

# WHATS ON?

## Spring and early Summer 2011



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(beyond Tesco)

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We are offering a reduced 'open' programme for spring and early summer due to increased carnival activity around The NatWest Island Games 2011 Opening Ceremony, 25 June. Over 50 island schools and organisations will be using the space and facilities in the building to design, create, rehearse and produce their costumes for the BIG PARADE!

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**For more information or to book your place please call 01983 817288**

## WORKSHOPS & CLASSES: MUSIC

### Djembe Drum Class

Beginners/improvers.  
Drums provided  
or bring your own.  
Please note this class  
is NOT held at the  
Learning Centre.  
Mondays 7pm to 9pm



**Starts Monday 31 January for 8 sessions**

£6/£4 weekly • Tutor Joe Cauldwell • Venue Medina High School.

### Steel Pan Classes

Beginners/improvers. Learn to play the steel pan and perform at the Island Games Opening Ceremony.

**Youth Group (9 to 18 yrs)**

Thursdays 6pm to 7.15pm • £FREE  
(Youth Music Power Play Funded)

**NEW Adult Group (19yrs plus)**

Thursdays 7.30pm to 9pm  
£4/£3 weekly

**Starts Thursday 3 March**

Tutor Hannah Larkin



### Samba Drum

RAW SAMBA meet every Tuesday 7pm  
at the Carnival Learning Centre.  
Contact Emma on 07989 865587

## COSTUME (MAS) MAKING

### Feathercraft: Carnival Arts Masterclass



A specialist 3 day residential course focussing on featherwork. Working with a variety of different feathers, learn new and innovative techniques for creating colour, shape and form with layering, arrangement, panel work and embellishment.

**Starts Tuesday 15 February 12.30pm**

**Ends Thursday 17 February 5pm**

Includes evening sessions • £65/£45

Travel and accommodation not included but can be arranged at additional cost.

Tutors: International Carnival Artists and Designers

Colin Spalding and Steven Hoyte from Rampage Mas Band.

### Dinosaurs 2011: Large Structural Costume Making

A week long masterclass to create huge articulated dinosaur puppets which will lead the NatWest Island Games 2011



Opening Procession. Participants will have the opportunity to wear or crew the puppets at the event on 25 June.

**Saturday 21 to Saturday 28 May all day**

£65/£45 (subsidy available for IOW residents)

Travel and accommodation not included but can be arranged at additional cost. Tutor Tony Mason

### Introduction to Carnival Masquerade Accredited Course @ Level I (NCFE)

A short essentials skills course designed to underpin knowledge and understanding of basic carnival costume making in preparation for the May Day Jouvay Parade and other Carnivals in the West Wight.



In Association with West Wight Landscape Partnership. Please note this class is NOT held at the Learning Centre. 6.30pm to 9.30pm.

**Starts Monday 7 February for 6 sessions**

£45/£33 (subsidy available for W. Wight residents)

Tutors Jenny Jackson and Charlotte Snooke

Venue: West Wight Middle School

### Integrated Carnival Club (Blue Touch Paper Carnival Project)

An open weekly club for adults and accompanied young people with or without disabilities who want to make costumes and take part in the NatWest Island Games 2011 Opening Procession.

Wednesdays 6.30pm to 8pm

**Starts 2 March for 12 sessions  
(in term time only)**

£1 weekly • Tutor Penny Rushton



### Half Term Mardi Gras

Costume making made very simple in this fun and friendly workshop for children and their parents/carers.

Tuesday 2 to 4pm

**Tuesday 22  
February**

£6 per child, accompanying adults FREE. Tutor Island Creations

# ICT & CREATIVE MEDIA

## Professional Graphic Design

Using industry standard Photoshop, Illustrator and InDesign for those with previous experience, this course aims to help you progress with the software and develop your design skills for print based artwork.

Mondays 6.30pm to 9pm

**Starts 7 February for 18 sessions**

£200 • Tutor Mark Lloyd

## Web Design

Learn how to create a simple but web compliant website using DREAMWEAVER, the professional web development tool.

