On October 7th 1932 a vision was born in Stockport as the doors opened on a sumptuous Art Deco Super Cinema and Variety Theatre that would shine as the regional home for the very best in Big Screen and Live Stage Entertainment, Events and Fine Dining here in the very heart of Stockport and almost 90 years later we raise the curtain on yet another season featuring the very best in every style of event for you, your family and friends to enjoy.

From cinematic presentations of the greatest silver screen offerings of classic, modern and satellite broadcasts through to a sensational mix of the very best in live entertainment in our main auditorium and the intimate Green Room performance lounge, I believe we definitely have something for everybody in this brochure that you are holding today.

As well as being your perfect entertainment venue, the Plaza Café retains its title as ‘The Talk of The North’ with a wonderful menu prepared for you from 10am until 4pm on Mondays to Saturdays offering you the chance to enjoy a delightful indulgence in the very best of art deco surroundings.

The Plaza has hosted beautiful weddings, receptions, private events and conferences throughout her years serving her community therefore please do not hesitate to get in touch with me if I can make your special event even more special!

From our Festive Pantomime DICK WHITTINGTON starring BRIAN CAPRON with BRADLEY THOMPSON which runs from Friday 4th December 2020 to Sunday 10th January 2021 through our live stage and big screen presentations to our Easter Pantomime MOTHER GOOSE, there is most definitely something for everyone to enjoy this season.

Patrons of The Plaza:
Leslie Phillips CBE & The Right Honourable, The Baroness Bakewell DBE.

Show Icon Key

- **DRAMA**
- **MUSIC**
- **COMEDY**
- **ADULTS ONLY**
- **DANCE**
- **FILM**
- **FAMILY SHOW**
- **SILVER SCREENING**
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THE GEORGE MICHAEL LEGACY

Saturday 15th February at 7.30pm

International tribute artiste Wayne Dilks and his band pay tribute to the late George Michael in this stunning show. The former frontman/producer of “Faith” (2017-2018) and Freedom!’19 returns with this new production. Wayne has been a George Michael tribute artiste for almost 20 years, dedicating his professional career to pay homage to the late pop phenomenon.

He delivers his heartfelt tribute to the global superstar in a sensitive and spectacular way, receiving 5 star reviews nationwide. Join Wayne and his incredible band for a celebration of George’s fantastic 35 year career with songs from his Wham days up to his final album, Symphonica.

TICKETS
£25.50

WRESTLING

Sunday 16th February at 6.30pm

Join us for an evening of high flying, hard hitting, bodyslam mayhem as live pro wrestling returns to the Stockport Plaza for a half term treat the whole family will enjoy!

Featuring a host of home grown British wrestling talent in a fun, crazy, family entertainment extravaganza. Cheer the good guys, and boo the bad guys, as you witness the thrills and spills of live pro wrestling.

Tickets for this high energy loud and proud event are now on sale, so book yours and get ready to rumble!

TICKETS
£10.00
CHILDREN
£8.00
FAMILY TICKET
£34.00
Join Joseph Purdy Productions this February half term as The Jungle Book swings into The Stockport Plaza!

Mowgli was a young boy who has been raised in the jungle by wolves although he comes under threat when the evil tiger threatens to kill him. Baloo and Bagheera agree to take the young boy to the village for his safety. Join us on this crazy adventure through the deep, dark depths of the jungle where you’ll be laughing and singing along to this live action musical adventure – who knows what creatures we’ll meet along the way!

With songs and dance for all ages – you’d be bear mad to miss it! Featuring brand new sparkling sets and glittering costumes you really will have an awfully roarsome time!

THE JUNGLE BOOK
Monday 17th February at 1.00pm & 5.00pm

TICKETS
£12.00

CHILDREN & CONCESSIONS
£10.00

FAMILY TICKET
£40.00

Few names in the world of entertainment deserve the title legend, Judy Garland is one of those names. Join original Nolan Sister, West End leading lady and Internationally renowned cabaret star Denise Nolan with her band of West End musicians led by Dave Bintley for an evening of remarkable music including ‘The Man That Got Away’, ‘Stormy Weather’, ‘Zing Went The Strings’, and the timeless classic ‘Somewhere Over The Rainbow’.

Nolan brings her own vibrant style and world class vocals to classic Garland hits like no other.

THE MUSIC OF JUDY GARLAND
STARRING DENISE NOLAN
Wednesday 19th February at 7.30pm

TICKETS
£26.00

CONCESSIONS
£24.00
February 2020

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Two of the world’s biggest bands, Boyzone and Westlife come together for the very first time, with a full band production show.

Featuring Brian McFadden and Keith Duffy, this theatre production will include many of their greatest hits. Their catalogue includes a record breaking 18 number 1 singles and 9 number 1 albums.


INDUSTRY MUSIC GROUP IN ASSOCIATION WITH ELLIS LIVE LTD

BOYZLIFE TOUR 2020

Thursday 20th February at 7.30pm

TICKETS
£29.50

VIP MEET & GREET TICKETS
£80.00

A COUNTRY NIGHT IN NASHVILLE

Friday 21st February at 7.30pm

This fantastic show recreates the scene of a buzzing Honky Tonk in downtown Nashville, perfectly capturing the energy and atmosphere of an evening in the home of country music.

Prepare to be transported on a musical journey through the history of Country, featuring songs from its biggest stars both past and present. Hits from Johnny Cash to Alan Jackson, Dolly to the Dixie Chicks, Willie Nelson to Little Big Town, are showcased by the amazing Dominic Halpin and the Hurricanes.

With songs including Ring Of Fire, Crazy, Follow Your Arrow, It’s Five O’Clock Somewhere, Need You Now, 9-5, and The Gambler to name just a few, this incredible celebration of country music is a night not to be missed.

TICKETS
£25.00
Hayley-Ria Christian is internationally renowned as the world’s foremost tribute to the ‘Empress of Soul’. In this stunning new production her outstanding vocal harmonies, along with a full live band and video projection, recreate the stage magic and Motown phenomenon that was Gladys Knight & The Pips.

Featuring all of the soul divas classic hits including Baby Don’t Change Your Mind, Best Thing That Ever Happened To Me, The Way We Were / Try To Remember, Licence To Kill, her signature song Midnight Train To Georgia and many more!

A TRIBUTE TO GLADYS KNIGHT - MIDNIGHT TRAIN TO GEORGIA
Saturday 22nd February at 7.30pm

Tickets
£24.00
Concessions
£23.00

ANDY POWELL’S BIG BAND SWING ON A SUNDAY AFTERNOON
Sunday 23rd February at 3.00pm

After the phenomenal success of his recent shows at the Plaza, Stockport’s very own Andy Powell is back by popular demand for an afternoon of Swing and Big Band favourites.

Expect music from the golden era of the Big Bands and the Great American Songbook. From Glen Miller to Frank Sinatra and Dean Martin to Ella Fitzgerald, come along to our brand new Sunday Swing Special where Andy and his special guests will be accompanied by Stockport’s finest ‘The New Lights Big Band’.

This is definitely an afternoon not to be missed with some of the proceeds donated to the ongoing maintenance and restoration appeal for The Plaza Super Cinema and Variety Theatre.

Tickets
£15.00
Concessions
£14.00

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**BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR**

*Monday 26th February at 7.30pm*

Join us for our popular Behind the Scenes Tours for yourself, your friends or your group to enjoy a tour of Stockport’s magnificent 1932 Art Deco Super Cinema and Variety Theatre. Many of the greatest stage and screen stars of yesteryear and the modern day have appeared in person or on the silver screen here at Stockport’s 1932 Super Cinema and Variety Theatre since its doors first opened. Here’s your chance to have a guided tour behind the scenes in this building of international significance.

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You couldn’t make it up; surely the German Comedy Ambassador Henning Wehn hasn’t bosched out yet another new show? And what’s he still doing here anyway? Well, his lack of transferable skills is what keeps him here and his belief that practise makes perfect is what keeps him going.

This show is a much needed call to arms. Listen, everyone: stop pondering and hand-wringing. Instead get on your bike and put your face to the grindstone!

"As subtle as Schumacher on Battiston" some bloke on Twitter

"Die entgeltige Teilung Europas – das ist mein Auftrag” Henning himself
HERMAN’S HERMITS – 55TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR

Sunday 1st March at 7.30pm

Herman’s Hermits are one of the biggest selling bands of the 60’s, not just in the UK, but around the World. From their early beginnings in Manchester in 1964, the band have chalked up 23 Hit Singles, 10 Hit Albums, appeared in 3 Major Movies and to date they have sold in excess of 75 Million records worldwide.

Hits include, There’s A Kind Of Hush, Silhouettes, Can’t You Hear My Heart Beat, Wonderful World, A Must To Avoid, Mrs Brown You’ve Gotta Lovely Daughter, and Many More

Rolling Back The 60’s sees Herman’s Hermits embarking on their Solo 55th Anniversary Tour. An Evening of Nostalgia, Song and Laughter, plus bringing all the Hits to life.

TICKETS
£24.00

THE GREEN ROOM AT THE PLAZA:

CLAUDE BOURBON

Monday 2nd March at 7.30pm

Ready for a unique and talented take on a wide range of musical traditions? Claude Bourbon is known throughout Europe and America for amazing guitar performances that take blues, Spanish, and Middle Eastern stylings into uncharted territories.

Claude’s inimitable style incorporates all five digits on each hand dancing independently, plucking, picking and strumming at such speed that his fingers often seem to melt into a blur. Thousands of people have enjoyed listening to this virtuoso and for the majority of his audience it is an experience that compels them to return again and again to hear him play, as his fingers lightly dance over the strings of his guitar.

