

The Ardhowen

SUMMER

2026

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

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The Ardhowen

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Monday-Saturday: 9:30am - 4:30pm
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Summer At A Glance

May

Friday 01 May	5.30pm & 6.30pm	Ardhowen Dance Academy
Friday 01 May	8pm	Cash Returns – The Man in Black
Saturday 02 May	8pm	Rock Revival – Rocks biggest Anthems, Live and loud!
Saturday 02 May	10am - 12pm	Adult Drama Classes by TeaforTwo Theatre Company
Thursday 07 May	7pm	Adult Dance Fitness Class
Friday 08 May	5.30pm & 6.30pm	Ardhowen Dance Academy
Saturday 09 May	10am - 12pm	Adult Drama Classes by TeaforTwo Theatre Company
Thursday 14 May	7pm	Adult Dance Fitness Class
Friday 15 May	5.30pm & 6.30pm	Ardhowen Dance Academy
Saturday 16 May	10am - 12pm	Adult Drama Classes by TeaforTwo Theatre Company
Thursday & Friday 21 & 22 May	8pm	Derrylin Amateur Dramatic Society Presents: Calendar Girls
Thursday 21 May	7pm	Adult Dance Fitness Class
Friday 22 May	5.30pm & 6.30pm	Ardhowen Dance Academy
Saturday 23 May	10am - 12pm	Ardhowen Dance Academy (Performance Day)
Thursday 28 May	8pm	Noir Live in Concert
Thursday 28 May	7pm	Adult Dance Fitness Class
Saturday 30 May	8pm	Tim Mc Garry – The Height of Nonsense
Saturday 30 May	10am - 12pm	Adult Drama Classes by TeaforTwo Theatre Company

June

Wednesday 03 June	8pm	Summer Country with The Stars
Thursday 04 June	7pm	Adult Dance Fitness Class
Saturday 06 June	10am - 12pm	Adult Drama Classes by TeaforTwo Theatre Company
Friday 12 & Saturday 13 June	8pm	An Audience with Fermanagh BrightStarz
Thursday 18 June	8pm	The Highstool Prophets
Friday 19 June	8pm	Legends of the 60s Show
Thursday 25 & Friday 26 June	8pm	Knocks Drama Group Presents Family Affair
Saturday 27 June	8pm	The Illegals

July

Saturday 04 July	4.30pm & 7.30pm	Just Stage It Academy Presents Disney's High School Musical JR
Friday 10 July & Saturday 11 July	8pm	Tea For Two Theatre Company Presents A Night of Comedy Drama
Wednesday 15 - Friday 18 July	10am – 1pm	Pottery with Anna Mc Gurn (8 – 12 yrs)
Saturday 18 July	2.30pm	Wee Dan and The Mystery at Camp Windy bottom
Wednesday 22 July	10.30am & 1.30pm	Comic Art Masterclass with Kev F
Thursday 23 July	8pm	Fermanagh's Got Country
Friday 24 & Saturday 25 July	8pm	Belvoir Players Presents No Hope Here
Wednesday 29 July – Saturday 01 August	7.30pm	FSOMPA Present Sister Act Jr

August

Monday 03 – Thursday 06 August	9.30am to 1.30pm	Ardhwen Dance Academy: Summer Camp
Friday 07 & Saturday 08 August	8pm	Hollywood Players Presents Last of the Red-Hot Lovers by Neil Simon
Wednesday 12 - Saturday 15 August	3pm and 8pm	Fermanagh School of Music and Perming Arts Presents Back to the 80's!
Wednesday 19 August – Saturday 22 August	2pm and 8pm	FMT Presents Guys & Dolls
Friday 28 August	8pm	Icons of the 70's show
Saturday 29 August	8pm	Fermanagh Concert Band Presents: Sounds of the West



The Man in Black is back! Join us in celebrating the iconic music of Johnny & June featuring Europe's premier Johnny Cash – JP Mac. Karen Lyttle is the ever sassy and fantastic June Carter, along with their amazing cast of musicians and their very own 'Carter Sisters' on backing vocals.

Experience this high-octane performance that will take you through the years, picking out all the best songs from Johnny & June's back catalogue of iconic hits including: 'Jackson', 'Ring Of Fire', 'Hurt', 'Ghost Riders In The Sky', among many more!

Hotter than a pepper sprout, this much-revered show will take you right back to the magic of the Grand Ole Opry and the fever-pitch atmosphere of the mess halls at Folsom Prison and San Quentin.



Date: Friday 01 May 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** £28.00 **Time:** 8pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke / Haze Machine

Rock Revival brings the thunder with high-octane classic rock anthems from the golden era of rock!

The anthemic energy of AC/DC and Def Leppard! The raw edge of Thin Lizzy and Metallica! The timeless sounds of Bon Jovi and Fleetwood Mac!

Rock Revival is the ultimate ticket back to rock's loudest, wildest days!

Date: Saturday 02 May 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** £23.50
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine

ROCK REVIVAL





Derrylin Amateur Dramatic Society
Presents

Calendar Girls

Ardhowen Theatre

Tim Firth's "Calendar Girls" brings to life the bittersweet and inspirational journey of a group of Yorkshire women who captured hearts globally with their unconventional method of raising money for cancer research. From the screen to the stage, every iteration of this story has resonated with audiences.

