

Entrance Lobby

A selection of local crafts and visual arts which are available for sale or commission, including jewellery, cards and textiles.

Entrance Stairs and Gallery Bar

An exhibition of photography from local photographic societies and groups.

Assembly Studio

A mini art studio where everyone is invited to pick up a pencil and have a go at drawing, assisted by local artists and teachers. An interesting selection of objects will be on display, to inspire hidden talent. All ages welcome!

Assembly Room

- An exhibition of artworks by local primary and secondary schools, based on their interpretation of the local environment. Many of these have been specially undertaken for The Big Project, and showcase the wealth of young artistic talent in our community.
- Displays by local arts groups showing some of their members' works.

Outside in Market Area

Balloon modeller Mark Hinton creates amazing balloon designs.

Creative St Albans has been formed to promote communication between individuals and groups who are involved in the arts in St Albans and District. The group aims to represent all the arts, and hopes to make them accessible to everyone, by becoming

A Voice for the Arts.

The Big Project 2010 is our first event.



*The Old Town
Hall, St Albans
Saturday 18
September 2010*

What's On Where

The Cells

- **11am – 5pm, every hour on the hour** **Film screenings**
A selection of shorts, animations and trailers presented by Adder Films. Made by young film makers, undergraduate film students from University of Hertfordshire and other contributors.
Free ticketed event, numbers limited. Tickets available from desk in upstairs foyer.

The Court Room

- **12.30 – 1pm & 3.30 – 4pm** **Regina v Cooper**
Commissioned specially by Creative St Albans for The Big Project, this intriguing legal drama by Katie McCullough will challenge your ideas and preconceptions about life, death and murder. Is it wrong to kill slugs? You be the judge...
- **1.30 – 2pm** **Redbourn Folk Club**
A selection of folk songs presented by a popular local group.
- **2.30 – 3pm** **Vinnie Gibbons**
A performance poet whose work covers local and topical subjects. Come and enjoy Vinnie's presentation of some of his own poems which are both humorous and edgy.

Assembly Main Stage

- **11 – 11.30am** **Dumi Senda**
Pulsating African drums will bring the Assembly Room to life, getting toes tapping and hearts pounding to the rhythm.
- **11.30am – 12 noon** **Drama Llamas**
Storytelling and activities for pre-school children.
- **12 noon – 12.30pm** **Your Call Is Important**
Breakaway Theatre presents the premiere of a new play.
- **12.30 – 1pm** **Pete Johnson**
Local author will be talking about his latest book.
- **1 – 1.30pm** **King Alfred's Cakes**
Three musicians playing a diverse collection of instrumental music from around the world, with intricate harmonies, countermelodies and accompaniments, ranging from the hauntingly atmospheric to the rhythmically energetic.
- **1.30, 2.30, 3.30 & 4.30** **Story telling**
Fascinating stories to entertain old and young alike.
- **2 – 2.30pm** **Herts Philharmonia**
Presenting a Mozart flute quartet and a Gershwin medley.
- **3 – 3.30pm** **Folk Musicians**
Popular local folk musicians who play regularly at the White Lion pub.
- **4 – 4.30pm** **Act Now!**
Grade 8 pupils from this local drama school will present their examination piece which achieved 100% in Trinity Guildhall exams this summer.
- **5 – 5.30pm** **Melodious Mums**
A group of mums who drink, lunch and sing together, laughing and having fun, will be singing calypso, madrigals and other songs.

What's On When

- 10.30 Assembly Studio** David Bennett, illustrator
- 11.00 Assembly Stage Cells** Dumi Senda, African drums
Film screenings
- 11.30 Assembly Stage** Drama Llamas pre-school storytelling
- 12.00 Assembly Stage Cells** Breakaway Theatre, Your Call Is Important
Film screenings
- 12.30 Assembly Stage Court Room** Pete Johnson, local author
Regina v Cooper, courtroom drama
- 1.00 Assembly Stage Cells** King Alfred's Cakes, instrumental
Film screenings
- 1.30 Assembly Stage Court Room** Story telling
Redbourn Folk Club
- 2.00 Assembly Stage Cells** Herts Philharmonia
Film screenings
- 2.30 Assembly Stage Court Room** Story telling
Vinnie Gibbons, performance poet
- 3.00 Assembly Stage Cells** Folk Musicians
Film screenings
- 3.30 Assembly Stage Court Room** Story telling
Regina v Cooper, courtroom drama
- 4.00 Assembly Stage Cells** Act Now! Performing Arts
Film screenings
- 4.30 Assembly Stage** Story telling
- 5.00 Assembly Stage Cells** Melodious Mums
Film screenings