TICKETS
£14.00
Crooners is the new, rip roaring comedy music show that has wowed audiences with its witty and exhilarating show full of hilarious one liners, laugh out loud silliness and superb musical numbers with the outstanding 9-piece The Mini Big Band live on stage.

The show plays homage to some of the greatest Crooners of all time with a splendidinorous injection of Britishness. Featuring humour, tap dance and some of the most quintessential songs from Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Sammy Davis Jr, Matt Monro, Nat King Cole, Bobby Darin. Expect Some Lady is a Tramp, L.O.V.E, When You’re Smiling, Mack The Knife and many more… Pip Pip!

Spirit Of The Dance is one of the biggest dance shows in the world. It has smashed box office records in over 20 countries, has won more awards than any other dance production.

Now celebrating its 20th Anniversary and winner of 9 Global awards, this breath-taking show has been seen by more than 30 million people around the globe.

This breath-taking show delivers the powerful rhythms of Irish Dance combined with the passionate Latino rhythms of Tango, Flamenco and Red-Hot Salsa to produce a thrilling, heart-pounding production that the International Post describes as “The World’s Greatest Irish Dance Show”.

**SPIRIT OF THE DANCE**

*Tuesday 3rd March at 7.30pm*

**TICKETS**

£27.00

**CONCESSIONS**

£19.50

**CROONERS**

*Thursday 5th March at 7.30pm*

**TICKETS**

£20.50

**CONCESSIONS**

£19.50

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BACK TO BACHARACH

Friday 6th March at 7.30pm

Back To Bacharach features some of the finest West End vocalists, accompanied by the amazing “Magic Moments Orchestra”, recreating Burt Bacharach’s timeless masterpieces.

A perfect evening of nostalgia, great songs and stunning performance featuring all of his greatest hits including: Alfie, What The World Needs Now, The Look Of Love, Close To You, I Say A Little Prayer, What’s New Pussycat, Do You Know The Way To San Jose, Walk On By, 24 Hrs From Tulsa, I’ll Never Fall In Love Again, Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head & Many More

Back To Bacharach is a fantastic show for all ages, friends and family, songs everyone will remember and fall in love with again. There’s Always Something There To Remind You!

TICKETS
£23.00

MIKE SWEENEY PRESENTS:
SWEENEY’S 60S CLASSICS

Saturday 7th March at 7.30pm

Together with Ray Ennis (the original Swinging Blue Jeans) and Derek Quinn (Freddie & The Dreamers), BBC’s Mike Sweeney takes to the stage in a show packed with the best of 60s music!

Ray Ennis achieved chart success in the original Swinging Blue Jeans with some of the most iconic rock & roll songs ever made – Hippy Hippy Shake, Good Golly Miss Molly and many more.

As founding member of Freddie & The Dreamers, Derek Quinn enjoyed a string of hits including I’m Telling You Now, You Were Made For Me and If You Gotta Make a Fool of Somebody.

Re-live magical moments of the 60s with some of the best-loved songs and performers the decade has produced!

TICKETS
£17.00

CONCESSIONS
£14.00

GROUP RATES AVAILABLE
Grimmfest pays tribute to David Cronenberg, one of the most revered horror directors of the 20th Century. We screen four horror classics; Rabid (1.00pm), Videodrome (3.10pm), The Fly (5.10pm), & Crash (7.15pm) all on the big screen for one day only.

Please note: Tickets for this event are not available directly from the Plaza. They can be purchased online via the Grimmfest website: www.grimmfest.com

Strictly favourite and serial semi-finalist AJ Pritchard is back out on the road in 2020 after his debut tour in 2019.

“I am so excited to be bringing ‘AJ Live 2020’ out to theatres around the UK. I have been planning this tour since I first began dancing aged 12, so you are in for a real treat. In 2019 I toured the UK on my own for the first time and each venue had everyone out of their seats dancing and standing ovations each night. ‘AJ Live 2020’ will be no different!” AJ Pritchard

‘AJ Live 2020’ will combine the best moments from Strictly you know and love, intertwined with new energy packed choreography for all the family.
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‘A wonderful Play!’
Lucy Meacock / Granada TV

‘Convincing & compelling!’
Broadway World

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By 1939, Helen, now aged 20, has still never been kissed by a man. However, things start looking up for her when she meets a tall strong seaman and falls in love.

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LIPSTICK ON YOUR COLLAR
Friday 13th March at 7.30pm

Direct from London’s West End... Step back in time to the golden era of music where the jukebox roared and feet didn’t touch the floor. Get your dancing shoes at the ready, you are in for an evening of back to back hits from the 1950s and 60s!

From the birth of Rock n Roll through to the Beat Group sounds of the British Invasion and beyond, the show is packed with over forty hits from the likes of Connie Francis, Brenda Lee, Buddy Holly, Chuck Berry, The Beatles, The Ronettes, Cliff Richard, Cilla Black and many more.

Performed by a full live band, featuring some of the country’s top musicians, this incredible show features excellent vocals, tight harmonies and an infectious sense of fun.

TICKETS
£21.00
CONCESSIONS
£20.00

MERCURY - THE ULTIMATE QUEEN TRIBUTE
Saturday 14th March at 7.30pm

Celebrating 20 years on the road, this dynamic theatre production fully emulates the true charismatic appeal of rock’s most flamboyant front man, faithfully and accurately recreating the distinctive Queen experience.

The extraordinary vocal range and outstanding delivery of Joseph Lee Jackson as Freddie Mercury and the intricate guitar work of Glenn Scrimshaw as Brian May are backed by superbly crafted harmonies, a driving rhythm section and state-of-the-art production.

Including some of Queen’s most popular hits, such as Bohemian Rhapsody, Radio GaGa, We Are The Champions, We Will Rock You and many more, this show will captivate any audience.

TICKETS
£21.50

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March 2020
One Night In Dublin arrives at the Plaza, when The Wild Murphys will set up Murphy’s Pub, guaranteeing one glorious night of high-energy Irish Music and more than a little bit of Irish Craic.

In their own inimitable style, multi-award-winning Irish band The Wild Murphys will be performing classic tracks including: Galway Girl, Tell Me Ma, Dirty Old Town, The Irish Rover, Brown Eyed Girl, Seven Drunken Nights, Sally MacLennane, When You Were Sweet Sixteen, Whiskey in the Jar, Wild Rover and Molly Malone, guaranteed to have the audience’s hands clapping and toes tapping all night long.

ONE NIGHT IN DUBLIN
Sunday 15th March at 7.30pm

TICKETS
£22.00

James McAvoy (X-Men, Atonement) returns to the stage in an inventive new adaptation of Cyrano de Bergerac.

Fierce with a pen and notorious in combat, Cyrano almost has it all - if only he could win the heart of his true love Roxane. There’s just one big problem: he has a nose as huge as his heart. Will a society engulfed by narcissism get the better of Cyrano - or can his mastery of language set Roxane’s world alight?

Edmond Rostand’s masterwork is adapted by Martin Crimp, with direction by Jamie Lloyd (Betrayal). This classic play will be brought to life with linguistic ingenuity to celebrate Cyrano’s powerful and resonant resistance against overwhelming odds.

NT ENCORE SCREENING:
CYRANO DE BERGERAC
Wednesday 18th March at 7.00pm

TICKETS
£15.00

CONCESSIONS
£13.00
Jimmy Buckley is without a doubt one of Ireland’s best loved and most respected performers, having enjoyed many years at the top of his profession and received numerous awards including the prestigious Entertainer of the year in the RTE music awards. Jimmy possesses a very rare talent, not only as a phenomenal singer but also as a hilarious mimic of other major stars. Jimmys show contains a wide variety of material, Country, Big Ballads and tribute medleys to the greats of country music Hank Williams & Charlie Pride. Along with his magnificent band Jimmy will entertain you superbly and looks forward to meeting friends old & new.

JIMMY BUCKLEY IN CONCERT WITH SPECIAL GUEST CLAUDIA
Thursday 19th March at 7.30pm

TICKETS
£22.50

TANYALEE DAVIS
Friday 20th March at 7.30pm

Tanyalee has had a crazy few years. She is compiling a new hour of adventures and hilarity. This 3’6” Canadian/American comedy dynamo will not disappoint!

As seen on Live at the Apollo, John Bishop show, BBC’s The One Show and millions of Youtube views!

"Tanyalee is Joan Rivers meets a pile driver!"
— The Scotsman

TICKETS
£20.00

AGE GUIDANCE: ADULTS ONLY
BIJAN MORTAZAVI AND HENGAMEH

Saturday 21st March at 7.30pm

Bijan Mortazavi and Hengameh Live in concert at The Plaza.
Doors Open 7.30pm and the Concert Starts at 8.30pm.
Tickets for this concert can be booked by calling 07846 141 386 or online at www.concertland.co.uk

TICKETS
PLEASE CALL OR VISIT THE CONCERT LAND SITE FOR DETAILS

THE GREEN ROOM AT THE PLAZA:
MOTHERS DAY CHAMPAGNE AFTERNOON TEA

Sunday 22nd March at 1pm & 4pm

Each year we all remember and celebrate motherhood on Mothering Sunday so why not join us for our celebration Mother’s Day Champagne Afternoon Tea, a perfect way to remember the gift of Motherhood in the relaxed and sumptuous surroundings of our art deco Café Lounge.

With a glass of chilled Champagne on arrival, followed by a sublime English tea this is the perfect indulgence for you, your family and most definitely for all mothers who deserve to be pampered and applauded.

With sittings at 1pm and 4pm we offer an unhurried dining experience so just sit back, relax and enjoy your perfect family celebration. Please call the box office or visit the Plaza website for full details of the celebration menu.

