



## WHAT'S ON?

To find out what's on, there are a number of helpful links that are updated regularly, including:

### TASMANIAN ARTS GUIDE

This is your guide to the best creative places and entertainment in Hobart and across Tasmania.

[tasmanianartsguide.com.au](http://tasmanianartsguide.com.au)

### THE HOBART MAGAZINE

A free monthly community lifestyle magazine both in hardcopy and digital, that covers the people, the arts and community events in Hobart and beyond.

[thehobartmagazine.com.au](http://thehobartmagazine.com.au)

### WARP MAGAZINE

Tasmania's street magazine is in print and online.

[warpmagazine.com.au](http://warpmagazine.com.au)

### FREE FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Little people are as big in Hobart as grown-ups, so the TMAG Family Days, the Children's Festival and *mapiya lumi* (around here), will keep you fascinated.

[tmag.tas.gov.au/learning\\_and\\_discovery/families](http://tmag.tas.gov.au/learning_and_discovery/families)

### CREATIVE HOBART E-NEWS

An online bi-monthly newsletter that offers a snapshot of events and upcoming projects around town. Join our mailing list to keep your creative finger on the pulse.

[hobartcity.com.au/creativehobartnews](http://hobartcity.com.au/creativehobartnews)

### CITY OF HOBART UPCOMING EVENTS

A snapshot of current events happening in our city for you to enjoy.

[hobartcity.com.au/events](http://hobartcity.com.au/events)

## YOUR OWN PIECE OF HOBART

### TASMANIA'S OWN MARKET (SALAMANCA) 15

Every Saturday from 8.30 am – 3 pm Hobart's creative and most colourful face is on show, 75 per cent of it proudly locally owned and made, including buskers, held at Salamanca Place.

[salamancamarket.com.au/Tasmanias-own-market](http://salamancamarket.com.au/Tasmanias-own-market)

### SALAMANCA ARTS CENTRE 1

Throughout the narrow heritage corridors of Salamanca Arts Centre there is a treasure trove of locally-created knits, homewares, metal work, bags, books and more.

[sac.org.au](http://sac.org.au)

### COLLECT

The Collect Art Purchase Scheme is an opportunity offering Australian residents interest-free loans to buy contemporary Tasmanian art.

[collect-art.com.au](http://collect-art.com.au)

### DESIGNED; MADE INC

A collection of contemporary Tasmanian designers and makers of jewellery, ceramics, printmaking, textiles, furniture and timber, whose work is showcased online, in regular exhibition and retail outlets.

[designedmade.com.au](http://designedmade.com.au)

## ART OUT IN THE OPEN

There is so much art about town, feast your eyes and follow your feet to find pockets of colour and explore the layered stories along our shores and streets. Use our tour maps and brochures to help guide you. [hobartcity.com.au/creativehobartmaps](http://hobartcity.com.au/creativehobartmaps)

### BATTERY POINT SCULPTURE TRAIL

No part of Hobart has more significant cultural heritage than the Battery Point precinct. A walk around it is a voyage through a rich, sometimes uncomfortable history that is an intrinsic part of our cultural landscape.

[hobartcity.com.au/creativehobartmaps](http://hobartcity.com.au/creativehobartmaps)

### SIGNAL BOXES

Over 80 original artworks dot the city streets, each telling its own story and painted by the community and professional artists on normally anonymous traffic infrastructure.

[urbansmartprojects.com/gallery](http://urbansmartprojects.com/gallery)

### SOAPBOX

Wander up to vibrant Mathers Place to take in Soapbox, the City of Hobart's billboard project giving a public voice and free expression to the city's artists.

[hobartcity.com.au/soapbox](http://hobartcity.com.au/soapbox)

### INSIDEOUT ARTBOX

Creative Hobart's new public art platform, InsideOUT, comprises two portable 'cube' galleries, to display creative work across artforms. These artboxes will be situated in various sites around the city activated by four artists/orgs each year. Keep an eye out for the endangered Cascade Funnel Web spider last seen near Town Hall. The next site will be in Lower Sandy Bay with a photographic work documenting Dorney House by Andy Hatton in May/June.

[hobartcity.com.au/Community/Creative-Hobart/Creative-Hobart-programs/InsideOUT](http://hobartcity.com.au/Community/Creative-Hobart/Creative-Hobart-programs/InsideOUT)

### ART SITES - CREATIVE HOARDING PROGRAM

Creative Hobart is running a two-year trial program to present art and design concepts as printed artwork on construction hoardings in Hobart. The first four Tasmanian artists to be selected are Robert O'Connor, Daniel Gray-Barnett, Kat Scarlet and Michelle Maynard. They have each created engaging artworks to enliven our streets on a large scale which you can see covering construction sites across the city.

