

**Activities at Newton Price Centre**

Classes include yoga, drumming, life coaching, hip hop, ballet, jazz, languages & more. Tel: 01923 233439 or visit: [www.n-p-c.btck.co.uk](http://www.n-p-c.btck.co.uk)

**Activities at Watford Palace Theatre**

Includes community choir for all. Tel: 01923 225671 or visit: [www.watfordpalacetheatre.co.uk](http://www.watfordpalacetheatre.co.uk)

**BaaBaa Babies**

Ages 0-5. Activity classes to exercise little minds & bodies. Tel: 07949 132517 or visit: [www.baabaababies.co.uk](http://www.baabaababies.co.uk)

**Creative Classes with The Dan Tien**

Evening classes for children & adults. Centrepoin Community Centre. For times & prices tel: 01923 441043 or visit: [www.thedantien.co.uk](http://www.thedantien.co.uk)

**Classes in Dance, Drama & Musical Theatre**

18 months to professional level. Collective Dance Performing Arts School & Teaching College. Tel: 0208 428 0037 or email: [info@collectivedance.co.uk](mailto:info@collectivedance.co.uk)

**Events at Watford School of Music**

Term time classes & individual tuition, music & movement, wind bands, junior music school, Taiko drumming, soul singers, string orchestras & more. Visit: [www.hertsmusicservice.org.uk](http://www.hertsmusicservice.org.uk), email: [southmusicenquiries@hertsgov.gov.uk](mailto:southmusicenquiries@hertsgov.gov.uk) or tel: 01923 225531

**Hartbeeps Magical Music Workshops**

Babies & pre-schoolers. Café Cha Cha Cha, Cassiobury Park. Various days & times. £5.50 for first child & £2 for siblings. Visit: [www.hartbeeps.com](http://www.hartbeeps.com), email: [sarah@hartbeeps.com](mailto:sarah@hartbeeps.com) or tel: 07796 097724

**Femme Fitness**

Women only gym & fitness centre. Various classes from spinning to yoga. Visit: [www.femmefitnesswatford.co.uk](http://www.femmefitnesswatford.co.uk), email: [info@femmefitnesswatford.co.uk](mailto:info@femmefitnesswatford.co.uk) or tel: 01923 241634

**Rotary Club of Watford**

Get involved in activities aimed at helping others & raising money. Watford Town & Country Club. Various dates & times. Visit: [www.rotarywatford.org](http://www.rotarywatford.org)

**Leal School of Dance**

Classes for children & adults. 5 & 10-week adult basic courses including tap & ballroom & 10-week performing arts course for ages 4-18. Tel: 01923 218626 or visit: [www.lealschoolofdance.com](http://www.lealschoolofdance.com)

**Pregnancy Yoga**

Regular weekday & weekend classes. Central Watford. For details & prices tel: 07980 415698 or visit: [www.esprit-yoga.com](http://www.esprit-yoga.com)

**Rosemary Conley Diet & Fitness Classes**

All ages. Plus Slim, Aerobics & Zumba Classes. Various locations, days, times & prices. Tel: 01753 880460 or email: [jeannettepeel.rcdfc@virgin.net](mailto:jeannettepeel.rcdfc@virgin.net)

**Sunshine Charity courses**

Various courses including Children's Care Learning & Development, Health & Social Care & UK Online Beginners' Computer Classes. Various days, times & prices. Tel: 01923 330763 or visit: [www.sunshinecharity.com](http://www.sunshinecharity.com)

**Watford Camera Club**

Weekly meetings (Thursdays) & monthly digital workshops (Tuesdays). Various venues. Visit [www.watfordcameraclub.org](http://www.watfordcameraclub.org)

**FREE Wild about... Watford!**

Come & help protect & enhance Watford's parks & open spaces as part of the council's nature conservation programme. Volunteer opportunities available all over the town. Tel: 01923 278333

**Watford Chamber of Commerce events**

Various events, meetings and networking opportunities taking place in and around Watford. Visit: [www.watfordchamber.co.uk/events/upcoming](http://www.watfordchamber.co.uk/events/upcoming)

**FREE Watford Unite dance sessions**

Watford FC Community Sports and Education Trust. Street Dance for 8-18 year olds. Various ages, days, times & locations. Visit the Activity Map at [www.watfordfcsetrust.com](http://www.watfordfcsetrust.com) for more details. Tel: 01923 496292 or email: [rob.walter@watfordfc.com](mailto:rob.walter@watfordfc.com)

**FREE Watford Unite football sessions**

Watford FC Community Sports and Education Trust. Football sessions for 8-18 year olds. Various ages, days, times & locations. Visit the Activity Map at [www.watfordfcsetrust.com](http://www.watfordfcsetrust.com) for more details. Tel: 01923 496292 or email: [rob.walter@watfordfc.com](mailto:rob.walter@watfordfc.com)

**Yoga at Westfield**

Beginners, pregnancy, baby & toddler yoga. Westfield Children's Centre. Various times & prices. Tel: 07980 415698 or visit: [www.esprit-yoga.com](http://www.esprit-yoga.com)

# What's On February 2011

4-page guide packed with exciting local events!



