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4th - 12th March 2023

# Henley Youth Festival

Theme for HYF2023 is

## Going Green

If you are aged between four and 18 and you live or go  
to school in Henley, then HYF is for you!

### Performing Arts

Events for all ages including:  
Music, Singing, Dance and  
Acting

### Workshops

Booked by schools. Art, plus  
drama from the Young  
Shakespeare Company, Rude  
Science and The Zoo that comes  
to You, based around the 'Going  
Green' theme.

### Competitions

Art, Film, Writing, Young  
Reporter and School Mural

### HYF Run

Races from 0.5km to 1.6km  
and lots of fun.



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## HYF Calendar - Events and Activities

Stick this up on the fridge or in your room to remind you what's happening, where and when. These happen outside schooltime. You can enter, take part or just come and support your friends!

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Visit [www.hyf.org.uk](http://www.hyf.org.uk) for more information and entry forms or contact [hyfinfo@gmail.com](mailto:hyfinfo@gmail.com)

### Dates, Times and Venues

**Saturday 4th March** HYF Run (reception to year 6)

@ Henley Rugby Club

**Saturday 4th March** Writing Prize Giving

@ Bell Bookshop

**Thursday 9th March** Young Performer (years 1-6)

@ The Kenton Theatre - 6pm

**Friday 10th March** Gig Night (years 7-13)

@ The Kenton Theatre - 7pm

**Saturday 11th March** Music Makers (years 1-6)

@ Rupert House School - 2pm

**Saturday 11th March** HYF Variety (years 6-13)

@ The Kenton Theatre - 7pm

Art & Film Prize Giving

@ Henley Town Hall - Invite Only

### Have Fun!

Come and entertain the audience - tell a story, make us laugh, do some magic, sing, dance or or play to a backing track.

### Entertain Us!

Perform music, either with friends or individually, in a friendly and supportive setting.

Look out for our fantastic Art & Film, Writing and Young Reporter competitions and we're excited to offer a full range of School Performances and Workshops over the week including Rude Science, Red Van Man and the Zoo That Comes To You!





The Henley Youth Festival is back with a fun-filled programme of exciting activities and a new theme of "Going Green".

Taking part in the festival is a brilliant way to showcase your talents - sing to the environment, write a green story, paint a portrait or take a photo.

You can dance together, play music or make a film. Use the world around you to inspire your ideas – the only limit is your imagination.

If you're a creative or sporty 4-18 year-old, love to perform or want to try something new, then #HYF2023 is for you. Take your pick from the live events, competitions and workshops happening this March.

## Together we will have fun Going Green at Henley Youth Festival 2023.

### Get Involved

If HYF is to flourish with the scale and scope of recent years we need people with a little time and energy to make great things happen. If you can help email [HYFinfo@gmail.com](mailto:HYFinfo@gmail.com)

We meet monthly from September to April and spend about an hour per week on HYF work.



### We need volunteers:

- To help plan and deliver our Art & School Workshop programme
- Event Co-ordinators & Stage Managers to put on live events
- Admin & 'behind the scenes' roles to help deliver the festival

### Become a 2023 HYF Friend

All Friends receive the HYF Newsletter and an invite to an exclusive Drinks Reception for a minimum donation of £25.

Individuals giving £50 or more receive a free ticket to an HYF show at the Kenton Theatre.

Donations go directly into funding the festival's free of charge events and activities which have been enjoyed by Henley families for 29 years.

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