

# CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON

## LITERATURE FESTIVAL

### POCKET GUIDE BY VENUE

Theme	Event	Date	Time	Ticketing	Page of brochure
<b>All Libraries</b>					
Children's story telling	Wolverhampton's Great Big Children's Story Time	Saturday 27th January	11:30am - 12pm	Free	5
<b>Arena Theatre</b>					
Theatre & Performance	Mirror Mirror	Friday 26th January	10:30am & 1pm	£5	14
Theatre & Performance	Mirror Mirror	Saturday 27th January	2pm	£5	14
Poetry Reading	WoLF Poetry Slam 2018	Saturday 27th January	7:30pm	£12/£10	26
Theatre & Performance	The Life and Times of the Tat Man	Sunday 28th January	7:30pm	£12/£10	17
<b>Bantock House Museum</b>					
Theatre & Performance	Broken Shells: A Medieval Sea Story by Daisy Black	Saturday 27th January	1:30pm - 2:45pm	£8/£6	15
Theatre & Performance	Breton Tales After Dark by John Edgar	Saturday 27th January	7pm - 8pm	£5/£4	16
Children's story telling	Pauline Quirke Academy presents Jurassic Jeffrey (A Tale of Dinosaurs in Wolverhampton)	Sunday 28th January	11am - 11:45am	Free	4
Children's story telling	John Edgar's Big Story World	Sunday 28th January	12:30pm - 1:30pm	£4/£3	2
Children's story telling	Let's Go An 'Ave Some Stories Bab: Children's Story Telling with Billy Spakemon	Sunday 28th January	2pm - 3pm	£4	4
Theatre & Performance	Aesop - The Grasshopper Years by Jonathon Collings	Sunday 28th January	5:30pm - 6:30pm	Voluntary Donation	16
<b>Bantock House Performance Space</b>					
Educational Workshops	Writing Ghost Stories with Paul Dowswell	Saturday 27th January	5:30pm - 6:45pm	£7.50	13
<b>Bantock House Tractor Shed</b>					
Theatre & Performance	Boycie! - with author and Only Fools & Horses Actor John Challis	Friday 26th January	11am	£12	14
Educational Workshops	Paperverse Workshop	Saturday 27th January	10am - 12:30pm	£9/£7	10
Educational Workshops	Photography & Poetry with Simon Fletcher & David Bingham	Saturday 27th January	1:30pm - 4pm	£9/£7	11
Literature	Annie Murray	Sunday 28th January	2pm - 3:15pm	£4	20
Poetry Reading	The Incredible Fake Twins. Performance Poetry with Lee Benson and Andrew Sparke	Sunday 28th January	4pm - 5pm	Free	27
<b>Bilston Library</b>					
Poetry Reading	Made in Bilston. Bilston Writers & Friends Perform Poetry and Short Stories	Saturday 27th January	11am - 12pm	Free	26
<b>Blakenhall Library</b>					
Poetry Reading	Jasvir Kang	Thursday 25th January	10am	Voluntary Donation	24

Central Library					
Literature	Dawn Reeves: We Know What We Are - Or Do We?. Identity, Self and Making Change	Friday 26th January	12:30pm - 1:30pm	Free	18
Children's story telling	Story Chefs Workshop with Lindsay Bailey	Saturday 27th January	10:30am - 11:30am	£5	2
Children's story telling	Rosina Trotman - The Nonsense of Mr Marma and Mr Lade	Saturday 27th January	11:30am - 12:15pm	Free	2
Literature	Katie Epstein: Death Be Blue	Saturday 27th January	12pm - 1pm	Free	19
Educational Workshops	Comic Book Illustration with John McCrea	Saturday 27th January	1:30pm - 3:30pm	Free	13
Children's story telling	On The Dog Walk - Read by author David J. Robertson	Saturday 27th January	2pm - 3pm	Free	2
Children's story telling	The Adventures of Alien Egg - The Eggstraterrestrial	Saturday 27th January	3pm - 3:45pm	Free	4
Literature	Niall Griffiths	Saturday 27th January	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Free	21
City Archives					
Theatre & Performance	An Inspector Calls	Friday 26th January	7:30pm	£9/£5/£25	15
Theatre & Performance	Sheep in Wolf's Clothing (An original play commissioned by WoLF for 4 exclusive performances!)	Saturday 27th January	2pm & 3:30pm	£2/£1	15
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Grand Theatre					
Theatre & Performance	Hedda Gabler	Tuesday 23rd to Saturday 27th January	7:30pm	£12.50 - £32.50	14
Light House Media Centre					
Poetry Reading	Our Beautiful Scars with Jane Seabourne & Friends	Saturday 27th January	5pm - 6:30pm	£5	26
Poetry Reading	Bingham & Woodall	Saturday 27th January	7:15pm - 8pm	£4	26
Lych Gate Tavern					
Theatre & Performance	Spoken Word: The Official Lit Fest Opening Event	Friday 26th January	7:30pm	Donation of £4	14
Theatre & Performance	Music for Dogs	Saturday 27th January	11:30am - 12:30pm	Voluntary Donation	15
Theatre & Performance	My Cloth-eared Heart by Melanie Branton	Saturday 27th January	1pm - 2pm	Voluntary Donation	15
Theatre & Performance	How I Came to be Where I Never Was by Johnny Fluffypunk	Saturday 27th January	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Voluntary Donation	15
Theatre & Performance	Fred & Ginger	Saturday 27th January	4pm - 5pm	Voluntary Donation	15
Literature	Lych Gate Tavern with Bilston Writers, Codsall Writers, Blakenhall Writers, Bridgnorth Writers & Poetry Readers Group	Sunday 28th January	12pm - 5pm	Free	22