TICKETS
£23.50

BOOK ONLINE: WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK
Bursting with the energy of the original film, Seven Brides For Seven Brothers is all boisterous fun and romance that harkens back to the glory days of the movie musical. This truly rollicking adventure teaches that it takes a bride to turn seven unkempt brothers into manly gentlemen and desire into romance.

Set in Oregon in 1850, Seven Brides For Seven Brothers tells the story of Millie, a young bride living in the wilderness. Her plan to civilize and marry off her six rowdy brothers-in-law to ensure the success of her own marriage backfires when the brothers, kidnap six women from a neighboring town to be their brides.

ROMILEY OPERATIC SOCIETY PRESENTS:
SEVEN BRIDES FOR SEVEN BROTHERS
Tuesday 24th to Saturday 28th March at 7.15pm
(Saturday Matinee at 2.15pm)

ADULTS £18.00
SENIOR CITIZENS £17.00
CHILDREN £14.00
FAMILIES £58.00

SHADMEHR
Sunday 29th March at 7.00pm

Shadmehr Aghili (Persian: شادمهر عقیلی; born 27 January 1973) is an Iranian Persian pop singer, musician, composer, music arranger, producer and song-writer, and formerly an actor. Shadmehr was born in Tehran-Iran. He emigrated to Canada first, but currently resides in Los Angeles.

Tickets for this concert can be booked by calling 07902 146 677 or online at www.HelloPersian.com
FRANCIS ROSSI - I TALK TOO MUCH

Tuesday 31st March at 7.30pm

Legendary Status Quo lead singer Francis Rossi will share the extraordinary secrets of his 50-plus years in rock’n’roll when he takes to the stage for an intimate evening of chat and music.

Francis is a true member of British Rock Royalty. He sang the first words at Live Aid in 1985, survived the obligatory rock’n’roll brush with alcohol and drugs, was awarded an OBE in 2010. His band has sold more than 120 million records globally.

Rossi will be joined on stage by award-winning writer and broadcaster Mick Wall, who has sold more than 1 million books.

AN AUDIENCE WITH CANNON AND BALL

Wednesday 1st April at 7.30pm

If it’s laughter that you are looking for you’ve come to the right place! Cannon and Ball bring their own magical and unique brand of humour to the Plaza in 2020. Opening the show with 45 minutes of unforgettable “Cannon & Ball” they will perform some of their legendary sketches and routines before the interval.

Tommy and Bobby open Act Two with a song and then into storytelling of their career after which they will open the mic to the audience for Q & A’s. This magical and intimate “Close and Upfront!” evening is a treat for all comedy fans of all ages!
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On the fringes of sanity, Blanche is trying to forget her checkered past and start life anew. Attracted to Stanley’s friend Mitch (Karl Malden), she glosses over the less savory incidents in her past, but she soon discovers that she cannot outrun that past, and the stage is set for her final confrontation with her brother-in-law.

FILM: AFTER THE WEDDING
Thursday 2nd April at 11.00am

Isabel (Michelle Williams) has dedicated her life to working with the children in an orphanage in Calcutta. Theresa (Julianne Moore) is the multimillionaire head of a media company who lives with her artist husband (Billy Crudup) and their twin boys in New York.

When word comes to Isabel of a mysterious and generous grant for the financially struggling orphanage, she must travel to New York to meet the benefactor – Theresa – in person.

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Foster and Allen - Timeless Memories
Saturday 4th April at 7.30pm

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Friday 3rd April at 7.45pm

Back for a 5th year, this energetic show takes you through all the Northern Soul, Motown and Soul classics such as: Stop Her On Sight, Long After Tonight Is All Over, Backstreets, Agent 00 Soul, I Have Faith In You, 25 Miles, Contact, Higher & Higher, Stand By Me, Dancing In The Street, My Girl, Superstition and more!

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Romesh is back with a brand new show ‘The Cynic’s Mixtape’, his most brutally honest show yet.

Fresh from the ‘Misadventures of Romesh Ranganathan’, ‘A League Of Their Own’ and ‘Judge Romesh’, he’s putting showbiz aside to deliver a carefully curated selection of all the things he has found unacceptable since the last tour, including why trying to save the environment is a scam, why none of us are truly free, and his suspicion that his wife is using gluten intolerance to avoid sleeping with him.

Milkshake Monkey can’t wait to put on a spectacular new musical for you all! But when stage fright hits, his favourite Milkshake friends come to help, creating the most dazzling show you have ever seen! Learn the amazing songs and dances with your favourite Milkshake friends, and watch as the music, the lights, the costumes and stage come together. With great Milkshake friends, anything is possible.

Starring Fireman Sam, Noddy, Shimmer & Shine, Digby Dragon, Wissper, Nella the Princess Knight and the Floogals, alongside two Milkshake Presenters, this brand-new show has plenty of laughter, and great fun to get everyone up on their feet!
Crack open a Golden Egg this Easter when the sensational team who produce our Christmas Pantomime create Easter magic here at The Plaza with the firm family favourite MOTHER GOOSE!

Starring the egg-cellent PHILIP GREEN from ‘Britain’s Got Talent’ alongside firm family favourites at The Plaza RICHARD CHANDLER and DAVID VICKERS plus full supporting cast this magnificent production will ensure that all ages have a Crackin’ Easter with a show featuring glittering costumes, hilarious characters and a lovable Goose that we will all fall in love with… Ohhhh yes we will!

TICKETS
£18.50
CONCESSIONS
£17.50
CHILDREN
£13.00
FAMILIES
£57.00
GROUP RATES AVAILABLE
The ’60s group Manfred Mann is now considered one of the finest and most respected bands of the era. Their numerous hits were R&B based with an undercurrent of jazz - a very unusual but winning combination of playing style and substance.

Some 55 years on, The Manfreds, with original front man, Paul Jones, will be performing many of their hits, including ‘Do Wah Diddy Diddy’, one of the most popular and instantly recognisable songs of the ’60’s, along with a mix of Jazz and Blues covers and tracks from their individual solo albums.

Paul Jones, will be joined by Mike Hugg on keyboards, Tom McGuinness on guitar, Rob Townsend on drums, Marcus Cliffe on bass, and Simon Currie on saxophone/ flute.

**THE MANFREDS**

*Friday 17th April at 7.30pm*

TICKETS

£24.00

**FILM: 1917**

*Saturday 18th April at 2.30pm & 7.30pm*

At the height of the First World War, two young British soldiers, Schofield (Captain Fantastic’s George MacKay) and Blake (Game of Thrones’ Dean-Charles Chapman) are given a seemingly impossible mission. In a race against time, they must cross enemy territory and deliver a message that will stop a deadly attack on hundreds of soldiers— Blake’s brother among them...

TICKETS

£8.00

CONCESSIONS

£7.00

FILM CLUB MEMBERS

£6.00
**THE BILLY FURY YEARS**

*Sunday 19th April at 7.30pm*

One of the best-selling recording artists of the 1960s, Billy Fury enjoyed a string of hit singles totalling a remarkable 332 weeks in the British charts. Hailed as "the best Fury since Fury", Michael King and his fantastic band take you on a journey through the musical career of this rock n roll legend.

An exciting 2 hour show filled with Billy Fury’s greatest hits and more delivered live in true Fury style. This is a night of pure breathtaking Billy Fury entertainment plus the best Fury sound you will hear!

The whole show is further enhanced by fantastic audio and video effects plus various costume changes depicting the ever changing image and face of the Fury phenomenon.

**FILM: LITTLE WOMEN (2020)**

*Friday 24th April at 11.00am*

Writer-director Greta Gerwig (Lady Bird) has crafted a Little Women that draws on both the classic novel and the writings of Louisa May Alcott, and unfolds as the author’s alter ego, Jo March, reflects back and forth on her fictional life.

In Gerwig’s take, the beloved story of the March sisters – four young women each determined to live life on her own terms – is both timeless and timely. Portraying Jo, Meg, Amy, and Beth March, the film stars Saoirse Ronan, Emma Watson, Florence Pugh, Eliza Scanlen, with Timothée Chalamet as their neighbour Laurie, Laura Dern as Marmee, and Meryl Streep as Aunt March.

**SILVER SCREEN CONCESSIONS FOR 11AM SCREENING: £6.00**
FILM: LITTLE WOMEN (1949)  
*Friday 24th April at 7.30pm*

The March sisters struggle to make ends meet in their New England household while their father is away fighting in the Civil War. Despite harsh times, they cling to optimism, often with neighbour Laurie (Peter Lawford) as a companion.

FILM: EMMA  
*Saturday 25th April at 3.00pm & 7.30pm*

Handsome, clever, and rich, Emma Woodhouse (Anya Taylor-Joy) is a restless queen bee without rivals in her sleepy little town. In this glittering satire of social class and the pain of growing up, Emma must adventure through misguided matches and romantic missteps to find the love that has been there all along.

ORGAN COFFEE MORNING  
*Saturday 25th April at 10.00am*

Join us for this free to attend concert from 10am till 1pm and relax in the wonderful surroundings of Stockport’s Art Deco gem. Proceeds from all beverage sales and stalls go towards the ongoing Maintenance and Restoration Appeal of Stockport’s 1932 Art Deco Super Cinema and Variety Theatre.

**TICKETS**  
£8.00  
**CONCESSIONS**  
£7.00  
**FILM CLUB MEMBERS**  
£6.00  

**FREE ENTRY**
THE FUREYS
Sunday 26th April at 7.30pm

Legends of Irish music The Fureys, renowned for their hit songs ‘I will love you’, ‘When you were sweet 16’, ‘The Green Fields of France’, ‘The Old Man’, ‘Red Rose Café’, ‘Leaving Nancy’, ‘From Clare to Here’, ‘Steal Away’, and many more, return to the Plaza. The Fureys have been entertaining audiences worldwide for 42 years, audiences that have included former Australian Prime Minister John Howard, Former Irish President Mary McAleese and the late Pope John Paul. While Tony Blair has publicly stated his favourite peace song of all time is the FUREYS “Green Fields of France” and President Michael D Higgins attended their last concert in National Concert Hall.

