

**Govanhill
International
Festival &
Carnival**
Programme

**2 - 14 August
2022**



Welcome!

The Govanhill International Festival and Carnival is back once again and this year we're arriving bigger and bolder than ever before. Now in our sixth year, we're thrilled to bring you a programme of events fusing together art, heritage and community activism. This two-week long showcase of music, talks, walks, film, art exhibitions and workshops is a testament to the amazing cultural, ethnic and religious diversity that exists right here in Govanhill. We're also delighted to be able to say that the Govanhill Parade and Carnival will be making a colourful return to the festival after last year's biggest turnout to date!

While the festival might have grown in scale and size over the years, at its heart, it will always be an anti-racist festival. Every year, we continue to celebrate the contributions that immigrants have made to Govanhill, showing that there is no room for racism in our community. Govanhill really is a neighbourhood unlike any other in Scotland; home to people of 40+ nationalities and 60+ languages. The richness of our flourishing arts and culture scene shows that our diversity and heritage is what makes Govanhill so unique and why we feel so proud to live here and call this community ours!

So, what's stopping you? Come and get stuck in and marvel at all that Govanhill has to offer!

Thank you to all our funders and partners who have made this year's festival possible! Your support has ensured that the festival remains as accessible and inclusive as possible with all events free unless otherwise stated.

Festival Partners



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Roma Genocide Memorial Day

Tue 02 August, 6:00pm

Poetry Rose Garden, Queen's Park

On this day, 78 years ago almost 4,000 Roma and Sinti were murdered in the gas chambers at Auschwitz-Birkenau during the Holocaust. Roma Genocide Remembrance Day was established internationally in 2015, and is commemorated every year to remember the atrocities of the past to ensure that they can never, ever happen again. We invite everyone to stand with us in commemoration, but also in resistance, and solidarity with Roma who are still being persecuted today. Join us in the Rose Garden for performances, speeches and remembrance.

Govanhill Book Festival

How Scottish Theatre Became World Class, Author Talk by Mark Brown

Wed 03 August, 6:00pm

Dixon Halls

Mark Brown – theatre critic, journalist, lecturer and author of the book *Modernism and Scottish Theatre Since 1969: A Revolution on Stage* – will discuss the renaissance of Scottish theatre over the last 50 years or so.



How Scottish Theatre became World Class

Loved and Lost 2 – Book Launch

Fri 05 August, 6:00pm

Dixon Halls

Join author and local historian Bruce Downie for the launch of a revised and expanded edition of *Loved and Lost: Govanhill's Built Heritage*, first published in 2019. The new edition includes several new chapters and more photographs.



Loved and Lost 2 - Book Launch

Politics, Poverty and the Police, Author Talk by Darren McGarvey and Donna McLean

Sun 07 August, 6:00 – 8:00pm

The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale St

Join Darren McGarvey, author of *The Social Distance Between Us: How Remote Politics Wrecked Britain* and Donna McLean, author of *'Small Town Girl: Love, Lies and the Undercover Police'* to discuss their new books and the place



Occupy! Occupy! Occupy! Graphic Novel Launch

of class and politics in their work.

Little Donegal, Author Talk by Colm Bryce

Sun 07 August, 12:00pm
The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale St

Author of an upcoming book about the Irish in Scotland, Colm Bryce will trace the various periods of Irish immigration from the famine/Gorta Mór years all the way up to the period of the war of Independence. Join us for this exciting look at the history of the Irish community and the cultural impact of their settlement in Scotland.

Occupy! Occupy! Occupy! Graphic Novel Launch

Govanhill Baths Archive in partnership with Magic Torch Comics
Fri 12 August, 4:00pm – 6:00pm
Glasgow Zine Library

2021 marked 20 years since the amazing occupation of Govanhill Baths by the Save Our Pool campaign. The celebrations culminated in a two-day conference which explored industrial, community, environmental and student occupations in the central belt of Scotland. The graphic novel presents material from all occupations featured in the conference: Squatting (1946); Upper Clyde Shipbuilders (1971); Lee Jeans (1981); Lovable Bra (1982); Plessey Capacitors (1982), Faslane (1982-ongoing); Timex (1983); Price Waterhouse (1984); Glasgow Sheriff Offices (1990); Stirling Park Sheriff Offices (1990); Caterpillar (1987); Pollok Free State (1994-1996); Netherton Primary (1996); Kinning Park Complex (1996); Govanhill Baths (2001); Free Hetherington (2011); Still Game For The Valley; Baile Hoose (2021).

Film Festival



Delivered by Glasgow Artists' Moving Images Studio (GAMIS)
Book online: bit.ly/GamisTickets

Glasgow Artists' Moving Image Studios (GAMIS) are partnering with Govanhill Baths once again to deliver an exciting programme of film and moving image to the people of Govanhill. This year they've put together their most ambitious programme yet – which will be announced very soon! Last year proved that there was an appetite for classic cinema, community programming and film in Govanhill. Make sure to come to the feast. Full programme available online soon!

The Microcinema

04 – 13 August
Location: to be announced!

