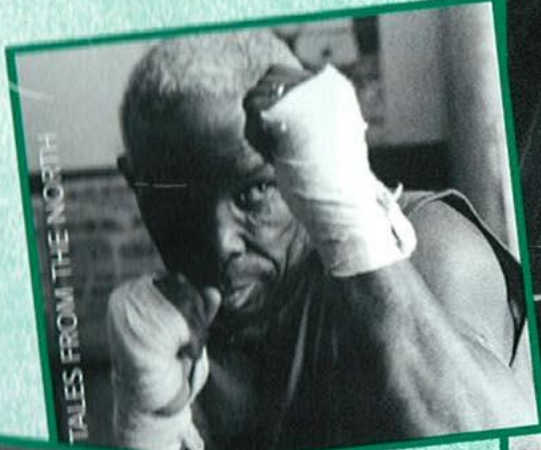


MID PENNINE *Ants*



THE REAL MACAWS



TALES FROM THE NORTH



ANNA LAMBERT



FRENCH ALLIGATORS

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MUGHAL TENT

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

TICKETS IT'S SO EASY TO BOOK



IN PERSON: Call in at the Mid Pennine Gallery, Yorke Street, Burnley. Open Monday to Saturday 10am-5pm, Tuesday open 10am-1pm (or buy your tickets in your area - see under 'Buy Your Tickets Locally')



BY PHONE: (01282) 421986 BY FAX: (01282) 429513 Ring us to buy tickets for our events and pay for them by credit card. All Access, Eurocard, Mastercard and Visa cards are accepted. **RESERVE TICKETS:** You can reserve tickets. Reservations will be held for three days.



BY POST: Write to us (NO STAMP REQUIRED) at FREEPOST BU 874, Burnley, Lancashire, BB11 1BR. Please make cheques payable to MPA and enclose an S.A.E.

CONCESSIONS: Concessionary rates are available to our MEMBERS, those in full time education, unemployed people, senior citizens, registered disabled people and members of The Met, Bury.

GROUP BOOKINGS: Buy ten, get the eleventh free. For larger parties contact Kary in the Marketing Department to discuss rates.

BUY YOUR TICKETS LOCALLY

MPA tickets are available from:

Accrington	The Information Shop, 3 Abbey Street Hyndburn Leisure, Town Hall
Bacup	Public Library, St. James Square First Steps (Business Consultants), Fiscal House, 27 St. James Street
Barnoldswick	Tourist Information, Fearnlea Avenue
Bury	The Met, Derby Hall, Market Street
Clitheroe	Tourist Information Centre, Church Walk
Colne	Pendle Leisure Services, Bank House, 61 Albert Road
Haslingden	Public Library, Deardengate
Hebden Bridge	Tourist Information Centre, 1 Bridgegate
Nelson	Tourist Information Centre, Town Hall Pendle Wavelengths, Leeds Road
Rawtenstall	Central Library, Queens Square Tourist Information Centre, 41-46 Kay Street
Todmorden	Bear Wholefoods, 29 Rochdale Road

BECOME A MEMBER

Becoming a member of MPA is easy and will **SAVE** you **£1.50** at most events and **5% discount** on cash purchases from the Gallery.

Members also get

- The chance to borrow equipment (theatre equipment, children's play inflatables and more)
- Advance information - as a member you get the forthcoming season brochure mailed direct to your home
- Personal invitations to join MPA staff and other members at Gallery openings and other special events

All this for £9 (£12 joint) annual membership

Becoming a member is simple. Just call in and see us during office hours, ring or write to us for a membership form. Send it back with your payment and you become a member immediately.

GERALD DAVIES

SUMMER SPECIALS

This Summer we are offering some extra special events and this diverse range should make the long hot days truly memorable.

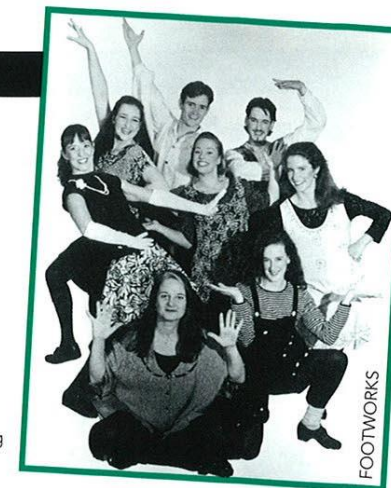


FOOTWORKS PERCUSSIVE DANCE ENSEMBLE

Municipal Hall, Colne
Thursday 1 May 7.30pm
Tickets: £9/£8/£7 (concessions available)
Box Office Tel: 01282 661234

They brought the house down as guest artists in the London run of Riverdance, now this internationally recognised percussive dance ensemble from America is returning for a third sell-out tour. They specialise in step-dances of bewildering complexity, from Lancashire clog to the slapping routines of the American South.

