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Dear Community Arts Penicuik Members and Friends!

Here's our latest news and events listing.

Exhibitions

Sandra Vick's exhibition of paintings "The Pentland Hills" is currently on display in the Community Arts exhibition space in the Storehouse (High Street, Penicuik). The exhibition space is on the left hand wall along the disabled access slope as you enter the premises, and also on one wall of the inner cafe seating area. Sandra's beautiful exhibition runs until 31st October.

November and December will see Jan Miller and friends' annual exhibition of Art and Craft - ideal for that special Christmas present! The opening event for the exhibition will be on Sunday 8th November 2-4pm. It's well worth a visit.

Events

Our Northcott Caird Smith concert scheduled for Saturday 4th October is postponed to Saturday 25th October - same time same place - see the poster below. All tickets purchased for the 4th will be accepted on the 25th. Please let me know if you need a refund. (chair.communityarts@gmail.com)

The next concert on Sunday 25th January 2026 3pm features Ailie Robertson, Scottish composer, arranger, teacher, improviser and harp virtuoso. Awarded Livelreland radio's Female Musician of the Year, her synthesis of Scottish, Irish and contemporary harping technique into an individual style represents the realisation of otherwise unimagined possibilities for the Celtic harp".

Ailie has performed her stunning music several times for the old Arts Association and we are delighted to welcome her to perform again in Penicuik, this time for the new Community Arts Penicuik organisation.

Ailie's concert is in St James the Less Church Hall, Broomhill, Penicuik, EH26 9EE.

Tickets are already on sale at Pen-y-Coe Press, 7 Bridge Street, EH26 8LL and online (https://www.penicuikarts.org/shop/). £15/£10

Other Concerts in 2026 (save the dates!)

Saturday 21/02/2026 7:30pm

demand! Penicuik Trinity Community Church Hall, Kirkhill, EH26 8HX. £10/£5 Sunday 22/03/2026 3pm

Carlops Jazz Band and local schools band - Returning by popular

Bruadar Duo - Flute and Classical Guitar - Classical repertoire with own arrangements, including music by Scottish composers. St James the Less Church Hall, Broomhill, EH26 9EE. £15/£10

Saturday 18/04/2026 7:30pm

Opera Caledonia - The Gentle Shepherd - Musicians from a world class opera company sing a story set in the Pentland Hills: the text is from local poet and playwright Allan Ramsay (1686 - 1758) and the music is from traditional Scottish repertoire. Penicuik North Kirk, 95 John Street, EH26 8AG. £15/£10

Sunday 10/05/2026 3pm

JKL Duo - Whistle, flute, bohdran, classical guitar, electric guitar

A musical banquet! A lighthearted mix of Celtic, Jazz, and Latin music; and a genre-crossing journey from Bach to Morricone.

St James the Less Church Hall, Broomhill, EH26 9EE. £15/£1

Community News

Nitten Folk Club have a wonderful concert tonight (2nd October) - the legendary Brian McNeill and they would welcome CAP members and friends. It's £5 for Nitten folk club members and £8 for non-members (cash only). The doors open at 8pm at Dean Tavern Function Room, Main Street, Newtongrange.

Hope to see you at a CAP exhibition or event soon!

Best wishes!

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tunes and accompaniments from Scotland and beyond

Sat. 25th October 2025 7:30pm St James the Less Church Hall, Bromhill, Penicuik, EH26 9EE

2025-2026 Tickets £10/£5 (pay less)

Community Arts Penicuik concert series



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