Watford Borough Council is committed to creating a family friendly town, and is keen to encourage events and activities that bring people together to have fun and be entertained. If you are interested in providing entertainment in the town, please contact us for an application form, by email: [community@watford.gov.uk](mailto:community@watford.gov.uk) or call on tel: **01923 278333**.

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**Your guide to What's On in and around Watford this month**  
[www.watford.gov.uk](http://www.watford.gov.uk)



## FREE Space<sup>2</sup> exhibitions

Until 18 February

### Space<sup>2</sup> pop up illustration

In partnership with the New Hope Trust, Variety of illustrated works by local, regional & national artists. Artists in Residence - West Herts College, 60-62, Queens Road, Watford. Wednesday-Saturday, 11am-4pm

3-26 February

### Hertfordshire County Art Collection

Watford Museum, Thursday-Saturday, 10am-5pm

3-25 February

### Jessica A Rannachan: Will you miss the Rapture?

Customer Service Centre (Town Hall), Monday-Friday 8.30am-5.30pm

Tel: 01923 278333 or email: [community@watford.gov.uk](mailto:community@watford.gov.uk)

Throughout February

### FREE LGBT History Month

Celebrating LGBT heritage in Watford. Tel: 01923 232297, email: [info@watfordmuseum.org.uk](mailto:info@watfordmuseum.org.uk) or visit: [www.watfordmuseum.org.uk](http://www.watfordmuseum.org.uk)

1 February

### Demonstration in Acrylics

Watford & Bushey Art Society demonstration with Tony Jackson, Beechen Grove Baptist Church Hall, 7.30-9.30pm. Free to members, visitors welcome. £3. Tel: 01923 224848

2 February

### FREE Women of Watford Gathering

Ages 18+. Networking where women can demonstrate a skill, give talks, etc. Multi Cultural Community Centre, 1-3pm. Tel: 01923 220136 or email: [admin@multiculturalcommunitycentre.co.uk](mailto:admin@multiculturalcommunitycentre.co.uk)

5 February

### Good Night, and Good Luck

Film presented by Watford Film Society, Drama with George Clooney & David Strathairn (PG). The Clarendon Muse, 7.30pm (doors 6.45pm). £4 (members, in advance), £6 on door (all). Visit: [www.watfordfilmsociety.org](http://www.watfordfilmsociety.org) or tel: 01923 223980

11 February

### Graham Taylor Networking Breakfast

16+ Watford Football Stadium Club Lounge, 7.15-9.30am. £35 (£25 for Chamber Members). Tel: 01923 442442, email: [lorraine@watford-chamber.co.uk](mailto:lorraine@watford-chamber.co.uk) or visit: [www.watfordchamber.co.uk/events/upcoming](http://www.watfordchamber.co.uk/events/upcoming)

12 February

### The Glasgow Boys & the Scottish Colourists

Art Lecture by Martin Smith, 10.30am. £5 including refreshments. Watford Museum. Email: [info@watfordmuseum.org.uk](mailto:info@watfordmuseum.org.uk) or tel: 01923 232297

## Made in Dagenham

Warm dramatisation of the 1968 strike at Ford's Dagenham plant (15), Pump House Theatre & Arts Centre, 7.45pm (Doors & bar 7.15pm). £5 (non-members £3). Visit: [www.watfordfilmhouse.com](http://www.watfordfilmhouse.com) or tel: 07981 819686

14 February

### FREE Teenage Reading Group

Enjoy chatting about books, music, films? Then come along and join us. Ages 11-16. North Watford Library, 5-6.30pm. Email: [emilyjacques@hertsc.gov.uk](mailto:emilyjacques@hertsc.gov.uk) or tel: 03001 234041

18 February

### Nature Conservation in Watford & the Colne Valley

Adults. Friends of Watford Museum talk by Rob Hopkins. Watford Museum, 2pm. £2, free for Friends. Visit: [www.watfordmuseum.org.uk](http://www.watfordmuseum.org.uk), email: [info@watfordmuseum.org.uk](mailto:info@watfordmuseum.org.uk) or tel: 01923 232297