Calendar Girls is a heartwarming comedy based on the true story of members of a Yorkshire Women's Institute (WI), led by Chris and Annie, who pose "artistically nude" for a charity calendar to raise money for leukemia research following the premature death of Annie's husband John.

The original project led by Angela Baker (1999) raised over £6 million. It is a story of friendship, love and community, celebrating the glorious nature of mature women.

Derrylin Amateur Dramatic Society are delighted that SWELL Fermanagh Cancer Support Charity, will be the recipients of their fundraising production. We would like to highlight this amazing voluntary managed service being provided in Fermanagh.

SWELL (Supported We Live Life) and their provision of "Social Medicine" consists of peer support and advice, a lifeline for individuals and families affected by cancer.

Directed by Debbie Murphy

Date: Thursday 21 & Friday 22 May 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** £15.00
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions: Nudity

ONÓIR



Contemporary Irish folk group Onóir formed in 2020, when Donegal musicians; Tom McHugh, Declan Gaughan, Deane Connaghan, and Diarmaid McGee, joined forces to create a contemporary version of the famous Irish folk ballad; "The Auld Triangle". The video went on to be seen by over 3 million people worldwide.

These talented musicians with distinctive vocal styles are setting new standards with incredible musical arrangements and harmonies that mark them out as unique.

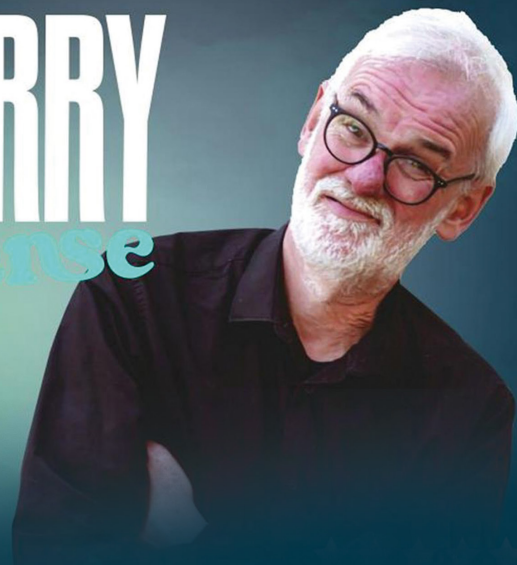
Onóir are selling out venues in record time as their impassioned audiences are taken on a musical odyssey.

From their new take on traditional Irish ballads all the way through to up-tempo modern Irish classics. From tears to laughter, enjoy the onstage chemistry, excitement, and banter in a show not to be missed.

Date: Thursday 28 May 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** £30.00
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions: Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine

TIM MCGARRY

the Height of Nonsense



Date: Saturday 30 May 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** £25.00
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
Strong Language / Adult Humour

Tim McGarry is back on the road with his brand-new solo stand up show The Height of Nonsense. Following the huge success of his Ridiculous tour, Tim has now reached a stage in life where he couldn't give a f...flying monkeys.

Concerned about the state of the world? Worried you don't have enough Tik Tok followers and that Netflix may finally run out of true crimes? Don't panic! Instead let a veteran 6-foot 4 comedian reassure you that there's nothing to worry about – it's all nonsense. So, we may as well just relax and have a good laugh.

Tim is well known and loved as the host of BBCNI's The Blame Game, star of Give My Head Peace and co-presenter of The Long and the Short of It.

"Packed full of beautifully crafted jokes and stories all delivered with mischief and skill. Tim is a great comic and an expert blackmailer"

- Neil Delamere



SUMMER COUNTRY WITH THE STARS!



6 SUPER ACTS ALL ON ONE SHOW!



A huge night of country music is coming to the Ardhowen Theatre, Enniskillen on Wednesday 3rd June 2026, as the ever-popular Summer Country With The Stars tour rolls into town!

Date: Wednesday 03 June 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** £28.00
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine

This high-energy show brings together six top performers for one unforgettable evening, including the legendary Declan Nerney, crowd favourites Mick Flavin and John McNicholl, the blue jean country Queen from Cavan Kathy Durkin, the brilliant Matt Leavy and Curtis Magee — all backed by the acclaimed Keltic Storm band.

Expect a packed night of hits, humour, and harmony, as these well-loved stars take to the stage in a celebration of Irish country music at its very best. With something for all ages, this is the perfect night out for fans old and new.



Audience with Fermanagh Bright Starz

A Night of Music, Dance & Entertainment. Join the talented performers of Fermanagh BrightStarz for an unforgettable evening celebrating the very best of musical theatre!

This lively and heart-warming production brings together a spectacular mix of iconic songs, energetic dance routines, and show-stopping performances that will have you tapping your feet and singing along. From powerful ensemble numbers to standout solo performances, the show features well known favourites for the audience. Expect a vibrant mix of song, dance, and theatrical storytelling, all brought to life by the amazing BrightStarz. A true celebration of local talent, an Audience With Fermanagh BrightStarz is more than just a show—it's a celebration of community, creativity, and confidence.