We're delighted that screenings for the Film Festival will be held in not one but TWO venues. Introducing ... the Microcinema. The Microcinema will run screenings, talks and events in the daytime and evening throughout the festival. The GAMIS Working Group, will launch the new Microcinema with a full-day programme of screenings on August 4th. There will then be a whole host of events across the two-week extravaganza; with events and screenings programmed by Romano Lav (Roma Voice) and Feminist Exchange Network! We're also lucky enough to have Glasgow Southside based Finnish-British artist Hanna Tuulikki join us at the Micro Cinema for a screening of SEALS'KIN, (2022). Tuulikki will introduce her film and run a singing workshop as part of this event. This 19-minute short was GAMIS' first production project, recently screened at the Sydney Biennale.

The Bat. Lab.

11 – 14 August
49 Bankhall Street

The Bat. Lab is back! Fast becoming one of Govanhill's favourite spots, this outdoor cinema was inspired by a desire to bring film and moving image to new audiences outside the conventions of traditional cinema. This year is no different! GAMIS have been hard at work, collaborating with Rumpus Room, G42.pop ups and Glasgow Zine Library to offer up an inspiring and unique programme which is not to be missed!



Image: Zuj Bhatia

Carnival Parade



Anti-Racist Screen and Block Printing Workshop with Kengkeng

Carnival and Parade

Carnival Parade

Sat 06 August, 1:00pm
Assemble at 12.30pm, Govanhill Park

The famous Govanhill Carnival Parade is back for the fifth time – more colourful and vibrant than ever! This anti-racist celebration of pride, unity and the contributions immigrants have made to our community will once again weave its way from Govanhill Park.

Drummers, pipers, brass bands, jugglers, roller skaters, dancers and all the brilliant community groups are back. We'll be making noise and making ourselves heard as we make our way to Queen's Park where the Carnival will begin!

We can't wait to see you with your glad rags on. It's time for some dancing in the street! Individuals or groups wanting to join the parade, contact: carnival@govanhillbaths.com

Occupy! Occupy! Occupy! Banner Launch

On our 21st anniversary year, we are delighted to launch our beautiful banner by local artist Amelia Rowe celebrating the occupation of Govanhill Baths by the Save Our Pool campaign, 21st March - 7th August 2001. The longest occupation of a public building in British history! Keep your eyes peeled to spot it on the Carnival Parade.

Anti-Racist Screen and Block Printing Workshop with Kengkeng

Head on over and join local artist and activist Kengkeng at her pop-up stall at the Govanhill Carnival. Using a series of different block cutouts and designs you will be able to print slogans on t-shirts and signs to take away with you! Bring down any materials and fabrics you'd like to turn into an anti-racist statement for the world to see. This workshop is not to be missed!

Govanhill Carnival

Sat 06 August, 2:00 – 4:00pm
Queen's Park

After last year's biggest carnival yet, we're back again for the fifth time for a wonderful coming together of the community! And what a day we have in store for you! The Carnival will kick off at the Queen's Park and celebrate the spirit, strength and vibrancy of Govanhill with music,



Carnival Quiet Zone and Anti-Racist Zine Making Workshop

stalls, food and activities for all the family. We promise you a concert showcasing the incredible talent and culture which makes this city so unique. With art workshops, face painting, games, bouncy castles and much more to get involved in on the day – there's something for everyone! Community groups wanting a stall or to host an activity, please contact: carnival@govanhillbaths.com

Carnival Quiet Zone and Anti-Racist Zine Making Workshop

We will be running a Quiet Zone on the day of the Carnival. This will offer a peaceful alternative to the parade itself for those who still want to take part in the festivities.

Gather for some gentle colouring or zine-making, which will take inspiration from anti-racist action. Or simply have a rest in a calm environment, equipped with lower lighting and comfy seats. Anyone is welcome to visit the Quiet Zone, and a facilitator will be present at all times. For venue information, please see our website.

This is Not A Craft Market

This is Not a Craft Market will bring a number of local artists and makers together to sell their hand crafted pieces at the Carnival this year! With over 25 fantastic local makers, there will also be a chance to try your hand at our creative workshops which will be happening throughout the day over at the Market Stalls!



This is Not A Craft Market



The Unexpected – Analogue Photography Exhibition

'The Unexpected' – Analogue Photography Exhibition

08 – 13 August, 10:00am – 5:00pm
 Launch Event: 05 August, 6:00 – 9:00pm
 The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

'The Unexpected' is an analogue photography exhibition by photographer Martyna Maz that aims to celebrate the surprise aspect of image making. It is also a visual and poetic response to Albert Einstein's words about the delight and understanding of the miraculous nature of the world and existence of all that is.

The images encourage the viewer to broaden their perspective and to take notice of the wondrous events happening all around,

Art and Photography

whatever form or clarity they may appear in. By hand crafting the images in the self-built darkroom, the artist invites the flow of creativity and any happy mistakes that might occur.

FONDS: Objects Speak Louder Than Words

Greater Govanhill
 Fri 12 August
 For details: www.govanhillbaths.com/festival

What do the objects we're fond of tell us about the people of Govanhill?

Launching on August 12th, look out for striking images of ordinary things in an outside exhibition, and listen out for the accompanying radio show on Radio Buena Vida.

Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema

Thur 04 August, 5:30 – 7.00pm
 Fri 05 August 11:00am – 12.30pm
 Exhibition will be open to the public Fri 05 Aug 1:00 – 6:00pm and Sat 06 Aug 11:00am – 6:00pm
 Location: Kiosk

Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema will share a series of immersive sound pieces and audio stories exploring dream states. Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema is collaboratively devised by two of the Govanhill Baths Culture Collective Artists in Residence Ros Fraser and Mina Heydari-Waite. Dreamlands is an ongoing multimedia arts project led by Mina.

