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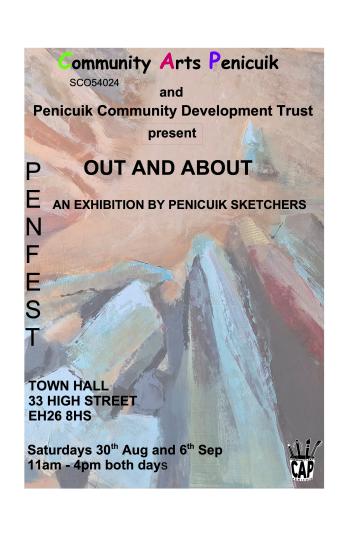
## **Community Arts Penicuik (CAP) SC054024** Newsletter August 2025

## **Dear CAP Members and Friends,**

Our Arts Festival "Penfest 2025" starts next weekend with the Art Exhibitions and Studio Trail. Please note - Christine Finlayson's Open Studio on 30th & 31st August is cancelled due to illness. Please check website for updates for 6th & 7th September.







The following weekend will be busy!

will be awarded on 6th September at 3.00pm

On Saturday 6th September 3pm, the prize-giving event for the Art competitions will take place at the Storehouse, High Street, Penicuik, EH26 8HW.

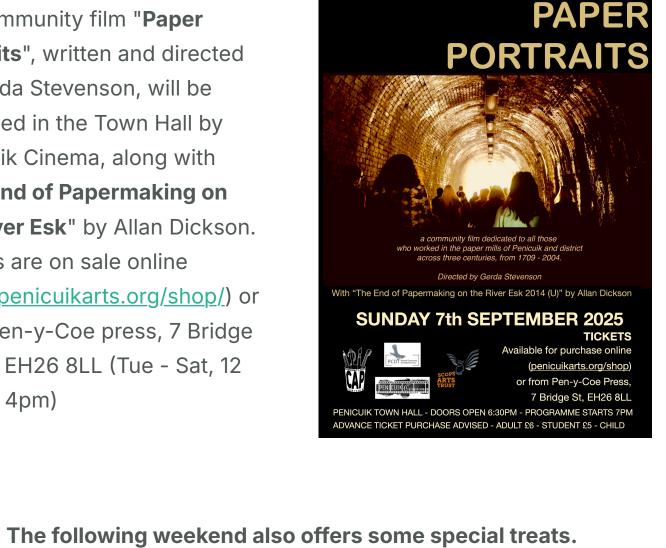


7:30pm, there will be a relaxed and entertaining concert from local musicians. Please buy your tickets as soon as possible to avoid disappointment! Tickets are on sale online (www.penicuikarts.org/shop/) or from Pen-y-Coe press, 7 Bridge Street, EH26 8LL (Tue - Sat, 12 noon - 4pm)

**On Saturday 6th September** 

our community film "Paper Portraits", written and directed by Gerda Stevenson, will be screened in the Town Hall by Penicuik Cinema, along with **"The End of Papermaking on** the River Esk" by Allan Dickson. Tickets are on sale online (www.penicuikarts.org/shop/) or from Pen-y-Coe press, 7 Bridge Street, EH26 8LL (Tue - Sat, 12 noon - 4pm)

On Sunday 7th September 7pm,



COMMUNITY ARTS PENICUIK, SCOPS ARTS TRUST AND ENICUIK CINEMA PRESENT

**On Saturday 13th September** 



Stevenson will lead a poetry writing workshop. This will be a wonderful chance to be inspired and focus on your creativity with words. It's essential to book in advance as spaces are strictly limited. The price also includes a one-to-one with Gerda to help polish your work. Tickets are on sale online (<u>www.penicuikarts.org/shop/</u>) or

10:30am - 3:30pm, Gerda

from Pen-y-Coe press, 7 Bridge Street, EH26 8LL (Tue - Sat, 12 noon - 4pm)

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Penicuik Community Choir

sc054024 **Penfest 2025** 

Kirk, John Street, Penicuik, our **Festival concert is from the** wonderful Penicuik Community Choir. Always a joy to listen to! A fabulous evening is guaranteed. Tickets are on sale online (www.penicuikarts.org/shop/) or from Pen-y-Coe press, 7 Bridge Street, EH26 8LL (Tue - Sat, 12 noon - 4pm)

concert series.

