

Sports facilities

Derby Arena

Derby Arena is a multi-purpose facility that offers opportunities for Derby and our surrounding towns, to inspire more people to become physically and culturally active. We have a whole range of facilities on offer to create opportunities for all.

We can offer a wide range of versatile sport and health & fitness opportunities for as little as £2 per head for sports and £6 for the cycle track from the age of 9. We have a top of the range sprung-floor dance studio, which can be used for a variety of sports, performance and arts. As well as classroom space, that can be used as a break out area for your school. We also have a fantastic health and fitness suite that offers Movement gym membership for anyone over the age of 12.

For more information on how your school can book space or a track session at Derby Arena visit derbyarena.uk.com call **01332 640011** or email derbyarena@derby.gov.uk.



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Plan your next school trip to Markeaton Park

Let kids explore the wild side and benefit from the wonderful open green spaces and range of activities available at **Derby Parks**, with opportunities to learn about Derby's historical past, the parks natural wildlife and so much more.

Markeaton Park has undergone a major transformation, including new pathways, improved signage, a new children's play area and a sparkling **Craft Village** following its makeover, which now includes a new visitors area, community room and the refurbished Orangery Café.

Alongside the improvements to the park, we will be delivering a wide range of events and community activities throughout the year, to get more people involved in the park and to increase their understanding of the park's heritage. Visit inderby.org.uk/events for more information.

Activities on the park include **Sports Courts**, **Pitch & Putt** and **Footgolf**. Why not take the class room outdoors and use our new **Visitor Centre and Community Room** located in the Craft Village.

If you would like to discuss any school trip ideas for Markeaton Park call our Development Officer - Dawn Dagley on **01332 641558**, mobile **07812 300606**, or email Dawn.Dagley@derby.gov.uk. You can also visit, inderby.org.uk/markeaton.



Derby Libraries

Homework Club at Pear Tree Library

Children can get help and support doing their homework at the Homework Club at Pear Tree Library. Sessions are open to all children and young people, and include practising basic computer and research skills, finding relevant information to complete homework tasks, spelling, reading and maths practise, and more. The club takes place every Wednesday during term time from 4:30pm - 6:30pm.

Code Club for Children

Our Code Clubs are organised by libraries and sessions are run by trained volunteers. Children aged 9 to 11 can take part in a 5 month programme learning the basics of computer programming using Scratch and how to create computer games and animations. Sessions are free to join and take place at Central Library, Sinfon Library and Pear Tree Library during term time.

For more information call **01332 642240** or visit inderby.org.uk/libraries.



We hope to see you again soon!

Best wishes,
Leisure and Culture team

LEISURE & CULTURE SCHOOLS NEWSLETTER



Winter 2017

We're excited to let you know that following the success of *Cinderella*, the Derby LIVE pantomime will once again be taking place at **Derby Arena** this Christmas. This year's show, *Beauty and the Beast*, will run from **Tue 5 - Sun 31 Dec 2017**. Tickets are selling fast so book your tickets now to get the best seats. If you came to *Cinderella* we hope you found it as good as many of the schools we've had positive feedback from.

Fabulous panto enjoyed by pupils and staff! Thank you @derby_arena. Rosehill_Infants

We also have a selection of upcoming events we thought your school might be interested in coming along to. **Bess** explores the life and times of Bess of Hardwick in a one-woman show mixing theatre with film, taking place at the Guildhall Theatre. **We Are the Lions, Mr. Manager!** tells the remarkable story of Jayabeen Desai - the inspirational leader of the 1976-78 Grunwick Film Processing Factory Strike. Or join Prince Stropo for a fun-filled adventure in **Prince Stropo Pants and the Christmas Caper**. As well as theatre, the hugely popular **Cathedral Quarter 3aaa Christmas Ice Rink** will once again take over the Market Place this winter with exclusive schools sessions on offer!

If you're looking for activities outside of your school we've got lots to choose from at our **leisure centres** and **parks**! From **swimming** to **athletics tracks**, **sports courts**, **nature walks**, **high ropes**, **Footgolf** or even **track cycling** at **Derby Arena**. Read on to find out more.

Now on sale at



Book now - pay by Oct 2017



Commissioned by First Art. In association with Derby LIVE



Townsend Productions

We Are the Lions, Mr. Manager!

Wed 1 Nov, 7:30pm

Under 16s: £8.75

Group rate: buy 10 tickets and save 15%

Thu 28 Sep - Sun 1 Oct

Schools rate: £9.50

Under 16s: £11.75



THE WIZARD OF OZ



Tue 30 Jan - Sat 3 Feb
Schools rate: £9.75
11th ticket FREE



Beauty and the BEAST



Introducing
MORGAN BRIND
as Betty Brioche



CBeebies' Mr Bloom
BEN FAULKS
as Idle Jacques



Derby's very own
GWEN TAYLOR
as the Enchantress



Back by popular demand
ASTON ROBINSON
as Gaston

Book now and pay by Autumn 2017

School performances: Earlybird tickets £10.50 and the 11th ticket FREE for a teacher/supervisor
(£11 from 1 Nov - pay before 31 Oct to save 50p per ticket)

Approx
2 hrs 20
Including interval

DERBY ARENA Performance schedule

Recommended schools performances are in **BOLD**. Access performances available, please see our website for more information.