21-25 February

### Half-term Football and Dance Courses

Organised by Watford FC Community Trust. Various prices and locations. Visit: [www.watfordfcsetrust.com](http://www.watfordfcsetrust.com) or tel: 01923 496362 28

February – 13 March

### Fairtrade Fortnight

Various activities taking place in Watford and across the UK. Visit: [www.fairtrade.org.uk/fortnight](http://www.fairtrade.org.uk/fortnight)

Space<sup>2</sup> pop up shop - Laura Sellman illustration



*animals on bikes*

# Weekly Activities

Mondays

### Adult Wind Band

For players of grade 5-8 standard. Term time only, 8-9.15pm at Watford School of Music. £33 per term. Tel: 01923 225531 or email: [southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk](mailto:southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk)

### Children's Performing Arts Workshops

Sing, dance, act & perform at Little Angel's fun filled workshops. Ages 5-11. Newton Price Centre, 5.30-6.30pm. Visit: [www.littleangel.org](http://www.littleangel.org) or tel: 02081 330331

### Pre-School Music

Ages 3-4. Dalcroze Eurhythmics. Watford School of Music, 2.15-3pm. Tel: 01923 225531 or email: [southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk](mailto:southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk)

### Soul Singers

Ages 14+ including adults. Join our choir & experience a wide range of music. Term time only, 5.30-6.45pm. Watford School of Music. £51 per term. Tel: 01923 225531 or email: [southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk](mailto:southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk)

### Watford Folk Dance Group

Adults. Term time. Traditional English country dancing club. No experience necessary. Christ Church Hall, 8-10pm. £3 including refreshments. Tel: 01923 233371 / 672341

### Women's Morris Dance Practice

Ages 18+. Weekly practice to learn traditional English dance. Male & female musicians welcome. The Pump House Theatre & Arts Centre, 8.15-10.15pm. Tel: 01727 823791 or email: [s.m.rawlins@herts.ac.uk](mailto:s.m.rawlins@herts.ac.uk)

Mondays & Tuesdays

### FREE Story & Rhyme Time

Under 5s (older siblings welcome). Mondays at North Watford Library. Tuesdays at Watford Central Library, 2.15-2.45pm. Tel: 03001 234049

### Watford Scalextric Club

10-70 years plus. Meriden Centre, 7.30-8.30pm. £1 for juniors £6 for adults. Tel: 02084 215922

Mondays & Wednesdays

### Belly Dancing for Beginners & Advanced

The Newton Price Centre & The Centre, South Oxhey. Various times. £5-7. Visit: [www.dawnharveybellydancer.webs.com](http://www.dawnharveybellydancer.webs.com), email: [harveydawnh@aol.com](mailto:harveydawnh@aol.com) or tel: 07850 310978

Tuesdays

### Hayaam Bellydance Classes

Ages 16+. TFC Studio. Various times for Beginners, Improvers & Intermediate. £30-42 for 6 weeks. Visit: [www.hayaam.com](http://www.hayaam.com), email: [hayaam@hayaam.com](mailto:hayaam@hayaam.com) or tel: 020 8123 7383

### Herts Inclusive Theatre

Ages 6-12. Drama & theatre workshops. The James Theatre, Watford Grammar School for Boys, 4.30-5.45pm. £55 per term (concessions available). Visit: [www.hitproject.co.uk](http://www.hitproject.co.uk), email: [hertsinclusive@live.co.uk](mailto:hertsinclusive@live.co.uk) or tel: 07857 986364

### FREE Lunchtime Concerts at St Mary's

St Mary's Church, 1-2pm. Tel: 01923 225189

### Open Mic Music Event

Pump House Theatre & Arts Centre. Doors open 7.30pm for 8.30pm start. 15 minute slots for players. £3. Raffle. Email: [watfordopenmic@hotmail.com](mailto:watfordopenmic@hotmail.com)

### Salsa Revolution Classes

Over 18s. Highlight (formerly Jongleurs). Lessons 7.30-9.30pm, social dancing & music til late. £7, drop in. Visit: [www.salsarevolution.co.uk](http://www.salsarevolution.co.uk)

### FREE Story & Rhyme Time

Storytelling & rhymes for under 5's. Watford Central Library, 2.15-2.45pm. Email: [emilyjacques@hertsc.gov.uk](mailto:emilyjacques@hertsc.gov.uk) or tel: 03001 234041

