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**Welcome Weekend Access information**

**Saturday 10 and Sunday 11 May 2025**

Here’s what to expect from the shows across the Welcome Weekend including information on seating and additional access provision.

Most of the shows across the weekend are brand new and have never been performed before, so some information may change.

If you have any questions about performances or access please do get in touch, on access@nnfestival.org.uk or 01603 531800 or ask volunteers or staff during the weekend.

**The Forum, Theatre Plain**

What 3 Words - random.short.flip

**Artist - Artizani**

**Show name - *Hydropunk***

Saturday, 1-6pm

Sunday, 11.30am-4.30pm

**Running Time** – Ongoing, drop in and play

**What to expect** - Interactive water sculptures which you can come and explore.

**Seating** – No seating at this location

**The Forum, Amphitheatre**

What 3 Words - spice.donor.soap

**Artist - Sadiq Ali Company**

**Show name - *Tell Me***

Saturday 1-1.45pm & 4.30-5.15pm

Sunday 11.30am-12.15pm & 2.15-3pm

**Running Time** – 45 minutes

**What to expect** - Chinese pole acrobatics, physical theatre and music. Suitable for people who are D/deaf or hard of hearing.

**Seating** - On The Forum steps. Accessible viewing area available outside Marzano.

**Artist - Jerry Tremblay**

Saturday 2.15-2.45pm, 4-4.30pm

**Running Time** – 30 minutes

**What to expect** – A one man absurd circus show, with some audience participation.

**Seating -** On The Forum steps. Accessible viewing area available outside Marzano..

**Artist - Stopgap Dance**

**Show name - *RO-TES - រទេះ***

Sunday 12.45-1.15pm & 3.30-4pm

**Running Time** – ****30 minutes

**Touch Tour** 12.15 & 3pm, 30 mins

**What to expect** - Dance performance

**Seating -** On The Forum steps. Accessible viewing area available outside Marzano.

**There will not be Audio Description as part of this show as previously advertised.**
Norfolk & Norwich Festival and Stopgap extend their apologies particularly to our visually impaired audiences for this change. Thank you for understanding as we work to get this important part of our work ready in the right way for you

**Haymarket**

What 3 Words - supply.vote.glad

**Artist - Company DHW**

**Show name - *Go Grandad Go!***

Saturday 1-1.30pm, 3-3.30pm & 5-5.30pm

**Running Time** – 30 minutes

**Touch Tour** 2.45pm, 15 mins

**What to expect** - A Hip hop dance show with integrated visual vernacular artist in performance team.
 (Visual vernacular is a form of artistic BSL interpretation developed by the BSL community).

**Seating –** There are benches on Haymarket.

**Artist - *ICHI***

Sunday 1-1.45pm & 3.15-4pm

**Running Time** – 45 minutes

**What to expect** - A one-man band with homemade instruments.

**Seating –** There are benches on Haymarket.

**Artist - Red Herring**

**Show name - *Silent Disco***

Sunday 11.45am-12.45pm & 2-3pm

**Running Time** – 1 hour

**What to expect** - Audiences wear headphones. A silent disco with a twist, lots of audience participation.

**Seating** - No seating as you’ll be dancing!

**Norwich Cathedral, Upper Close Green**

What 3 Words - pints.many.doors

**Artist - Levantes Dance Theatre**

**Show name - *Hug***

Saturday 1-1.30pm & 2.45-3.15pm

**Running Time** – 30 minutes

**What to expect** - An aerial dance and physical theatre show.

**Seating –** Backless bench seating. There will be an accessible viewing area available.

***Artist - ICHI***

Saturday 1.45-2.30pm & 4-4.45pm

**Running Time** – 45 minutes

**What to expect** - A one-man band with homemade instruments.

**Seating –** Backless bench seating.

**Artist - Red Herring**

**Show name - *Silent Disco***

Saturday 2.30-3.30pm & 5-6pm

**Running Time** – 30 minutes

**What to expect** - Audiences wear headphones. A silent disco with a twist, lots of audience participation.

**Seating** - No seating as you’ll be dancing!

**Norwich Cathedral, Lower Close Green**

What 3 Words - reward.putty.fault

**Artist - Tilly Ingram Theatre**

**Show name - *The Hide***

Saturday 1.45-2.15pm & 4-4.30pm

Sunday 12-12.30pm & 1.45-2.15pm

**Running Time** – 30 minutes

**What to expect** - Audiences wear headphones to experience this meditative birdwatching experience.

**Seating** – Backless bench seating and chairs.

**Tombland, by Ziziz**

What 3 Words - rugs.stored.third

**Artist - Mish Weaver**

**Show name - *Waiting Song***

****Saturday 1.30-1.45pm, 3.45-4pm, 5-5.15pm

**Touch Tour** 3.30pm, 15 minutes

****Sunday 11.30-11.45am, 1.15-1.30pm & 2.30-2.45pm

**Touch Tour** 2pm, 15 minutes

**Running Time** – 15 minutes

**What to expect** - Singing trapeze with optional audience participation.

**Seating** – Backless bench seating.

**Chapelfield Gardens**

What 3 Words - rating.truck.bowls

**Artist - Nandita Shankardass**

**Show name - *Roots to Rise***

****Saturday 2.30-3.10pm, 5-5.40pm

**Touch Tour** 4.45pm, 15 mins

**Running Time** – 40 minutes

**What to expect** - A dance-theatre performance which moves around Chapelfield Gardens with the audience following.

5 Audio Description headsets are available.

**Seating -** No seating as it’s a moving performance, there are some benches in the park if you wanted a quick rest.

**Motorcycle Park above Norwich Market**

What 3 Words - nearly.chained.tasty

**Artist - Theatre-Rites & Miguel Altunaga**

**Show name - *Eshu at the Crossroads***

Saturday 1.45-2.15pm, 3.30-4pm & 5.15-5.45pm

Sunday 12.15-12.45pm, 1.45-2.15pm & 4-4.30pm

**Running Time** – 30 minutes

**What to expect** - Dance and puppeteering.

**Seating –** Backless bench seating.

**Norwich Guildhall**

What 3 Words - wires.deals.fight

**Artist - Ian Douglas – Storyteller**

Saturday 1-3pm, 3.45-5.30pm

Sunday 11.30am-1.30pm, 2.10-4.10pm

**Running Time** – 15 minute story sessions every 20 minutes.

**What to expect** - Spoken Folk Tales and world myths. Suitable for those who are blind or partially sighted.

**Seating** – Chairs available.