TICKETS
£22.50

BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR
Monday 27th April at 11.00am

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JIMMY CARR - TERRIBLY FUNNY
Wednesday 29th April at 8.00pm

Jimmy’s brand new show contains jokes about all kinds of terrible things. Terrible things that might have affected you or people you know and love. But they’re just jokes – they are not the terrible things. Political correctness at a comedy show is like health and safety at a rodeo. Now you’ve been warned, buy a ticket.

TICKETS
£29.50
SUITABLE FOR AGES 16+ ONLY

BOOK ONLINE: www.stockportplaza.co.uk
Rob Beckett is back on tour with a brand-new stand-up show. It’s been a busy few years for the Mouth of the South and he’s coming to see you to fill you in and make you laugh.

Host of BBC One’s All Together Now and team captain on Channel 4’s 8 Out Of 10 Cats. He is also the star of BBC One’s Live At The Apollo, Would I Lie To You?, Channel 4’s 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown, BBC Two’s Mock The Week, ITV’s Play To The Whistle, ITV2’s Celebrity Juice and Sky’s A League of Their Own. And he is a host of Dave’s podcast, The Magic Sponge, alongside Jimmy Bullard and Ian Smith.

“There are hints that his eyes are set firmly on arenas that are as big as his mouth of his” – Metro

Rob Beckett - Wallop
Thursday 30th April at 8.00pm

Tickets
£23.00

Age guidance: Strictly 14+
Likely to be swearing and adult content

Film: The Personal History Of David Copperfield
Friday 1st May at 11.00am

The Personal History Of David Copperfield re-imagines Charles Dickens’ classic ode to grit and perseverance through the comedic lens of its award-winning filmmakers- giving the tale new life for a cosmopolitan age with a diverse ensemble cast of stage and screen actors from across the world.

Oscar® nominees Armando Iannucci (In The Loop, The Death Of Stalin) and Simon Blackwell (In The Loop, HBO’s Succession) lend their wry, yet heart-filled storytelling style to revisiting Dickens’ iconic hero on his quirky journey from impoverished orphan to burgeoning writer in Victorian England.

Silver screen concessions for 11am screening: £6.00

Tickets
£8.00

Concessions
£7.00

Film Club Members
£6.00
Dashing Errol Flynn triumphs in this lavish, fast paced version of The Robin Hood legend which is without doubt one of the most successful and entertaining adventure films of all time.

Doing many stunts himself, Flynn is at his athletic, romantic best alongside the magnificent Olivia de Havilland as Maid Marian, consummate screen villain Basil Rathbone who plays the ruthless Sir Guy of Gisbourne and Claude Rains as Prince John who create a chance to see true Hollywood royalty on the giant silver screen in this technicolour 1938 swashbuckling classic!

**FILM: THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD**  
*Friday 1st May at 7.30pm*

**TICKETS**  
- £8.00
- £7.00
- £6.00

**ROY ORBISON AND THE TRAVELING WILBURYS EXPERIENCE**  
*Saturday 2nd May at 7.45pm*

Roy Orbison and the Traveling Wilburys Experience will take you on a journey through the story of the Traveling Wilburys.

With expert narrative and a fabulous live six piece band, this unmissable show includes classic Wilbury songs plus solo hits from the Famous Five.

Featuring tributes to Jeff Lynne, George Harrison, Tom Petty, Roy Orbison and Bob Dylan.

**TICKETS**  
- £23.00

BOOK ONLINE: [WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK](http://WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK)
ANSELL’S LES MUSICALS

Wednesday 6th May at 7.30pm

Jonathan Ansell (G4) and Jai McDowall (Britain’s Got Talent Winner) have joined forces to create a dramatic and spine-tingling concert. This vocally dynamic evening showcases even more smash-hit songs from the greatest musicals of all time, brought to you by two of the world’s finest voices.

Immerse yourself in the world of Musical Theatre with classics from Les Misérables, Phantom Of The Opera, Wicked, Jesus Christ Superstar, The Greatest Showman, Chess, We Will Rock You and many more…

‘Les Musicals’ is in no way connected with or authorised by CML, Alain Boubil Music Limited or CML’s Les Miserables production.

SPIRIT OF THE BLITZ

Thursday 7th May at 2.30pm

To celebrate this very special anniversary, we open the 1940s songbook for a tribute to the legendary stars who kept us smiling through our darkest days. Sing along to swinging hits like Don’t Sit Under The Apple Tree, Bless ‘Em All, Leaning On A Lamp-Post, and of course, We’ll Meet Again.

For those who remember the 40s, the show is a trip down memory lane; for those who don’t, it’s a Sentimental Journey back through time to the glorious melodies and good clean comedy that accompanied a dogged nation’s battle for survival.

This unmissable performance is devised and produced by Andy Eastwood, with musical direction by David Carter.
PETTY CRIMINALS: TOM PETTY & THE HEARTBREAKERS TRIBUTE BAND

Friday 8th May at 7.30pm

The “Criminals” dig deep into the life, the music and the incredible influence of Tom Petty. You will experience his legendary career through stories, authentic performances and a huge catalogue of his music spanning decades.


This show is an unforgettable journey through the life and works of one of the greatest and much missed rock stars of our time.

GRIMMFEST PRESENTS:

JOHN CARPENTER – FILM LEGEND

Saturday 9th May from 1.00pm

Grimmfest pays tribute to John Carpenter, one of the most revered horror directors of the 20th Century. We screen four horror classics; Prince of Darkness (1.00pm), Big Trouble in Little China (3.10pm), They Live (5.20pm), and In the Mouth of Madness (7.20pm) all on the big screen for one day only.

Please note: Tickets for this event are not available directly from the Plaza. They can be purchased online via the Grimmfest website: www.grimmfest.com
THEATRE DANCE WORKSHOP
Sunday 10th May at 2.15pm

Theatre Dance Workshop make a welcome return for their annual showcase with the very best in live stage performance.
www.theatredanceworkshop.co.uk

TICKETS
£12.00

ED BYRNE: IF I'M HONEST...
Wednesday 13th May at 8.00pm

Join Ed as he takes a long hard look at himself and tries to decide if he has ANY traits that are worth passing on to his children.

Ed Byrne presents his brand-new masterclass in observational comedy hot on the heels of his 17/18 Touring hit, Spoiler Alert!

A TV household name, in the past year Ed has appeared on Live At The Apollo (Host, BBC), Mock The Week (BBC), The Pilgrimage (BBC), Top Gear (BBC) and QI (BBC).

Please note: Latecomers not admitted.

TICKETS
£25.00

SUITABLE FOR AGES 16+ ONLY
This critically acclaimed celebration of the music and life of one of the greatest singers of our time will be coming back to Stockport following a run of hit West End performances. Whitney – Queen Of The Night will star Elesha Paul Moses (What’s Love Got To Do With It?, The Voice, The X Factor) in the title role, supported by a stunning live band.

The outstanding production has toured extensively across the UK and Europe for the past three years, and in March made its West End debut in front of a sold-out audience at London’s Savoy Theatre, with further sell-out shows in June and July.

**WHITNEY QUEEN OF THE NIGHT**

*Friday 15th May at 7.30pm*

| TICKETS | £25.00 |
| CONCESSIONS | £24.00 |

**FILM: WHATEVER HAPPENED TO BABY JANE?**

*Bette Davis plays former child star ‘Baby’ Jane Hudson who is taking care of her wheelchair bound sister Blanche (Joan Crawford), herself once a leading movie star whose career eclipsed her sister Jane when they became adults. Now both forgotten aging relics of old Hollywood, the sisters live together in a chilling atmosphere of bitter sibling rivalry and mutual distrust. Their relationship breaks down completely when Jane decides to relaunch her career as an entertainer and holds her sister prisoner in her own room.

This much-loved claustrophobic thriller from director Robert Aldrich is based on the novel by Henry Farrell and remains a horror classic.*

*Saturday 16th May at 2.30pm & 7.30pm*

| TICKETS | £8.00 |
| CONCESSIONS | £7.00 |
| FILM CLUB MEMBERS | £6.00 |
From the writers of Hormonal Housewives comes Girls Just Wanna Have Fun, the brand-new musical comedy show. Join our four refreshingly honest unreserved girls, the Legendary Linda Nolan, X Factor Finalist Niki Evans, CBBC Creeped Out’s Stephanie Dooley and Olivier Award Winner Leanne Jones as they go on a riotous evening of laugh-out-loud sketches and classic pop anthems that define being a 21st Century woman.

Channel your inner diva because Girls Just Wanna Have Fun!

**GIRLS JUST WANNA HAVE FUN**  
*Sunday 17th May at 7.00pm*

**TICKETS**  
£26.00  
**CONCESSIONS**  
£24.00  
**SUITABLE FOR AGES**  
16+ ONLY

In our annual homage to Stockport’s very own film icon Sabrina we are honoured to be screening the hilarious Blue Murder At St Trinian’s starring our great towns illustrious blonde bombshell. With their Headmistress in Her Majesties prison, the St Trinian’s girls find themselves under the protection of the Army. However, when the sixth form take a fancy to winning a trip to Italy through means fair or foul, the Army discovers this is one battle they can’t win. Let loose in Europe, its not long before St Trinians have succeeded in endangering European relations.