Wednesdays 6.30pm to 9pm

**Starts 2 March for 5 sessions**

£32/£22 • Tutor Claire Kay



## TOON BOOM Half Term Digital Animation workshop (parents with children)

1 day workshop with a fantasy theme, learn how to produce your own loony cartoon, and bring it to life using traditional animation processes. Minimum age 8. Basic computer skills required.

Wednesday 10am to 3pm (bring picnic lunch)

**Wednesday 23 February**

£12 per child, Tutor Lauren Fry



accompanying adults FREE

# DANCE & STREET ARTS

## Guith Carnival Morris

Carnival meets English Folk! New members always welcome – dancers and musicians. Meets every Wednesday, 7.30pm at the Carnival Learning Centre.

Contact Brian on 01983 880118



## Belly Dance

Get into shape with Rebekah's belly dance class. Suitable for all ages shapes and sizes! Wear something Loose and comfortable and bare feet to dance.

Mondays 10am to 11am

**Starts 7 March for 6 sessions**

£30 • Tutor Rebekah



## Street Arts Course

Monthly skills development days for young people 14 to 19 years leading to performance at the NatWest Island Games Opening Ceremony June 2011.

Theatre, acrobalance, circus etc.

Sundays 10.45am to 3.30pm

**PLUS**

Week long Summer School, 31 May to 4 June (half term)

£FREE (Arts Council England Funded)

Tutors Periplum visual theatre company, Brighton



## Fire and Circus Club

Meets every Sunday 5.30pm at the Carnival Learning Centre

Contact Helen on 07926 998306

# OTHER

## Not Just Bunting! The Street Party Workshop

A short practical course dealing with many of the essential requirements for running a street party. From licensing and risk assessments to site decorations and new-games.

Mondays 6.30pm to 9pm

**Starts Monday 28 February for 2 sessions**

£12/£8

Tutor Chris Slann

## Food Hygiene

All you need to know about Food Safety issues for street parties (or other events, school fetes etc), including food handling, storage, cooking, cleaning, equipment, safety hazards etc.

Mondays 6.30pm to 9pm

**Starts Monday 14 March for 2 sessions**

£12/£8

Tutor Steve Baker

# EVENTS

## An Extra Ordinary Island: NatWest Island Games 2011 Opening Ceremony

**Gala Launch Event:** A preview of the costumes, music and choreography that will form part of this unique event. Medina Theatre, Newport.  
7pm to 9.30pm

**Thursday 10 February**

£12/ £8

Limited public seats. Book early to avoid disappointment!

## International Womens Day

This year we are exploring personal adornment for IWD with a jewellery theme. Mothers and daughters (8 years plus) especially welcome. Mix and match your workshop choices. Options include jewellery made from recycled materials and felt jewellery as well as bead pendants and bracelets.

10.30am to 12.30pm, 1pm to 3pm  
(packed lunch if staying all day)

**Saturday 12 March**

£6 per workshop, £10 for two.



## May Day Jouvay. Dawn til Noon.

Cross cultural celebrations begin at Dawn (6.32am) from Fort Victoria near Yarmouth in the West Wight. Costume, drama, song and dance. Early Breakfast. From 9.30am a May Day Parade from the Fort to Yarmouth town centre for open air ceilidh.

**Sunday 1 May**

All FREE!

## NatWest Island Games 2011 Opening Ceremony

AN EXTRA ORDINARY ISLAND! Carnival Procession and site specific performance.

**Saturday 25 June starting 5.00pm @ Ryde**

Check our website for more details as and when they become available.



The Carnival Learning Centre on the Isle of Wight is the first in the country dedicated to increasing skills and knowledge for personal and community development using carnival and the celebratory arts.

Activities outlined in this brochure are open to all residents and visitors alike and new opportunities are constantly being added, so check out our website for the latest information.

All courses and workshops, unless otherwise stated, are for adults (19yrs +) and prices quoted are for the complete programme. The concessionary rate is applicable for those on means tested benefits.

### HOW TO FIND US

Located on the edge of Ryde, with ample free parking, the Centre is to be found adjacent to Waltzing Waters beyond Tesco Superstore and is clearly signed from the A3055 Ryde to Sandown road. If you are visiting from the mainland the best approach to Ryde is via Fastcat or Hovertravel from Portsmouth. The centre is a short taxi or bus ride from the Esplanade. Look out for bus routes 2, 3 and 14.

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