £16.50

Includes Development Fee



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Joanne McNally: Pinotphile 2025-2026 Tour

Date: Thurs 6 & Fri 7 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.50

Includes Development Fee

Strictly age 14+ Likely to be swearing and adult content.



After the success of her record-breaking tour *The Prosecco Express*, Joanne McNally returns with her hotly anticipated new stand-up show *Pinotphile*.

Join Joanne for a wild ride as she navigates situationships, revenge, frenemies and rejection in her 'terrifyingly funny' (*London Evening Standard*) and 'joyously nuts' (*Irish Examiner*) trademark style.

She's the co-host of award-winning podcast *My Therapist Ghosted Me*, and with riotous appearances on *Taskmaster*, *The Jonathan Ross Show* and *The Big Fat Quiz of Everything*, Joanne also hosts the hugely successful BBC Sounds series *Joanne McNally Investigates: Who Replaced Avril Lavigne* and *Do Furbys Spy On Us?*

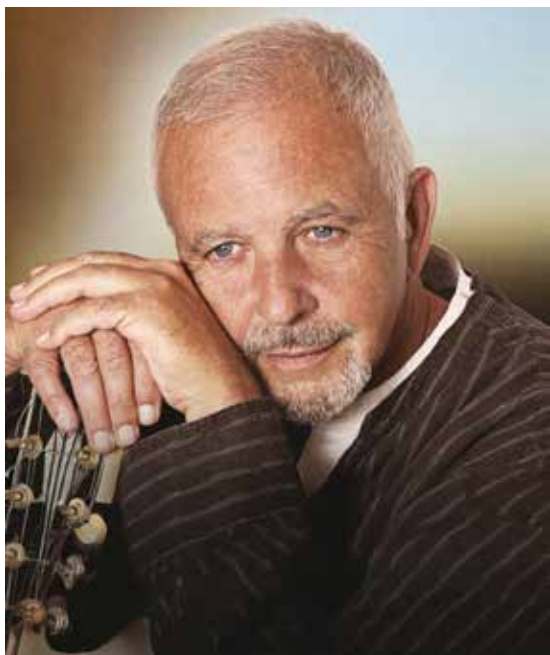
David Essex

Date: Sat 8 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.50, £39.00, £46.00

Includes Development Fee



David Essex is the only artiste in the world to have achieved success in all areas of entertainment as a singer, writer, producer, director, actor in theatre, films, television, stage and recording. A unique talent who continues to break boundaries and a success story that goes on and on and on.

His remarkable career spans over fifty years and in that time, he has written, recorded and produced albums and singles that have sold millions of copies worldwide including twenty-three Top 30 singles in Britain alone. How could we forget chart toppers such as 'Hold Me Close', 'Silver Dream Machine', 'Oh What A Circus' from *Evita*?

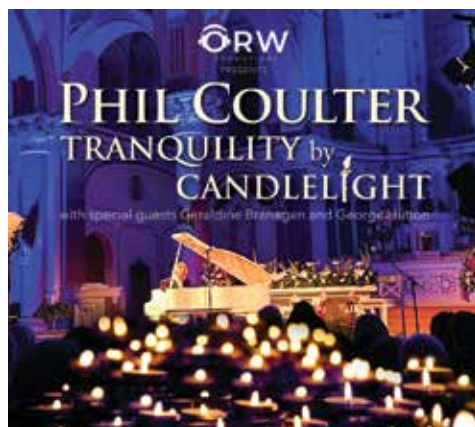
Phil Coulter - Tranquility By Candlelight

Date: Sun 9 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £38.00

Includes Development Fee



With special guests Geraldine Branagan and George Hutton.

The release in 1983 of the album Classic Tranquility was a milestone in Irish music and in the career of its creator Phil Coulter.

Over the following years, the country seemed to fall in love with the soothing piano sounds of Tranquility. It became a phenomenon, leading to millions of record sales and sold out international tours. Music fans were charmed by the fresh arrangements of timeless melodies, Irish classics and inspirational favourites.

Now, more than forty years since its arrival, Tranquility makes a return to the stage, in a new and updated production.

Audiences will be guaranteed an evening of familiar and best loved melodies in a magical setting, surrounded by the glow of candlelight.

A Fairytale For Christmas

Date: Mon 10 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £20.00, £27.50, £30.00

Includes Development Fee

The ultimate Irish Christmas concert is back!

After more than half a million tickets sold worldwide, the sell-out sensation has returned for 2025 with tickets on sale now. It's the same incredible Christmas show you've come to love just with a slightly different name. Imagine a St Patrick's Day party on Christmas Day! Due to demand, advanced booking is advised.