Every performer brings their own sparkle to the stage, making this a truly special event for all ages. Whether you're a lifelong musical theatre fan or simply looking for a fantastic night out, this feel-good show promises energy, laughter, and unforgettable moments. Come along, support local talent, and enjoy an evening full of the Brightest Starz giving you amazing performances from start to finish! Don't miss it!

Date: Friday 12 & Saturday 13 June 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £12.00 / £10.00 Concession
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine

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The Highstool Prophets

Known for their infectious energy & heartfelt performances, The Highstool Prophets bring audiences through a journey of foot stomping anthems & soulful ballads. Their live show takes you on a journey of folk and country with an infectious Irish twist. One of Ireland's busiest bands, they've shared the stage with the Wolfe Tones across massive venues around Ireland and the UK as well as appearing as very special guests for the 2 Johnnies at Dublin's 3Arena.

Date: Thursday 18 June 2026 **Venue:** Auditorium **Price:** £27.00 **Time:** 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions: Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine



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Following a sellout debut tour to nightly standing ovations and rave reviews. Join a multi award-winning all-star cast of musicians and singers Stephen, Raymond and Chris for the musical masterpiece that is the "Legends of the 60's Show".

The show with the ultimate feel-good factor will transport you all the way, hand clapping, swinging and singing back to that magical golden decade that was the 1960's. Whether you come to relive your childhood memories or you just simply want to see what your parents have been raving about for all these years, this is the No.1 live show to see.

Performing high quality tributes to icons like Elvis, The Beatles, The Monkeys, The Rolling Stones, Roy Orbison, Tom Jones, Cliff Richard, The Beach Boys and the Drifters - to name but a small few, all in one night. Let us deliver to you an entertaining musical live experience featuring over 40 iconic hit songs never to be forgotten!

Date: Friday 19 June 2026 **Venue:** Auditorium **Price:** £29.00 **Time:** 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions: Flashing Lights / Smoke / Haze Machine



★ LEGENDS OF THE 60'S SHOW! ★

THE ULTIMATE FEEL GOOD SHOW FROM THE GOLDEN ERA OF MUSIC



FAMILY AFFAIRS

by Knocks Drama Group



Written by
William Rocke

Directed by
Martin McManus
and Una Rice

Knocks Drama Group return to Ardhoven Theatre with Family Affairs! This fast-paced saucy comedy by William Rocke is sure to have you rolling in your seats!

Public relations exec & widower Gerard has it all... A luxury apartment, a discreet manservant, a studious son... and a lifestyle would make any man jealous!

Gerard's nightly flings are suddenly "flung" upside down when his brother Joe, a priest on the missions in Africa, suddenly announces his return home, having fulfilled his debt to society. Fed up of a life under the cloth, he's coming home to let loose and "join the swingin' Scene!!!"

Things go from bad to worse when Man-hungry Matilda comes calling to find out what Gerard has been up to with her daughter but soon sets her sights on the unsuspecting Fr. Joe, who has a surprise or two himself hidden up his sleeve!

Date: Thursday 25 & Friday 26 June 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £12.00 / £10.00 Concession
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Language: One use of profanity



THE ILLEGALS EAGLES AND FLEETWOOD MAC

This year The Illegals Celebrate 25 years as one of the best live bands around with their classic-rock tribute show to the music of Eagles and Fleetwood Mac.

Fronted by the fabulous Niamh Kavanagh, the illegals always put on a formidable show, digging deep into the Eagles and Fleetwood Mac back-catalogue's.

This entertaining three- hours of vocal harmony, superb musicianship, unforgettable songs and great fun is served up by the band at the top of its game.

Date: Saturday 27 June 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Full Price:** £20.00
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine



Disney



HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL



Just Stage It Academy presents Disney's High School Musical JR.

Get your head in the game and join us for a fun-filled, high-energy production of Disney Channel's smash-hit musical! Bursting with unforgettable songs, exciting dance numbers, and all the spirit of East High, Disney's High School Musical JR. is a show packed with heart, friendship, and plenty of Wildcats energy.

When basketball star Troy Bolton meets the clever and talented Gabriella Montez, their unexpected decision to audition for the school musical shakes up the social order at East High. As the Jocks, Brainiacs, Thespians, and Skater Dudes struggle to break free from the "status quo," friendships are tested, confidence is discovered, and everyone learns that being yourself is worth singing about.

Date: Saturday 04 July 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £15.00 **Child:** £13.50
Time: 4.30pm & 7.30pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine



TeaForTwo Theatre Company presents A Night of Comedy Drama!

An Evening of Laughter, Chaos & New Talent with TeaForTwo Theatre Company
TeaForTwo Theatre Company proudly presents a double bill of comedy that celebrates both the hilariously awkward side of everyday life and the gloriously farcical world of classic theatre, with two brilliant one-act plays!