MC001 Building, University of Wolverhampton					
Literature	Enoch Powell Rivers of Blood Speech: 50 Years On	Saturday 27th January	2:30pm - 3:20pm	Free	19
Newhampton Arts Centre					
Music, Art & Specialist	An Intimate Evening with Mark Stanway (Ex-Magnum)	Friday 26th January	7:30pm	£9.50	9
Music, Art & Specialist	Songwriting Workshop with Dan Whitehouse	Saturday 27th January	10:30am - 4:30pm	£10/£5	8
Slade Rooms					
Music, Art & Specialist	East of the Severn feat Liz Berry, Pete Williams, Mish Maybe & The Black Country String Band	Friday 26th January	7pm	£9.50	8
Children's story telling	Children's Book Fair	Saturday 27th January	11am - 4pm	Free	2
Children's story telling	Young Author Competition Winners Awards & Page to Stage Performances 2018	Saturday 27th January	2pm - 4pm	£2	4
Educational Workshops	Writing to Dance. Fiona Lamont & Amarjit Nar	Saturday 27th January	5pm - 7pm	£3	13
Music, Art & Specialist	Jonn's Atomic Memoir Won't Write Itself featuring Ned's Acoustic Dustbin	Saturday 27th January	8:45pm	£13	8
Poetry Reading	Poets Against Racism	Sunday 28th January	12pm & 2pm	Voluntary Donation	26
Theatre & Performance	Brendan Howthorne & Billy Spakemon Songs, Stories & Spoken Word of the Black Country	Sunday 28th January	4:30pm	£5	16
Poetry Reading	Tony Walsh: An Evening with Longfella	Sunday 28th January	7pm - 9pm	£10	27
Tettenhall Library					
Literature	Paul Dowswell: Wolf Children	Saturday 27th January	12pm - 1pm	Free	19
Literature	Writers' Room at the Jamal St. Clair: Immune	Saturday 27th January	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Free	19
Whitmore Reans Library					
Poetry Reading	Jasvir Kang	Thursday 25th January	12pm	Voluntary Donation	24
Wild Bytes Café					
Literature	Outside/In - Words of Sound & Fury	Saturday 27th January	7:30pm	Voluntary Donation	22
Poetry Reading	Write Hear Write Now!	Wednesday 24th January	7:30pm - 9pm	Voluntary Donation	24
Wolverhampton Art Gallery					
Literature	Coach House Writers	Friday 26th January	12:30pm - 2pm	Free	18
Poetry Reading	Afternoon Tea with Bert Flitcroft & Marion Cockin	Friday 26th January	2:30pm - 4pm	£4	24
Educational Workshops	Poetry Shots	Friday 26th January	2pm - 4pm	£5/£3	10
Literature	Newspeak Bot	Friday 26th January	4.30pm - 5.30pm	Free	N/A
Poetry Reading	Bones Presents A Lil Something Different...	Friday 26th January	6:30pm - 9pm	Free	24
Poetry Reading	Funny or Not? W/ Sharon Ashton, Keith Chandler and Paul Francis	Friday 26th January	7:30pm - 8:30pm	Voluntary Donation	26
Educational Workshops	Indie & Self Publishing Workshop with Andrew Sparke, Andy Conway & AA Abbott	Saturday 27th January	1:30pm - 2:30pm	Free	13
Children's story telling	Writing West Midlands' Young Writers Group	Saturday 27th January	1:30pm - 3:30pm	£5	5
Educational Workshops	Short Fiction Masterclass - with Louise Palfreyman	Saturday 27th January	10:30am - 12:45pm	£7/£5	10
Educational Workshops	Poetry & Place - with R.M. Francis	Saturday 27th January	10am - 12pm	£3	10

