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**INTERNATIONAL
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MAY 20-26 2019 |  **LEICESTER** / CITY CENTRE
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OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

BRING THE PAINT ABOUT

AWARD WINNING INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL, BRING THE PAINT, RETURNS TO THE STREETS OF LEICESTER TO HOST THE UK'S STREET ART EVENT OF THE YEAR.

WORLD RENOWNED ARTISTS FROM AMERICA, AUSTRALIA, TAHITI, MEXICO, GERMANY, FRANCE, GREECE AND THE UK ARE TRANSFORMING LEICESTER CITY CENTRE WITH WORLD-CLASS MURAL PAINTINGS. THE FESTIVAL WILL BRING TOGETHER 50 STREET ARTISTS WITH HEADLINE INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED PAINTERS INCLUDING: SMUG, INKIE, INSANE 51, HOW & NOSM, TASSO, DOES, NOMAD CLAN, FLYING FORTRESS AND WON ABC. SUPPORTED BY ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND, BID LEICESTER, LEICESTER CITY COUNCIL, DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY, MONTANA CANS SPRAY PAINT, HIGHCROSS LEICESTER AND PISTONHEAD FOUNDATION, BRING THE PAINT IS SET TO BRING INTERNATIONAL ACCLAIM TO A CITY ON THE RISE.

INSPIRED BY LEICESTER'S IDENTITY AS ONE OF THE MOST DIVERSE CITIES IN EUROPE, THIS YEAR'S EDITION OF THE FESTIVAL WILL BE ABOUT COLLABORATION, BRINGING TOGETHER ARTISTS FROM ACROSS THE WORLD WHO WOULD NOT NORMALLY MEET, AND RE-IMAGINE THIS VIBRANT DIVERSE DESTINATION. THE FESTIVAL WILL ATTRACT 10,000 VISITORS TO THE CITY AND PAINT GIANT BUILDINGS, BRING TO LIFE VACANT RETAIL UNITS, AS WELL AS CREATE SPECTACULAR 3D FLOOR ART. THERE WILL BE OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES TO GET INVOLVED WITH WORKSHOPS, MUSIC AND FOOD & DRINKS. TO TOP IT ALL OFF, THE ORGANISERS WILL HOST AN ART FAIR, GIVING PEOPLE THE CHANCE TO PURCHASE UNIQUE ARTWORK.

BRING THE PAINT IS TAKING PLACE IN LEICESTER CITY CENTRE FROM 20TH TO 26TH MAY 2019, WITH THE MAIN EVENTS HAPPENING ON SATURDAY 25TH MAY IN THE CULTURAL QUARTER AND SUNDAY 26TH MAY AT FROG ISLAND / THE MILL.

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR OF BRING THE PAINT, IZZY HOSKINS SAID, "WE ARE INCREDIBLY EXCITED TO STAGE BRING THE PAINT INTERNATIONAL STREET ART FESTIVAL FOR THE SECOND TIME IN LEICESTER. OUR WORLD-CLASS LINEUP OF ARTISTS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES AND WE ARE PROUD TO BE WORKING WITH SUCH AN INCREDIBLE COHORT OF WRITERS. THE FESTIVAL IS SET TO BE ONE OF THE BIGGEST STREET ART EVENTS IN THE UK THIS YEAR."

INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED GRAFFITI ARTIST, INKIE SAID, "THE STRONGEST LINE UP OF ANY EVENT IN THE UK, BRING THE PAINT IS RAISING THE BAR YET AGAIN."

SPONSORED BY BID LEICESTER, DIRECTOR, SIMON JENNER SAID, "BID LEICESTER IS THRILLED TO BE SUPPORTING BRING THE PAINT 2019 AND BUILDING ON THE FESTIVAL'S PAST SUCCESS. THE FESTIVAL HAS AN INTERNATIONAL REACH, HELPING TO PUT LEICESTER ON THE MAP AS A STREET ART DESTINATION AND SHOWCASING THE CITY'S CREATIVE SPIRIT. OUR BUSINESSES WILL BENEFIT FROM INCREASED VISITORS TO THE CITY CENTRE, AND THE FESTIVAL'S LEGACY OF VIBRANT AND COLOURFUL ARTWORK WILL CONTINUE TO MAKE LEICESTER A MORE ATTRACTIVE PLACE FOR RESIDENTS AND REGULAR CITY CENTRE USERS."

ABOUT BRING THE PAINT

BRING THE PAINT IS A PROJECT DEVISED AND DEVELOPED BY GRAFFWERK AND INSPIRATE. GRAFFWERK IS A MULTIFACETED ARTS PROJECT TEAM FOCUSED ON AEROSOL CULTURE. GRAFFWERK HAS THE AIM OF REDEFINING THE VISUAL LANDSCAPE OF CITIES THROUGH THE USE OF STREET ART.