Disclaimer:

This show is in no way based on, endorsed by, or affiliated or associated with the song titled 'Fairytale of New York', the Pogues, or Shane MacGowan (or their respective representatives).



Eric Cantona

Date: Tues 11 Nov

Time: 8pm


Tickets: £99.00, £189.00, £399.00

Includes Development Fee



For the 1st time ever, Eric 'The King' Cantona will be coming to the Millennium Forum in an exclusive evening like no other. After signing for the club in 1992, Cantona soon became the King of Old Trafford and is still widely regarded as the most iconic and influential player in the club's history. In a live unscripted interview, Cantona will take the stage to share the magical moments, unforgettable memories and stories about his glittering career. This is truly a once in a lifetime opportunity to get up close and personal to the Manchester United Icon.


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Queen By Candlelight

Date: Thurs 13 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £23.00, £29.00, £36.00

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Ardal O'Hanlon - Not Himself

Date: Fri 14 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £27.50

Includes Development Fee

Suitable for age 16+



After an alarming experience at the supermarket, Ardal reflects on who he is as a man and a comedian. He examines his own ethnic and religious background. And thinks twice about the very core of his identity as a voice of reason. Is everything a big lie? With no major trauma of his own to draw on for material, apart from the drag of getting older, he also turns his gaze outwards at the joys and follies of contemporary life. Towel animals? AI? Chair yoga? Cauliflower as a main course? Yes. Yes. Yes. And Yes. No current idiocy is left un-examined. With a highly developed sense of the ridiculous, and proper comedy bones, NOT HIMSELF, is a testament to the healing power of humour. And the joy of jokes.

Paul Merton & Suki Webster - Improv Show

Date: Sat 15 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £27.50

Includes Development Fee

Suitable for age 14+



An evening of sensational improvised comedy.

Following critically acclaimed seasons in London and Edinburgh, Paul Merton and Suki Webster, two of the UK's leading improvisers, are delighted to announce that they will be taking their new show around the UK from this autumn.

Expect an evening of wonderfully unscripted cutting-edge comedy in a show full of fast, fabulously funny improvised games, scenes, stories and laugh out loud surrealism as these two masters of Comedy Improvisation join forces with their old friend, improv virtuoso Mike McShane, and many other very special guests to create cascades of laughter and joyful silliness.

Paul Brady

Date: Sun 16 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.50, £34.50

Includes Development Fee



Paul Brady, singer, songwriter and multi-instrumentalist, makes a welcome return to our stage with classics such as 'The Island', 'Nobody Knows', 'Arthur McBride' and many more.

Paul Brady crosses musical boundaries again and again, incorporating folk, rock, blues traditional Irish and classic pop styles into his song writing. His live performances, whether solo or with his trio, include songs from his extensive catalogue of forty years.

The Bjorn Identity

Date: Thurs 20 Nov

Time: 8pm

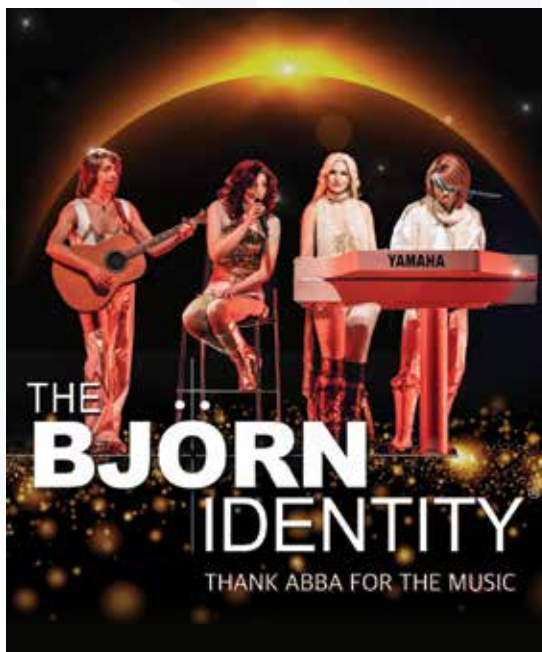
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MAMMA MIA! World-class, international tribute to ABBA – The Bjorn Identity, returns to our stage to thank ABBA for the music.

Hailing from Northern Ireland, The Bjorn Identity have risen to become one of the most exciting and authentic ABBA acts across the UK and Europe.

This dynamic live show is packed full of ABBA's greatest hits and Mamma Mia movie favourites to satisfy the 'Hole in Your ABBA Soul'. Lots of audience participation and always something extra for the most dedicated fans. Their impressive attention to detail in both staging and musicianship of their seven piece live band is acclaimed by ABBA fans worldwide. There's no doubt you will go home, feeling like you've just experienced ABBA in the flesh!