2 Friends and Social Anxiety is an original piece that offers a warm, witty and painfully relatable look at two people navigating modern life while battling social anxiety. From awkward trips to the shops to the dread of parties and family encounters, even the simplest tasks become epic challenges. Tender, comedic and bursting with heart, this piece shines a light on the struggles many know all too well. Following this is the timeless farce Black Comedy by Peter Shaffer. Struggling sculptor Brindsley Miller and his fiancée Carol host a disastrous dinner party in hopes of impressing a wealthy art collector and Carol's overbearing father. When a blown fuse plunges the flat into darkness, chaos reigns. With borrowed furniture, surprise visitors, and the audience as the only ones who can "see" what's happening, the result is a whirlwind of misunderstandings, physical comedy and laugh-out-loud moments.

Founded by local theatre maker Ryan Moohan, TeaForTwo Theatre Company is dedicated to showcasing Fermanagh's talent while nurturing performers both new to the stage and seasoned alike. With experience spanning local productions, professional touring, and the Edinburgh Fringe, TeaForTwo is excited to bring fresh energy, creativity and community spirit to the spotlight. Join us for a night of heartfelt humour, classic comedy chaos, and the debut of a bold new theatre company.

Please note tickets are non-refundable.

Date: Friday 10 & Saturday 11 July 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £17.50 **Concession:** £15.00
Time: 8:00pm

WEEDAN

and The Mystery at

CAMP WINDYBOTTOM



Something smells funny at
at Camp Windybtom... **CONAL GALLEN** ★
& **RORY GALLEN**

AGES
6-13

From one of Ireland's best-loved comedy performers comes a brand-new laugh-out-loud stage adventure for the whole family.

Wee Dan and The Mystery at Camp Windybottom is written and produced by Conal Gallen and his son Rory. Creators of the best-selling children's novel Wee Dan's Big Adventure. The show delivers the big comedy moments audiences have come to expect from the Gallen name.

When Wee Dan arrives at Camp Windybottom, what should be a simple summer adventure quickly turns into a fast-paced mystery packed with outrageous characters, including unexpected twists and brilliant audience interaction. With Wee Dan and Eileen Sideways at the heart of the chaos, the laughs come thick and fast from start to finish.

This high-energy family comedy is guaranteed to have children aged 6–13 in fits of laughter — with more than enough sharp, clever humour to keep the grown-ups roaring too. Big laughs. Big characters. Big family day out.

Date: Saturday 18 July 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £14.50 **Family of 4 Ticket:** £52.00
Time: 2:30pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
Smoke / Haze Machine



FERMANAGHS GOT COUNTRY Show



11 SUPER ACTS ALL ON ONE SHOW

- THOMAS MAGUIRE & FHIONA ENNIS
- SHAUN LOUGHREY
- COUNTRY FEATURES
- RACHEL MCCONNELL
- VINCIE WALMSLEY
- SEANIE MAC
- MALCOLM MCDOWELL
- ANTHONY MCBRIEN
- KARL KIRKPATRICK
- PADDY TRACEY
- JOE MAHON

BACKING BAND COUNTRY HARMONY

COMPERE HUGO DUNCAN



Back by popular demand and following a sold-out show last year's "Fermanagh's Got Country" returns for another night off blistering toe tapping magic. Featuring a super line-up of 11 stars all on one stage that you won't want to miss.

The Stellar line-up includes Thomas Maguire and Fhiona Ennis, Shaun Loughrey, Country Features, Rachel McConnell, Vince Walmsley, Seanie Mac, Malcolm McDowell, Anthony McBrien, Karl Kirkpatrick, Paddy Tracey and Irvinestown's favourite son Joe Mahon who each will showcase their hit songs in the company of the great Country Harmony band.

Comperer on the night will be BBC radio Ulster's Hugo Duncan.

Date: Thursday 23 July 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £27.00
Time: 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke / Haze Machine

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Belvoir Players proudly present a high-energy Belfast comedy for Summer Tour 2026.

Rab Devlin has quietly profited for years from flipping houses under the Housing Executive's nose—until his wife places a newspaper ad that blows his cover spectacularly. To dodge trouble, Rab invents a story of paramilitary intimidation, only to find himself "protected" by loyalists, republicans and the RUC all at once. As each group arrives in disguise, Rab desperately tries to keep their identities hidden from one another. Misunderstandings multiply, tensions rise and chaos erupts in this sharp, hilarious farce where every lie backfires and escape seems impossible.

Date: Friday 24 & Saturday 25 July 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £18.00 **Time:** 8:00pm

NO HOPE HERE





Fermanagh School of Music and Performing Arts

PRESENTS

SISTER ACT JR.

Date: Wednesday 29 July 2026
to Saturday 1st August 2026
Venue: Auditorium
Full Price: £15.00 **Concession:** £13.00
Time: 7.30pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine

Fermanagh School of Music returns with their Junior Musical 'Sister Act Jr', based on the hit 1992 film and Tony-nominated Broadway musical, Sister Act JR. is the feelgood musical comedy that will have you jumping to their feet! Disco diva, Deloris Van Cartier, witnesses a murder, she is put in protective custody in the one place the cops are sure she won't be a found: a convent! Disguised as a nun, she finds herself at odds with both the rigid lifestyle and uptight Mother Superior

Filled with powerful gospel music, outrageous dancing, and a truly moving story, Sister Act JR. will leave audiences breathless. A sparkling tribute to the universal power of friendship, Sister Act JR. is a reason to REJOICE! Featuring original music by Alan Menken (Newsies, Beauty and the Beast, Little Shop of Horrors)

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HOLLYWOOD PLAYERS

PRESENT



LAST OF THE RED HOT LOVERS

BY NEIL SIMON



The Hollywood Players present Last of the Red-Hot Lovers, A Comedy by Neil Simon. Barney Cashman is a middle-aged, mild-mannered seafood restaurateur feeling the heat of a midlife crisis. With his mother's apartment as his unlikely hideaway, he decides it's finally time to add a little adventure to his life. Barney sets out to arrange a series of extramarital escapades, but quickly discovers that seduction is far more complicated, chaotic, and revealing than he ever imagined.