[hobartcity.com.au/ART-SITES-Creative-HoardingProgram](http://hobartcity.com.au/ART-SITES-Creative-HoardingProgram)



## FESTIVALS/EVENTS AND WHAT'S HOT

**LANDS OF LIGHT: Lloyd Rees and Tasmania** This exhibition at the Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery (TMAG) celebrates the work of Lloyd Rees (1895-1988), a pre-eminent Australian landscape artists of the 20th century. 7 March to 27 October 2024

[tmag.tas.gov.au](http://tmag.tas.gov.au)

**TSO WORLD DANCE PARTY** Designed for 2-5yrs, these informal concerts introduce young people to the world of music. Meet and interact with Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra musicians and dance up a storm. 4 and 11 May

[tso.com.au](http://tso.com.au)

### ILLUMINATE: Let Light Shine Out of Darkness

This Waterside Pavilion exhibition features work by Tasmania Prison Service inmates and offenders who are on probation, parole or community service orders, as well as Department of Justice staff. In its 14th year, the exhibition curated by Di Reynoldson, from Prison Fellowship of Tasmania, offers pathways to creative self-expression. 6 – 9 June 2024

[hobartcity.com.au/City-services/Venues-banners-and-signage/Halls-and-venues/Waterside-Pavilion](http://hobartcity.com.au/City-services/Venues-banners-and-signage/Halls-and-venues/Waterside-Pavilion)

**DARK FRINGE: Fill the Void** This unique, 17 day festival offers art, music and immersive events on the edge, this winter. There will be 4 main, city activations in St Davids Park, MAC2 and other venues, and other large scale projections and dance events around Hobart.

14 – 30 June 2024

[instagram.com/darkfringe\\_hobart/](http://instagram.com/darkfringe_hobart/)

**FESTIVAL OF VOICES** promises a vibrant celebration of singing and community spirit. The diverse line-up including Macy Gray, the man behind Pitch Perfect, Deke Sharon, and Australian favourites The Wolfe Brothers and Montaigne. Experience choral, classical, contemporary, cabaret and comedy performances; there's something to suit everyone! 28 June – 7 July 2024

[festivalofvoices.com](http://festivalofvoices.com)

**HIERO: Intergenerational Dance Project** See dancers at different life stages perform together, each deeply curious about respective roles, rights, responsibilities and lived experience! A Great Southern Dance production created in collaboration with Mature Artists Dance Experience including a one-week residency and community workshops. 1 – 7 July 2024

[greatsoutherndance.com.au](http://greatsoutherndance.com.au)

**ARC – Step into a diverse ecosystem in which creatures from across the animal kingdom coexist** Renowned puppetry company Erth Visual & Physical Inc bring to life fourteen extraordinary species for intimate audience encounters at the Theatre Royal. Using intricately constructed puppets, Erth animates species ordinarily out of reach of young environmentalists. This will be one of many school holiday activities at the Theatre Royal. 10 – Fri 12 July

[theatreroyal.com.au/shows/arc](http://theatreroyal.com.au/shows/arc)

**BEAKER STREET FESTIVAL** Now in it's 8th year, Beaker Street returns for a week of science-infused events with some of Australia's brightest minds. Experience entertainment, exhibitions and excursions, with the best of Tasmania's scenery and culture at Australia's premier National Science week event. 6 – 13 August

[beakerstreet.com.au/festival](http://beakerstreet.com.au/festival)



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# CREATIVE HOBART

AUTUMN AND WINTER 2024

CREATIVE HOBART



City of HOBART

## CREATIVE HOBART

Hobart is a city of creative thinkers and doers – a city where past, present and future fuse, a place that unites imaginative people, incubates and hatches courageous ideas.

## A SUPPORTIVE CITY

The City of Hobart strives to showcase the people who make this city a fresh, vibrant place. In home studios, public galleries, on the many stages big and small, or even on the streets, we want to introduce you to local artists and their impressive mosaic of projects.

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## LIVE PERFORMANCE

### SALAMANCA ARTS CENTRE

A hub deep in the fascinating core of historic colonial Hobart with a focus on creative output in all art forms – galleries, performances, artists, artisans. [sac.org.au](http://sac.org.au)

### PLAYHOUSE THEATRE

Built in 1864, this classic proscenium arch theatre with its welcoming facade is home to lively musicals, solid theatre classics and new Tasmanian plays. [playhouse.org.au](http://playhouse.org.au)

### ODEON THEATRE

Over a century old, this gem of live performance in Hobart is the stage for a variety of rousing performances and festival headliners. [odeontheatre.com.au](http://odeontheatre.com.au)

### REPUBLIC BAR & CAFE

At the beginning of Hobart's nightlife strip to the north, this is one of the city's most popular live music venues for local and touring acts, wrapped in a comfy, casual pub atmosphere. [pubbanc.com.au/republic](http://pubbanc.com.au/republic)

### THEATRE ROYAL

Australia's oldest living centre for the performing arts, has a prestigious annual program of live theatre, music, dance and more. [theatreroyal.com.au](http://theatreroyal.com.au)

### FEDERATION CONCERT HALL

This is the Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra's home. For over 60 years the TSO has been at the forefront of concert life in Tasmania and is one of Australia's premier orchestras. [tso.com.au](http://tso.com.au)

## GALLERIES

### TASMANIAN MUSEUM AND ART GALLERY

Tasmania's identity is housed in this nationally important natural, cultural and heritage facility. [tmag.tas.gov.au](http://tmag.tas.gov.au)