INSPIRATE ARE A FESTIVAL ORGANISATION BASED IN THE CULTURAL QUARTER, THEIR WORK INVOLVES DEVELOPING CONSTRUCTIVE PARTNERSHIPS BETWEEN ARTS, EDUCATIONAL AND COMMERCIAL ORGANISATIONS, ARTISTS, VENUES AND AUDIENCES.

THE FESTIVAL IS SPONSORED BY ARTS COUNCIL, BID LEICESTER, LEICESTER CITY COUNCIL AND DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY.

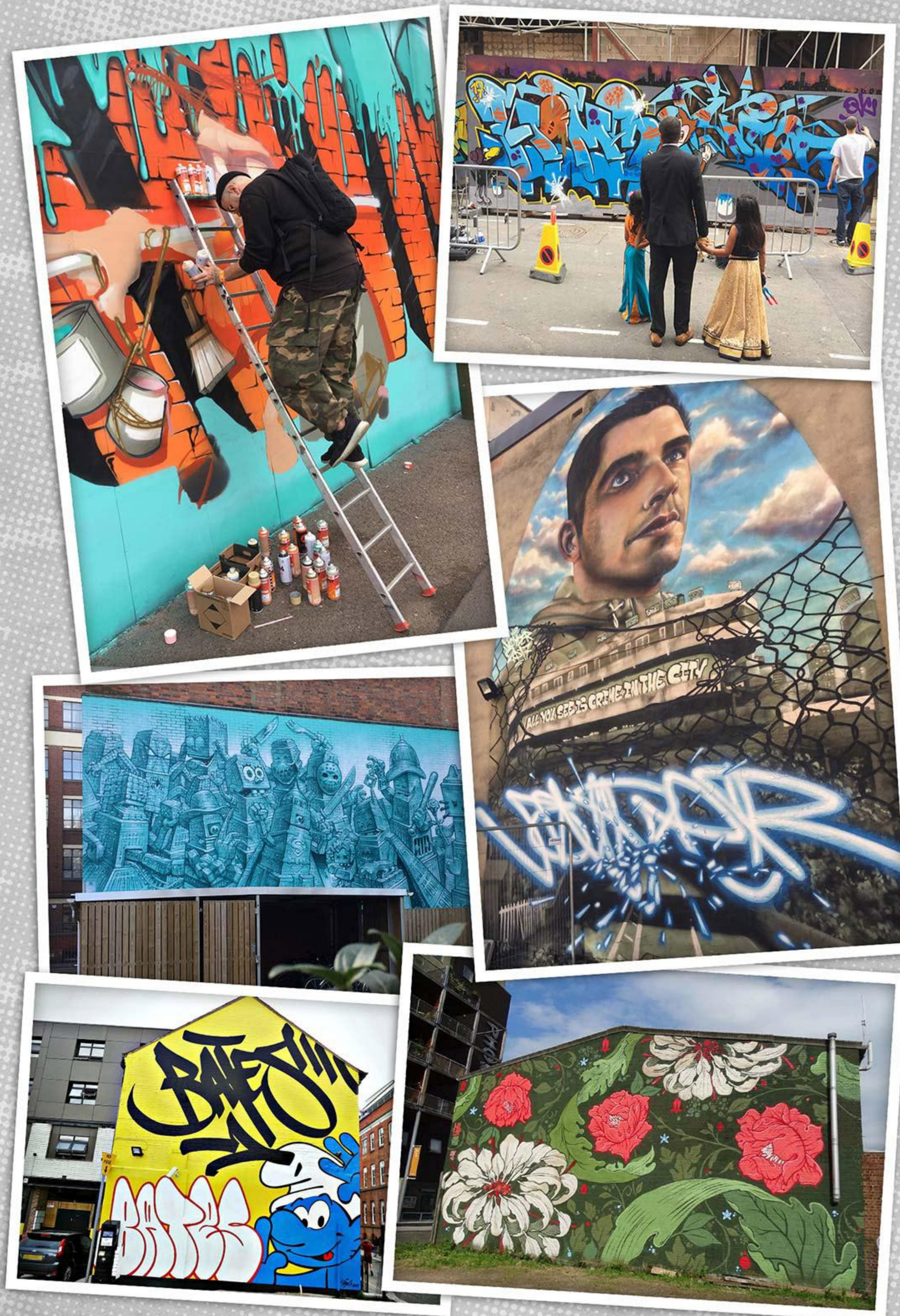
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ARTIST LINE-UP

IUP: BERLIN CREW WITH A WORLDWIDE REPUTATION, IUP HAVE SET THEMSELVES UP AS ONE OF THE MOST EXTREME GRAFFITI COLLECTIVES. BRING THE PAINT IS PROUD PRESENT THIS ELUSIVE AND IMPRESSIVE GROUP.

