

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Book keeper: 2 or 3 hours once a week. Days negotiable. Would suit retired Book keeper/ accountant or even someone still at work.

Regular Cleaners: 3-4 hours twice a week. Why not come with a friend and get the job done in half the time! Times negotiable. Help to make the centre sparkle!

Minutes Secretary: 3-4 hours a month. Someone with good recording and typing skills who can summarise well and produce a succinct, accurate record of meetings. Meetings usually held 6-7.30 pm.

PLEASE contact Moira, our volunteer coordinator: volunteers@foxlowearts

Items Wanted

We are still looking for:
Leather Chesterfield sofa;
Power hammer drill;
Rechargeable drill with batteries;
Drill bits;
Working-plane (smoothing planes);
Light-weight folding portable workbench.
Please contact:
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07793 711 844
www.warmigloo.net

Trustees' message

We regret the disquiet caused by the estate agents' TO LET sign which appeared on the front of the Foxlowe recently. It was a mistake and we acted quickly to have it removed.
Allied with the apparent closure of the cafe it may have appeared that we had done a moon-light flit but the cafe is operating from the bar while the owner undertakes essential restoration works in the cafe and later in several other areas of the building. We are on course to start the purchase process once all of the essential works have been successfully completed.



Foxlowe Arts Centre supports
FAIRTRADE & Totally Locally



Foxlowe Gallery

A Peak District Thing (see page 2)

This current exhibition runs until 15 September.

The following show, *Beyond the Mirror*, runs from Saturday 21 September to Sunday 10 November.

Open: Wednesday-Saturday 10am-4pm; Sunday 11am-4pm

Foxlowe Film

Autumn Tuesday evening film season opens
TUESDAY 17 September with *The Great Gatsby*
(see page 2)

Foxlowe Music

THE SITUATION PRESENT Leek's very own newly named
RISE THE FALL formerly Airflow playing indie-pop that will get everyone dancing
FRIDAY 13th SEPTEMBER Music 8.30 - 11pm (see page 3)

Foxlowe Talks

7.30pm Wednesday 18th September 2013

LEN HOLDEN: THE DIRTY THIRTY

Film, Talk, Discussion.

7.30pm Wednesday 16th October 2013

SUMUD PALESTINE - STEADFAST PALESTINE

The Mayor of Leek, Cllr John Fisher introduces guest speakers Mohammed Mukhaimer and Angela Glendenning who present the award winning film:



5 BROKEN CAMERAS

shot by a Palestinian farmer, Emud Burnat, and edited by Israeli director Guy Davidi.
"A powerful portrayal of state sponsored violence and ethnic cleansing."
Imagine living in Compton and having to trek to Cheddleton, Longsdon and Rudyard to reach what is left of your farm at Ball Hays Green, thanks to state sponsored robbery. This is a common experience for West Bank Palestinians.

Foxlowe Youth Theatre

Saturday morning Foxlowe Youth Theatre

Juniors 8-11 yrs 10-11.15am & Seniors 12-15 yrs 11.45am-1pm

All young people 8-15yrs welcome to join one of more series

of 6 weekly Saturday morning sessions:

September 7, 14, 21, 28, October 5 & 12

Half term week followed by next series of 6 sessions:

October 26, November 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30.

Telephone Lynne Payne: 01538 398501 or 07779 096959

Further details or turn up & book at first date in each series.

Aladdin and his Magic Lamp:

this year's Christmas pantomime page 1

Foxlowe Cafe

Welcoming and relaxed ambience every day 10am - 4pm
Good selection of vegetarian meals and daily meat option
All private parties catered to your requirements.
We provide excellent facilities for fund-raising events which can include the cafe, the bar, main function room and the cinema facility.
Contact the Centre Manager, Julie Lyons, 01538 386112 to discuss the possibilities for your event.

Foxlowe Contacts

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Foxlowe Arts Centre

Highlights of the autumn programme at the Foxlowe Arts Centre

The range of interests covered by the talks, films, music, theatre, exhibitions and workshops is so wide that there must be much to attract most people much of the time between now and Christmas.



Photo: Moira McCourt

The Foxlowe Art Centre's stand at the annual Leek Show on Saturday 27th July, sponsored by Chris Hesketh & Patrick Redmond of CTD Architects and Humphrey Scott-Moncrieff, attracted dozens of people throughout the day.

Standing are volunteers Paul Butterworth and Sheena Barnes with Gerald Mee seated centre. For many visitors it was their introduction to the Foxlowe Arts Centre. Radio Stoke on the neighbouring stand helped to spread our message two live interviews during the day.



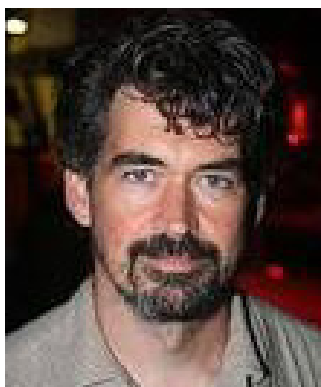
The Dirty Thirty Wednesday 18 September £4

Just 30 miners out of 2,500 in the Leicestershire coalfields went on strike in solidarity with colleagues in the National Union of Mineworkers (NUM).

THE DIRTY THIRTY tells their story. Joint film-maker, Len Holden will introduce the 50mins film and lead a discussion afterwards: "It's got a bit of everything. You've got 30 men who went against the whole of their mining colleagues in Leicestershire. I think it's a story of heroism. When the Yorkshire miners returned to work after the strike, they did so to the sound of brass bands. For the Thirty it was different; as well as being defeated, they were isolated and alone."

Leek Blues and Americana Festival 2nd - 6th October

Slaid Cleaves Wednesday 2 October £12



A major coup for Leek's music scene. From Texas, USA, The Foxlowe Arts Centre is one of only a dozen venues on Slaid's England tour, which includes London, Bristol Brighton & Sheffield.

"A sharply observant songwriter with a deep appreciation for the ageless fundamentals of folk, country, and rock; one of the country's most compelling roots artists." *Peter Margasak, Chicago Reader.*

Slaid Cleaves is the Festival headliner.

The festival features 25 acts at 10 venues over 5 days.

Foxlowe's very own pantomime December

A magical adventure for children and their grown-ups from the company who brought you Pinocchio last Christmas, Leek-based Lambdog Theatre Company, (formerly Rotten Park Road), are proud to present Aladdin and his Magic Lamp, a fun, musical adaptation of this well-known story, with colourful costume, loveable characters, hilarious antics original music and written by award-winning playwright Patrick McConnell. Tickets on sale soon.

www.lambdogtheatrecompany.com



Meet The Dylan Project

Thursday 3rd October
8pm £15 from 01538
385260 (answer 'phone)

Take four of Britain's most talented folk-rock musicians and a unique singer, add the repertoire of a genius, and you've got the recipe for a dream band. The musicians in question are PJ Wright (slide and electric guitars, pedal steel) Gerry Conway (drums and percussion) Phil Bond (keys) Dave Pegg (bass) and the singer is Steve Gibbons. As The Dylan Project, they present an exhilarating tribute to the work of arguably the greatest postwar songwriter in the English language.

The Dylan Project's repertoire spans the whole of Dylan's oeuvre - everything from Highway 61 to Mississippi - and new material is frequently brought into the setlist. Whether you are a diehard Dylan fan or just enjoy great songs performed with flair and brio, The Dylan Project will take your breath away. Come and see them or buy one of the albums - you won't be disappointed.