**FILM: BLUE MURDER AT ST TRINIANS**  
*Tuesday 19th May at 7.30pm*

**TICKETS**  
£8.00  
**CONCESSIONS**  
£7.00  
**FILM CLUB MEMBERS**  
£6.00

**Sabrina Day**  
The Plaza proudly celebrates ‘Sabrina Day’ on what would have been her 84th Birthday with one of the many films that made her a star.
Johnny’s big break came in late 1966 when he recorded a song called Mursheen Durkin, an old ballad from the west of Ireland. It topped the charts at Number 1 for three consecutive weeks. It was followed up by The Boston Burglar which also reached Number 1.

His first tour of the United States was in 67. It involved 7 weeks of concerts during that hot summer of Hippies, Protests and Vietnam. One of the many famous venues he played was the “Hungry Eye” in San Francisco. However, his favourite was the famous “Carnegie Hall” in New York. It was at this stage in his career he had his third Number 1 hit with the song Nora from Sean O’Casey’s famous play “The Plough and the Stars”

BANFF MOUNTAIN FILM FESTIVAL

Wednesday 20th May at 7.30pm

Embark on a thrilling night of adventure with a brand-new collection of short films from the world’s most prestigious mountain film festival!

The Banff Mountain Film Festival joins the world’s best adventure film-makers and explorers as they push themselves to the limits in the most remote and stunning corners of the globe. Witness epic human-powered feats, life-affirming challenges and mind-blowing cinematography – all on the big screen!

An adrenaline-fuelled, not-to-be missed event with free prize giveaways that is guaranteed to ignite your passion for adventure, action and travel!

JOHNNY MCEVOY

Thursday 21st May at 7.30pm

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THE CARPENTERS STORY -
GOODBYE TO LOVE 2020 TOUR

Friday 22nd May at 7.30pm

This highly acclaimed production continues to captivate audiences across the UK with its spectacular celebration of the classic songbook that made The Carpenters a legend in the world of popular music, selling over 100 million albums and singles.

The show features the outstanding vocal talents of Claire Furley, with Musical Director Phil Aldridge leading The Carpenters Story Orchestra as they perform all of the Carpenters hit songs including; (They Long To Be) Close To You, Yesterday Once More, We’ve Only Just Begun, Superstar, A Song For You, Rainy Days & Mondays, Goodbye to Love and many more!

TICKETS
£27.50

CONCESSIONS
£25.50

BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

Monday 25th May at 11.00am

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Plaza Gift Vouchers

Available in £5, £10 & £20 denominations or as special ‘Afternoon Tea’ vouchers, Plaza gift vouchers are the perfect present for any occasion.

BUY AT THE PLAZA OR ONLINE: WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK
I WANT THAT HAIR

Friday 29th May at 7.30pm

Set in a fading hairdresser’s, in a town in northern England, ‘I Want That Hair’ is a hilarious warts and all look at what happens between the chit-chat, the wash and blow dry and the curling, in a local hair salon. It explores the lives and friendship of the two women who work there.

Bex is fifty-five, fed-up and rushed off her feet. Heidi is supposed to be her assistant.

Originally commissioned for Hull Truck Theatre and written by BAFTA-award winning playwright, Jane Thornton, ‘I Want That Hair’ is a convincing, enjoyable and well-observed play, portraying characters with warmth and honesty.

TICKETS
£12.00

CONCESSIONS
£10.00

OFF THE KERB PRESENTS:

JACK DEE - OFF THE TELLY

Wednesday 27th May at 8.00pm

Join Jack Dee for an evening of entertainment (food and beverages not included) in his new stand-up tour.

“In these difficult and uncertain times people need hope – a ray of sunshine to brighten their day. And that’s very much where I come in” says Jack.

Star of TV sitcoms Bad Move, Lead Balloon and Josh, Jack also hosts the legendary Radio 4 show I’m Sorry I Haven’t A Clue. Other credits include presenting Jack Dee’s Helpdesk on BBC Two, C4’s The Jack Dee Show, ITV’s Jack Dee’s Saturday Night, and Jack Dee Live at the Apollo. “In fact,” explains Jack, “I’ve probably appeared in every TV show with my name in the title”.

TICKETS
£23.00

AGE GUIDANCE: STRICTLY 14+
SWARING AND ADULT CONTENT
**POP UP BOWIE**  
*Saturday 30th May at 7.45pm*

The award winning ‘Pop up Bowie’ is a stunning tribute to David Bowie. With performances of all the great hits from every era of Bowies’ career from the 70’s to the 90’s and beyond including Space Oddity, Life on Mars, Changes, Heroes, Under Pressure, Let’s Dance, Starman, Rebel Rebel and Ashes to Ashes.

Experience the magic of Bowie’s music live with thrilling artistry, a theatrical performance that honours the revolutionary icon himself in the most respectful of ways.

Paul Anthony was voted the UK’s No.1 David Bowie Tribute Act at the National Tribute Awards 2016.

**FILM: ORDINARY LOVE**  
*Friday 5th June at 11.00am & 7.30pm*

Joan (Lesley Manville) and Tom (Liam Neeson) have been married for many years. There is an ease to their relationship which expresses itself through tenderness and humour in equal parts.

When Joan is unexpectedly diagnosed with breast cancer, the course of her treatment shines a light on their relationship as they are faced with the challenges that lie ahead and the prospect of what might happen if something were to happen to Joan.

Ordinary Love is a story about love, survival and the epic questions life throws at each and every one of us.

| TICKETS | £22.50 |
| CONCESSIONS | £8.00 |
| FILM CLUB MEMBERS | £7.00 |
| SILVER SCREEN CONCESSIONS FOR 11AM SCREENING | £6.00 |
FILM: SOMETIMES ALWAYS NEVER
Saturday 6th June at 2.30pm

Alan (Bill Nighy) is a stylish tailor with moves as sharp as his suits. He has spent years searching tirelessly for his missing son Michael who stormed out over a game of Scrabble. With a body to identify and his family torn apart, Alan must repair the relationship with his youngest son Peter and solve the mystery of an online player who he thinks could be Michael, so he can finally move on and reunite his family.

TICKETS
£8.00

CONCESSIONS
£7.00

FILM CLUB MEMBERS
£6.00

FILM: THE LIFE AND DEATH OF COLONEL BLIMP
Saturday 6th June at 7.30pm

From the celebrated team of Michael Powell and Emeric Pressburger comes this artistic masterpiece. Roger Livesey brilliantly portrays a British officer, Clive Candy, through the trials and tribulations of three wars, three loves and a lifelong friendship across enemy lines. Starring Roger Livesey, Deborah Kerr and Anton Walbrook.

TICKETS
£8.00

CONCESSIONS
£7.00

FILM CLUB MEMBERS
£6.00
Career con artist Roy Courtnay (Sir Ian McKellen) can hardly believe his luck when he meets well-to-do widow Betty McLeish (Dame Helen Mirren) on-line.

As Betty opens her home and life to him, Roy is surprised to find himself caring about her, turning what should be a cut-and-dry swindle into the most treacherous tightrope walk of his life.

FILM: THE GOOD LIAR  
Friday 12th June at 11.00am

Pip Pip and Huzzah for the magnificent Plazarettes and their ever popular Everything Stops for Tea Fundraising events with all proceeds going towards the ongoing Maintenance and Restoration Appeal at The Plaza.

With a delightful British Afternoon Tea, pots of the nations favourite beverage, entertainment and even a patriotic singalong this wonderful Afternoon event where you share tables and meet new friends is one not to be missed... How Bally Marvellous!

THE GREEN ROOM AT THE PLAZA:  
EVERYTHING STOPS FOR THE BEST OF BRITISH TEA  
Sunday 7th June at 4.00pm

TICKETS  
£15.50

FILM: THE GOOD LIAR  
Friday 12th June at 11.00am

TICKETS  
£8.00

CONCESSIONS  
£7.00

FILM CLUB MEMBERS  
£6.00

SILVER SCREEN CONCESSIONS FOR 11AM SCREENING: £6.00
FILM: ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

Friday 12th June at 7.30pm

Sergio Leone’s monumental picture ranks among his most admired achievements. In the dying days of the Old West, a struggle to control water in a dusty desert town embroils three hard-bitten gunmen in an epic clash of greed, honour and revenge.

Henry Fonda stars in his most sinister role as Frank, a hired killer who ruthlessly slays an entire family. Jason Robards plays Cheyenne, an infamous bandit framed for the slaughter. And Charles Bronson is The Man, a mysterious loner determined to exact vengeance for a grudge he refuses to divulge.

An influence on countless directors, Leone’s masterpiece is considered among the greatest Westerns ever made.

TICKETS
£8.00

CONCESSIONS
£7.00

FILM CLUB MEMBERS
£6.00

ABBA MANIA

Saturday 13th June at 7.30pm

ABBA MANIA is accepted as the world’s number one touring ABBA tribute production, celebrating the music of ABBA in a respectful and enjoyable way, reviving special memories of when ABBA ruled the airwaves.

ABBA MANIA brings ABBA fans old and new a night not to be missed. If you’re looking for an excuse to party, reminisce or simply be entertained by the best music ever, then ABBA MANIA is for you!

So dig out those platforms, dust down those flares, join in and enjoy all of your favourites including: ‘Mamma Mia’, ‘Voulez Vous’, ‘Dancing Queen’, ‘Winner Takes It All’, ‘Super Trouper’ and many more.

TICKETS
£23.00

CONCESSIONS
£21.00
One life in the hands of 12 women. Rural Suffolk in England, 1759. As the country waits for Halley’s comet, a young woman is sentenced to hang for a heinous murder.