Neil Simon's sharp and affectionate comedy follows Barney's encounters with three very different women. What begins as a quest for excitement becomes a wonderfully human exploration of longing, identity, and the messy business of trying to reinvent yourself. Premiering on Broadway in 1969. Last of the Red-Hot Lovers was celebrated for its wit, warmth, and Simon's uncanny ability to find truth in the most awkward of moments. A charming, funny, and unexpectedly touching story about desire, disappointment, and the hope for one last spark - this is Neil Simon at his most irresistibly human.

Date: Friday 07 & Saturday 08 August 2026 **Venue:** Auditorium **Full Price:** £16.00 **Time:** 8:00pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions: As this play was written in 1969 it reflects the attitudes and language of that period. Suitable for ages 12 plus. This production contains adult themes, including extramarital relationships and sexual innuendo. While not explicit, it may not be suitable for younger audiences. Parental discretion is advised.

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Fermanagh School of Music and Performing Arts

PRESENTS



BACK TO THE 80'S

...THE TOTALLY AWESOME MUSICAL!

12th - 15th August 2026
Ardhowen Theatre
Enniskillen

A journey back to a time when Michael Jackson and Rick Astley were the Kings of Pop... A journey back to a time when bubble skirts and blue eye shadow were cool... A journey back to a time when the Atari was cutting edge technology... That's right dudes...you are about to go on a journey...

Fermanagh School of Music Seniors presents: From the era that brought the world The Rubik's Cube, Max Headroom and The Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles comes this "totally awesome" musical in the style of movies such as Back To The Future, Ferris Bueller's Day Off, The Karate Kid and The Wedding Singer.

Join the graduating class of William Ocean High School as they live through their final senior year - as they experience the fun, the heartbreak, the loves and the loneliness of growing up.... all set to the biggest hits of the 80's!

Date: Wednesday 12 - Saturday 15 August 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Price:** Adult: £18.00,
Concession: £15.00 **Time:** 3pm and 8pm
Warnings/ Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine




GUIYS & Dolls

Following the success of their Easter production of GODSPELL, Fermanagh Musical Theatre return to Ardhowen this summer to present the classic Broadway hit Guys and Dolls.

Gambler Nathan Detroit tries to find the cash to set up the biggest craps game in town while the authorities breathe down his neck; meanwhile, his girlfriend Adelaide laments that they've been engaged for 14 years. Nathan turns to fellow gambler Sky Masterson for the dough, but Sky ends up chasing the straight-laced missionary Sarah Brown.

Guys and Dolls takes us from the heart of Times Square to the cafes of Havana, Cuba, and even into the sewers of New York City, but eventually everyone ends up right where they belong.

Date: Wednesday 19 - Saturday 22 August 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Full Price:** £16.00
Time: 2pm and 8pm
Warnings / Age Restrictions:
 Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine



LIVE ON STAGE
THE MUSIC OF THE
JACKSON 5
ABBA
QUEEN
EARTH WIND AND FIRE
BLONDIE
GLORIA GAYNOR
DIANA ROSS
THE BEE GEES
DONNA SUMMER
TINA TURNER
AND MANY MORE!

ICONS OF THE 70'S SHOW!

A SPECTACULAR TRIBUTE TO THE GREATEST MUSIC LEGENDS OF THE DECADE

Get ready to boogie down memory lane with the ultimate live celebration of a golden era in music! The electrifying Icons of the 70's Show! is rolling into town, bringing together an all-star cast to perform the unforgettable hits of the decade's biggest superstars — live on stage!

This high-energy concert experience is a dazzling tribute to the artists who defined a generation. Audiences will be treated to the timeless music of:

- The Jackson 5
- ABBA
- Queen
- Earth, Wind & Fire
- Blondie
- Gloria Gaynor
- Diana Ross
- The Bee Gees
- Donna Summer
- Tina Turner
- ...and many more!

Featuring dazzling costumes, stunning visuals, and pitch-perfect renditions of your favourite 70's anthems, this show is a non-stop dance party that will leave you singing, grooving, and wanting more. Whether you're a disco devotee, a rock 'n' roll rebel, or just love the funk, Icons of the 70's Show! promises a nostalgic, feel-good night for fans of all ages.

Don't miss this must-see musical extravaganza celebrating the legends, the fashion, and the iconic sound of the 1970s.

Icons of the 70's Show! — Where the past comes alive and the music never stops.