A joint promotion with Pendle Borough Council



FOOTWORKS



NORTHERN CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Sunday 1 June
Town Hall, Todmorden 7.30pm
£6.50 Students/children £4.50

Programme:

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| BECK | - Symphony in E |
| GRIEG | - Elegiac Melodies |
| SCHUBERT | - Rondo for Violin & Strings |
| BORODIN | - Nocturne |
| STRAUSS | - Pizzicato Polka |
| MOZART | - A Musical Joke |



NORTHERN CHAMBER ORCHESTRA



MANCHESTER CAMERATA

Dates for 1997/1998

Thursday 23 October 1997
Thursday 20 November 1997
Thursday 12 February 1998
Thursday 12 March 1998
Public Bookings opens Monday 1 September 1997



ILLYRIA PERFORM THE TEMPEST

Tickets: £6/£4 concs
Tuesday 17 June 7.30pm
Barrowford Park, Barrowford
Wednesday 18 June 7.30pm
Rose Garden, Haworth Art Gallery, Accrington

Last year's performance was a complete sell-out and everybody enjoyed a very special occasion. We are delighted to bring the magic of open air theatre to the area once again and to meet demand we have two dates. In addition to the glorious setting of the Haworth's Rose Garden we are able to offer the splendour of Barrowford Park - the choice is yours!

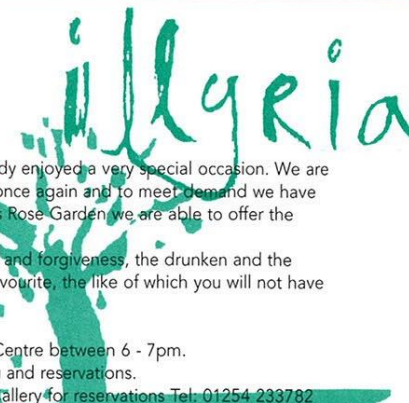
The Tempest is Shakespeare's desert-island tale of retribution and forgiveness, the drunken and the divine. Illyria promise a performance of this mystical classic favourite, the like of which you will not have seen before.

Don't forget to bring a chair, a rug and a picnic!

Pre-performance meals are available at the Pendle Heritage Centre between 6 - 7pm.

Pre-booking of meals is essential Tel: 01282 695366 for menu and reservations.

"Alison Alston's" Fork Buffet is available at the Haworth Art Gallery for reservations Tel: 01254 233782



28 April - 5 May

Rossendale's annual arts festival returns to the Valley. Pick up a Festival brochure for full details of all the events and enjoy a week crammed with activities. There's something for everyone and this is just a taster of some of the great entertainment on offer:



WED
30th
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DEPUTY HEAD DANCE THEATRE present TO SCRANNIDGE (V)

Wednesday 30 April 7.30pm
The Studio, Accrington & Rossendale College, Rawtenstall
Tickets £4.50/£3 concs
This innovative and exciting dance company aim to challenge and attract an audience with their funny, powerful and down-to-earth pieces.



THU
1st
MAY

VALLEY FOLK

Thursday 1 May 8pm
British Legion, Bacup
All tickets: £2
Passionate hard hitting songs poems and words by a line-up of local singer/songwriters and poets. Come along and let their words and music delight, disturb and entertain you.

FRI
2nd
MAY

ROCK SHOWCASE

Friday 2 May 8pm
Public Hall, Haslingden
Tickets: £2.50 in advance £3 on the door
Four talented local bands take to the stage with an eclectic mix of music. Headlining are 'Focus' tipped for big things - come along and see them first at Rossfest.

SAT
3rd
MAY

Rossfest Worldbeat Party with DRED & FRED & THE IRONWORKS CREW

With 1 n 1 Oneness
Saturday 3 May D.J. from 8pm
Public Hall, Haslingden
Tickets: £4.50/£3 concs
Pioneers of digital roots reggae their music is instantly recognisable. When Dred and Fred team up with vocalists, The Ironworks Crew, they leave the audience spellbound - you'll be clamouring for more!

SUN
4th
MAY

MUSHAIRA

Sunday 4 May 7.30pm
Public Hall, Haslingden
Tickets: £1
The Mushaira has become an established event in the Rossfest calendar and once again we are delighted to welcome some of the leading Asian poets from around the country.

MON
5th
MAY

MADE IN ROSSENDALE

Monday 5 May 11 - 4pm
The Valley Centre, Rawtenstall
Last year the Youth Showcase revealed the wealth of young talent on offer throughout the Rossendale Valley. This year will be no exception with a whole variety of budding stars. Come along and watch them demonstrate their many artistic skills from actors and cabaret artistes, to dancers and singers.
Sponsored by The Valley Centre Shopping Centre.

MON
5th
MAY

MADE IN ROSSENDALE TOO

11am - 3pm
The Astoria, Rawtenstall
Last year the demonstrations by professional artists proved so popular that we have expanded them to give you a chance to learn many more new skills. There's no need to book just turn up and try your hand at any of these activities.

Pat Southern	- jewellery
Joanne Bancroft	- ceramic sculptures
Bob Nancollis	- comic strip cut-outs
Darren Warner	- stage combat
Caroline Slifkin	- textiles
Caroline Jariwala	- painting
Ruth Evans	- mask making
Julia Hogan	- clay models
Jeni Keiller	- face painting

Helium Poems
50p per balloon

At the Project One o One stand in the Valley Centre you can watch your words take flight when Jean Sprackland, poet and project coordinator, will be on hand to help you write your verse and release it into the wide blue yonder.

28 APR
- 5 MAY

SCULPTURE IN SHOPS

The Valley's resident sculptors will be in residence throughout the weekend to demonstrate the various techniques involved in their work, they will be happy to answer questions about their sculpture and about the Sculpture Trail. Look out for them in The Valley Centre and drop in to see them.