It weaves together images, objects, ideas and stories drawn from a series of workshops, activities and collaborations in an exploration of dreams as potential tools of resistance.

Ros Fraser's research explores the way sound impacts how we feel in our bodies, and how we can tap into more open and connected states through sound.

The Audio-Cinema will be a multi-language experience presenting audio pieces from across the world. The Audio-Cinema is possible thanks to Radio Atlas; an English-language home for subtitled audio from around the world.

Street Level Culture Collective – Govanhill

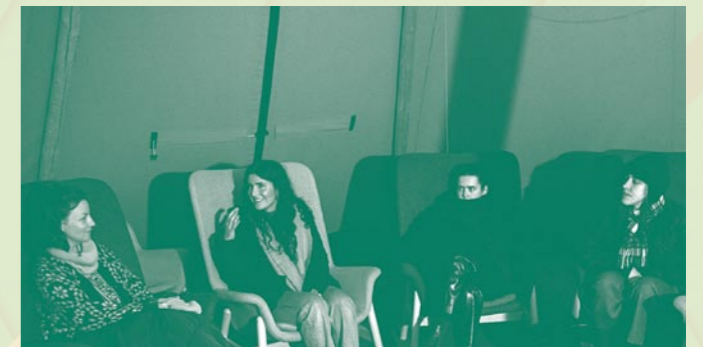
Thur 04 – Sun 28 August
 Gallery 103, Trongate 103, G1 5HD

Govanhill Culture Collective / Street Level Photoworks

This exhibition is a vibrant showcase featuring photographs and videos from a year-long collaborative, community-based artist residency programme developed by Street Level Photoworks, as part of Creative Scotland's



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Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema



Street Level Culture Collective - Govanhill

Image: 'Talkon' by Serena, Paulina & Dorota, 2022 (Inspiration taken from an original photograph by Bjorn Langhammer)



Ghost Signs of Glasgow Opening & Southside Map Launch

Culture Collective programme. Lead artist Morwenna Kearsley and support artist Alex Popa were based in Govanhill and developed opportunities for people to get involved in creative photography and video across the past 12 months.

Look for a set of limited-edition posters around Govanhill linked to the exhibition. For more information visit: www.streetlevelphotoworks.org

Ghost Signs of Glasgow Opening and Southside Map Launch

For dates and times see: www.govanhillbaths.com

The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

Ghost signs is an exciting project which tracks, researches and archives fast-disappearing signs around the city.

Ghost signs are vital to the fabric of Glasgow's urban landscape, fading signs that represent a business or establishment that no longer exists. Ghost Signs have been building an archive that will help us better understand the economic, architectural, social and cultural atmosphere of Glasgow to which these signs belong and then share it!

Ghost Signs have developed tours and maps spanning the city, to showcase the fascinating stories we have unearthed. With support from the Govanhill Baths Community Trust join us for the launch of new printed Southside maps, along with a preview of the Ghost Signs of Glasgow exhibition.

Dance Makes The Floor

Sat 13 August, 2:00 – 5:30pm

Various locations along Victoria Road

Govanhill Baths Culture Collective Artist Mark Bleakley has been working with artists and participants at Dixon Hall to develop an afternoon of dance and music that celebrates the power of coming together and the communities this creates.

Mark has been making a collectively built floor to bring to Victoria Road as a new public dance floor! Over the course of the day Mark and dancers and members of Dixon Hall will bring their dance floor from the bottom of Victoria Road to Radio Buena Vidas new venue at the top. Working with a group of dancers and members of Dixon Community they will dance, move and assemble the floor. The dance floor is many different things to different people.

The full program will be released closer to the date, noting different moments for the public to join to watch or take part in.



Dance Makes The Floor



Hannah Frank Exhibition

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02 – 14 August

Hannah Frank's iconic black and white drawings are resonant of the style and iconography of the Art Nouveau period. Prints of these famous artworks will be on display in much loved spots in Govanhill, so keep an eye out for announcements on our website and tag us on social media if you spot any of these beautiful prints.

Biography: In 1917 at the age of nine, Hannah Frank and her family moved from the Gorbals to 72 Dixon Avenue in Govanhill. Her father Charles Frank had opened a photographic and scientific apparatus shop in 1907 in the Saltmarket, Glasgow, which became one of the best known photographic centres in the city. Hannah Frank's drawings probably featured in every Glasgow student flat in the 1960s. Throughout a truly spectacular 75-year artistic career, her drawings and later bronze sculptures were exhibited in the Royal Academy, Royal Glasgow Institute, and Royal Scottish Academy

Talks

Cheers Govanhill with Peter Mohan

Wed 10 August, 6:00pm

Dixon Halls

Peter Mohan's semi-fictional Cheers Govanhill blog is a love letter to Glasgow's weirdest neighbourhood.

The author will be reading live from this untamed, lyrical take on an endlessly fascinating place, from 'the worst streets in Scotland' to the hipster apocalypse of coffee and artisan bakeries.

Featuring Rab fae Torrisdale Street, mad Tracy who torched her flat that time, and assorted muppets, rockets and midge rakers keeping it real. www.cheersgovanhill.home.blog

Tall Tales of Govanhill

10 August, 6:00 – 8:00pm

Bees Knees Cafe

Join us for a magical evening, celebrating the stories that make up our community. Storytellers from some of the different cultures of Govanhill will share their myths, legends, and tall, tall tales with you. This event is suitable for ages 12+ (under 16s need to be accompanied by an adult).