DDS: LONDON LEGENDS 2KOLD AND ZOMBY OF THE INFAMOUS DDS CREW. 2KOLD AND ZOMBY ARE BOTH ESTABLISHED AND WELL RESPECTED WRITERS AMONGST THE GRAFFITI COMMUNITY. WORKING TOGETHER, EXPECT CLASSIC LONDON STYLES HERE.

45RPM: WITTY AND COLOURFUL BRISTOL BASED 45RPM BRINGS HIS CREATIVE AND PLAYFUL STYLE TO THE FESTIVAL.

ABUZ: ALL THE WAY FROM TAHITI, ABUZ WILL BE TURNING UP WITH HIS CLASSIC GRAFFITI LETTERING THAT IS FULL OF STYLE.

ACHES AND VOYDER: ATHENS BASED DIGITAL EFFECTS MASTER, ACHES AND LONDON BASED, VOYDER WILL BE COLLABORATING THIS YEAR TO CREATE SOMETHING UNIQUE. THIS PROMISES TO BE AN IMPRESSIVE WALL.

AGIE: BRING THE PAINT IS PROUD TO BE PRESENTING THE UP AND COMING LEICESTER BASED, AGIE. CLASSIC LETTERING, FUN CHARACTERS AND AN IMMENSE TALENT. THIS IS ONE TO WATCH.

ALEX RUBES: ALEX IMPRESSED AUDIENCES BACK IN 2017 WITH HIS STATEMENT WALL ON THE SOUNDHOUSE PUB. THIS YEAR EXPECT ART DECO TESSELLATION.



BOOGIE AND HOMBRE: INTERNATIONAL DUO BOOGIE AND HOMBRE RETURN THIS YEAR WITH A HUGE WALL THAT AIMS TO PLEASE. BRIGHT, FUN, AND EXPERTLY EXECUTED, THESE ARE A MODERN FAVOURITE FOR MANY GRAFFITI FANS.

BRUS: ITALIAN WRITER BRUS WILL BE SHOWING OFF HIS CLASSIC FLOW. A STYLE MASTER AND LETTER LEGEND, HE COMES HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

DINER: THE EVER LOVEABLE ROGUE THAT IS DINER RETURNS WITH HIS EFFORTLESS CLASS.

DOES: DEFINING DOES IS DIFFICULT. A MULTI DISCIPLINED ARTISTS WITH A LOVE OF LETTERS, CALLING HIM DYNAMIC WOULD BE AN UNDERSTATEMENT.

DOWTA AND OUST: CLASSIC LETTERS, TRADITIONAL STYLES, EXPECT EVERYTHING THAT IS GOOD ABOUT GRAFFITI LETTERING AS THESE TWO COME TOGETHER. DRAX: A PIONEER IN HIS OWN RIGHT, THE NORTH LONDON MAN BEHIND WORLD DOMINATION CREW. DRAX WILL BE PAINTING HIS ORIGINAL AND WELL RECOGNISED LETTERING.

FLYING FORTRESS: ILLUSTRATOR, DESIGNER AND GRAFFITI LEGEND FLYING FORTRESS STAMPED HIS NAME IN GRAFFITI CULTURE WHEN HE CREATED THE 'TEDDY TROOPER'. A MAKER OF ALL THINGS COOL, THIS GERMAN ARTIST WILL BE BRIGHTENING UP THE CITY WITH HIS RECOGNISABLE CREATIVITY.



GENT: BIRMINGHAM BASED GENT IS A HUGE TALENTED ARTIST WHO FOCUSES ON SPRAYPAINT. WITH A FOCUS ON CHARACTERS, GENT WILL BE ADDING SOMETHING EXCITING TO THE FRONT OF THE LCB DEPOT.

SAM GRUBB: LOCAL ARTIST, ILLUSTRATOR AND GENERALLY WICKED GUY, SAM GRUBB WILL BE BRINGING HIS BOUNCY PIECES TO THE CITY YET AGAIN.

HATED BUT RATED: PERSISTENT PAINTING CREW HATED BUT RATED WILL BE WORKING TOGETHER TO DELIVER A MIXTURE OF CLASSIC GRAFFITI LETTERING WITH A BIT EXTRA THROWN IN OVER AT WOODGATE ADVENTURE PLAYGROUND.