Rossfest is in association with Rossendale Borough Council and with thanks for the help & involvement of numerous local organisations.

RURAL ARTS IN EAST LANCASHIRE

Do you live in a village or smaller rural community? We are agents for a special Rural Arts Fund and can offer grants towards projects which:

- Involve a community or group working together
- Are creative and a new departure for your community
- Say something about your community or surroundings in the present or future rather than the past
- Have a majority of adult participants
- Have a lasting effect

ANY GROUP CAN APPLY!

Contact:
TRACY AT MID PENNINE ARTS ON 01282 421986 for further details or to discuss any ideas you may have.

SOUND '97'



It's summer so it must be Sound. If you don't make it to anything else this year be sure to make it to this. Hyndburn's biggest and brightest music festival just gets better. A week long extravaganza offering the very best sounds with music for all tastes.

FRI
8th
AUG

WORLDBEAT

Friday 8 August
To be confirmed
For further details ring MPA on
01282 421986

SAT
9th
AUG

MAYHEM - A DANCE NIGHT

Saturday 9 August Doors 8pm
Town Hall, Accrington
Mayhem is a collaboration of artists and DJs from all over the North West working together to make their events a truly visual as well as musical experience. If you missed out last year come and see what all the excitement is about, if you were there you'll know that a wild night was had by all - don't miss it!

SUN
10th
AUG

TURBO FOLK

Sunday 10 August
Doors 8pm
Tickets: £3 in advance £3.50 on the door
Headlining this event are **Blythe Power**, veterans since the early days of punk rock they have 6 album releases to their credit, the most recent 'Out from under the King' 1996. With support from another 4 bands this evening has been described as a mix of modern turbo folk. Music for the next millennium!

FRI
15th
AUG

BANDS NIGHT

Friday 15 August 8pm
Town Hall, Accrington
A line-up of some of the best local bands this area has to offer. A chance to hear an eclectic mix of music as a forerunner to the main event in Oakhill Park.

SAT
16th
AUG

ROCKERS SOCIETY

Saturday 16 August 8pm
Town Hall, Accrington
Tickets: £3
Capturing the spirit of the 50's, 60's and 70's the Rockers regularly get together to raise money for charity with their own unique brand of music. For this event they welcome very special guests **'The K C Moaners'** a top international skiffle band who have played at the Chicago Jazz Festival, appeared on T.V and play regularly at Ronnie Scotts club.

SUN
17th
AUG

THE BIG ONE IN THE PARK - SOUND '97'

Sunday 17 August
Oakhill Park, Accrington
12 - 6pm
Admission Free
This is it - the Big One in the Park. The sun shines (we hope), the crowds gather to soak up the atmosphere and just enjoy a lazy, hazy day lying in the park listening to some great sounds. For the energetic there are stalls and sideshows to wander around and of course plenty of space to dance and join in the fun. Don't miss it!

Sound '97' is organised in partnership with Hyndburn Borough Council and the Sound Steering Group.

CARNIVAL

CARNIVAL

The MPA area has retained many traditions and with the first sign of Summer the streets take on a party atmosphere when Carnival comes to town. Dozens of gaily coloured floats, stalls and people will brighten up Accrington, Bacup and Todmorden. Join the throng for some great days out.

SAT
24th
MAY

TODMORDEN CARNIVAL

Saturday 24 May
We kick off in Todmorden when the annual Spring Bank holiday celebrations see the carnival parade meandering through the town and out to Centre Vale Park. Amongst the many attractions will be the Phoenix New Orleans Band bringing the exciting sound of New Orleans jazz to Todmorden.

THE REAL MACAWS

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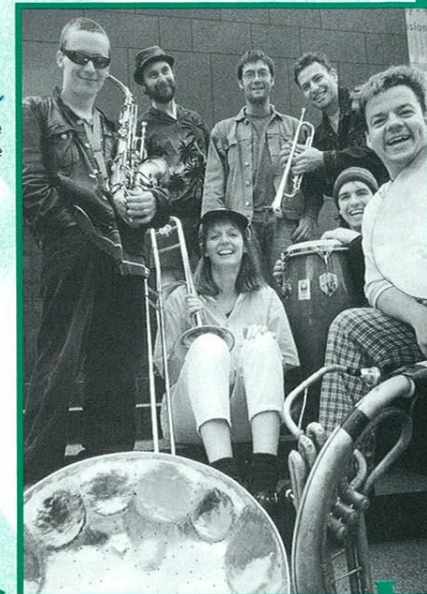
ACCRINGTON CARNIVAL

Saturday 21 June
Noon - 5pm
As the procession winds through the town centre to the Sandy Lane Playing Fields the action really hots up. The Nachda Hasdey Punjab Dancers will be providing a splash of bright colour as they perform their 'joyous dancing'. A field full of entertainment with all the ingredients for a great family day out.
A joint promotion with Accrington Lions

SUN
22nd
JUNE

ROSSENDALE CARNIVAL

Sunday 22 June
12.45 - 5pm
The streets of Bacup will be thronged with people enjoying the atmosphere that this traditional carnival evokes. The Real Macaws will be adding colour to the parade with their street sound music and joining the floats and horses, dancers and brass bands on the journey into the town centre. Join the crowds as they gather to watch the parade and to wander around the many attractions.
A joint promotion with Rossendale Borough Council



EXCURSIONS

WED
23rd
JULY

ALICE'S ADVENTURES IN WONDERLAND

Wednesday 23 July 7.15pm
Williamson Park, Lancaster
Tickets: £17.50/£14 concs
The Duke's promenade season is a unique theatrical experience. The audience follows the action from location to location around the park. Follow Alice down the rabbit hole into a world of fantastic, outrageous and sometimes sinister characters, where animals, birds and even playing cards can speak. Bring outdoor shoes, a jacket and a collapsible chair if you need one.
For details of pick-up points and to reserve places contact Janet on 01282 421986.

