

## What's on?

### South Tyneside Arts and Culture Workshops

#### **SOUTH SHIELDS**

##### **The Customs House**

Mill Dam, South Shields NE33 1ES

[www.customshouse.co.uk](http://www.customshouse.co.uk)

- Offers arts and entertainment for all, with a varied programme of live performance, cinema, visual arts and projects for children and young people.
- **Art Wednesdays - Activities for women:** For the next few weeks, The Customs House will be running a series of creative tasters, teaming up with Bright Futures' own Ladies group. Singing, clay and crafts. Wednesdays 10am- 12pm. For more information, call 07821 200888 or [margarita@customshouse.co.uk](mailto:margarita@customshouse.co.uk)
- **Chill & Chat: Art sessions for wellbeing-** Joint project between The Customs House and CREST, which offers free creative activities to men from ethnic minority backgrounds (BAME). We run different activities each season (this month we will be focusing on painting and visual arts) Thursdays at 1-3pm. For more information, call 07821 200888 or [margarita@customshouse.co.uk](mailto:margarita@customshouse.co.uk)
- **Weekly Life Drawing-** Tuesdays, 10:30am- 12:30pm.  
<https://www.customshouse.co.uk/events/weekly-life-drawing/>. £10 per person, all materials provided. For more information email [rory.williams@customshouse.co.uk](mailto:rory.williams@customshouse.co.uk)
- **Weekly Oil Painting-** Wednesdays, 6-8pm.  
<https://www.customshouse.co.uk/events/weekly-oil-painting/> £20 per person, all materials provided. For more information email [rory.williams@customshouse.co.uk](mailto:rory.williams@customshouse.co.uk)
- **All-day Life Drawing-** Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June, 10:30 am- 4 pm.  
<https://www.customshouse.co.uk/events/all-day-life-drawing/> Extra details: £50 per person, all materials provided. For more information email [rory.williams@customshouse.co.uk](mailto:rory.williams@customshouse.co.uk)

##### **The Word**

Market Place, South Shields NE33 1JF

<https://theworduk.org/>

- National Centre for the written word. South Tyneside cultural venue brimming with exciting new experiences, activities and facilities for all ages to enjoy.
- Current groups:
- **Writing for Wellbeing Group-** Writing group which will give you the opportunity to try creative writing and provide a friendly environment to share poetry and prose. Free, new members are always welcome. To join contact Pauline on 0191 424 7805 or by emailing [pauline.martin@southtyneside.gov.uk](mailto:pauline.martin@southtyneside.gov.uk)

Every second Tuesday of the month, 6pm- 7:30pm

### **South Shields Museum & Art Gallery**

10 Ocean Road, South Shields NE33 2JA

<https://southshieldsmuseum.org.uk/>

- South Shields Museum celebrates the rich heritage of South Tyneside and the people who shaped it. The museum is spread over two floors telling the story of the borough's social, industrial and maritime history from 4,000 years ago to the present day through a range of displays, exhibitions and nationally significant works of art.

### **Ocean Road Community Centre**

Community Association, Ocean Rd, South Shields NE33 2DW

<https://oceanroadca.com/>

- Community Centre which holds a wide range of art groups and courses
- Current groups: Contact Ocean Road on 01914 230787 or email [liz.stephenson@oceanroadca.com](mailto:liz.stephenson@oceanroadca.com)
- **Art Group**- Tuesdays 10am- 4pm
- **Quilting & Sewing**- Wednesdays 1pm- 3pm
- **Brakaway Art**- Thursday 1pm- 3pm
- **WEA Courses** also available at Ocean Road including Crafts, Creative Arts and Design Level 1. Find more information about their courses here <https://www.wea.org.uk/courses/arts-crafts>

### **Age Concern**

29 Beach Road, South Shields NE33 2QU

[www.facebook.com/AgeConcernTynesideSouth](https://www.facebook.com/AgeConcernTynesideSouth)

- Provide a wide range of services to support older people to enjoy later life.

## **JARROW**

### **Jarrow Hall**

Church Bank, Jarrow NE32 3DY

<https://jarrowhall.com/>

- Anglo-Saxon inspired farm and village and Bede Museum.

### **Perth Green**

Inverness Road, Jarrow NE32 4AQ

<https://perthgreenca.org.uk/>

- They provide facilities for members to engage in recreational, social, educational, cultural and sporting activities and to give opportunities for people of all ages to participate in a wide range of activities.
- **Craft group**- Wednesdays 12pm- 3pm
- **Tyneside Community Wood Shed**- Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 10am- 3pm
- **Pottery and Silversmithing**- contact the centre

### **Big Local Jarrow**

Cambrian Street, Jarrow NE32 3QN

<https://sites.google.com/view/biglocaljarrow/home?authuser=1>

- Jarrow Big Local Trust is a community partnership working to improve the central Jarrow area in Tyne and Wear. Check their facebook to keep up to date.

### **Bilton Hall Community Trust**

Taunton Ave, Jarrow NE32 3RT

[www.biltonhallct.com](http://www.biltonhallct.com)

- A Community Centre with different activities happening throughout the week, check website and facebook to keep up to date.

### **HEBBURN**

#### **Hebburn Cemetery Tearooms**

Victoria Road West, Hebburn NE31 1UR

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1036526136509412/>

### **MARSDEN**

#### **Marsden Road Community Centre**

Marsden Road, South Shields NE34 6RE

[https://www.facebook.com/marsdenroadcentre/?locale=en\\_GB](https://www.facebook.com/marsdenroadcentre/?locale=en_GB)

- Community centre based on Marsden Road offering a community gym, community shop, exercise and sports classes, adult and children activity groups, an outdoor pitch, party room hire, community events and much more.
- Keep up to date with classes on facebook
- Current art classes:
- **Sew-cially Quirkiness**- Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays 6pm- 8pm
- **Marsden Makers**- Tuesdays 10am- 12pm
- **Knit & Natter**- Wednesdays 2pm- 4pm
- **Just Sew**- Thursdays 10am- 12pm

- **Artventures-** Fridays 1:30pm- 2:30pm and Saturdays 10am- 11am

## **WHITBURN**

### **Souter Lighthouse and the Leas**

Coast Road, Whitburn, SR6 7NH

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/north-east/souter-lighthouse-and-the-leas>

- A historic lighthouse overlooking nature-rich clifftop grasslands, coastal park and rugged coastline.

### **The Barnes Institute**

East Street, Whitburn, SR6 7BY

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064669933188>

- Community centre based in Whitburn providing various health and well-being activities