Mario Rosenstock - Gift Grub Live 25!

Date: Fri 21 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £36.00

Includes Development Fee



Ireland's most successful impressionist and satirist Mario Rosenstock celebrates twenty-five years of the beloved and iconic radio show, Gift Grub, with a brand new stage show, Gift Grub Live 25!

Created by Mario Rosenstock and Ian Demspey, Gift Grub has become a household name, known for its spot-on parodies of celebrities, politicians and public figures.

Expect a high-energy performance filled with laughter, satire and unforgettable entertainment. All the favourite Gift Grub characters from the past twenty-five years will be there - Flatley, Michael D, Paschal, Miriam, Leo, Roy, Marty, Davy Fitz, Rog, Johnny Sexton ... and many more!

Off Your Trolley - Starring Conal Gallen

Date: Sat 22 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £26.50

Includes Development Fee

Suitable for age 16+



'Off Your Trolley' is a rip-roaring, laugh a minute tale of life in a hospital ward. It's packed with craic, confusion and constant laughter!

Join Bridie, Willie, Dick, Betty and the infamous Father "Big Mad Micky" O'Reilly as they show us hospital life as it has never been seen before. They'll have you "in stitches" from start to finish!

You'd have to be completely "off your trolley" to miss this hilarious new comedy play from the cream of Irish comedy! It certainly proves that laughter is still the best medicine! Starring: Conal Gallen, Paddy McMenamin, Jack Quinn.

Chris Kent - Offline

Date: Fri 28 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £22.50

Includes Development Fee

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Cork's own Chris Kent returns with a brand new show, 'Offline'. He tries to give up the internet and navigate life without asking his phone what to eat, where to go or how to get home. He longs for a simpler time of playing 'Snake' and constructing emojis himself. Now that he has hit forty years of age, he wonders if he can ever go back to thinking for himself. Join him on a journey that will either make him or break him.

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Legends of American Country

Date: Sat 29 Nov

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £27.50

Includes Development Fee



Multi-award-winning show, 'The Legends of American Country', returns for another fantastic night of toe-tapping Country Music nostalgia!

Showcasing highly acclaimed tributes to Dolly Parton, Johnny Cash, Don Williams, Patsy Cline, Hank Williams, Tammy Wynette and Kenny Rogers plus new tributes to icons Alan Jackson, Shania Twain, Garth Brooks, The Chicks and Luke Combs, this is a must-see musical extravaganza for all Country Music fans. Guaranteed to transport you all the way to Nashville!

Country Music Northern Ireland "As good a country show that you will see live anywhere outside Nashville."

Paul Casey - Rea-magined

Date: Fri 5 Dec

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £29.50

Includes Development Fee



Back by popular demand...featuring all the hits including 'Driving Home For Christmas'.

Rea-magined is an expertly-crafted show, featuring the classic hits of 40-million-album-selling Chris Rea, faithfully performed in Rea's unmistakable style – with a modern twist – by his long-time collaborator, Paul Casey.

A seminal figure in the history of modern guitar, Chris Rea is no longer touring. But his fans – and lovers of great music – can now enjoy a rare opportunity to witness his music live, like never before, as Casey 'Rea-magines' the classic hits. The new show is set to honour Rea's musical legacy in a way that perhaps could only come about on the back of the decades-long relationship between Casey and Rea.



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Nathan Carter

Date: Fri 12 Dec

Time: 8.30pm

Tickets: £36.50

Includes Development Fee



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John McNicholl

Date: Thurs 18 Dec

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £26.50

Includes Development Fee



Get ready for an unforgettable festive night of country magic with John McNicholl! This sensational country singer will take you on a musical journey like no other in an evening filled with soul-stirring melodies, foot-tapping rhythms and some Christmas cheer.

Special guests on the show are Hugo Duncan and the Benn sisters.

Secure your tickets now and join us for a night of pure country bliss.

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Why not treat yourself to an upgrade?

Ulster Orchestra The Magic of Christmas

Alfonso Casado Trigo Conductor

Date: Mon 22 Dec
Time: 8pm
Tickets: £20.00, £27.00, £31.00
Includes Development Fee
NB Not suitable for under 3's

This wonderful concert is now a firm fixture in our festive programme and is the perfect night out for all ages. *Let It Snow* so we can enjoy the magic of a *Winter Wonderland* and who knows, we might even have a *White Christmas*!