SUN
31st
AUG

V & A

Travel to the V&A Museum in London to see the Shamiana (Mughal Tent) and other highlights. See under Projects for full details.
MPA reserves the right to cancel any excursion.

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FREE
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MID PENNINE GALLERY

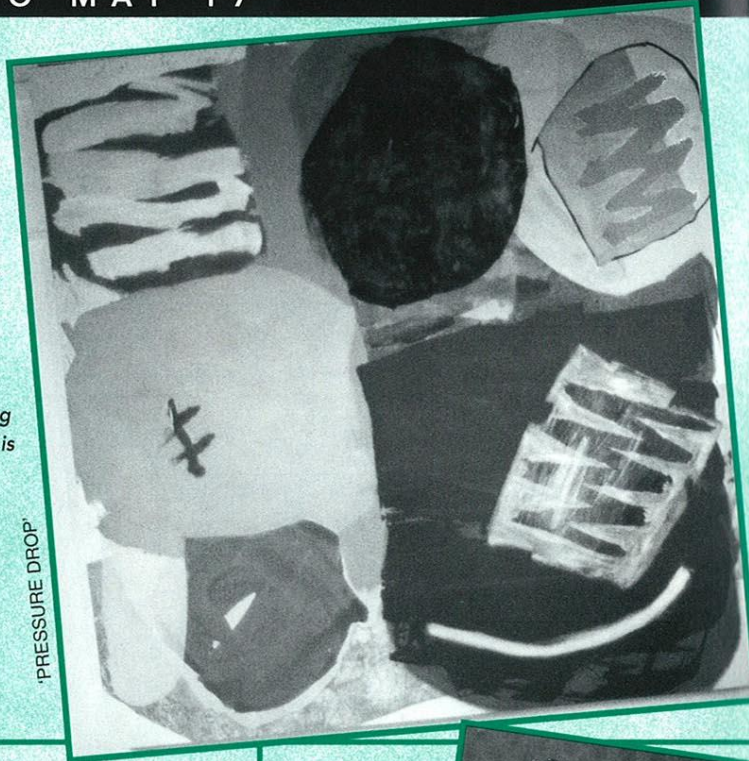
FREE
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APRIL 12 TO MAY 17

MAY 24 TO JUNE 21

KOLAKOWSKI

Nationally exhibited artist Matthew Kolakowski's paintings have movement, a sense of optimism and an instinctive feeling for colour. He uses abstract shapes playfully, like anchors; anchors which, in effect, tie his images down. The shapes move backwards and forwards in space with images superimposed in layers, making it difficult to see which colour is underneath and which on the surface.



PRESSURE DROP

MANDY NASH



JEWELLERY MANDY NASH

The work is bold and abstract, inspired by colour and pattern and influenced by different culture's views of animals. Mandy enjoys working in aluminium, its lightness enables her to make large pieces and its relative cheapness allows her to create wearable, affordable jewellery.

RUTH PRAIL

A range of jewellery worked in silver, inset with semi-precious and natural stones. These pieces are stylish and retain an elegant simplicity. They are also incredibly inexpensive for work of this quality.

CERAMICS ANNA LAMBERT

Unique handbuilt work that is highly decorative yet functional, generally on a domestic scale that will sit happily within any room. Her pieces are influenced by a wide variety of cultures, Roman and Greek classical, Indian textiles and carvings, American and European folk art.



ANNA LAMBERT

THE DELUGE AND OTHER WORKS ON PAPER by GERALD DAVIES

Gerald's drawings are both technically and emotionally direct. Large charcoal and pastel drawings reflect a training and temperament developed within a continuing tradition of figurative draughtsmanship. The drawings contain swirling imagery - of deluge, downpour and natural forces, 'powerful and convincing artworks that capture the dangerous but compelling...' Prof Nigel Whiteley, Lancaster University. Gerald will be giving a talk at the Gallery on Friday 23 May at 7.30pm. Everyone welcome.



'LARGE DELUGE'

JEWELLERY JULIE SELLARS

Julie Sellars is influenced by the rhythms of energy in nature, sculpture, architecture and antiques. These rich sources emerge through working directly with metal: an intuitive and inventive technique which reveals itself in a delicate but powerful range of jewellery.

JANE LANGAN

Jane Langan creates unusual, innovative jewellery. Metal is manipulated to create beautiful organic forms that flow with the body.



JULIA SELLARS

KNITWEAR CHRISTINE WAYGOOD

This collection of felted knitwear marks the beginning of a new range of individual works inspired by recent exhibitions of African textiles. 'By felting and piecing my knitting I found I could produce a fabric with a soft, warm handle, no floats and a freedom of design more akin to painting.'