Date: Friday 28 August 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Full Price:** £27.50
Time: 8:00pm **Warnings / Age Restrictions:** Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine



Sounds of the West Concert Band MUSIC FOR ALL

Sounds of the West Concert Band invite you to an exuberant evening of musical entertainment. Join this unique group of musicians united across the border by a love of performance.

Fermanagh and Sligo Concert Bands come together in Sounds of the West to present an eclectic celebration of the joy of music. The Band will play a selection of widely loved jazz, contemporary and Irish standards, all delivered in the rich tones of woodwind and brass

The Band will be joined by special guest's, singer Farrah Bogle and the The Buoy's of Ballisodare. Farrah will lend her beautiful mellifluous voice to some classic Irish and jazz melodies, whilst The Buoy's of Ballisodare will enthrall with a scintillating selection of salty sea shanties. Sounds of the West Concert Band promise an evening most certainly not to be missed.

This event is generously supported by the Shared Island Civic Society Fund.



BUOYS OF BALLISODARE



FARRAH BOGLE



An Roinn Gnóthaí
Eachtracha agus Trádála
 Department of
 Foreign Affairs and Trade

Date: Saturday 29 August 2026
Venue: Auditorium **Full Price:** £15.00
Time: 8:00pm **Warnings / Age Restrictions:** Flashing Lights, Smoke/Haze Machine

The Perfect Gift – Ardhowen Gift Vouchers

An Ardhowen gift voucher is the ideal present for any occasion. Vouchers can be used towards tickets for all performances and workshops sold by The Ardhowen.

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The Ardhowen

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Pottery with Anna Mc Gurn (8 – 12 yrs)

Date: Wednesday 15 - Friday 17 July 2026
Time: 10:00am - 1:00pm **Ages:** 8-12 yrs
Space: Studio **Price:** £80.00



Let your child's creativity come to life this summer in a fun, hands-on pottery workshop with acclaimed ceramicist Anna McGurn. Over three inspiring mornings, young makers will learn the basics of pottery — from shaping and sculpting to decorating their own unique pieces. New friendships and skills are awaiting your youngsters!

All materials are provided — just bring a snack, a drink, and a sense of adventure. Limited spaces available — early booking recommended.

3-day workshop: 15th, 16th and 17th July. 10am to 1pm.





Comic Art Masterclass with Kev F (7 to 11 yrs)

Kev F Sutherland writes and draws for The Beano, Doctor Who and Marvel comics, and now he'll teach you how easy it is. After the end of a Comic Art Masterclass, everyone goes away with a comic containing a strip by everyone in the class plus an individual caricature by Kev F. Learn everything he knows, so you could leave school and steal his job! All materials are supplied.

Date: Wednesday 22 July 2026
Time: 10am - 12pm **Ages:** 7 to 11 year olds
Space: Studio **Price:** £25.00

Comic Art Masterclass with Kev F (12 to 16 yrs)

Kev F Sutherland writes and draws for The Beano, Doctor Who and Marvel comics, and now he'll teach you how easy it is. After the end of a Comic Art Masterclass, everyone goes away with a comic containing a strip by everyone in the class plus an individual caricature by Kev F. Learn everything he knows, so you could leave school and steal his job! All materials are supplied.

Date: Wednesday 22 July 2026
Time: 1.30pm to 3.30pm **Ages:** 12 - 16 year olds
Space: Studio **Price:** £25.00

Ardhowen Dance Academy: Summer Camp



Date: Monday 03 - Thursday 06 August 2026
Time: 9:30am - 1:30pm **Ages:** 7-11 yrs
Space: Studio **Price:** £25 each day

Get ready to move, groove, and shine this summer at Ardhowen Dance Academy. Perfect for energetic kids who love to dance, this exciting summer scheme is packed with fun routines, rhythm-building exercises, and confidence-boosting activities — all led by experienced instructor Shauneen Hamilton, a trained dancer in ballet, jazz, contemporary, and musical theatre. She's the choreographer behind productions for companies like Lakeland Players and Enniskillen Light Operatic.

It's the perfect chance for young dancers to stay active, meet new friends, and learn new skills to help them branch out into the world of theatre. Stay tuned and get ready to dance. Bring a snack and a drink!

We advise booking all 4 days in advance if you know you will be attending them all.

Please Note: *Children should bring a snack and drink each day.*

Adult Dance Fitness Class (6 Week Course)

Date: Thursday 30 April - Thursday 04 June 2026
Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm **Ages:** Adults Class
Space: Studio **Price:** £40 for full 6-week course
or £10 Drop in *Subject to Availability

Join experienced local choreographer and dance teacher Shauneen Hamilton for a fun and energising 6-week adult dance fitness course at Ardhowen Theatre.

Shauneen's previous classes have been extremely popular, and she is now bringing her dance fitness sessions to The Ardhowen Theatre for the first time. Designed to suit all ages and fitness levels, these classes combine movement, music and technique in a relaxed and welcoming environment.

Over the six weeks, participants will explore a variety of dance styles while learning new skills and techniques. The classes offer a great way to stay active, boost physical and mental wellbeing, and enjoy the social side of dancing.