**Wolverhampton Art Gallery continued**

Literature	The Romantic Novelists with Phillipa Ashley, Nell Dion & Elizabeth Hanbury	Saturday 27th January	11:30am - 12:30pm	Free	18
Literature	Oldbury Writing Group: A Talk on the Benefits of Joining your Local Writing Group	Saturday 27th January	12:30pm - 1:30pm	Voluntary Donation	19
Literature	Lynsey Hanley	Saturday 27th January	1pm - 2pm	£5	19
Poetry Reading	Lichfield Poets: Myths & Legends	Saturday 27th January	2pm - 2:45pm	Free	26
Educational Workshops	Realise the Inner Writer in You ... with Gulura Vincent	Saturday 27th January	3:30pm - 5pm	£10	13
Literature	Meet the Masters with DR. RANJIT KHUTAN & MIRANDA DICKINSON	Saturday 27th January	3:30pm - 5pm	£3	22
Poetry Reading	WoLF Collective: Nina Lewis, Laura Liptrot, Maurice Malcolm, Sophie Sparham & Rosina Trotman	Saturday 27th January	3:30pm - 5pm	Free	26
Poetry Reading	Write Out Loud Lit Fest Poetry Competition Winners Ceremony	Saturday 27th January	5pm - 6pm	Free	N/A
Music, Art & Specialist	Don Powell - Look What I Dun: My Life in Slade	Saturday 27th January	5:30pm - 6:30pm	£9.50	7
Educational Workshops	Raids: Storytelling & Role Playing Games	Saturday 27th January	5:30pm - 7pm	Free	13
Music, Art & Specialist	Cummings Your Way: Cummings Up For Air (Or a Black Country-centric View of Regional Nostalgia)	Saturday 27th January	6:40pm - 7:25pm	Free	6
Music, Art & Specialist	Martin Davies - The Million Pound Drop: How I Almost Made It In The Music Industry	Saturday 27th January	7:35pm - 8:25pm	Voluntary Donation	8
Literature	Making the Cut: Anthony Cartwright; Kerry Hadley-Price; Luke Kennard and R.M. Francis	Saturday 27th January	7pm - 8:15pm	£5	22
Literature	New Street Authors: Andrew Sparke, Lee Benson, Andy Conway, AA Abbott and Martin Tracey	Saturday 27th January	7pm - 8pm	Free	22
Educational Workshops	Fact into Fiction Writing Workshop with Paul Dowsell	Sunday 28th January	10:30am - 12pm	£7.50	13
Literature	WLF Collective: Romalyn Ante, Abda Khan, Amarjit Nar, Win Saha & Hardish Virk	Sunday 28th January	11am - 12:15pm	Free	19
Literature	Peter Rhodes: Hacking It - Reflections on 30 years with the Express & Star	Sunday 28th January	11am - 12pm	Free	22
Literature	Ian Billings & Paul Dowsell: Writing for Fun & Profit	Sunday 28th January	12:30pm - 1:30pm	Voluntary Donation	20
Poetry Reading	Copperbird One	Sunday 28th January	12:30pm - 1:40pm	Voluntary Donation	26
Educational Workshops	Hypnotherapy for Creativity with Anne-Marie Carter	Sunday 28th January	12:30pm - 1:45pm	£10	13
Music, Art & Specialist	Reading Images: Signs and Symbols in Paintings	Sunday 28th January	12pm - 1pm	Free	6
Educational Workshops	Dialogue Workshop with Liz John	Sunday 28th January	2:15pm - 4:15pm	£10	13
Literature	Mrs Rochester's Attic Event with Mantle Lane Press	Sunday 28th January	2pm - 3pm	Free	20
Literature	How to Get Away with Murder with Mark Edwards, Jay Stringer & Jenny Blackhurst	Sunday 28th January	2pm - 3pm	£3	23
Literature	The Asian Writer Short Story Prize: Dividing Lives	Sunday 28th January	3:30pm	Free	20
Literature	The Black Country Arts Foundry with Louise Paley	Sunday 28th January	4pm - 5:15pm	Free	20
Literature	Will Self in Conversation with Sebastian Groes	Sunday 28th January	5:30pm - 6:30pm	£7	20
Literature	Briony Marshall: Writing and the Rest	Sunday 28th January	5:30pm - 6:30pm	Free	20
Theatre & Performance	Music, Magic Comedy & Verse: The Official Lit Fest Closing Party	Sunday 28th January	7pm	Donation of £5	17
Music, Art & Specialist	Tim Jarvis - When Cut, The Present You Leaks Out Into The Future	Sunday 28th January	7:30pm	Free	6