HOW AND NOSM: CURRENTLY BASED IN NEW YORK, IDENTICAL TWINS, HOW AND NOSM WILL BE CREATING A HUGE PIECE OF COMPLICATED WORK IN THEIR OWN INIMITABLE APPROACH.

INKIE: BRISTOL LEGEND, INKIE SHOWCASES HIS DISTINCTIVE APPROACH TO PAINTING AS HE RETURNS TO BRING THE PAINT.

INSANE 51: INSANE 51 HAS BEEN WOWING AUDIENCES WITH HIS OVERLAY PHOTO REALISM ARTWORK THAT CHANGES IN APPEARANCE WITH THE USE OF 3D GLASSES.

LEWSE AND SKANK: THESE TWO WILL BE WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE TWO SEPARATE PAINTINGS ON ONE SITE OF FOLDING SHUTTERS.

N4T4: N4T4 DELIVERS COMPLEX BEAUTY EACH TIME HE STEPS UP TO THE WALL. TRADITIONAL IMAGES INTERWOVEN WITH INTRICATE DETAILS, HIS ARTWORK IS ORIGINAL AND AMAZING IN EQUAL MEASURE.



MONO: LEICESTER BASED ARTIST MONO HAS BEEN IMPRESSING AUDIENCES WITH HIS DIVERSE APPROACH FOR SOME TIME NOW. THIS YEAR, HE'LL BE COLLABORATING WITH HIMSELF. IT WILL ALL MAKE SENSE.

NOMAD CLAN: UK RECORD BREAKERS NOMAD CLAN ARE WORKING ALONGSIDE LEICESTER CITY FOOTBALL CLUB CHARITABLE TRUST TO CREATE A CELEBRATION OF STRONG WOMEN IN THE CITY.

PENFOLD: DISTINCTIVE BOLD GRAPHIC DESIGNS FORM THE SIGNATURE STYLE OF BRISTOL BASED PENFOLD.

PHILTH: AN ARTIST WITH AN INCREDIBLE TALENT, PHILTH COMES BACK TO LEICESTER WITH HIS WILLIAM MORRIS INSPIRED FLORAL ARTWORKS. BOLD GRAPHIC PATTERNS CREATE IMPRESSIVE FEATURE WALLS IN THE CITY ENVIRONMENT.

PLANET STREET PAINTERS: WORLD RENOWNED 3D FLOOR ARTISTS, PLANET STREET PAINTERS WILL BE CREATING AN IMMERSIVE FAMILY FRIENDLY EXPERIENCE. MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR CAMERAS READY FOR THIS ONE AS YOU BECOME PART OF THE PICTURE.

RUELO AND CORE: THE EXTREMELY TALENTED AND WELL MATCHED ARTISTS RUELO AND CORE ARE TEAMING UP TO CREATE SOMETHING SPECIAL FOR THIS YEARS EVENT.

SKYHIGH: TYPOGRAPHICAL MASTER SKYHIGH RETURNS WITH HIS COMPLEX TALENTS TO CREATE SOMETHING SPECIAL.

SOKEM: TRADITIONAL WILDSTYLE GRAFFITI WRITER SOKER BRINGS HIS CHARACTERISTIC BLEND OF CHARACTERS AND LETTERS.

STOE: STOE RETURNS WITH ANOTHER WEIRD AND WONDERFUL WALL FULL OF COLOUR.



SMUG: IN 2017, AUSTRALIAN ARTIST SMUG PAINTED WHAT WENT ONTO BECOME THE MOST PHOTOGRAPHED SITES IN LEICESTER. A WORLD LEADER IN STYLISTED PHOTO REALISM, THIS YEAR SMUG WILL BE GOING BIG.

TASSO: FOUNDER OF THE LEGENDARY MACLAIM CREW, TASSO IS A PHOTO REALISM EXPERT AND PIONEER.

WON ABC: ALL ROUND LEGEND GERMAN, WON ABC RETURNS WITH HIS DARK COMIC APPROACH.

WWF CREW: LOOSE PAINTING AND WITTY CHARACTERS MAKE WWF A FUN ADDITION TO THE LINE UP.

YARD WARRIORS: LEGENDARY INTERNATIONAL GRAFFITI CREW THE YARD WARRIORS WILL BE PAYING HOMAGE TO CLASSIC GRAFFITI HERITAGE WITH THIS WALL.

ZINER: LETTER MASTER ZINER WILL BE TAKING LEAD AT HIS LOCATION WITH TRADITIONAL LETTERING AND GREAT COLOUR.