Adult Drama Classes by Tea for Two

Are you wanting to get involved in Drama but don't know how? Do you want to de-rust your skills? Or would you simply like to expand your current repertoire? Well then TeaForTwo's "Introduction to Drama" is just what you need! Over 6 weeks, TeaForTwo's Ryan Moohan (Liverpool Hope, ICMT) will help give you the tools to get yourself up and going in the world of Drama. From getting the most out of your script, building a character, and various techniques to take a piece from the page to the stage, this beginner course will give you everything you need to get started, and let you practise in a safe, secure environment with people just like you.

From beginners to pros, Ryan promises that there is something for everyone in this class, and that it will prepare you for more advanced classes in the coming weeks and months, as and when you need them.

Focusing on people who are 18+, Ryan hopes to draw in people who have maybe struggled to get involved in Drama from lack of experience or lack of confidence, or who have been away from the stage for some time, and prove that it's never the wrong time to pursue what you love.

Date: Saturday 02 May 2026 for 6 weeks
Time: 10am - 12pm
Price: £12 per week or £60 for all 6 weeks



Book Online | www.ardhowen.com

Spaces for Hire at The Ardhowen



Nestled on the picturesque shores of Lough Erne in Enniskillen, The Ardhowen offers a unique and historic setting to host your event. With its charming listed architecture and stunning views, it provides an inspiring location for a variety of occasions.

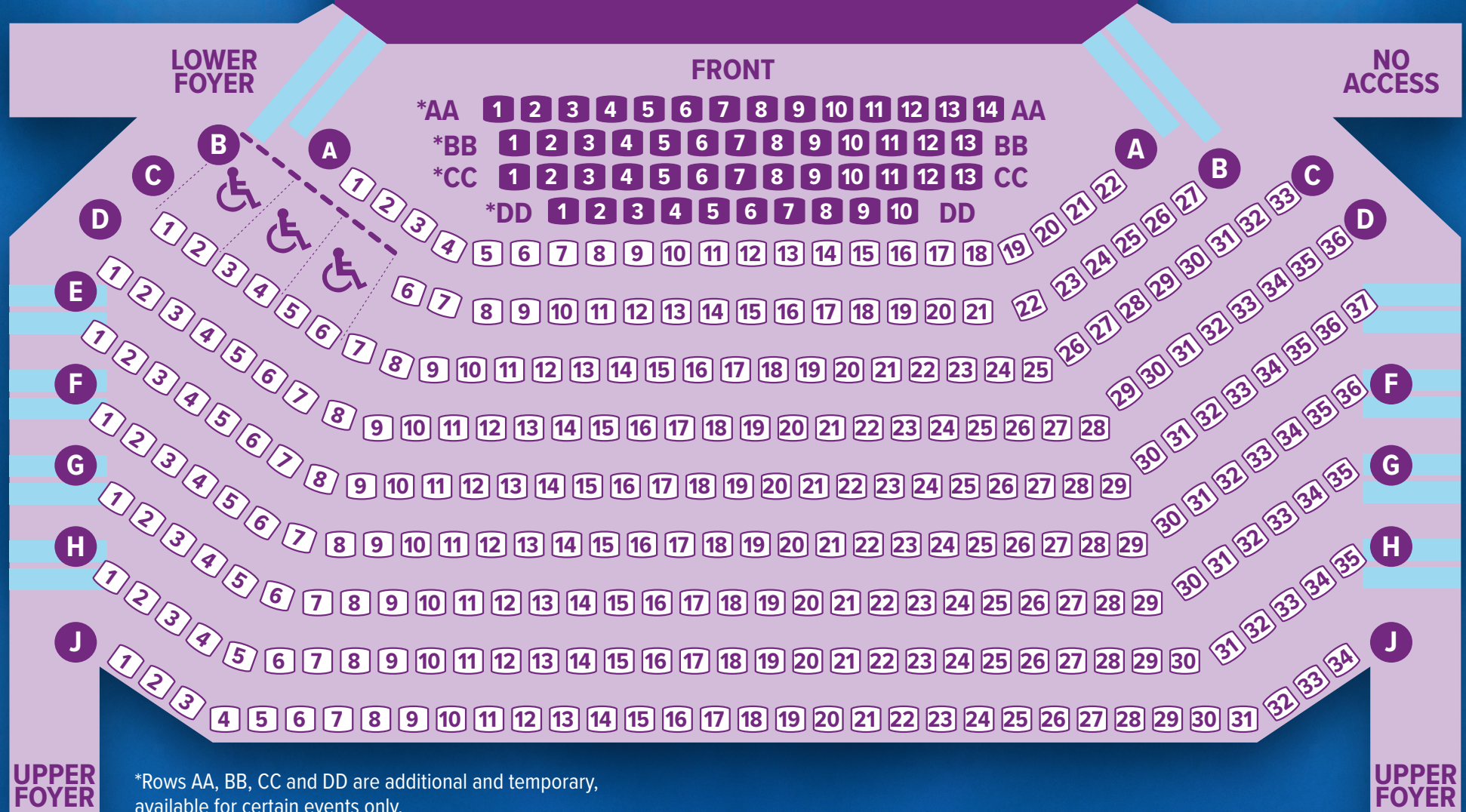
The Ardhowen features a 290-seat auditorium, a versatile studio space, and a gallery bar, making it ideal for performances, meetings, workshops, or private functions. On-site car parking adds convenience for visitors.