Éireann and I Archive – An archive of Black Life for Black Migrants in Ireland

Fri 12 August, 6:00 – 8:00pm

Milk Cafe

Presentation by Beulah Ezeugo, co-founder and director. Éireann and I is a community archive that chronicles stories centred around heritage, activism, and art. We are part of a growing movement of grassroots efforts from marginalised communities to collect and make accessible our own experiences outside of traditional archival institutions.

Local Histories

Thur 11 August, 6:00 – 8:00pm

The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

We're so excited to be joined by Peter Mortimer, Colin Mackie and Margaret Cochrane for an evening of storytelling and Scottish histories.



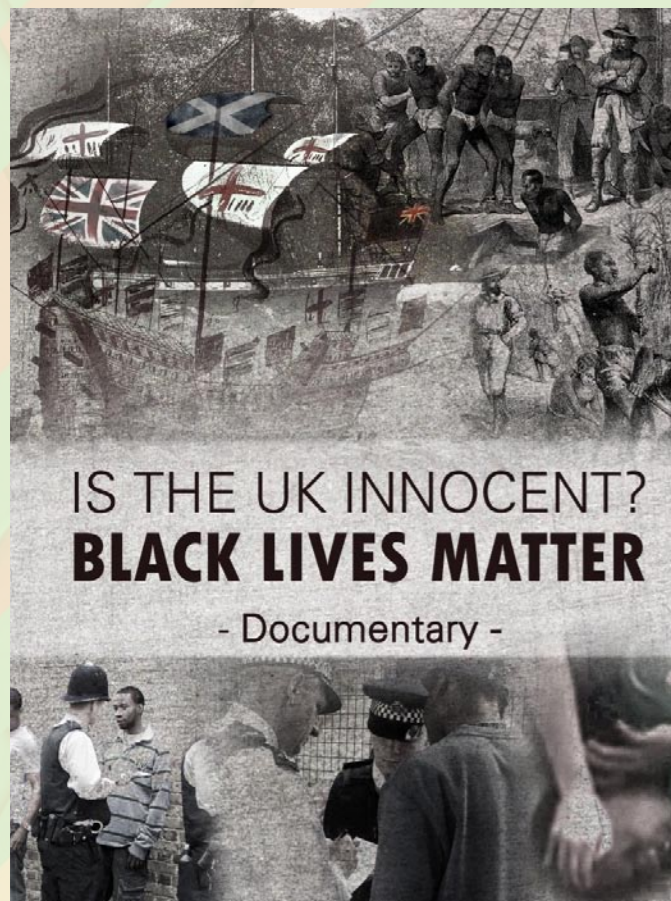
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Is the UK innocent - and do Black Lives Matter in Scotland?

Talks include: 'A Potted History Of Glasgow' by Peter Mortimer, The Southern Necropolis (Mental Meander with the Happy Reaper) by Colin Mackie and Exploring Your Irish Family Roots by Margaret Cochrane.

20 Years of Stop the War in Glasgow: The History of the Anti-war Movement in the City from Iraq to Ukraine

Stop the War Coalition
 Mon 08 August, 6:00pm
 The Rum Shack

Join us as we look through the history of the anti-war movement in Glasgow two decades on from the start of the 'War on Terror' which saw the invasions of Afghanistan and Iraq and growing Islamophobia. If you were part of this history at any point, or are worried about the rising war-mongering and militarisation in the world today, join us to discuss how it all began in 2001 and how Stop the War grew into the largest anti-war movement in the UK. We will also discuss how we can rebuild the anti-war forces today as the struggle against war and imperialism continues with Russia's invasion of Ukraine, Nato expansion and growing tensions between the US and China. The event will include an photographic exhibition of the anti-war movement's activities in Glasgow and the southside over the last 20 years.



From offshore detention to the Nationality and Borders Act

Yes Southside, Welcoming Refugees / Creating an Inclusive Scotland, Public Meeting

Wed 03 August, 7:00pm
 The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

Govanhill's local YES group (YES Southside) host a panel discussion with a Q & A on how Scotland can be a more welcoming place for refugees/asylum seekers, helping to create a vibrant, diverse and inclusive country. Inspired by last year's Kenmure Street direct action and as a reaction to the hostile climate created by the UK Government.

Free entry. No booking required.

Is the UK Innocent – and do Black Lives Matter in Scotland? A Documentary Screening and Q&A with the Director

Thur 04 August, 6:00pm
 The Rum Shack

Scottish premiere of the award-winning documentary. The documentary looks at Britain's role in the slave trade, colonialism and empire, and how the #BlackLivesMatter movement sparked by George Floyd's murder has transformed awareness around these issues including in Scotland.

The documentary will be introduced by director



Dying to Divorce, Screening + Discussion

Jose Maria Martinelli and it will be followed by a discussion of anti-racism in Scotland and how we can support the campaign for justice for Sheku Bayoh, whose family have called him 'Scotland's George Floyd'.

Maryhill Integration Network – "Hospitality vs Hostility – Nationality and Borders Act"

Tue 02 August, 6:30pm
 The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

Join members from MIN Voices group of Maryhill Integration Network to hear about their current campaigns.