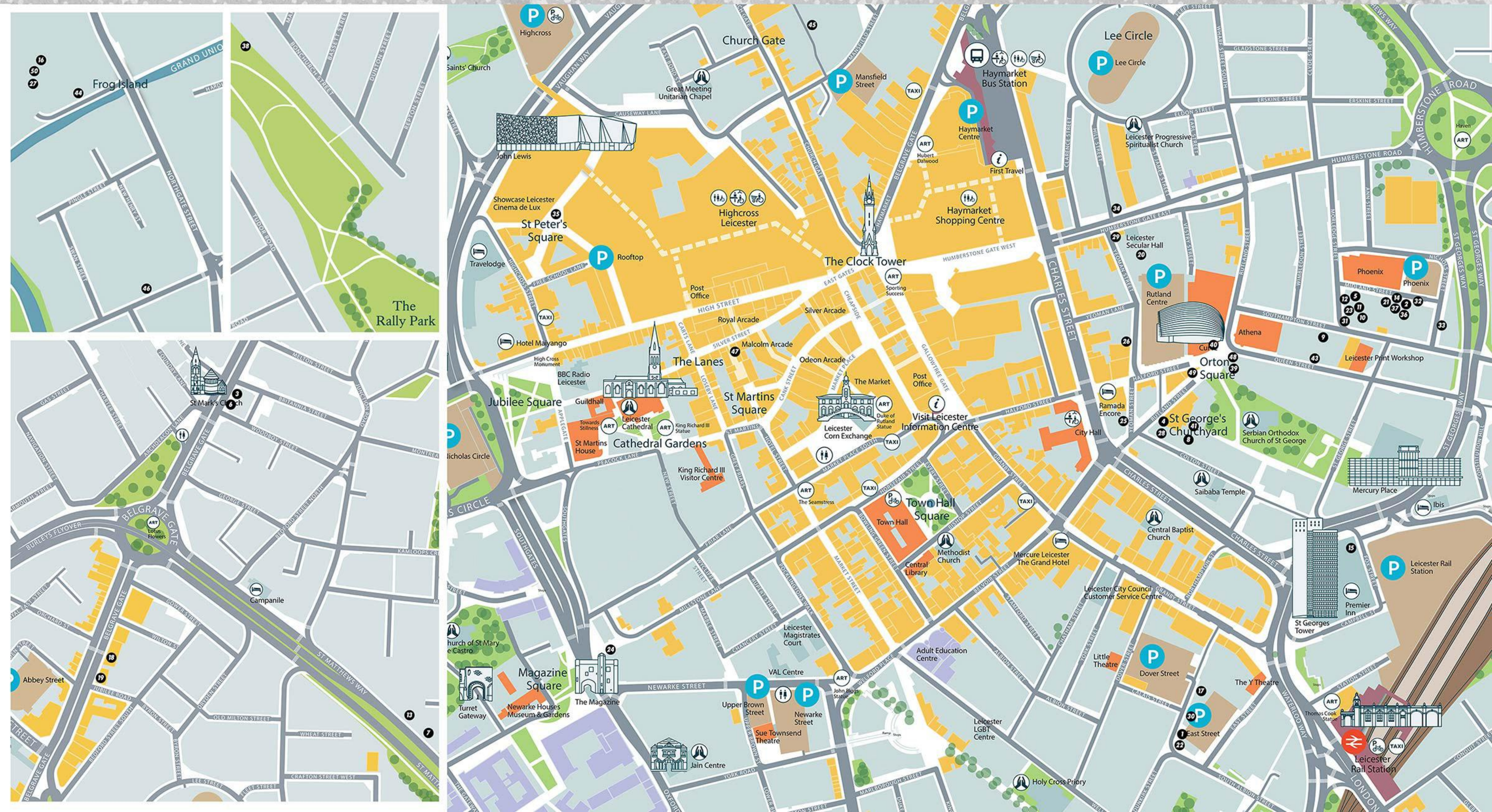
FEATURED ARTISTS

1 - ACHES \ 2 - ABUZ \ 3 - BOOGIE \ 4 - GENT \ 5 - TASSO \ 6 - HOMBRE \ 7 - NOMAD CLAN \ 8 - MONO \ 9 - INKIE \ 10 - IUP
11 - DDS \ 12 - DRAX \ 13 - YARD WARRIORS \ 14 - FLYING FORTRESS \ 15 - HOW & NOSM \ 16 - INSANE 51 \ 17 - BRUS
18 - WON ABC \ 19 - DOES \ 20 - SMUG \ 21 - RUELO AND CORE \ 22 - VOYDER \ 23 - AGIE \ 24 - ZINER \ 25 - PHILTH
26 - ALEX RUBES \ 27 - N4T4 \ 28 - SAM GRUBB \ 29 - SOKEM \ 30 - SKANK AND LEWSE \ 31 - OUST AND DOWTA \ 32 - DINER
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ACTIVITIES & VENUES