### CONTEMPORARY ART TASMANIA

An annual program of high-quality, experimental visual arts famed for its innovation and energy. [contemporaryarttasmania.org](http://contemporaryarttasmania.org)

### GOOD GRIEF STUDIOS

A non-profit artist-run space that supports emerging and experimental art practices across a diverse range of mediums. [instagram.com/goodgriefstudios](https://www.instagram.com/goodgriefstudios)

### HOBART GALLERIES

For a comprehensive guide to Hobart's independent, commercial, large and small galleries pick up a Hobart Gallery Guide. [tasmanianartsguide.com.au/hobart](http://tasmanianartsguide.com.au/hobart)



## BOOKS, READING AND WRITING

### TASWRITERS

Tasmania's inspirational landscape, contemplative spaces and sharp minds have inspired writers for many years. TasWriters serve both readers and writers with its public program and workshops series. [taswriters.org](http://taswriters.org)

### FULLERS BOOKSHOP

This independent bookshop and publisher in the city centre, is much loved by Hobartian readers and hosts author readings and discussions, as well as casual meetings in its cafe. [fullersbookshop.com.au](http://fullersbookshop.com.au)

### HOBART BOOKSHOP

Profoundly active in the literary community of Tasmania, the Hobart Bookshop is rich with literary offerings, many of which are Tasmanian authors, photographers and artists. [hobartbookshop.com.au](http://hobartbookshop.com.au)

### STATE LIBRARY

The public library encompasses the latest publications, research facilities, the Allport Library and Museum of Fine Arts and open programs that make it a welcoming spot to soak up the myriad stories on offer in Hobart. [libraries.tas.gov.au](http://libraries.tas.gov.au)

### SILVER WORDS

Hobart's monthly spoken word and performance poetry event is held at various venues in or close to the city centre. [facebook.com/silverwordspoetry](https://www.facebook.com/silverwordspoetry)

### ISLAND MAGAZINE

A quarterly literary publication produced in Hobart to reflect contemporary ideas, writing and culture. [islandmag.com](http://islandmag.com)

## WITH THE MASTERS

Across the city there's a chance to be creative by learning a new skill, joining a workshop or listening to an artist in conversation, such as:

### CREATIVE EXCHANGE

Kickstart Arts in New Town offers casual classes in everything from stick baskets, stop motion animation, airbrush art and ongoing programs. [kickstartarts.org](http://kickstartarts.org)

### THE ARTS AT UTAS

The University of Tasmania's College of the Arts in Hunter Street presents regular lunchtime forums with artists, critics, theorists and curators from Australia and beyond. [facebook.com/CreativeArtsandMedia](https://www.facebook.com/CreativeArtsandMedia)



## FILM

### STATE CINEMA

The 12 screens, rooftop cinema, bar and the State Bookstore are home to an independent, international and Australian screen culture just north of the city centre. [statecinema.com.au](http://statecinema.com.au)

### VILLAGE CINEMA

In Collins Street you will find this Australian-based cinema chain offering blockbuster, popular, children and family films. [villagecinemas.com.au/cinemas/hobart](http://villagecinemas.com.au/cinemas/hobart)

### THE LOOP @ 157 ELIZABETH ST

A large-scale outdoor public screen that is a dedicated digital arts platform. Community members, artists, curators and organisations are encouraged to contribute work with the intent to delight, provoke, entertain and support screen culture in Hobart. [theloophobart.com.au](http://theloophobart.com.au)

### REWIND CINEMA

An independent boutique cinema located in the Hidden Theatre at Kickstart Arts Centre in Newtown. Showcases the best of the 80s and 90s nostalgia of a bygone era. [www.rewindcinema.net](http://www.rewindcinema.net)

### WIDEANGLE TASMANIA

Wide Angle Tasmania is an independent, not-for-profit organisation that strengthens Tasmania's screen culture by encouraging, developing and supporting Tasmanian screen practitioners. Wide Angle offers film screenings, masterclasses, residencies, venue and equipment hire. [wideangle.org.au](http://wideangle.org.au)

## BEYOND HOBART'S HEART

### ROSNY BARN

A multi-purpose, stone barn converted into an intimate arts venue in the cultural hub of Hobart's eastern shore, just 10 minutes from the city. [clarencesartsandevents.net](http://clarencesartsandevents.net)

### MONA

The world-renowned Museum of Old and New Art, is just a little further afield, north of the city in Berriedale. It's easily accessible by ferry to and from Hobart's Brooke Street Pier or the Mona Roma shuttle bus from the city. Mona's cinema, library and music events are also worth a visit. [mona.net.au](http://mona.net.au)

### MAC

Moonah Arts Centre is 15 minutes north of the city. Owned and operated by the Glenorchy City Council, MAC presents a full program of performances, exhibitions and more. [moonahartscentre.org.au](http://moonahartscentre.org.au)

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BACK: ART SITES – CoH Creative Hoarding Program, artwork by Robert O'Connor, image by Andrew Wilson; ARC, image supplied by Erth Visual and Physical