YORKE STREET, OFF MANCHESTER ROAD, BURNLEY BB11 1HD.
TELEPHONE: 01282 421986

OPEN MONDAY TO SATURDAY 10am - 5pm
TUESDAY 10am - 1pm

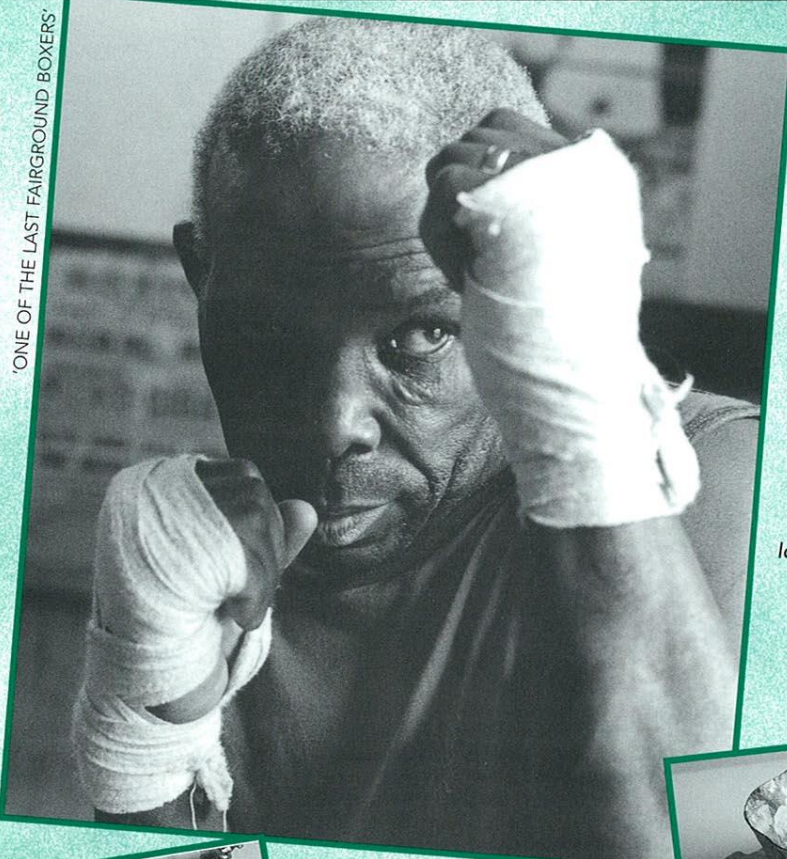
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OPEN MON TO SAT 10am - 5pm
TUESDAY 10am - 1pm

JUNE 28 TO AUGUST 2

AUGUST 9 TO AUGUST 30

ONE OF THE LAST FAIRGROUND BOXERS



TALES FROM THE NORTH

Photographer Ian Beesley has been searching out the unusual and documenting those aspects peculiar to the North, for the last twenty years. From the last rope maker to the last bobbin maker, from the knur and spar world champion to the world champion coal carrier, these images are not just historical records but celebrations of our individuality. *Tales from the North* is an affectionate look at the unpredictable and uncertain elements of Northern life.

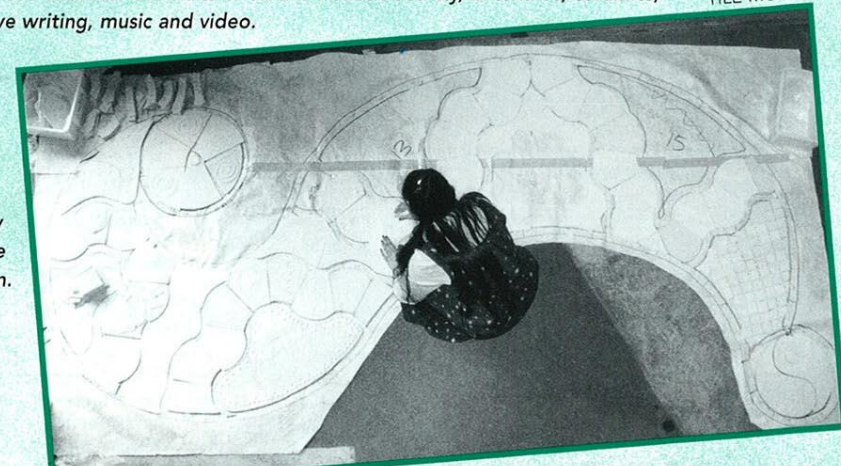
GENERATIONS

Throughout this year groups of people both young and old have been working on a range of projects under the banner of *Generations* - a project to explore the cultural experiences of different generations within the Asian communities of East Lancashire. (see under Projects)

In this exhibition we see and hear the fruits of all this frenetic activity, in textiles, ceramics, photography, creative writing, music and video.

TILE MURAL

This exhibition is part of MPA's contribution to the European Year Against Racism and the 50th anniversary of the independence of India and Pakistan.



HOW TO FIND US

The Mid Pennine Gallery is a part of the Mechanics building in the town centre. Approach from Yorke Street or via the Mechanics foyer.

