



No need to hibernate this winter -
warm your soul with our list of
CREATIVE THINGS TO DO
DEC 2025 - MAR 2026

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CRAFT

Mouse & Sparrow Crochet Basket Workshop for beginners. £40
Sat 7th Dec 9:30am – 12:30pm . Great Bowden Village Hall

The Clay Collective Mini-Planter Workshop. £60.
24th Jan 3-5.30pm. 87 St Mary's Rd

The Paint Pottle Ceramic Clay workshops

- Snow Moon ceramic greenware globe lantern carving. £35. Sun 1st Feb 2026 2-4pm
 - 4 Week beginners clay course. £160. Thursday evenings starting 16th Feb 2026 7-9pm
- 65 St Mary's Rd.

Enterprise Club crafting activities led by the young people of the Enterprise Club. £1 - £8.

- 26 th February 5-8pm, The Village, Northampton Rd
- 21 st March 9am – 1.30pm, Harbourough Theatre, with Stand for Ukraine Coffee Morning
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HERITAGE

Harborough District Guided Walks - The Traditions of Christmas Guided Walk

9th and 10th Dec 2025 6.30-8.30pm

Mince pie and beverage from Duncan Murray Wines included. £15. Start from the Old Grammar School, The Square.

St Dionysius Church

- Outdoor Nativity Old Grammar School. FREE. 20th Dec 2025 2-3pm
- Christingle at the church. FREE 24th Dec 2025 4-5pm

CINEMA

Harborough Cinema, Harborough Theatre Church Square

- RBO presents The Nutcracker - Ballet on Screen. Classic Christmas ballet - 14th Dec 2-5pm. £14
- RBO presents La Traviata - 21st Jan 2026 7-9.30pm. £14
- RSC live broadcast of Hamlet - 25th Jan 2026 7-9.30pm. £14
- RBO presents Woolf Works - Ballet on Screen - 15th Feb 2026 2-5.30pm. £14
- RBO presents Giselle - Ballet on Screen - 8th March 2026 2-5.30pm. £14
- Turner & Constable Exhibition on Screen - 15th March 2026 7-9.30pm. £14

Harborough Film Producers Film Festival

24th January 7.00pm, £10

Market Harborough's inaugural Film Festival brings an evening of locally produced original short drama films including crime, comedy and the supernatural, all made by local film makers.

Market Harborough Theatre, Church Square

THEATRE

MH Drama Society presents The Birthday Party £10

10th - 13th Dec 2025 7.30-10pm.

Harborough Theatre, Church Square.

CULTURE

Harborough Culture Cafe Winter Season

- All Things Books! £7. 28th Jan 2026 7.30-9.30pm.
- Reappraised: Classic Films that Bombed with film tutor Kenton Hall, £7. 25th Feb 2026 7.30-9.30pm.

Louisa's Place 4 St Mary's Rd.

MUSIC

Harborough Blues at Louisas Place Northampton Rd

- **Washboard Resonators** - a ragtime street band meets a Hollywood musical £16 7th Jan 2026 7.30-10pm
- **Thomas Heppell** electrifying guitarist, soulful vocalist. £16 4th Feb 2026 7.30-10pm
- **Elsie Franklin and Francesca Shaw** - country blues, ragtime and jazz £16 4th March 2026 7.30-10pm

Acoustic Night at the Red Cow

5th Feb and 5th March 8-10.45pm Free.

First Thursday of the month up-stairs at the Red Cow for poetry, comedy and all kinds of music. Come along with ideas or songs or to just enjoy the relaxed atmosphere.

Red Cow Public House 59-60 High St

Songbirds Ladies Choir Christmas Concert

£7 6th Dec 2025 7.30-9.15pm

Market Harborough Methodist Church, Northampton Rd

Great Bowden Music Fest New Year's Day Concert : A Vienna Experience

£20. 1st Jan 2026 3.30-5pm

St Peter and St Paul Church, Great Bowden, Dingley Rd, Great Bowden

Market Harborough Orchestra Orchestra Concert – Lullabies and Legends

£12. 7th Feb 2026 7.30-9.45pm

Market Harborough Methodist Church, Northampton Rd.

