

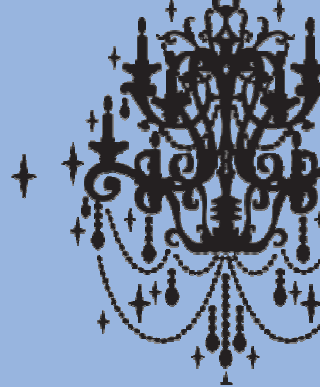


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Spring

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Newsletter



Seeing out 2010 & seeing in 2011 at The Victoria Institute

The end of 2010 saw bitter weather across the country, which was tempered (hopefully) by a varied selection of events at The Vic:

- 11-13.Nov - **Crimes Against Humanities Teachers** - award-winning comedy theatre from the Brighton Festival
- 20.Nov - **Attila the Stockbroker** - sharp-tongued, high energy, social surrealist rebel poet and songwriter
- 8-11.Dec - **Drip Action Theatre - Seven Wonders of the Ancient World** - Seven new short plays based
- 17.Dec - **Arundel Jazz Club - Heather Cairncross** - hugely popular big-band singer

Sadly, Hakuna Pesa's New Year's Eve bash had to be cancelled due to Reggae Tom suffering from winter ailments.

Already in 2011 and before returning to work on the outside of the building when warmer weather returns, a lot of effort is being spent inside with a great deal of help from a Probation Service team. The entrance hall, stairs, landing and the Red Room are all being decorated. We hope this doesn't cause too much inconvenience and think you'll notice a real difference each time you visit.

Events for this coming season are coming together nicely with January at The Vic already having seen the fantastic play 'Large Print Trash' from writer & actor Jonathan Brown. There's much more to come and we hope you'll find something of interest in the programme...

2011 Spring / Summer Programme

(£x) = member prices

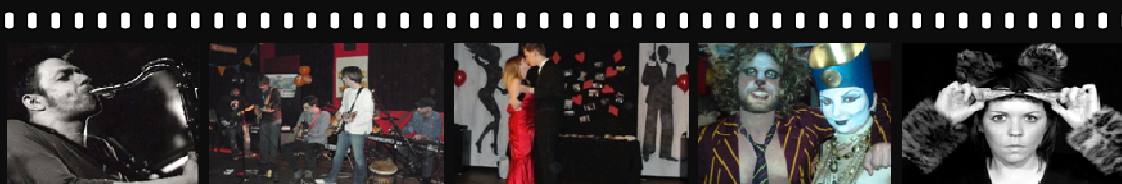
Sat 12.Feb	£10	→	The FB's Love Train <i>The FBs dance band brings an evening of dance & romance to the Red Room.</i> The Muse is also offering a special pre-dance supper to ticket holders from 6pm
Sun 20.Mar	£5 (£4)		Moneymaker - Blues is their business... ..and business is good! <i>Smokin' hot blues roots combined with a powerful rock influence.</i>
Tues 29.Mar to Sat 2.Apr	Tue-Thur £9 (£8) Fri-Sat £10 (£9)		Drip Action Theatre - LITTLE GEM - Love, sex, birth, death and salsa classes. <i>Three generations of women. One Dublin family. One extraordinary year.</i>
Fri 15.Apr	£12 (£10)		Arundel Jazz Club - Zoë Schwarz & Rob Koral - bring their special blend of bluesy vocals and mellow guitar together with the AJC trio: Steve, Alex & Terry.
Thur 21.Apr to Sat 23.Apr	£9 (£8)		Andy Thomas: Boundstone Lane - Award-winning writer/actor returns to Arundel with a locally-themed comedy musical headed for the Brighton Fringe.
Sat 7.May	Open Day - Free £ TBA	→ →	Open Day tea, coffee, cakes, games & music. Fund-Raising Music Evening with the Jazz Smugglers and more...
Sat 14.May <i>(provisional)</i>	£30 (£25) [wkshop] £8 (£7) [eve. perf]		Touch & Go Theatre - All Day Theatre Workshop & Evening Performance <i>A professional performers' workshop followed by an evening performance.</i>
Fri 20.May	£6 (£5)		CCTV Allstars - International band delivering "full rhythm music" synthesizing metal, hip-hop, folk, ska & reggae into a rock gumbo with a serious jazz edge.
Fri 10.Jun	£8 (£7)		DHB - Rocking Rhythm and Blues <i>David Hay returns to Arundel with one of the best blues bands in the South East</i>

There will be more so please check www.thevictoriainstitute.org What's On page for changes & additions to the programme.

HELP!

We would love to hear from members who could help with the committee or anyone interested in helping with event organisation, day-to-day running tasks (bar, cleaning, FOH), website, publicity, etc.

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