You will hear from speakers about Right to Work, Right to Vote, Nationality and Borders Act and Access to Education. Come along to find out more and learn what you can do.

From Offshore Detention to the Nationality and Borders Act: Resisting the Hostile Environment and Fighting for Refugee Rights

Tues 09 August, 6:00pm
 The Rum Shack

The Nationality and Borders Act will remove the ability to claim asylum for all but those arriving via "legal" routes – less than one percent of the world's refugees. Clause 9 of the bill could mean around six million could be stripped of their British citizenship without warning.

Kenmure St or Nicholson Square have shown the defiant mood that something must be done – and that the Home Office can be defeated. From unions to communities – join us to discuss how we can build effective opposition to the government's racist offensive.

Dying to Divorce Screening + Discussion

Fri 12 August, 6:00pm
 The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

Filmed over five years, award-winning 'Dying To Divorce' takes viewers into the heart of Turkey's gender-based violence crisis and the recent political events that have severely eroded democratic freedoms.

Through intimately shot personal stories, the film gives a unique perspective on the struggle to be an independent woman in modern Turkey.

Nominated for British Independent Film Award Best Documentary, Longlisted for Bafta Best Debut Feature, UK Entry to Oscars 2021 Best International Feature.

The screening will be followed by a panel and audience discussion.

Content Warning

This film contains descriptions of domestic violence.



Ghost Signs of Glasgow



Walking Tour of Jewish Govanhill

"The Occupation of Childhood" - Sabine Muraker-Zeidan Talk

Mon 08 August, 7:00 – 8:15pm
The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

Every year, hundreds of Palestinian children are detained by Israeli authorities. They are the only children in the world who are systematically prosecuted through military, rather than civilian, courts. The most common charge is throwing stones – for which the maximum sentence is 20 years in prison. (Save the Children - Palestine)

Our photographic portrayals of childhood often involve notions of "sweetness" and "innocence". But can these qualities persist in a childhood under Occupation?

Sabine Mukarkar-Zeidan spends her life photographing children. The families that visit her studio usually like to preserve memories of their children untainted by the daily harassments of an occupying power. In this exhibition, however, she portrays the lives of Palestinian children beyond the confines of the studio, and poses the question: can innocence survive in a country where children are systematically oppressed by a brutal occupying power?



Third Lanark and Cathkin Park Walking Tour

Walks

Third Lanark and Cathkin Park Walking Tour

Wed 03 August, 12:30pm – 2.00pm
Cathkin Park, 58-82 Florida Ave
Meeting at Cathkin Pk (Cathcart Road Entrance)

Ever heard of Third Lanark Athletic Club, 2x Scottish Cup Winners, Scottish League Champions & Scottish League Cup Finalist? If you haven't heard of them or even if you are a Scottish football fanatic, this tour is for you. We will take a walk round the historic Cathkin Park and finish off with a Presentation at Dixon Halls where there will be Tea, Coffee, Snacks and more importantly a display of Memorabilia showing Third Lanark's 150 years history.

Ghost Signs of Glasgow

Sat 06 August 2:00 – 3:00pm, Fri 12 August 7:30 – 8:30pm, Sat 13 August 2:00 – 3:00pm

Meeting at The Deep End
Visit website book: www.govanhillbaths.com

Ghost Signs of Glasgow tracks down, researches and archives fast disappearing signs around the city and we have developed a new Southside walking tour as part of Govanhill International Festival that showcases the fascinating stories we have unearthed. Ghost Signs are vital to the fabric of Glasgow's urban landscape, it is a fading sign that represents a business or establishment that no longer exists. We have been building an archive that will help us better understand the economic, architectural, social and cultural atmosphere of Glasgow to which these signs belong and share it with you!

Walking Tour of Jewish Govanhill

Thur 11 August, 2:00 – 4:00pm
355 Langside Road, Booking for event essential

Jewish people have lived in Govanhill since the beginning of the 20th Century. This trail will trace the origins of Jewish settlement in the area, walking the streets where the Jewish community have lived, worked and played.

We'll visit the locations of Jewish youth groups, communal organisations, shops, businesses and, of course, synagogues.

The trail will be led by Harvey Kaplan and Fiona Brodie of the Scottish Jewish Archives Centre. Check out the website to book or contact festival@govanhillbaths.com

Events

Banner-Making Workshop with Kengkeng

Thur 04 August, 2:00 – 6.00pm
No booking required
The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street, Courtyard

Ahead of the Govanhill Parade and Carnival there will be a banner making workshop at the Deep End with artist and activist Kengkeng.

This will be a chance to get together and design, collage, sew and create banners that feel symbolic and reflective of your group and the community campaigns you are involved with.

We can't wait to see the powerful and beautiful banners you've made on full display on the Govanhill Carnival parade!

Celebrating Cultural Diversity Crossroads Youth and Community Association

Sat 13 August, 11:00am – 3.00pm
Barn Youth and Community Centre
37 Abbotsford Place

Crossroads track record spans six decades supporting local people to create positive change, stimulating community empowerment and contributing to the regeneration of the Gorbals and Govanhill. Please join us at our new venue for a celebration of the cultural diversity of the southside. People will come together to share elements of their culture through art, dialogue, song and dress.



Banner-Making Workshop with Kengkeng



Picnic in the Gardens (listing overleaf)

Storytelling Festival – Sky on A Hill

Thur 04 August, 4:00 – 7.30pm
Hidden Gardens (No Booking Required)

Join us for storytelling events for kids in the afternoon, followed by an evening of performances, readings, installations and workshops.