Magic Voices

- Christmas with Magic Voices. 13th Dec 7-9.30pm. An informal concert of pop songs, musical medleys and solos. All proceeds go to Harborough Against Bullying. The Conservative Club, Fairfield Rd. Free.
- Magic Voices Contemporary Choir Spring Concert. 21st March 2026 7-9pm. Join us for an uplifting evening of songs and medleys from musicals past and present. Market Harborough Methodist Church, Northampton Rd. Free.

Phoenix Saxophone Orchestra Christmas Concert

13th Dec 2025 7-9pm. Featuring six different types of saxophone performing a variety of festive tunes along with pieces from light classical to pop, to jazz and big band favourites.

£12 including a glass of wine or soft drink. Desborough Library and Community Hub High Street Desborough, Northamptonshire NN14 2QS

MUSIC CONT.

BabyGigs

- **The Amazing BabyGigs Christmas Party** 20th Dec 2025 10.30-11.30am. Fun-filled concert for babies, young children and their families. Expect carols, traditional music, puppets and plenty of interaction! Methodist Church, Northampton Rd, from £6.50.
- **KoolGigs Family Concert.** 14th Feb 2026 10.30-11.15am. Valentine's Concert with singer Emma Trounson. Methodist Church, Northampton Rd. From £4.50

Harborough Jazz

- **Deelee Dube** - 14th Dec 2025 12.30-3pm. Golden voiced singer Deelee Dubé makes her first appearance at Harborough Jazz. Three Swans Hotel, 21 High Street. £17 (£15 for members).
- **Tony Kofi and the Organisation** - 11th Jan 2026 2.30 - 3.30pm. A celebration of the alto saxophone legend Lou Donaldson. Three Swans Hotel, 21 High St. £17 (£15 members).

Leicester Musical Memory Box

- **Accessible Dementia Friendly Christmas Songs & Carols.** 18th Dec 2025 2-3.30pm. St.Hugh's Church, Granville St. Supported by MH and Bowdens Charity and including seasonal refreshments FREE with donations welcome on the day. St.Hugh's Church, Granville St
- **Interactive music-based session** 15th Jan, 19th Feb and 19th Mar 2-26 10.30 am. £5 per session. Designed to stimulate and activate memory, welcoming people affected by dementia, loneliness and isolation. The Roebuck, Rockingham Road.

Harborough Singers A Celebration of Christmas

20th Dec 2025 7.30-9.30pm

St Dionysius Church, Church Square.

A festive evening of Christmas carols and seasonal readings. Reserved seats £18, unreserved £8.



MUSIC CONT.

MH Choral Society

- **The Manchester Carols and other Festive Music**

£15. 20th Dec 2025 7.30-9.30pm.

The main work features a retelling of the Christmas story (2009) bringing the meaning right up to date with libretto by former poet laureate Carol Ann Duffy with music by Sasha Johnston Manning. £15 inc programme and refreshments.

Market Harborough Methodist Church, Northampton Rd.

- **GLORIA! 2026 Spring Concert**

£15. 28th March 2026 7:30 pm

Choral Concert featuring two of the most uplifting and glorious praise works in the choral music catalogue.

Market Harborough Methodist Church, Northampton Rd.

To join the GLORIA choir please register at www.harboroughchoral.org – rehearsals start with our ‘Come and Sing’ event on 6th January 7.30 – 9.30pm.

The Harborough Collective Winter Chronicles

22nd Dec 2025 4pm and 7pm

The Congregational Church, Bowden Lane

‘A Christmas Carol’ by Candlelight - a spellbinding evening of music and storytelling inspired by Dickens’ much-loved tale and brought to life through David Le Page’s distinctive festive arrangements. Adults £20, accompanied under 18s £10, Family of 4 (2 adults + 2 children) £55

Louisa’s Place - live music and dance nights from local indie folk artists to house and disco . Running throughout the new year and into spring. Free.

Kontra Band (23rd Jan); It’s Zach (30th Jan); Danny G (31st Jan); DJ Gavlar (7th Feb); Open Mic (13th Feb); Khali (14th Feb); Rosa Duo (21st Feb); It’s Zach (27th Feb); Angel Heart (28th Feb); Rustic Dreams (7th Mar); Open Mic (13th Mar); Kontra Band (20th Mar); Chris Cave (21st Mar); It’s Zach (27th Mar); Georgia Lily (28th Mar)

OTHER

Harborough Welland U3A Christmas Extravaganza

8th Dec 2025 1 pm

Market Harborough Methodist Church, Northampton Rd.

Christmas entertainment and fare.

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