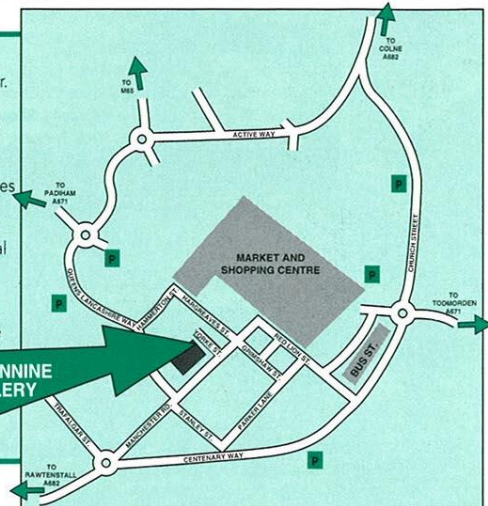
BY TRAIN: Burnley is served by three stations with regular services from Leeds and Preston. Enquiries 'phone 01282 425421.

BY CAR: See map for car parking, all car parks are just a few minutes walk from the Gallery.

BY BUS: Regular services stop outside the Mechanics from the local area/Manchester/Preston. Enquiries 'phone 01282 423125

EDUCATION: Tuesday afternoon 1pm - 5pm reserved exclusively for schools, colleges and art group study sessions. If you would like to use the space phone Julian on 01282 421986.

EASY ACCESS: The Gallery has full ramped access at the rear of the building and adjusted toilet facilities. Guide dogs are welcome.



Associate Member of Lancashire's Hill Country

ELIZABETH MALDONADO

JEWELLERY

ELIZABETH MALDONADO

Drawing upon her architectural background, Elizabeth Maldonado designs jewellery based upon pure shapes and geometry. Metal is combined with gemstones and etched surfaces producing intricate yet simple clear forms.

GILLIAN STEIN

Gillian Stein's jewellery is injected with an excitement for colour and texture, combining metals and beads, representational and abstract forms.



CLAUDIA CLARE

CRAFTS

CLAUDIA CLARE

From botanical drawings and prints through to Dutch flower paintings, Claudia Clare has drawn upon a range of source materials to produce a visually exciting series of bowls and vessel forms that show the connection between painting, printing and pottery.

TEL: 01282 421986

FREE ADMISSION

SUMMER FUN

MON
5th
MAY

BURNLEY MAY DAY

Monday 5 May
Towneley Park, Burnley
The appearance of the amazing **Red Herring Street Band** should certainly electrify Burnley's traditional May Day celebrations. The band of 12 play an eclectic mix of acoustic world music. 'The Red Herrings succeeded in raising the roof with their stupendous cocktail of percussion and brass'. Bolton Evening News.
Presented IAW Burnley May Day Committee

MON
26th
MAY

GREAT HARWOOD SHOW

Monday 26 May
Wood Street Showground,
Great Harwood
Having played at festivals the length and breadth of the country we are delighted to welcome **The Southgators** to Great Harwood. This five piece acoustic group use traditional instruments, mandolin, banjo, harmonica and accordian to name but a few, to combine a variety of musical styles in the music they play. Come along to this friendly family show and enjoy all the fun and entertainment.

SAT
2nd
AUG

GREENPEACE DAY ON THE GREEN

Saturday 2 August
12 noon - 6pm
Centre Vale Park, Todmorden
The Day on the Green is renowned for family entertainment and MPA's contribution should be no exception. **The Dragons Show** features poet and story teller **Nick Toczek**, a full size parading dragon, a smoke machine, music, jokes, dance and plenty of audience participation. This promises to be great family fun!

SUN
3rd
AUG

BRIERFIELD GALA

Sunday 3 August
12 noon - 4.30pm
Bent Head Playing Fields, Halifax Rd,
Brierfield
Their ages range from 7 to 14 and the 23 piece **Junior North Stars Steel Orchestra** keep alive the true spirit of steel pan music. Their unique and distinctive sound with a heavy driving bass should have everyone's toes tapping on the show ground. Join in the fun and make a day of it.



BRASSANOVA

SUN
17th
AUG

SALTERFORTH FUN DAY

Sunday 17 August
1 - 5pm
Salterforth Village Green
The whole village will be there to enjoy a summer day having fun and raising money for their local team. **Brassanova** with their lively brand of music are no strangers to making the proceedings go with a swing. Don't stay home alone - join the neighbours for a great day out.
Presented IAW Salterforth Football Club

MON
25th
AUG

SAINT MONDAY

Weavers Triangle, Burnley
Monday 25 August
If you can't think what to do this Bank Holiday then look no further than the Weavers Triangle. A great day out for all the family with plenty to see and do and some great entertainment provided by the ever popular **Circus Sensible** who present the **'Wheely Wild Show'**, the most watchable group in Burnley this weekend.

SUN
31st
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HASLINGDEN STREET FAIR

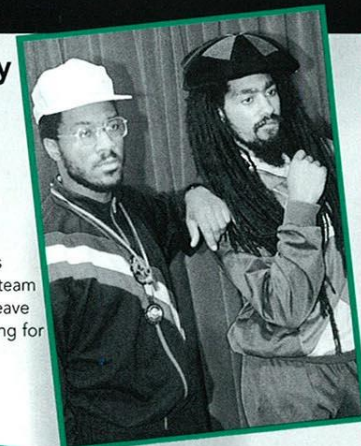
Sunday 31 August
11am - 3pm
Deardengate Haslingden
Fun in the streets of Haslingden and adding to the proceedings are **The Bunion Street Emporium** 'an extravaganza of the strange and bizarre'. They combine acrobatics, circus, magic and escapology all in one amazing performance - don't miss this one!