Jake O'Kane Needs New Teeth Tour

Date: Sat 27 Dec
Time: 8pm
Tickets: £26.50
Includes Development Fee
Suitable for age 16+
Contains bad language



While some comics tour to buy their mothers a bungalow, Jake O'Kane is on tour to buy his mouth some teeth. Following years of playing in rough sports and drinking in rougher bars, Jake needs a mouth overhaul. Join him and his trusty sidekick, Terry McHugh, as he recounts the many adventures that led to this dental odyssey. As always, Jake will sink his remaining teeth into our local politicians and the peculiarities of life in our odd part of the world.

SPEAKEASY

Why not treat yourself to an upgrade?

Christmas With The Country Stars

Date: Mon 29 Dec

Time: 8.30pm

Tickets: £28.50

Includes Development Fee



Back by popular demand, 'Christmas Country With The Stars' returns for another night of festive magic with an impressive line-up that features five of Ireland's top acts all in one fabulous show! The line-up includes the legendary Queen of Country Music, Philomena Begley, Declan Nerney, TR Dallas, Brendan Shine and Gerry Guthrie. Each of the five stars will perform their trademark hit songs sprinkled with some Christmas classics and will be accompanied by Ireland's multi-award-winning backing band, Keltic Storm, making this a show you won't want to miss. Early booking is advisable.

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Date: Fri 23 Jan to Sun 1 Feb 2026 (no Mon/Tues performances)
Time: 8pm, Sundays 7pm, Sat matinee (24 Jan) 2.30pm
Tickets: Opening Night Offer: All seats £24.00 concessions available
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Fri-Sun: £26.00, £28.50, £31.00

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Dara O'Briain

Date: Wed 11 & Thurs
12 Feb 2026

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £31.50

*Includes Development Fee
Strictly 14+*



A portrait of Dara O'Briain, a middle-aged man with a balding head and a slight smile, wearing a dark blue button-down shirt under a black blazer. He is looking slightly to the left of the camera. The background is a textured blue gradient.

DARA Ó BRIAIN

Re:Creation

Blood Brothers

Date: Tues 17 - Sat 21 Feb 2026

Time: Tues & Fri 8pm, Wed & Thur 1pm & 8pm, Sat 3pm & 8pm

Tickets: Opening Night: £27.50, £31.50, £37.50, £42.50

Wed & Thurs: £29.50, £33.50, £39.50, £44.50

Fri & Sat: £33.50, £37.50, £43.50, £48.50

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Time: 7.30pm

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Give My Head Peace

Date: Fri 6 & Sat 7 March 2026

Time: 8pm

Tickets: £30.00

Includes Development Fee





Miss Saigon

Date: Tues 26 to Sat 30 May 2026

Time: Tues & Fri 7.30pm, Wed, Thurs & Sat 2.30pm & 7.30pm

Tickets: Tues-Thurs: £34.50, £42.00, £55.00, £59.50, £64.50 concessions available (T&Cs apply). Fri & Sat: £39.50, £47.50, £60.00, £67.50, £74.50

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Box Office Opening Hours: Monday-Saturday 9.30am - 5pm. Open one hour before performance each day.

Payment can be made by cash and any major credit/debit cards (no service charge). When collecting pre-paid tickets at the Box Office, proof of identification is required.

Phone Bookings: Tickets must be collected within three working days of reserving otherwise they may be resold unless payment has been received. Tickets can be posted, this will incur an administrative charge of £1.80 (UK) and £2.50 (ROI). E-tickets are now available. Alternatively, they can be held at box office for collection on the day/evening - there is no charge for this service. Calls may be monitored for training purposes.

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Babes In Arms: For selected children's performances only, all children under one year old may go free. However all patrons must be in possession of a valid ticket. Please ask at the Box Office for further details. Children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult to all of our performances.

Drinks In Auditorium: For selected shows, drinks may be brought into the auditorium in plastic glasses. No hot drinks in the auditorium.

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Late Comers: Shows start on time, please do not be late. Latecomers will only be admitted if there is a suitable break in the performance, which may not be until the interval. Please note that this rule will be strictly enforced.

Auditorium: Cameras, tape recorders and video cameras are not permitted in the Auditorium without the expressed permission of the Millennium Forum management. All mobile phones must be switched off. Glass, hot food or hot drinks are not permitted in the auditorium at any time. There is a strict no smoking policy including E cigarettes.



Support Acts: If information on support acts is available the Millennium Forum management will inform customers of these in advance but on occasions this may not be possible.



The Development Fee is your chance to contribute to the future of the Millennium Forum and to invest in our future development. Every ticket purchased for a show is subject to a small premium of £1.50.



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