Tuesdays & Thursdays

### FREE BTCV Green Gym

Practical nature conservation in Watford's green spaces. Get physically active, learn new skills & make a difference to your local environment. Accompanied under 16's are welcome. 10am-1pm. Tel: 01923 278220 or email: [GG-watford@btcv.org.uk](mailto:GG-watford@btcv.org.uk)

Tuesdays & Fridays  
Popdance classes

Ages 18+. Learn dance routines to 'pop' music. Watford Woodside Leisure Centre, Tuesdays 8pm, Fridays 10am. First class free. Visit: [www.popdance.co.uk](http://www.popdance.co.uk), email: [info@popdance.co.uk](mailto:info@popdance.co.uk) or tel: 08444 829706

Wednesdays

### The Guitar Project

An intermediate standard guitars in ensemble project for all ages & types of guitar. The Clarendon Muse, 7.30-9pm. £30 per term. Tel: 01923 245559 or 01923 245559

### Meditation - Creating harmony & fulfilment

Meditation with practical advice on stress reduction & problem solving. Friends Meeting House, 7.30-9pm. £8 per class, drop-in. Visit: [www.meditateinlondon.org](http://www.meditateinlondon.org), email: [info@meditateinlondon.org](mailto:info@meditateinlondon.org) or tel: 020 8455 7563

### Morris Men Dance Practice & Tuition

Ages 18+. Weekly practice to learn & perfect traditional & contemporary Morris dances. Pump House Arts Centre, 8-10.30pm. Tel: 01727 839266 or email: [info@woodsidemorrismen.com](mailto:info@woodsidemorrismen.com)

### Music for Babies & Toddlers

Ages 0-3. Drop-in sessions. Watford School of Music, Clarendon Muse, 10-10.45am. £4.10 per child, pay on day. Tel: 01923 225531 or email: [southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk](mailto:southmusicenquiries@hertsc.gov.uk)

### Street Dance Drop in Sessions

Ages 5-15. Learn latest routines to current chart music. Femme Fitness Ladies Only Gym, 4.15-5.15pm (5-8 years), 5.15-6.15pm (9-15 years). £5 per session. Tel: 01923 496233 or email: [zoe.tomlins@watfordfc.com](mailto:zoe.tomlins@watfordfc.com)

Thursdays

### FREE Baby Rhyme Time

Watford Central Library. First & third Thursday of month, North Watford Library second & fourth Thursday, 2.15-2.45pm. Tel: 01923 471333

### Gentle Yoga

All ages & abilities. Cassio Lodge, 7-8.15pm, £7 per class. Tel: 07984 429255 or email: [h.connelly@talktalk.net](mailto:h.connelly@talktalk.net)

Thursdays & Fridays

### Watford School of Drawing & Painting

Adults. Individual guidance for beginners and improvers. Meriden Community Centre, 10.15-12.15am & 1.30-3.30pm. £8 per class. Tel: 01923 894862

Fridays

### Blag Youth Drama Workshop

Ages 8-12. Drama classes. Pump House Theatre, 4.30pm-6pm. £9 a session. Tel: 01923 772320 or email: [blagtheatre@btconnect.com](mailto:blagtheatre@btconnect.com)

### Music & Movement sessions for toddlers

Ages 2-2½. Fun & educational, also Toddler Tap. Collective Dance Studio, 10.30am (2 yrs), 11.30am (2½ yrs). Visit: [www.collectivedance.co.uk](http://www.collectivedance.co.uk), email: [info@collectivedance.co.uk](mailto:info@collectivedance.co.uk) or tel: 0208 428 0037

Saturdays

### Dance Classes for Children

Various classes for boys & girls aged 2½-12 years. Various times. Watford Grammar School for Girls. Tel: 07740 605275 or email: [chantal@hotandbothered.biz](mailto:chantal@hotandbothered.biz)

Sundays

### 3Tenn team tennis

Tennis coaching, fun practice games & matchplay delivered by professional qualified coaches. 2-3pm (4-10yrs) & 3-4pm (11-18yrs). Cassiobury Park tennis courts. £2 per person. Tel: 07940 428310, email: [david.shann@3tenn.net](mailto:david.shann@3tenn.net) or visit: [www.3tenn.net](http://www.3tenn.net)

### Cuban Salsa Duende & Latin dance classes

Over 16s. The Studio Ramada Hotel, 7-8pm basic level Salsa Duende & Latin dance, 8-9pm experienced level, 9-10pm practice time. £8. Tel: 07944 462461 or visit: [www.salsaduende.com](http://www.salsaduende.com)