WORLD BEAT

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Rossfest Worldbeat Party with DRED & FRED & THE IRONWORKS

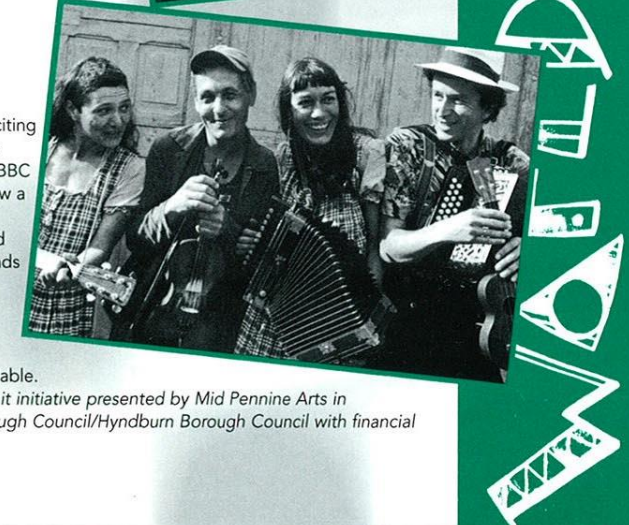
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FRI
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FRENCH ALLIGATORS

Town Hall Accrington
Friday 23 May
Doors 8pm, Music 8.45pm
Tickets: £4.50/£3 concs
The 'brilliant and electric' French Alligators are one of the most exciting overseas Cajun bands to tour this country. Their appearance at the BBC Radio 1 Music Live 95 festival drew a great deal of media interest, not least from presenter Jools Holland who cited them as one of the bands he couldn't wait to see! With its driving rhythms and plaintive melodies Cajun music has an irresistible appeal.
Authentic Cajun food will be available.
Worldbeat is a Lancashire Arts Unit initiative presented by Mid Pennine Arts in association with Rossendale Borough Council/Hyndburn Borough Council with financial support from NWAB.



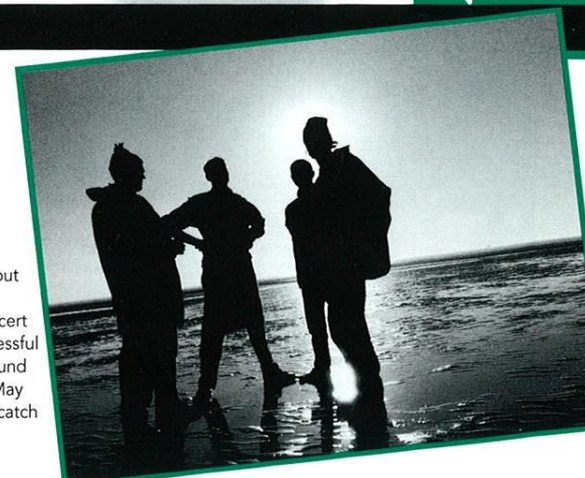
FRENCH ALLIGATORS

SUMMER MUSIC

FRI
6th
JUNE

THE BOND IN CONCERT

Friday 6 June
Rose Garden, Haworth Art Gallery,
Accrington
Doors 7pm
£3.50 in advance £4 on the door
The Bond are hugely popular throughout East Lancs where their ambient sound continues to attract new fans. This concert marks the culmination of a highly successful 18 months, last year they played at Sound '96 in Oakhill Park, and at the end of May they release their first CD. Be sure to catch them!



TEL: 01282 421986



GENERATIONS

AUG
1997

GENERATIONS

Ceramics, textiles, photography, creative writing, music, drama, video. Generations will explore and celebrate the contrasting experiences of the different generations of East Lancashire's Asian communities through these many different art forms. Groups from across the region are working on a number of projects which will culminate in an exhibition at the Mid Pennine Gallery in August (see under MPA Gallery).
Supported by Lancashire County Council, NWAB, Stocks Massey, Hyndburn Borough Council, Rossendale Borough Council, Lancashire Libraries Ethnic Services, Lancashire Youth & Community Service, Accrington & Rossendale College



MUGHAL TENT

26 JUNE
-14 SEP

SHAMIANA: The Mughal Tent

Victoria & Albert Museum, London
26 June-14 September

In October 1994 Mid Pennine staged our own Mughal Tent exhibition as the culmination of three local groups creating their own pieces as part of the international collection. Three years later all three pieces are to be included in Shamiana, a reconstructed Mughal Tent in the grounds of the V&A Museum in London. It promises to be a spectacular and colourful display of textiles created by groups of women and young people from around the world.

EXCURSION

Sunday 31 August
£25/£23 concs
Travel by coach to London to see the exhibition and catch other highlights at the V&A Museum. To reserve your place and for details of pick-up points please contact Jacky on 01282 421986

JUNE
1997

ROSSENDALE AMATEURS YOUTH SOCIETY (RAYS)

Following a series of 'taster' workshops in such diverse performance styles as African Dance and Drumming, Mime and Stage Fighting RAYS are now working towards short pieces which will be performed as part of Rossendale Carnival at the end of June.