When she claims to be pregnant, a jury of 12 matrons must decide whether she’s telling the truth, or simply trying to escape the noose. With only midwife Lizzy Luke prepared to defend the girl, and a mob baying for blood outside, the matrons wrestle with their new authority, and the devil in their midst.

James Macdonald directs Maxine Peake and Ria Zmitrowicz in this bold and gripping thriller from Tony Award-nominated writer Lucy Kirkwood.

WHAT'S LOVE GOT TO DO WITH IT? - A TRIBUTE TO TINA TURNER

Friday 19th June at 7.30pm

Tina Turner fans should get ready to party as the smash hit touring show What’s Love Got To Do With It? arrives in Stockport in the second year of its massive UK tour.

What’s Love Got To Do With It? is a joyous show celebrating the music of the incredible Tina Turner. Launched in 2019, the show has been selling out theatres in towns and cities across the UK.

Now, as part of the 2020 tour, What’s Love Got To Do With It? is set to wow fans when it heads to the Plaza!
Daniel Alexander Productions presents THE STAGE IS YOURS, a unique opportunity for Dancers across the UK to perform at some of the most prestigious theatres around the country.

This truly is the opportunity of a lifetime for Dancers & their Teachers to showcase their months of hard work and dedication to an audience filled with family & friends.

THE STAGE IS YOURS guarantees a fun filled show featuring various genres of dance in exciting, memorable routines performed by groups from a variety of dance troupes, dance schools and theatre schools.

Celebrity Medium TJ Higgs is a natural born medium. When TJ met the late Colin Fry he insisted she joined him on stage and tour with him. TJ now works worldwide, sharing her gift, bringing comfort, closure and peace not only to those who receive her messages but those in her audiences who are touched by the love of spirit.

TJ’s evenings truly are a rollercoaster of emotions as she connects you to those you love on the other side of life. Pure Mediumship.

**TJ HIGGS**  
*Saturday 20th June at 7.30pm*

**THE STAGE IS YOURS**  
*Sunday 21st June at 3.00pm*

**TICKETS**  
£20.00  

**TICKETS**  
£15.00  

BOOK ONLINE: [WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK](http://WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK)
**THAT’LL BE THE DAY**
*Monday 22nd June at 7.30pm*

Prepare for a nostalgia extravaganza as the UK’s No.1 Rock & Roll variety performance returns with The Best Of That’ll Be The Day!

This very special edition of the show presents the most popularly requested songs, impressions and comic sketches from over 33 years of touring! Featuring smash hits from the 50s, 60s, 70s & 80s this is a throwback evening of brilliant entertainment that guarantees to have you on your feet and dancing in the aisles before the night is over!

Early booking is advised as this ever-popular show attracts a big audience of music lovers ready to party!

**TICKETS**
*£26.50*

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**BYE BYE BABY**
*Wednesday 24th June at 7.30pm*

Bye Bye Baby are a jawdropping tribute to the musical phenomenon ‘Jersey Boys’ and the timeless, iconic music of ‘Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons’.

Incredible four part harmonies, roof raising falsetto complete with energetic and stylish choreography – all backed by their excellent 4piece band ensures that Bye Bye Baby is a show that will make it a night remember!

Includes 31 of Valli’s greatest hits including Sherry, December ’63 (Oh What A Night), Grease, Can’t Take My Eyes Off You, Beggin’, Working My Way Back To You, and many more!

**TICKETS**
*£24.50*

**CONCESSIONS**
*£22.50*
June 2020

THE GREEN ROOM AT THE PLAZA:

DIVORCED, BEHEADED, DIED: AN AUDIENCE WITH KING HENRY VIII

Thursday 25th June at 7.30pm

The year is 1544 and King Henry VIII is engaged upon Royal Progress about his Realm; and has halted here to afford his Loyal Subjects the opportunity to have ‘audience’ with their King. The King, recently married to his new, and sixth, wife, Queen Catherine Parr, is in poor health and is often in a poor humour!

In the course of the ‘audience’, His Majesty will recount the events of his long reign; telling of his wives and his children, and His Majesty will invite his Loyal Subjects to Petition him or question him on ANY related subject: there may be some surprising answers – a lively Q&A is assured!

FILM: WITNESS FOR THE PROSECUTION

Friday 26th June at 11.00am & 7.30pm

Based on the hit play by Agatha Christie, Billy Wilder’s Witness for the Prosecution was nominated for six Academy Awards and was reportedly praised by Christie herself as the best adaptation of her work she had seen.

When a wealthy widow is found murdered, her married suitor, Leonard Vole (Tyrone Power), is accused of the crime. Vole’s only hope for acquittal is the testimony of his wife (Marlene Dietrich) but his airtight alibi shatters when she reveals some shocking secrets of her own...

SILVER SCREEN CONCESSIONS FOR 11AM SCREENING: £6.00

BOOK ONLINE: WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK
SUN RECORDS – THE CONCERT
Sunday 28th June at 7.30pm

Where Rock’n’Roll Was Born – the Official Sun Records Concert Show. The label that brought you Elvis Presley, Jerry Lee Lewis, Johnny Cash, Roy Orbison, Carl Perkins, Rufus Thomas and scores more rockin’ pioneers, comes to life live on stage.

Revisit the recording studio where the distinctive Sun sound was crafted by musical visionary Sam Phillips. His trailblazing Memphis studio brought us That’s Alright Mama, Great Balls of Fire, I Walk the Line, Blue Suede Shoes, Good Rockin’ Tonight... hundreds of hits that would influence the world of music.

Starring a multi-talented cast of singers and a supporting cast of amazing musicians, the official concert show takes you back to the birthplace of rock’n’roll.

BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR
Monday 29th June at 11.00am

Please see page 8 for full details of our Behind the Scenes Tours

THE PLAZA FILM CLUB

For a membership fee of only £5 per annum you can enjoy discounts on most of our film titles and satellite broadcasts with proceeds supporting our ongoing maintenance and restoration appeal.

Why not become a member of the Plaza Film Club?

For further details contact the Plaza team on 0161 480 3818

OR

Visit our box office located at the Plaza Super Cinema.
Grimmfest pays tribute to Wes Craven, one of the most revered horror directors of the 20th Century. We screen four horror classics; *The Hills Have Eyes* (1.00pm), *Scream* (3.00pm), *The People Under the Stairs* (5.15pm), and *A Nightmare on Elm Street* (7.10pm) all on the big screen for one day only.

**Please note:** Tickets for this event are not available directly from the Plaza. They can be purchased online via the Grimmfest website: www.grimmfest.com

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**Celebrating the music and the life of the singer’s singer!**

The show stars TV & West End star Darren Day along with very special guest Tracey Jordan, one of Joe’s backing singers, joined by the Joe Longthorne Band under the directorship of Andy Mudd, Joe’s musical director.

Endorsed by Joe’s husband Jamie, images of Joe and video footage of him at home and on stage will feature on screen.

The production features all the big songs that Joe’s fans love to hear – Mary In The Morning, Don’t Cry Out Loud, Wind Beneath My Wings, If I never Sing Another Song and many more.

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**Grimmfest presents:**

**WES CRAVEN – FILM LEGEND**

*Sunday 5th July from 1.00pm*

**THE JOE LONGTHORNE SONGBOOK**

*A NIGHT TO REMEMBER*

*Friday 10th July at 7.30pm*
Gibsons Dance Academy are back and are bringing their brand new show, ‘10 Years of Dance’, to The Plaza.

It will be a dance filled showcase of talent, glitter and style!

FILM: THE LOST BOYS

Saturday 11th July at 2.30pm & 7.30pm

Two new-in-town brothers discover a local gang of motorcycle youths (including a young Kiefer Sutherland) are more undead than alive. Younger brother Sam (Corey Haim) works hard to eradicate the ghouls but his older brother (Jason Patric) falls in love with the group’s lone female (Jami Gertz). Soon, he finds that he’s gradually becoming a vampire himself.

Shot on location in the coastal California town of Santa Cruz, The Lost Boys became a pop-culture phenomenon thanks to its attractive young stars, offbeat soundtrack, and hip, clever marketing campaign. The film’s tagline: “Sleep all day. Party all night. Never grow old. Never die. It’s fun to be a vampire.” perfectly captured its knowing mixture of attitude and gore.
Neil Sands and his wonderful cast are back with a new production of their most popular patriotic show, celebrating the best of British entertainment, especially produced to coincide with the 75th anniversary of the end of The Second World War.

This nostalgic afternoon is filled with marvellous songs, including a selection from Last Night of The Proms, old time sing alongs, and ever popular favourites from the 40s 50s & 60s.

Featuring over two hours of timeless nostalgia, with sensational voices, stunning costume changes, including a spectacular 1940’s style VE Day party with enough bunting, flags and fun to light up the brightest stage, followed by flag waving finale in a heart warming tribute to the veterans of the armed forces.

**FILM: ANIMAL CRACKERS**

*Friday 17th July at 11.00am & 7.30pm*

The Marx Brothers’ second film is an adaptation of their Broadway hit.

Mrs Rittenhouse (Margaret Dumont) is throwing a high society party, at which African explorer Jeffrey T. Spaulding (Groucho Marx) is the guest of honour.

When a valuable painting is stolen from the house, Spaulding teams up with Italian musician Emanuel Ravelli (Chico Marx) and the eccentric Professor (Harpo Marx) to track down the thieves - in between trading insults with their fellow guests and generally creating mayhem!

**TICKETS**

£8.00

**CONCESSIONS**

£7.00

**FILM CLUB MEMBERS**

£6.00

**SILVER SCREEN CONCESSIONS FOR 11AM SCREENING:** £6.00

**NEIL SANDS - LAND OF HOPE AND GLORY**

*Thursday 23rd July at 2.00pm*

Neil Sands and his wonderful cast are back with a new production of their most popular patriotic show, celebrating the best of British entertainment, especially produced to coincide with the 75th anniversary of the end of The Second World War.