In creating opportunities to share and listen to contemporary folktales between community and artists; 'Sky of A Hill' aims to reframe the value of oral storytelling and its connection to place.

Visit www.govanhillbaths.com for times and locations or all storytelling events.

Roma Sisters Together!

Sun 07 August, 2:00 – 4:00pm
Govanhill Park

To mark the end of their 14-week wellbeing project 'Roma Sisters Together', Romano Lav are throwing a Roma fashion show party in the park!

The women will be strutting their stuff and showing off their incredible clothing and accessories that they've made, taking traditional Romani clothing and giving it a modern twist!

Featuring live music from local Roma musicians Opre Roma!

Community Meal

In collaboration with Kin Kitchen
Sun 07 August, 1:00 – 3:00pm

For details visit:
www.govanhillbaths.com/festival

Please join us to celebrate the growing that we have been doing in the Carfin Street Gardens this summer! We would like to invite residents and the wider community to get together to share a community meal and hear a series of talks centred around food growing and sustainability in Scotland. We'd like to thank Kin Kitchen for collaborating with us to provide the meal for this event.



Community Meal – Carfin Street Gardens

Women on Wheels

Govanhill Workspace, Unit 4, 69 Dixon Avenue,
G42 8AT

Women on Wheels, the new women's community cycling hub, has a whole host of events throughout the festival to check out! This passionate group of cyclists are encouraging local women and their families to get excited about cycling too! From Women's confidence-building cycles and beginners lessons to women's bike maintenance classes – you'll find lots of inspirational events to get you off the fence about cycling and into a saddle as part of Govanhill International Festival this year. All events are pay what you can. Book via: www.womenonwheels.org.uk/services

Women on Wheels Open Day

Mon 08 August, 9:30am – 2.30pm

Join Women on Wheels on Monday 8th for our Open Day. Drop in to chat about all things cycling over tea and coffee from 9:30am – 2.30pm. The day will also include beginners cycling lessons starting at 10:00am and 6:30pm with bikes and helmets provided £0-10. There will also be women's confidence-building cycles at 11:15am and 7:45pm £0-15. Everyone is welcome, whether you're a seasoned rider or a newbie. Booking is essential via website.



Women on Wheels

Women on Wheels Bike Maintenance Class

Thur 11 August, 6:30 – 9.00pm

For all you cycling lovers and those curious – come along and get together with other.

women to take part in this bike maintenance class where you will learn how to do roadside repairs! Bring your own bike! £0-£25.

Govanhill Community Market: Govanhill Food Stories

Sat 13 August, 12:00 – 4.00pm

Batson Street Laboratory (Bat.Lab.), Batson Street, Glasgow G42 8SL

Govanhill Food Stories edition of Govanhill Community Market, a new strand of the Govanhill International Festival and Carnival will celebrate Scotland's Year of Stories 2022. It will include talks, performances, a community food market and workshops exploring migration through sharing stories of the diverse communities that have made their home in Glasgow. The event will combine storytelling with a wide variety of ethnic food stalls from community organisations and food businesses from Govanhill. The event program includes food workshops and taster sessions, inviting people to share traditions around food preparations and celebrations. This project celebrates the power of food as a doorway to diversity of cultural perspectives and serves as a social connector. By celebrating our differences through the shared collective experience of a meal we open up new possibilities on ideas of belonging. One vibrant example of such opportunity for connection is the Eritrean coffee ceremony that will be facilitated by Unity Sisters during the event.

Our Rights, Our Communities project will explore the history of migration and colonialism through food and raising awareness of issues around refugee women and asylum seekers. The festival will feature a zine making workshop in collaboration with Glasgow Zine Library, open mic for music and spoken word performances



and story sharing by Povestry and Unity Sisters. Partners: Unity Sisters, Romano Lav, Milk Cafe, Nettle Collective, Povestry, Glasgow Zine Library, MILK Café, Kin Kitchen, Greater Govanhill Magazine, SWAP Market and many others.

Picnic in the Gardens

Sat 13 August, 1:30 – 4:00pm

The Hidden Gardens, 25A Albert Drive G41 2PE

After checking out the Govanhill Market Food Stories event at the bat.lab why not also head on over to the Hidden Gardens! Bring a picnic, a blanket and enjoy this fun-filled summer event! Hop on the smoothie bike to make your own drinks, visit the herb tea cafe, learn how to take cuttings of herbs to grow your own, discover useful plants, have a dance, find out how to reduce food waste, food miles and lots more! All activities are free and suitable for all ages.

Children's Festival

In partnership with Govanhill Development Trust and Govanhill Housing Association

All events will be held online. For details see: www.govanhillbaths.com

Govanhill's Got Talent!

Sat 06 August, 6:00pm

That's right, we're back with the cream of the crop from all corners of Govanhill! Grab the popcorn and prepare to be dazzled by dancers, singers, musicians, artists, magicians and the many other talents of Govanhill's youngsters – it's the hottest ticket in town!

Govanhill Gloop – Science time

Sun 07 August, 12:00pm

It's science and technology day at Govanhill Children's Festival. That means it's time for more mess and glooping. What a fun way to learn about science!

Great Govanhill Quiz

Mon 08 August, 11:00am

Join us for a fun-filled family quiz which will test your knowledge about our local community.

