

Workshops **Performances** Conversations and 'What makes you happy?' Exhibition

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### **Creative Voice Youth Arts Festival 2023**

Friday 3 – Saturday 4 November 12-9pm Princes Quay event space

Creative Voice Youth Arts Festival is back! Join us over October half-term to find out more about how young people are creative at youth centres and youth arts projects across the city.

#### FRIDAY 3 NOVEMBER

# 12pm

Exhibition Launch - 'What Makes You Happy?'

3D-printed exhibition with augmented reality by artist Anna Bean and young people from Astra and Ainthorpe Youth Centres, This Ability Goodwin Trust, Artlink Explorers Young People in Care Project and NICE.

## 12.30-3.30pm

Fun, drop-in workshops including wearable art and sustainable fashion, screenprinting, drama, contemporary dance, Hull Zine Library, songwriting, circus skills and more.

#### 6-9pm

Young People's Performance Sharing with a focus on drama and dance. Performances from professional dance company LOOP with JoinedUp Dance Company Young Contemporaries, Ainthorpe Youth Centre, Pragnya Indian Dance, Max Life Dance Company, Wolfpack Theatre, Freedom Road Creative Arts, and Youth Aspire Connect.

## **SATURDAY 4 NOVEMBER**

## 12pm

Panel discussion with young people, NHS support workers, and creatives in Hull on the Importance of arts in supporting mental health.

#### 12.30-3.30pm

Fun, drop-in workshops including wearable art and sustainable fashion, screenprinting, Afrobeats dance, DJ Mixing, music studio, Hull Zine Library, street theatre and more.

# 4-6pm

Screening of films and animations made by young people and local artists and filmmakers about issues that are important to them around art and mental health.

## 6-9pm

Young People's Performance Sharing with a focus on music. Performances from Music Lab, Freedom Road Creative Arts, Layman and Noble, Young Women's DJ Group and Humber Drum Circles.

Creative Voice is a youth arts initiative led by Hull City Council Arts Development and Youth Development Service in partnership with Artlink and Hull Dance, who are supporting the dance elements of the Festival with their Move Together programme.

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