Our team is happy to discuss any specific requirements you may have to help ensure a positive experience for your event.

For more information on venue hire email: ardhowen@fermanaghmagh.com

Box Office | 028 6632 5440

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*Rows AA, BB, CC and DD are additional and temporary, available for certain events only.

PLEASE NOTE In the event of the extra seats becoming available; the additional seats may restrict the view in Row A.

General Information

Payment Methods

Tickets can be purchased using cash and major credit/debit cards over the counter; in person or over the phone. Proof of identification may be required when collecting pre-paid tickets. A printed email confirmation must be presented in order to collect tickets purchased on-line.

Data Protection Act

The Ardhowen team would like to contact you about our exciting programme of performances, workshops and special offers. If you wish to receive information from us we will ask you for your consent at the time of booking, you can change your mind at any time. For more details on how your information is stored and used please visit our website at www.ardhowen.com

Accessibility Information

Wheelchair spaces are available but can only be booked via Box Office. A limited number of designated "Blue Badge" car parking spaces are available. When booking tickets please notify staff of any special requirements or assistance you may need.

Personal Assistance Support Scheme

People who have a disability and who require the assistance of a companion in order to attend the venue are entitled to a complimentary PASS ticket for their companion, however these tickets are subject to availability and may not be available for all shows. The person with a disability must first register their details with The Ardhowen before the personal assistance support scheme can be availed of, please contact Box Office for a registration form.

Some programmed events have been brought in from an independent organisation. The Ardhowen concessions, discounts, and Personal Assistance Support Scheme may not be applicable as the Promoters of these events have the right to determine the number of PASS Scheme tickets available at each performance. Box Office will allocate PASS tickets on a first-come-first-served basis until the maximum number allocated is reached.

General Terms and Conditions

Patrons are advised that tickets / classes / workshops cannot be refunded, transferred or exchanged. Inclement Weather Conditions; if the event is presented as scheduled, we are contractually obligated to pay the performers; therefore, we are unable to offer refunds. The Ardhowen reserves the right to offer special discounted ticket prices at any time. The use of cameras or recording equipment (visual and audio) is strictly prohibited in Ardhowen. Mobile phones must be switched off during performances. Smoking and the use of e-cigarettes/vapes is not permitted in The Ardhowen. Event details are correct at the time of going to print. We reserve the right to alter the programme (including venue seating arrangements) in the event of unforeseen circumstances. A copy of the full terms and conditions is available from Box Office.

Latecomers

Ardhowen operates a strict start time policy. Therefore, latecomers will be required to wait for a suitable break for admission which may be the interval. If admitted, latecomers may be required to occupy alternative seats, subject to availability. Support Acts

For some performances a support act may precede the main act, particularly for popular music events. Whilst The Ardhowen endeavours to inform patrons about such support acts in advance on some occasions it may not be possible.

Admission Restrictions

The Ardhowen Management reserves the right to refuse admission to any person/s or to remove from the Venue any person/s who in their opinion is causing a nuisance / disruption or who may be a danger to themselves or others. No refunds will be offered to customers who are refused entry or rejected in such circumstances.

Attendance of Children and Babes in Arms

Everyone attending a performance including children and babies, must hold a valid ticket for that performance. Complimentary "Babes in Arms" tickets are available for children up to 12 months for designated children's performances only. For health and safety reasons baby carriers and prams will not be admitted into the auditorium. In the interests of everyone's enjoyment and safety parents / carers are requested to observe the recommended age guidelines for events. Children aged 14 and under must be accompanied by a parent /guardian attending performances.

Concessions

Where applicable, concession rates are detailed within the relevant performance information. Concession rates apply to people aged 18 years and under and to people aged 60 years and over. For concession tickets, photo identification may be required for proof of entitlement.

Discounts

When 10 tickets or more are purchased for a show, a 10% discount off the full price can be obtained when booking through the box office only.

Bar Opening Hours

The bar will be open 1 hour prior to a performance and during the interval. Interval drinks can be pre-ordered. For more information visit our website www.ardhowen.com or contact Box Office on 028 66325440

Parking

Parking at The Ardhowen can be in high demand, particularly for performances that sell out. For your safety and to support smooth access for all visitors:

- Please plan your journey and arrive early to allow plenty of time to park.
- Use designated car parks only. Roadside and pavement parking is not permitted, as it can be dangerous and may cause obstruction.
- If the theatre car park is full, alternative parking is available at Celtic Park, approximately a 5-minute walk from the venue. Click here for location of Celtic Park Car Park
- There are several large car parks in the grounds of The Ardhowen with specially designated Disabled Parking bays. Patrons are advised not to use The ArdhowenTheatre's wheelchair parking spaces unless entitled to do so, with their Blue Badge displayed prominently.
- A drop-off point is available at the theatre entrance for visitors with support requirements. During busy times, vehicles may not be able to exit promptly to park elsewhere, so early arrival is strongly advised.

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