Govanhill Children's Book Festival

Tue 09 August – various times

Join us for a day of stories and learning as we are once again, joined by some of Scotland's most acclaimed Children's authors and young people's fiction writers. Suitable for all ages of children.

Workshops

A Wellbeing Manifesto

Sat 13 August, 12:00 – 4:00pm

For activity details and venue information, please see our website.

What do you think of when you hear 'Wellbeing'? Would you like to have a say in the activities we run? What are you most excited about doing when our building reopens? To have your say on these questions and more, join us for a fun and interactive manifesto-writing session. We will also be offering some drop-in taster sessions of Wellbeing activities, such as singing, crafts, and dance. No booking is necessary! Just come along on the day and join in.

Building Collective Power with Breathe

Thur 04 August, 6:00 – 7:30pm

The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street

We tell stories because it is easy to forget that we are not the first to suffer, resist, love and die. This session is about empowering community members and activists to build deep relationships based on trust and empathy, to create collective power for the long-term.

Street Music Festival

Sun 14 August

Love Music Hate Racism

Please see our website for full details of locations: www.govanhillbaths.com

The Govanhill Street Music Festival is back! Join us to celebrate the rich and diverse musical contributions from the artists of Govanhill.

This event showcases the wonderful musical heritage, talent and skill of top musicians and performers as they take to the streets once more to fill Govanhill with music. Now in its third year, the Street Music Festival has become one of the highlights of the festival programme; showing how music and culture can bring us all together as one community united against racism and xenophobia.

We need to be united to tackle racism and we need to be loud when we take a stand.

Come on down and join us to show that we are one of the most proudly anti-racist and multicultural communities in Glasgow – and have a dance and sing-a-long while you do it!

Love Music Hate Racism

Love Music Hate Racism is proud to host Govanhill Street Music Festival again in 2022. We're a group of artists and anti-racists organising in the city.

For 20 years we've passionately held the belief that music has the power to bring people together to party with a purpose.

We are inspired by the Rock Against Racism movement, a political and cultural phenomenon that helped defeat the Nazi National Front in the late 1970s.

We stand in that tradition of fighting back against all forms of racism, fascism, Islamophobia and xenophobia; using music as a unifying force to take a stand against racism. Join us!

An Edwardian Extravaganza!

What kind of music did people groove to in 1917? Which tunes might construction workers have been whistling as they put the finishing touches to the baths building? What musical traditions and cultures did new arrivals bring to the area 100 years ago?

To find out more, hear some wonderful music, and maybe join in yourself, come along to this musical celebration. This event is open to all ages (under 16s need to be accompanied by an adult)..



Street Music Festival

Festival Diary

Tuesday 2nd August

Roma Genocide Remembrance Day

Maryhill Integration Network – "Hospitality vs Hostility- Nationality and Borders Act"

Wednesday 3rd August

Third Lanark and Cathkin Park Walking Tour

How Scottish Theatre became World Class, Author Talk by Mark Brown

Yes Southside, "Welcoming Refugees / Creating an Inclusive Scotland," Public Meeting

Thursday 4th August

Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema

Storytelling Festival Sky on A Hill

Is the UK innocent – and do Black Lives Matter in Scotland?

Building Collective Power with Breathe

Street Level Culture Collective – Govanhill

Banner-Making Workshop with KengKeng

Friday 5th August

Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema

Loved and Lost 2 – Book Launch

Launch: 'The Unexpected' – Analogue Photography Exhibition

Saturday 6th August

Dreamlands: The Audio-Cinema

Govanhill Carnival

Carnival Parade

Occupy! Occupy! Occupy! Banner Launch

Anti-Racist Screen and Block Printing Workshop with KengKeng

Carnival Quiet Zone and Anti- Racist Zine Making Workshop

Saturday 6th August continued

This is Not A Craft Market
 Govanhill's Got Talent!
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Walking Tour

Sunday 7th August

Roma Sisters Together!
 Little Donegal, Author Talk by Colm Bryce
 Community Meal in collaboration with Kin Kitchen
 Govanhill Gloop – Science time
 Politics, Poverty and the Police, Author Talk with Darren McGarvey and Donna McLean

Monday 8th August

Ghost Signs of Glasgow Exhibition
 'The Unexpected' – Analogue Photography Exhibition
 Great Govanhill Quiz
 The Occupation of Childhood – Sabine Muraker-Zeidan Talk
 Women on Wheels Open Day
 20 years of Stop the War in Glasgow: the history of the anti-war movement in the city from Iraq to Ukraine

Tuesday 9th August

The Unexpected – Analogue Photography Exhibition
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Opening & Southside Map Launch
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Exhibition
 Govanhill Children's Book Festival
 From offshore detention to the Nationality & Borders Act: resisting the hostile environment & fighting for refugee rights

Wednesday 10th August

The Unexpected' – Analogue Photography Exhibition
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Exhibition
 Tall Tales of Govanhill
 Cheers Govanhill with Peter Mohan

Thursday 11th August

Women on Wheels Bike Maintenance Class
 The Unexpected' – Analogue Photography Exhibition
 Local Histories
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Exhibition
 Walking Tour of Jewish Govanhill

