



POSITIVE IMAGES FESTIVAL CALLING...

WELCOME TO YOUR JANUARY 2023 UPDATE

Our news:

Positive Images Festival are commissioning five local poets to each perform a 7 minute set at our 'Thrive' community event on Saturday 18th March 2023. The theme of the event is 'green spaces' and this should be reflected. Successful artists will be paid £50 for their performances. Please email Emilie at: emilielaurenwriter@gmail.com including up to 3 examples of your poetry and 200 words explaining why you would like to take part. Deadline is: Midnight on Monday 23rd January. For more information see: [Poets Wanted! | Positive Images Festival](#)

We are planning out next Positive Images Festival. The Festival Programme for 2023 will run from Tuesday 17th June to 8th July 2023. On offer will be poetry readings, drama, literature, contemporary art exhibitions, food and more. Please keep an eye on our website for more information: [Home | Positive Images Festival](#)

Arts and Crafts Workshops for Women Only. Led by Kate Hills. Watch Centre, Victoria Street, Hillfields. Free with refreshments and materials provided Contact Kate 07866 689416

Hillfields Readers Group. St Peters Community Centre, Charles Street, Hillfields. Free monthly book and discussion meetings. All welcome Sandwiches and refreshments provided. Reading books provided. Contact Colin 07504 818207 email: hrgcov2005@yahoo.co.uk

And here is news from our partner organisations...

*Through its newsletter, **Coventry Action for Neighbourhoods** (CAN) continues to keep us informed about events, exhibitions, and initiatives. Contact: Paul Maddocks email paul_maddocks@yahoo.co.uk

Culture Noticeboard...

Frida Kahlo. UK City of Culture Exhibition

On until Sunday 29th January 2023. The Reel Store, Telegraph Hotel, Upper Well Street, Coventry CV1 1GU Tickets from £10 <https://coventry2021.co.uk>

50 years of Lieutenant Pigeon, Mouldy Old Dough Exhibition. Coventry Music Museum, Two Tone Village.

Thursdays to Saturdays 10am-4pm. Admission is £4 and £2. Two Tone Village, 74-80 Walsgrave Road, Ball Hill, Coventry.

Growing Up in Britain – 100 years of Teenage Kicks exhibition of photographs of Youth of Coventry and their culture. Herbert Art Gallery.

Open everyday 10am-4pm. Free. Till 12th February 2023. Bayley Lane, Coventry.

LTB Open22. Litter Tree Building.

Open everyday 12-4. Free. 1a Warwick Row, Coventry.

Did you know?

2nd of January National Science Fiction Day

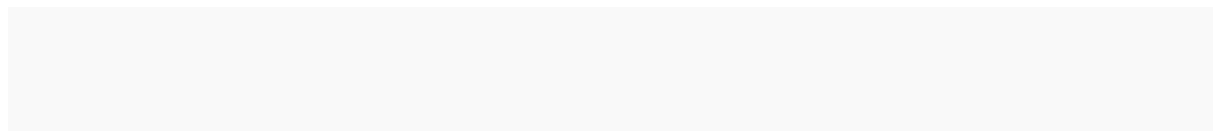
4th January World Braille Day

16th January Martin Luther King Day

22nd January Chinese New Year

25th January Burns Night – celebrating poet Robert Burns

28th Jan – 5th Feb National Storytelling Week



Colin Scott



Kate Hills

Chair

Treasurer