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**TICKETS**

£14.50

**CONCESSIONS**

£13.50

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LOST IN MUSIC - ONE NIGHT AT THE DISCO  
*Saturday 25th July at 7.30pm*

Get ready to recreate the Magical 70’s and let us take you on a musical journey straight to the heart of Disco! Relive some of the greatest songs of all time from Artists such as Donna Summer, Gloria Gaynor, Earth, Wind & Fire, Sister Sledge and Chic.

This show boasts a sensational live band, incredibly talented cast and stunning vocals. So, come dressed to impress as we celebrate the golden age of Disco! With songs such as Never Can Say Goodbye, On The Radio, Hot Stuff, Car Wash, Boogie Wonderland and many, many more!

Note: This is a tribute show and is in no way affiliated with any original artists/estates/management companies or similar shows. Promoter reserves the right to alter the programme.

UK PINK FLOYD EXPERIENCE  
*Sunday 26th July at 7.30pm*

Celebrating over 50 Years of one of rock music’s most influential bands, UK Pink Floyd Experience recreate the sights and sounds of the legendary band in concert.

This highly authentic show recreates the atmosphere of Floyd live. Featuring top-flight musicians and complete with video projections, a stunning light show and of course, over 2 hours of incredible music!

Come and share the passion for Pink Floyd’s music as we tackle one of their most iconic albums “The Dark Side Of The Moon”, played in its entirety, and classics including “Wish You Were Here”, “Shine On You Crazy Diamond”, “Another Brick In The Wall” and “Comfortably Numb”.

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**Lost in Music - One Night at the Disco**

- **Saturday 25th July at 7.30pm**
- **TICKETS £26.50**

**UK Pink Floyd Experience**

- **Sunday 26th July at 7.30pm**
- **TICKETS £23.50**
**FILM: THE GOLDFINCH**

**Friday 31st July at 11.00am**

Theodore “Theo” Decker (Ansel Elgort) was 13 years old when his mother was killed in a bombing at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The tragedy changes the course of his life, sending him on a stirring odyssey of grief and guilt, reinvention and redemption, and even love. Through it all, he holds on to one tangible piece of hope from that terrible day...a painting of a tiny bird chained to its perch. The Goldfinch.

**SILVER SCREEN CONCESSIONS FOR 11AM SCREENING: £6.00**

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**FILM: DR. STRANGELOVE**

**Friday 31st July at 7.30pm**

Stanley Kubrick’s Oscar-nominated black comedy stars Peter Sellers and Sterling Hayden. When lunatic General Jack D. Ripper launches a nuclear attack on Russia, President Merkin Muffley of the United States consults his advisors, among them the wheelchair-bound, ex-Nazi scientist Dr Strangelove.

Meanwhile, British officer Captain Mandrake attempts to cancel the unplanned attack. George C. Scott, Keenan Wynn, James Earl Jones and Slim Pickens all co-star.

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**Подарки для ценителей: $12.00**

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Please see page 8 for full details of our behind the scenes tours.

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**BOOK ONLINE: WWW.STOCKPORTPLAZA.CO.UK**
ORGAN COFFEE MORNING
Saturday 1st August at 10.00am
Join us for this free to attend concert from 10am till 1pm and relax in the wonderful surroundings of Stockport’s Art Deco gem. Proceeds from all beverage sales and stalls go towards the ongoing Maintenance and Restoration Appeal of Stockport’s 1932 Art Deco Super Cinema and Variety Theatre.

ANOTHER FINE MESS FAMILY FUN DAY
Sunday 2nd August at 11.00am
In 1932 The Plaza Super Cinema and Variety Theatre opened her doors with Laurel & Hardy on the giant silver screen so join us for our annual family homage to these undisputed Kings of Comedy! Featuring a mix of Laurel & Hardy features, a few surprises along the way and a FREE interval gift for everyone who dresses to impress as either Stan, Ollie or any of their hilarious co-stars!

Dress up if you wish and come along with all the family for an afternoon of laughter in Stockport’s home of family big screen entertainment!...

LAUREL & HARDY SECRET SCREENING
Sunday 2nd August at 6.00pm
On a day of celebration for the Kings of Big Screen Comedy Laurel & Hardy join us for a very special ‘Secret Screening’!

For only £5 per person, admission grants you access to enjoy specially chosen and host introduced Laurel and Hardy Features where you find out some insights into the films that you then can enjoy on the giant silver screen but shhhhh the titles are secret and will only be found out on the evening...

So join us and we shall let you into our secret!

DOUBLE TROUBLE TICKET FOR BOTH EVENTS: £10.00

TICKETS
£8.00
CONCESSIONS
£7.00
FILM CLUB MEMBERS
£6.00
CHILDREN
£5.00

STOCKPORT PLAZA BOX OFFICE: 0161 477 7779
A New Romantic Symphony that goes on a journey through one of the greatest musical era’s of all time – The Electrifying 80’s.

Featuring songs from now legendary artists such as Duran Duran, Spandau Ballet, The Human League, Ultravox, Tears For Fears, Depeche Mode, OMD, Japan, ABC, Soft Cell and many many more.

Performed by an incredible live band with awesome symphonic arrangements, combined with stunning vocals and cast this is the must see show that simply defines a decade.

FILM: 42ND STREET
Friday 7th August at 11.00am & 7.30pm

Classic American musical from 1933, directed by Lloyd Bacon, featuring dance sequences by Busby Berkeley and set on Broadway during The Great Depression as a group of performers attempt to make names for themselves.

During rehearsals for an upcoming musical, leading lady Dorothy Brock (Bebe Daniels) sprains her ankle before the first night and is replaced by a talented but relatively inexperienced chorus girl, Peggy Sawyer (Ruby Keeler), as personal disputes and financial worries threaten the success of the show.

CALLING PLANET EARTH
Saturday 8th August at 7.30pm

A New Romantic Symphony that goes on a journey through one of the greatest musical era’s of all time – The Electrifying 80’s.

Featuring songs from now legendary artists such as Duran Duran, Spandau Ballet, The Human League, Ultravox, Tears For Fears, Depeche Mode, OMD, Japan, ABC, Soft Cell and many many more.

Performed by an incredible live band with awesome symphonic arrangements, combined with stunning vocals and cast this is the must see show that simply defines a decade.
During WWII in England, Charlie, Carrie, and Paul Rawlins are sent to live with Eglantine Price, who it turns out is an apprentice witch. Charlie blackmails Miss Price that if he is to keep her practices a secret, she must give him something, so she takes a bed knob from her late father’s bed and places the “famous magic traveling spell” on it, and only Paul can activate it.

Their first journey is to a street in London where they meet Emelius Browne, former headmaster of Miss Price’s witchcraft training correspondence school. Miss Price tells him of a plan to find the magic words for a spell known as Substitutiary Locomotion, which brings inanimate objects to life. This spell will be her work for the war effort.

1913, Budapest, in the heart of Europe. Irisz Leiter arrives with high hopes to work as a milliner at the legendary hat store that belonged to her late parents. While preparations are under way at the Leiter hat store to host guests of uttermost importance, a man abruptly comes to Irisz, looking for a certain Kálmán Leiter.

Refusing to leave the city, the young woman follows Kálmán’s tracks, her only link to a lost past. Her quest brings her through the dark streets of Budapest, where only the Leiter hat store shines, into the turmoil of a civilization on the eve of its downfall.

Please note: This is a subtitled foreign language film.
FILM: THE DAY THE EARTH STOOD STILL

Friday 21st August at 7.30pm

Robert Wise directs this adaptation of the novel by Harry Bates. When a non-threatening alien (Michael Rennie) comes to Earth in 1951 with a message of peace, he is shot and wounded by nervous troops.

Seeing this as an act of aggression, his ten-foot robot Gort (Lock Martin) immediately renders all Earth’s weapons useless while the alien delivers an ultimatum to the world: stop fighting or be destroyed.

IRELAND THE SHOW

Saturday 22nd August at 7.30pm

Join an all star cast of Ireland’s most talented singers and performers, accompanied by the fabulous Keltic Storm band and world champion Keltic Fusion dancers for an unmissable show that will take you on a journey through a globally loved culture.

The show features all the well known singalongs like “Dirty Old Town”, “The Town I Loved So Well”, and “Tell Me Ma” to name a small few. Add to that a string of hilarious jokes from our award winning comedian and topped off with energetic reels and jigs. If it’s all things Irish you like then this is the show for you!

BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

Monday 31st August at 11.00am

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TICKETS
£8.00
CONCESSIONS
£7.00
FILM CLUB MEMBERS
£6.00

TICKETS
£25.00
Fame and greed tore their friendship apart, they haven’t spoken in decades… Welcome to The Reunion Dinner from Hell!

Thirty years after The Thunder Girls’ lead singer, Chrissie Martin, broke up the band to go solo, she attempts to get them back together one last time for the gig of a lifetime.

Bitterness, jealousy and revenge are all on the menu when the former friends go to war once more. Can the girls set aside their grudges for a ginormous pay cheque? Or are some old wounds just too deep to heal?

Book your tickets to see the show everyone is talking about… It’s going to be a bumpy night!

TICKETS
£29.50

SUITABLE FOR AGES 16+ ONLY

September 2020
HERITAGE OPEN DAY

Sunday 13th September - Doors open from 10.30am

Stockport’s 1932 Super Cinema and Variety Theatre throws open her doors at 10.30am as part of the National Heritage Open Days for a full day of FREE to attend events and an opportunity for you to investigate behind the scenes of our much loved Art Deco gem as we celebrate almost 90 years of serving you and our community.