Friday 12th August

FONDS: Objects Speak Louder Than Words
 The Unexpected' – Analogue Photography Exhibition
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Exhibition
 Éireann and I Archive An archive of black life for Black migrants in Ireland
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Walking Tour
 Occupy! Occupy! Occupy! Graphic Novel Launch
 Dying to Divorce, Screening + Discussion

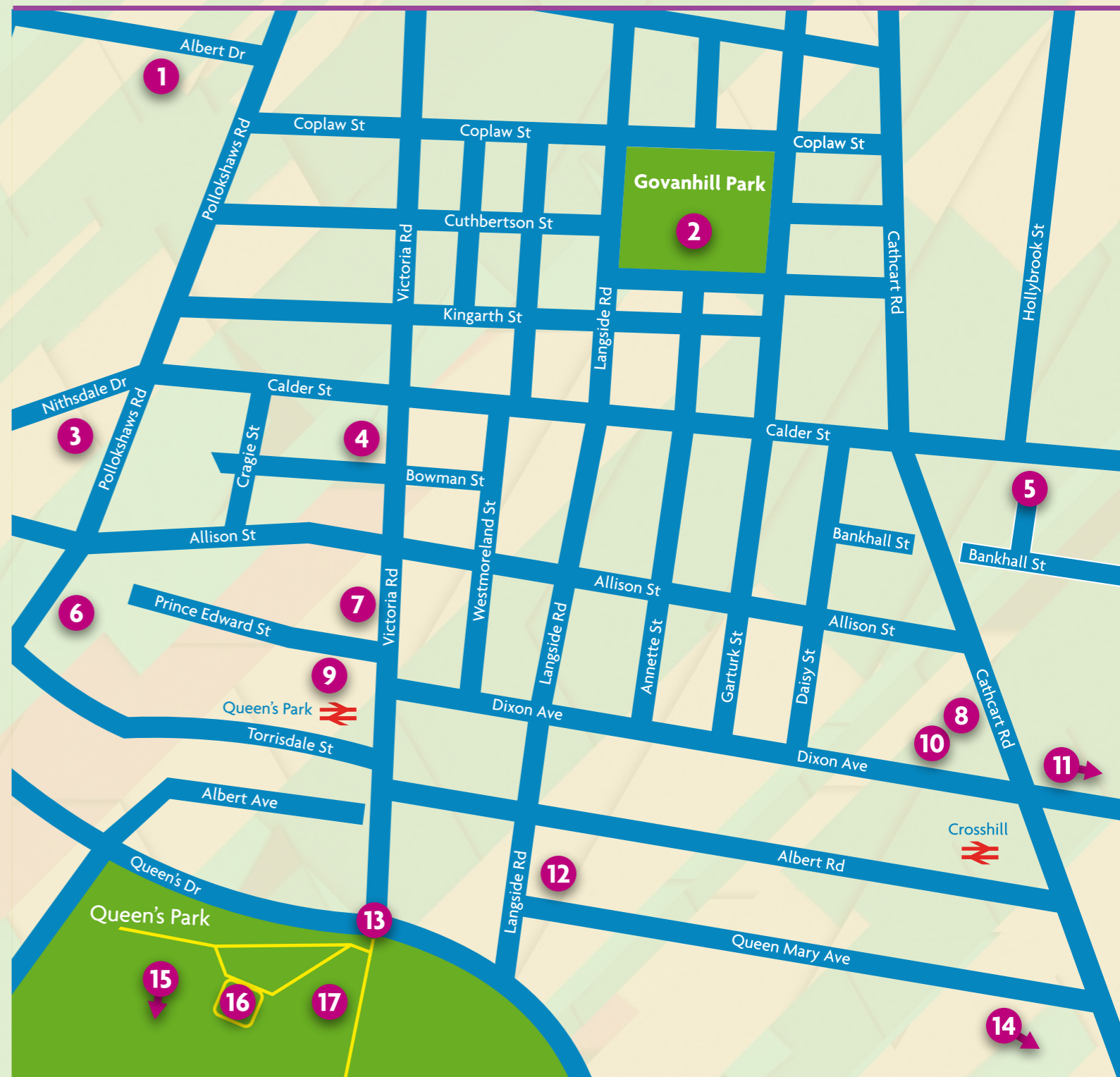
Saturday 13th August

The Unexpected – Analogue Photography Exhibition
 Dance Makes The Floor
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Exhibition
 Ghost Signs of Glasgow Walking Tour
 A Wellbeing Manifesto
 Picnic in the Gardens
 Govanhill Community Market: Govanhill Food Stories
 Celebrating Cultural Diversity

Sunday 14th August

Street Music Festival

Venue Map



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| 1 Hidden Gardens | 10 Women on Wheels, Dixon Halls
656 Cathcart Road |
| 2 Govanhill Park | 11 Women on Wheels, Unit 4, 69 Dixon Avenue |
| 3 The Deep End, 21 Nithsdale Street | 12 355 Langside Road |
| 4 Bees Knees Café | 13 Queen's Park Entrance (Victoria Road) |
| 5 Batson Street Laboratory | 14 Cathkin Park, 58 to 82 Florida Avenue |
| 6 The Rum Shack, 657 Pollokshaws Road | 15 Poetry Rose, Garden, 1 Langside Avenue |
| 7 Milk Café | 16 Queen's Park Arena |
| 8 Glasgow Zine Library, 636 Cathcart Road | 17 Queen's Park |
| 9 Kiosk, 25 Prince Edward Street | |



Celebrate Govanhill!

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