39 - SKATEPARK AND STREETFOOD \ 40 - FAMILY DRAWING WORKSHOP - CURVE THEATRE \ 41 - MUSIC AND FOOD - LCB
42 - MUSIC (SATURDAY) - SOUNDHOUSE \ 43 - VENUE - BRICK AND BEAM \ 44 - LEGAL SITES - FROG ISLAND
45 - LEGAL SITES - SHORT STREET \ 46 - SUBMISSION ARTISTS - BLACK BOARDS GRAFF JAM
47 - ST MARTINS SQUARE: LIVE PAINTING \ 48 - BACK BOARDS GRAFF JAM \ 49 - EXCHANGE BAR IN INFO POINT
50 - GRAFFWERKMILL: PAINT SHOP AND INFO POINT. SUNDAY ACTIVITY SITE \ 51 - APE INDEX X GRAFFIO: CLIMBING AND ART
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*THE GALLERY AT DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY



WHAT'S ON

MONDAY 20TH MAY

WILL SEE THE FIRST OF THE ARTISTS ARRIVE, AS THE WEEK DEVELOPS, EXPECT TO SEE AN INCREASE IN ARTWORK EMERGING ALL OVER LEICESTER CITY CENTRE.



WEDNESDAY 22ND MAY

DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY GALLERY PLAYS HOST TO A SYMPOSIUM DISCUSSING THE LEGITIMISATION OF STREET ART. SPEAKERS INCLUDE KIERON CUMMINGS (AKA THE LONDON VAGABOND), BRING THE PAINT FESTIVAL DIRECTOR IZZY HOSKINS, NU URBAN ERA FESTIVAL DIRECTOR VIC BROWN. EXPECT SOME OF THE BRING THE PAINT HEADLINE ARTISTS TO SPEAK. THIS TALK WILL BE FOLLOWED BY A Q&A SO FEEL FREE TO COME WITH YOUR OWN QUESTIONS.

THURSDAY 23RD MAY

GRAFF.ID ARTS IS BRINGING A SELECTION OF INTERNATIONALLY RENOWNED WRITERS FROM AROUND THE COUNTRY TO COVER APE INDEX LEICESTER IN PAINT, AS WELL AS SOME OTHER SELECT AREAS.

A LOT OF CLIMBERS MAY BE AWAY ON THE BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND, BUT WE HAVE THE CHANCE TO CATCH AN EARLY PREVIEW OF THE ARTWORK (IN PROGRESS) AHEAD OF THE FESTIVAL AT THE WEEKEND AND TRY NINJA NIGEL'S BOWLINE PARKOUR RUN & / OR GET ON THE BOULDERING WALL. BBQ AND BEERS AFTER IF YOU STILL HAVE THE STRENGTH TO MOVE YOUR HANDS AT THE END OF IT!

SATURDAY 25TH MAY

THE MAIN EVENT! HEADLINE ARTISTS WILL BE PUTTING THE FINISHING TOUCHES ON THE NEW MURALS THROUGHOUT THE CITY. ALL ACTIVITIES WILL BE UNDERWAY BY 11AM BUT DON'T LET THAT STOP YOU STARTING EARLY. TAKE A WALK AND CHECK OUT THE WALLS WHILST ENJOYING AN ARRAY OF ACTIVITY.

INFORMATION POINTS:

THE EXCHANGE BAR OPEN FROM 8:30AM ONWARDS. WE WILL HAVE A DEDICATED INFORMATION POINT STAFFED WITH VOLUNTEERS WHO KNOW THE FULL PROGRAMME, SO ANYONE WITH QUESTIONS OR NEEDING DIRECTIONS, HEAD HERE.

GRAFFWERK MILL OPEN FROM 8:30AM TO 6PM.

THE GRAFFWERK MILL IS FORTUNATE TO HAVE THE INCREDIBLE INSANE 51 PAINTING THE REAR OF THEIR BUILDING SO FREE 3D GLASSES WILL BE ONSITE FOR YOU TO WITNESS THIS AMAZING ARTIST. THE EVER AWESOME N4T4 IS ALSO ON SITE, AND WE HAVE AN EXTENSIVE HALL OF FAME FOR ANYONE WHO HASN'T BOOKED A PLOT TO PAINT AND WANTS TO.