Dec 2017

Tue 5	1:30pm
Wed 6	10am, 1:30pm
Thu 7	10am, 7pm
Sat 9	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Sun 10	1pm, 5pm

Mon 11	10am, 1:30pm
Tue 12	10am, 1:30pm
Wed 13	10am, 1:30pm
Fri 15	10am, 7pm
Sat 16	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Sun 17	1pm, 5pm

Mon 18	10am, 1:30pm
Wed 20	1pm, 5pm
Thu 21	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Fri 22	1pm, 5pm
Sat 23	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Sun 24	12noon, 4pm

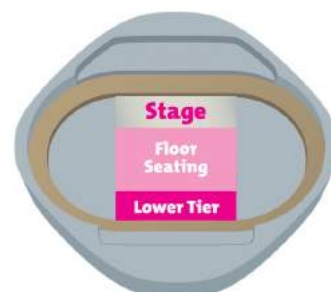
Tue 26	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Wed 27	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Thu 28	1pm, 5pm
Fri 29	2pm, 7pm
Sat 30	1:30pm, 6:30pm
Sun 31	1pm, 5pm

Key: Limited tickets

All your favourite characters will be brought to life in this enchanting and spellbinding tale combining laugh-out-loud comedy, toe-tapping music and dance routines and oodles of audience participation.

Derby Arena is located on Pride Park, easily accessible off the A52 and with good coach parking and easy drop off.

We had a brilliant time watching Cinderella yesterday. Thanks to @derbylive for putting on such a great show. Forest Way School



Cathedral Quarter 3aaa Christmas Ice Rink

Derby's Market Place will once again play host to the purpose-built Cathedral Quarter 3aaa Ice Rink this winter, made of real ice!



School Private Hire: £200 for 50 minute exclusive session.

Available weekdays **Mon 4 to Fri 15 Dec, 10am and 11am**. Maximum of 100 skaters including teachers. Price includes skate hire and free use of skate aids - max of 20.
(These sessions can only be booked in person or by phone.)

Schools can also book on public sessions with **groups discounts available and NO booking fee!**

To book tickets for your class or school please visit our **Sales & Information Centre**, call **01332 255800** or email us at **boxoffice@derby.gov.uk**.

SCHOOL BOOKINGS MADE EASY

- Reserve now, pay later (we can hold your Christmas tickets and you can pay later - payment must be received before 31 Oct. 27 Oct for Ice Rink)
- Seating plan and group ticket (on request)
- Parking and coach information (on request)
- Risk Assessment online at derbylive.co.uk/risk-assessment
- Advance ice cream ordering
- No booking fees
- FREE postage



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His Royal Highness the Prince is the bossiest, stroppiest, snottiest Prince that ever did live. He is rude and he is lazy and worst of all he is given everything that he asks for. But one day he asks for the unthinkable... His daddy goes missing! Will the Prince get his daddy back? Will he learn some manners along the way? Babbling Vagabonds are back with a new festive tale for Christmas 2017.

Stage

Stalls

Balcony

School rate: £8, and the 11th ticket FREE for a teacher/supervisor.

GUILDHALL THEATRE Performance schedule

Recommended schools performances are in **BOLD**. Access performances available, please see our website for more information.

Dec 2017

Thu 7	10:30am
Fri 8	10:30am, 1:30pm
Sat 9	11am, 2:30pm
Sun 10	11am, 2:30pm

Tue 12	10:30am, 1:30pm
Wed 13	10:30am, 1:30pm
Thu 14	10:30am, 1:30pm
Fri 15	10:30am, 1:30pm
Sat 16	11am, 2:30pm

Sun 17	11am, 2:30pm
Mon 18	10:30am, 1:30pm
Wed 20	11am, 2:30pm
Thu 21	11am, 2:30pm
Fri 22	11am, 2:30pm

Sat 23	11am, 2:30pm
Sun 24	11am, 2:30pm
Wed 27	11am, 2:30pm
Thu 28	11am, 2:30pm

Key:  Limited tickets

Reserving your tickets

To book tickets for your class or school please call our **Sales & Information Centre** on **01332 255800** or email us at **boxoffice@derby.gov.uk**.

You can reserve tickets until 4 weeks before the show (longer for Christmas shows) depending on how close you book to a performance. You will then be sent an invoice. Please make sure that your final ticket numbers are correct on the invoice. If you are a Derby City Council school we also need to be sent your IPROC order. You can send this to us when you reserve your tickets, or when you confirm your numbers. If you are not run by Derby City Council then this does not apply to you.

We will also ask if you are visiting by coach and the details of the coach company booked. This is so that we can liaise with them regarding drop off and collection times.

Full payment for tickets must be made 4 weeks before the performance date. Derby City Council no longer accept payment by cheque, you can pay for your tickets by card or BACS payment.

Sport, Leisure & Parks

The benefits of physical activity reach far beyond the pitch or sports hall, they transfer to the classroom too! If you're looking for activities outside of your school we've got lots to choose from at our leisure centres and Derby parks.

We have lots to offer at our facilities, including the following, Learn to Swim sessions at **Queens Leisure Centre**, help children find their track or field discipline on our **Moorways athletics track**, or take advantage of our **sports courts**, **nature walks**, **Footgolf** or even **track cycling** at **Derby Arena**. Getting kids interested in sport couldn't be easier! Read on for more information.

For more information and to book call **01332 641234** or email **leisure@derby.gov.uk**.