Special Plaza Heritage Day presentations are scheduled for 11am, 1pm and 3pm, no need to book, simply turn up on the day and experience the very best of yesterday today.

ANDY POWELL’S MONDAY MATINEE CABARET

Monday 14th September at 1.00pm

After two sell out Monday Matinee shows in the last twelve months Andy returns with another Monday afternoon extravaganza of live entertainment from some of the UK’s finest performers.

Once again Andy will be joined by his special guests (to be announced soon – visit website) performing everything from Swing to soul, pop to Rock and Roll.

This show is variety of the highest order for only a fiver (including tea and biscuits) so booking early is definitely advised with over 600 people at the last event, this promises to sell out early.
Dive into a night of mesmerising ocean adventure! The Ocean Film Festival World Tour is back for 2020 with a brand-new collection of the world’s most incredible ocean films!

Brought to you by the team behind the Banff Mountain Film Festival UK & Ireland Tour, this carefully curated selection of short films combines epic human endeavour and astounding marine life in a spectacular cinematic celebration of our oceans.

Witness incredible voyages, captivating footage from both above and below the surface, and the chance to dip your toes into the wonders of the big blue – from the comfort of a cinema seat!

**OCEAN FILM FESTIVAL WORLD TOUR**

*Friday 18th September at 7.30pm*

**TICKETS**

£14.00

**CONCESSIONS**

£12.50

**EARLY BIRD OFFER (UNTIL MAY 31ST): £12.50 PER TICKET**

Hailing from the upper echelons of society, the Dear Boys - a pair of fine chaps indeed - have made it their life’s work to bring to the masses their own brand of Cowardesque capers. Noel Coward that is!

Lords Anthony Mason and Michael Holmes cordially invite you to their musical extravaganza, with songs such as Mad Dogs and Englishmen, London Pride and Mrs Worthington.

Be prepared to be drawn into the eccentric world of two spiffing chaps out on a spree sharing songs, anecdotes and witty asides (hopefully) for all to enjoy, Pip Pip!

**THE GREEN ROOM AT THE PLAZA: THE DEAR BOYS**

*Tuesday 15th September at 7.45pm*

**TICKETS**

£15.00

**CONCESSIONS**

£13.50
IMAGINE – THE JOHN LENNON SONGBOOK
Saturday 19th September at 7.30pm

From the Producers of That’ll be the Day “Imagine” tells the legendary story of John Lennon, from his dramatic rise to fame as a Beatle through to his iconic solo career.

Showcasing all John Lennon’s greatest hits, including the eponymous Imagine, Jealous Guy, Give Peace a Chance, Starting Over, Come Together, Strawberry Fields Forever, All You Need Is Love and many more!

A beautifully crafted masterpiece of musical theatre, “Imagine” features authentic instrumentation, evocative costume and flawless live recreations of John Lennon’s songbook, to wow even the most ardent Beatles and Lennon fan.

THE MAGIC OF MOTOWN
Friday 25th September at 7.30pm

Celebrating 60 magical years of Motown, immerse yourself in the sound of a generation as The Magic of Motown returns to the Plaza with a brand new show for 2020!

Let us take you along memory lane with all the Motown classics from artists such as Marvin Gaye, Diana Ross, Stevie Wonder, The Temptations, The Supremes, The Four Tops, Martha Reeves, The Jackson 5, Smokey Robinson and many, many more.

This is Motown at its very best; signed sealed and delivered, touring the nation. The show of the year!

This is a tribute show and is no way affiliated with any original artists/estates/management companies or similar shows.

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FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER 2020 TO SUNDAY 10TH JANUARY 2021

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Devised and Directed by David Vickers and Richard Chandler • Choreographed by James Robinson
## PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

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*BSL INTERPRETED PERFORMANCE*

Thursday 10th December at 10.30am & 2.00pm
and Saturday 12th December at 7.30pm

## TICKET PRICES

- **Tickets:** £19.50
- **Concessions:** £18.50
- **Children:** £14.00
- **Family ticket:** £63.00

GROUP AND SCHOOL RATES AVAILABLE
BREAKFAST – Served at 9.00am

BRUNCH – Served at 12 Noon

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 28TH / DECEMBER 5TH / 12TH & 19TH

There’s a yo ho ho breakfast and brunch for the children consisting of scrumptious pastries, sugar waffles, Dutch pancakes, donuts and chocolate dip, all served with lashings of lovely cordial.

Santa invites the grown ups to enjoy a fabulous bacon barm with unlimited tea and coffee to set you up for the day ahead!

Make new friends on shared tables as you enjoy your breakfast or brunch and wait for Santa Claus and his little helpers to arrive, after which you will be invited to his grotto to receive a special Christmas Gift for being good boys and girls!

ADULTS
£10.00

UNDER 16S
£12.00

TEA – Served at 3pm

SATURDAY DECEMBER 5TH & 12TH

On two Saturdays in December, we will also be hosting a ‘Tea With Santa’ at 3pm. The menu is identical to the breakfast / brunch, as detailed above.

Kindly note - Due to the nature of these events guests will be welcomed to tables which will be shared with other bookers.
At The Plaza we believe that our diverse programme of events should be accessible to all, and we aim to make everyone’s visit as easy as possible. If you have any additional needs, or questions about your visit please get in touch. We will always try to accommodate requests and welcome any feedback about our access provision.

We want to make visiting The Plaza as easy and comfortable as we can for visitors with disabilities or access requirements, and joining our Access Register will help us deliver the best possible experience for you so please contact 03333 20 28 91, visit our team here at The Plaza or see our web site for details.

Where to find us
The Plaza is located on Mersey Square in Stockport town centre, across from the Merseyway Shopping Centre and our postcode if using SatNav to reach us is SK1 1SP or type in Mersey Square.

We are five minutes walk from Stockport Train Station, next to Stockport Bus Station and across the road from the taxi rank on Chestergate.

Designated on-street parking is available in most of the streets surrounding The Plaza and parking is also available in the Heaton Lane (SK4 1AQ), Mersey Way (SK1 1PD) or Red Rock (SK1 1RY) Car Parks.

PLAZA BOX OFFICE OPENING HOURS MON - SAT FROM 10AM

Join the Friends of the Plaza
Why not join the ‘Friends of the Plaza’? The Friends is the supporting group which includes and provides many of the active volunteers involved in all aspects of the operation of the Plaza. Other members of the Friends join simply for the benefits, which include advance notice of many shows, special ‘Friends only’ discounts, social events and the Plaza Friends very own newsletter, ‘Spotlight’.

Further details on membership are available from the Plaza Box Office.

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**THEATRE INFORMATION & BOOKING DETAILS**

**Booking Information**

All advance sales can be made in person during box office trading hours at The Plaza, Mersey Square, Stockport, Cheshire, SK1 1SP.

**MONDAY TO FRIDAY** 10.00am – 6.00pm  
**SATURDAY** 10.00am – 4.00pm  
On performance days the box office remains open until the performance commences.  
**SUNDAY/BANK HOLIDAYS** Open 1 hour prior to performance, otherwise closed

Payment can be made over the counter with cash, cheque, postal order or credit / debit card.

You can also book over the telephone during box office opening hours using your credit or debit card details via our booking line 0161 477 7779 (booking fee applies), or for group bookings please call 0843 208 1495.

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*Booking fee applies*  
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**Plaza Café**

Open Monday to Saturday from 10.00am. For table reservations please contact us on 0161 480 3818.

**Concessions**

Many shows offer discounts for senior citizens (patrons ages 65 years or over), students, children (aged between 1 and 16 years of age) and other concessions on the production of relevant proof of ID. Always ask the box office at the time of booking as we cannot discount on tickets already purchased. Only one concession is available per ticket.

**Hire the Plaza**

The Plaza and Café accommodating up to 1314 people and 90 people respectively are available to hire for screenings, productions, parties, conferences or special occasions. For further details please contact Ted Doan via email: ted.doan@stockportplaza.co.uk or call 0161 480 3818.

**Restoration Donation**

At point of booking you will be asked if you would like to donate £1 to the ongoing maintenance and restoration appeal. As the Plaza has no forms of external funding these donations assist us in preserving and restoring this Art Deco gem, so thank you in advance if you are able to support us.

**Refunds or Exchanges**

We regret that we cannot refund or exchange tickets. The box office can try to re-sell them subject to a £1 per ticket exchange fee, on the understanding that the sale of the Plaza's own available seats takes priority.
**NOTE 1:** Seats in W block (purple) can accommodate a maximum of 14 wheelchair spaces.

**NOTE 2:** Seats O31-55 and O32-54 (light blue) are double seats.

### Capacity

**STALLS:** 697 seats (including 14 wheelchair spaces)

**CIRCLE:** 358 seats

**BALCONY:** 259 seats

**TOTAL:** 1314 seats

### Free Online Newsletter

Visit our website to sign up for our online newsletter to get regular updates of events, news and special newsletter information and offers.

### Free Mailing List

When making a booking, you will be invited to add your name to The Plaza or Quay Tickets database and if you choose to do so you may receive FREE information about forthcoming events in line with our GDPR policy.

The Plaza is owned and operated by the Stockport Plaza Trust, a registered charity (No: 1076494) and company limited by guarantee and registered in England (No: 3790941).

Whilst the information contained in this brochure is correct at the time of going to press, there may be unavoidable changes to the times and prices shown and the management reserves the right to make alterations to the programme and any shows contained herein without prior notification.

Large text version of this brochure available from the Administration team upon request: 0161 480 3818
# STOCKPORT PLAZA SPRING / SUMMER 2020

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