1997

DANCE ACCESS THE FAST TRACK (DAFT)

Lets get a show together in the space of a week! Young people are being invited to take part in this week of hectic activity to produce a dance performance piece based on stories written by local people. Professionals in dance, music and theatre design will be in Oswaldtwistle for a week to produce an outdoor show for the local community.
Supported by Arts Council of England, Hyndburn Borough Council, County Dance Development, NWAB

APRIL
/MAY

CREATIVE WRITING SESSIONS

Community Projects

April/May
Poet and writer Mandy Precious is leading these sessions with participants at the Community Centre in Barnoldswick.

1997

EDUCATION RESEARCH UPDATE

First of all a big thankyou to everybody who responded to our questionnaires and interviews as part of our research into our service to education funded by the Arts Council of England. Congratulations to Walshaw High School in Burnley on winning the free workshop. We are now entering the development phase and you will be in receipt of the results in the new academic year. We are very excited at the prospect of increasing our input to schools and hope that we will have the opportunity of working with more of you in the future. In the meantime please don't hesitate to contact us if you need information, or just some advice, on any arts activities you are planning.



9-13th
JUNE

LUDUS DANCE COMPANY IN ROSSENDALE

9-13 June
Mid Pennine are pleased to welcome back Britain's leading education dance company for a week's residency. This time Ludus are in residence in Rossendale with their new show Interface.

SCHOOLS PERFORMANCE

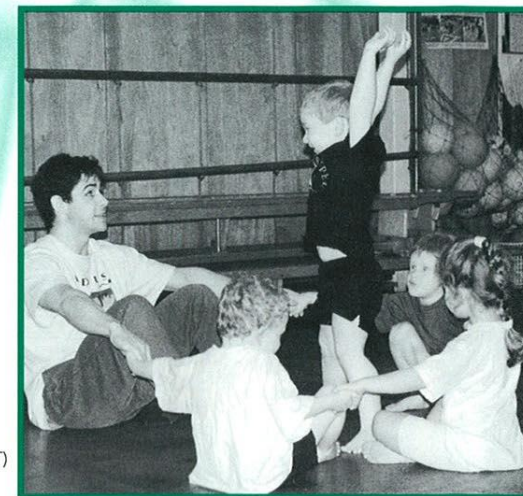
Monday 9 June
Interface at Fearn's High School, Stacksteads
1.45pm
Tickets £1.50 (teachers/adults free)

WORKSHOPS AVAILABLE FOR SCHOOLS

Tuesday 10-Thursday 12
Primary & Special Needs £30 per hour (plus VAT)
Secondary £35 per hour (plus VAT)

INSET FOR TEACHERS

Wednesday 11 June
(all Lancashire schools welcome)
4.00-6.00pm
£10 per teacher
Fearn's High School, Stacksteads



LUDUS DANCE COMPANY

COMMUNITY PERFORMANCE

Friday 13 June
Interface at Fearn's High School, Stacksteads
7.30pm
Tickets £2.50/£1.50 concs.

For more information on these projects contact Jacky on:

TEL: 01282 421986

Entertainment programme

QUICK GLANCE

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
EXHIBITIONS		
12 Apr - 17 May	Kolakowski	Mid Pennine Gallery, Burnley
24 May - 21 June	The Deluge and Other Works on Paper	Mid Pennine Gallery, Burnley
28 June - 2 Aug	Tales from the North	Mid Pennine Gallery, Burnley
9 Aug - 30 Aug	Generations	Mid Pennine Gallery, Burnley
EXCURSIONS		
23 July	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	Williamson Park Lancaster
31 August	Shamiana - Mughal Tent	V & A, London
MAY		
Thurs 1	Footworks Percussive Dance Ensemble	Municipal Hall, Colne
Sat 3	Dred & Fred & the Ironworks Crew	Public Hall, Haslingden
Mon 5	Burnley May Day	Towneley Park, Burnley
Fri 23	French Alligators	Town Hall, Accrington
Sat 24	Todmorden Carnival	Todmorden
Mon 26	Great Harwood Show	Wood St Showground, Gt Harwood
JUNE		
Sun 1	Northern Chamber Orchestra	Town Hall, Todmorden
Fri 6	The Bond in Concert	Haworth Art Gallery, Accrington
Mon 9 - Fri 13	Ludus Dance Company in Rossendale	Rossendale
Tue 17	Illyria perform The Tempest	Barrowford Park, Barrowford
Wed 18	Illyria perform The Tempest	Haworth Art Gallery, Accrington
Sat 21	Accrington Carnival	Accrington
Sun 22	Rossendale Carnival	Bacup, Rossendale
AUGUST		
Sat 2	Greenpeace Day on the Green	Centre Vale Park, Todmorden
Sun 3	Brierfield Gala	Bent Head Playing Fields, B. field
Fri 8	Sound '97' Worldbeat	Town Hall, Accrington
Sat 9	Mayhem - A Dance Night	Town Hall, Accrington
Sun 10	Turbo Folk	Town Hall, Accrington
Fri 15	Bands Night	Town Hall, Accrington
Sat 16	Rockers Society	Town Hall, Accrington
Sun 17	The Big One in the Park	Oakhill Park, Accrington
Sun 17	Salterforth Fun Day	Salterforth, Village Green
Mon 25	Saint Monday	Weavers Triangle, Burnley
Sun 31	Haslingden Street Fair	Deardengate, Haslingden

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