Also on Saturday 13th

**September, 7:30pm** at North

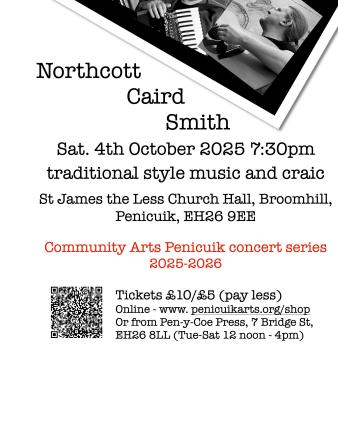
in Concert! Directed by Liz McKeon Sat. 13th Sep 2025 7:30pm Penicuik North Kirk, 95 John St, EH26 8AG Tickets £10/£5 (pay less) Online (www.penicuikarts.org/shop/) or from Pen-y-Coe Press, 7 Bridge St, EH26 8LL

For the next Community Arts exhibition in the Storehouse, Sandra Vick exhibits her oil paintings "The Pentland Hills" from Sunday 7th

Once our Arts Festival "Penfest 2025" is over, we will be looking

forward to more exhibitions in the Storehouse, and the 2025-2026

**September until Friday 31st October 2025.** 



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Sun. 22/03/2026 3pm

Tickets are on sale NOW for the Northcott Caird Smith band who will entertain us with a wide range of tranditional style music and good craic. A relaxed and cosy evening's entertainment bring your friends!

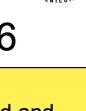
**Saturday 4th October 7:30pm** 

St James the Less Church Hall,

Broomhill, Penicuik, EH26 9EE.

## Concert season 2025 - 2026 Sat. 04/10/2025 7:30pm Northcott, Caird, Smith - Traditional Music from Scotland and beyond

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## Sun. 25/01/2026 3pm Ailie Robertson - A feast of harp music

Sat. 21/02/2026 7:30pm Carlops Jazz Band and local schools band - Returning by popular demand!

Bruadar Duo - Flute and Classical Guitar - Classical repertoire with own arrangements with some music by Scottish composers Sat. 18/04/2026 7:30pm Opera Caledonia - The Gentle Shepherd - Musicians from a

traditional Scottish repertoire. Sun. 10/05/2026 3pm JKL Duo - Whistle, flute, bohdran, classical guitar, electric guitar A musical banquet! A lighthearted mix of Celtic, Jazz, and Latin

world class opera company sing a story set in the Pentland Hills:

text from local poet and playwright Allan Ramsay; music from

Morricone. Details of venues and ticket prices available soon. Please save the dates!

music; followed by a genre-crossing journey from Bach to

Or please email events.communityarts@gmail.com to book. Hope to see you soon at a CAP event in town!

y-Coe Press, 7 Bridge Street, EH26 8LL (open Tues-Sat 12 noon -

All tickets can be bought online (penicuikarts.org/shop) or from Pen-

**Best wishes** Sue

Other Arts, Craft and Music events in and around Penicuik Jez Lowe at Penicuik Folk Club, 2nd September, 2025, 8pm

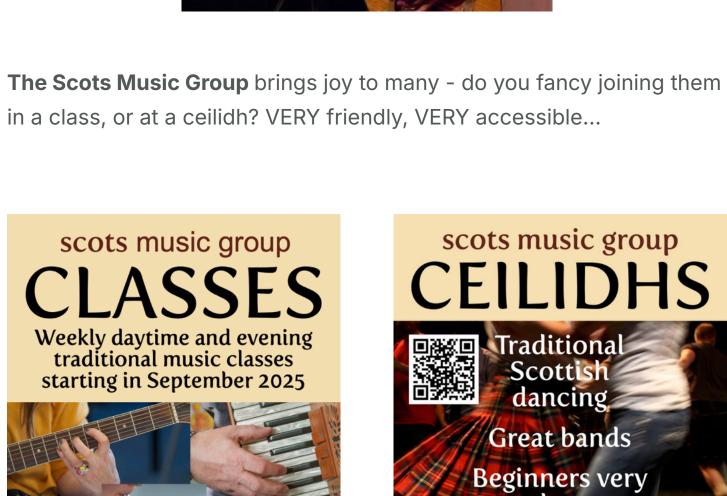
4pm).

Award-winning songwriter, novelist, and one of the busiest and most admired performers on the UK folk scene, Jez Lowe is celebrating forty five years as a touring singer, songwriter and musician.

Phone 07803 331592 for details.

Hear Jez at the Shottstown Miners' Club, Penicuik on 2nd Sept. 2025





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