GRAFFWERK MILL IS ALSO HOME TO GRAFFHQ PAINT SHOP SO ANYONE NEEDING PAINT FOR THE LEGAL PAINTING SITES CAN PICK UP THEIR PAINT HERE. ALSO, VEGAN CAFE POMELO AND ROCKET WILL BE SERVING UP SOME SPECIALS INCLUDING BREAKFASTS AND COFFEES THROUGHOUT THE DAY. THE BAR, GALLERY AND PAINT SHOP WILL BE OPEN ALL DAY AS USUAL. ANYONE WANTING TO PURCHASE A BRING THE PAINT T-SHIRT WILL BE ABLE TO PICK ONE UP FROM HERE.



SUBMISSION SITES - 9AM ONWARDS

FIND JUST UNDER 100 ARTISTS PAINTING IN ONE PLACE! BRING THE PAINT IS INCREDIBLY PROUD OF THE INTEREST WE'VE HAD IN TAKING PART. THANKS TO LEICESTER CITY COUNCIL AND KEEPMOAT HOMES, YOU'LL FIND A WEALTH OF TALENT BRIGHTENING UP ALMOST A MILES WORTH OF HOARDINGS SURROUNDING THE NEW WATERSIDE DEVELOPMENT. IN ADDITION TO THIS SITE YOU'LL FIND OTHER ARTISTS DOTTED THROUGHOUT THE CITY INCLUDING ST MARTINS, HUMBERSTONE GATE AND MORE.

WOODGATE ADVENTURE PLAYGROUND:

A SATELLITE SITE FOR BRING THE PAINT WOODGATE ADVENTURE PLAYGROUND IS A YOUTH SITE THAT WILL BE PAINTED OVER THE WEEKEND BY THE EXCELLENT HATED BUT RATED CREW.



BRING THE PAINT FESTIVAL HUB:

11AM-5PM: SKATEPARK AT ORTON SQUARE

CHECK OUT THE PRO DEMOS, TAKE PART IN THE FREE SKATES OR TAKE PART IN A WORKSHOP:

- 11-1 - SUPERVISED PUBLIC SESSION
- 12-1 - SKATEBOARD WORKSHOPS
- 1-1:20 - PRO SKATE AND BMX SHOW
- 1:20-2 - SKATEBOARD WORKSHOPS
- 2-2:30 - PRO SHOW
- 2:30-3 - WORKSHOPS
- 3-4 - SUPERVISED PUBLIC SESSION
- 4-4:20 - PRO SHOW
- 4:20-5 - WORKSHOPS

11AM-3PM: GET DRAWING!

HEAD ON OVER TO THE WINDOWS OF CURVE THEATRE AND ASK OUR TEAM FOR A PEN. LOCAL GRAFFITI ARTISTS WILL HAVE PREPARED AN OUTLINE THAT WE'D LIKE YOU TO FILL. IT'S COMPLETELY FREE AND YOU'RE WORK WILL CONTRIBUTE TO A FINAL PIECE AS PART OF THE FESTIVAL. ALL AGES WELCOME.

STREET FOOD & DRINKS

EXPECT THE FINEST STREET FOOD AND DRINKS BROUGHT TO YOU BY LAST FRIDAY. OPPOSITE THE SKATE PARK ON ORTON SQUARE AND NEXT TO THE WINDOW DRAWINGS, YOU'LL FIND A MIXTURE OF STREET FOOD AND DESSERT VENDORS. CURVE WILL BE HOSTING A BAR WITH AN ARRAY BEVERAGES.

ARTWERK FAIR

WANT TO TAKE HOME A MOMENTO? ARTWERK IS GRAFFWERK'S FIRST EVER ART FAIR AND WE WILL BE HOSTING ARTISTS AND CRAFT MAKERS FROM ACROSS THE COUNTY, AS WELL AS A SELECTION OF WORKS FOR SALE FROM SOME OF BRING THE PAINT'S FEATURED ARTISTS.

INKLING

NEIL, KATIE AND MICHELLE WILL BE TATTOOING FROM THEIR CUSTOM DRAWN FLASH SHEETS ALL DAY AT INKLING, AS WELL AS SELLING TEES / PINS AND PRINTS. THEY WILL ALSO BE RUNNING A RAFFLE WHICH CAN BE PURCHASED IN THE STUDIO (THIS WILL BE DRAWN AT 5PM ON THE DAY). THREE ARTISTS WITH THREE DIFFERENT STYLES JUST TURN UP ON THE DAY. IT'S FIRST COME FIRST SERVED.

LCB DEPOT WILL BE OPEN WITH GRAYS MAKING SURE GOOD FOOD AND DRINK IS AVAILABLE. EXPECT FAMILY FRIENDLY MUSIC AND ACTIVITY.



LEICESTERSHIRE ETSY'S MEET AND GREET MAKERS YARD 25TH-26TH MAY

WHY NOT COME AND MEET YOUR LOCAL LEICESTERSHIRE DESIGNERS AT THE MAKERS YARD POP-UP SHOP ON RUTLAND STREET NEAR THE CURVE THEATRE. LEICESTERSHIRE ETSY ARE PROMOTING 10 LOCAL DESIGNERS FROM A RANGE OF PROFESSIONS FROM BAG MAKING TO WOODWORKING, SILVERSMITHS TO ILLUSTRATORS. IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE MAKERS YARD THESE ONLINE ONLY CRAFTERS ARE PROVIDING CUSTOMERS A CHANCE TO MEET AND GREET WITH THEM WHILE SHOWCASING THEIR WORK

BARS:

BAR IN THE CITY WILL BE HOSTING VARIOUS EVENTS TIED INTO THE OVERALL DAY.



THE SOUNDHOUSE X ALEX RUBES

THE SOUNDHOUSE WILL BE HOME TO A DUB REGGAE ALL DAYER HOSTED BY HIGHER MEDITATION SOUND SYSTEM. THE SOUNDHOUSE HAS A GREAT BEER GARDEN AND IS WELL WORTH A VISIT IF NOT JUST TO CHECK OUT ALEX RUBES AWARD WINNING ARTWORK FROM BRING THE PAINT 2017.

BRICK AND BEAM WILL BE OPEN PLAYING GOOD MUSIC. AN ON-SITE TERRACE MAKES FOR AN ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE.

THE EXCHANGE WILL BE HOME TO THE CENTRAL INFORMATION POINT DURING THE FULL DURATION OF BRING THE PAINT FESTIVAL. A WIDE SELECTION OF BEERS AND SPIRITS ALONGSIDE FOOD AND NON ALCOHOLIC DRINKS ARE ON OFFER. HOME TO OUR BRING THE PAINT TEAM, THIS WILL BE A CENTRAL HOST.

THE SHED WILL BE RUNNING A FAMILY FRIENDLY MUSIC EVENT BETWEEN 11AM-6PM.



POMELO AND ROCKET @ THE MILL

SUNDAY 26TH MAY - THE MILL

OPEN FROM 11AM, SUNDAY WILL BE LAID BACK WITH GOOD MUSIC, GOOD FOOD WORKSHOPS AND MORE. BRING THE PAINT MOVES IT'S ENTIRE PROGRAMME OVER TO THE MILL BY GRAFFWERK. ALL CITY CENTRE WALLS SHOULD BE COMPLETE SO WE ARE INVITING ALL ARTISTS AND VISITORS TO HEAD CANALSIDE FOR A FAMILY FRIENDLY DAY OF ACTIVITIES.

THE ARTISTS PAINTING THE WATERSIDE DEVELOPMENT WILL BE CONTINUING WITH THEIR WORK AND THE CANALSIDE LEGAL WALLS WILL PLAY HOME TO MORE LIVE ARTWORK.



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POMELO AND ROCKET WILL BE SERVING UP A BARBEQUE ALONGSIDE OTHER TRADERS WHILST PISTONHEAD ARE HOSTING THE BAR OFFERING SOME GREAT DEALS.

SUNDAY WORKSHOPS: 12PM-2PM PAINT WORKSHOP. LOVE THE ARTWORK BUT NEVER PAINTED? GIVE IT A GO WITH OUR TEAM ON HAND TO GUIDE YOU.

CLIMBING WALL A FIRST FOR BRING THE PAINT, WE'VE THROWN A CLIMBING WALL INTO THE MIX. THIS WILL BE IN THE CAR PARK OUTDOORS AND IS FREE FOR ALL.

R10 LABS: 2PM-4PM WILL BE PRESENTING MINI PRZM. A UNIQUE METHOD FOR MAKING INTERACTIVE MUSIC SUITABLE FOR MUSICIANS OR BEGINNERS. THIS PROMISES TO BE AN EXCITING SESSION.

GRAFFIO WILL BE BRINGING A BOAT PARTY ALONG THE CANAL FROM APE INDEX UP TO THE MILL. EXPECT PAINTED BOATS AND GOOD MUSIC ON THE WATERSIDE.

RETROSPECTIVE 2.0: EXHIBITION BY COST AND RACEE
A COLLECTION OF PHOTOGRAPHY OF LEICESTER GRAFFITI THROUGHOUT THE YEARS CURATED BY LOCAL LEGENDS COST AND RACEE. A LOOK AT THE HERITAGE OF LEICESTER STYLE. THIS EXHIBITION ALSO INCLUDES WORKS BY LOCAL PRIMARY SCHOOLS WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN AN ARTS PROGRAMME WITH BRING THE PAINT.

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