

REFUGEE WEEK 2020 DIGITAL EVENTS

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Music Show on Radio Free Matlock on 5 June

A music show on Radio Free Matlock (www.radiofreematlock.co.uk) on 5 June at 8am and then repeated at 10am. This will be a special refugee-themed programme playing music by and about refugees. The programme will also be highlighting refugee week events. Contact is Sue Allanson (sueallanson27@gmail.com)

Migrant Help's 'I Have Dreams' with Salma Zulfiqar from 15 June

Migrant Help invite people to join a wonderful creative bubble, where we leave the outside world behind and let dreams lead the way. An online tutorial by the award-winning artist Salma Zulfiqar will be available from 15 June and provide inspiration to create a 'My Dream' picture. Everyone will be invited to create a piece of art, write a poem or musing on the topic of 'I have a dream'. Art supplies will be distributed to asylum seekers to enable them to take part in these activities. All the resulting pieces will be collected and exhibited to celebrate the importance of dreams and hopes for a better future.

Contact is Rachael Tew (rachael.tew@migranthelpuk.org)

Refugee Week Sponsored Run in aid of Derbyshire Refugee Solidarity on 15 June

Charlie Stevens will be doing a 15km sponsored run from home on to raise money in aid of the Derbyshire Refugee Solidarity (www.derbyshirerefugeesolidarity.org). Every donation will help. To sponsor go to www.gofundme.com/f/run-for-refugee-week.

Contact is Charlie Stevens (charliestevens@btinternet.com)

Online Craft Session at Artcore on 15 June

Refugee Week themed "Crafternoon" art session on facebook live on 15 June at 1pm-1.45pm. The link to join is <https://www.facebook.com/ArtcoreUK>. Contact is Caroline Backhouse (caroline@artcoreuk.com)

Daily Radio Show on Free Matlock from 15 June

Broadcasts every day from 15 June at 5.30pm for 30mins with interviews of local people and how they support refugees as well as refugees talking themselves. Contact is Sue Allanson (sueallanson27@gmail.com)

Ava Hunt Theatre's Online Screening of Acting Alone on 17 June

Ava Hunt Theatre (www.avahunt.co.uk) are scheduling an online screening of Ava Hunt's solo show 'Acting Alone' based on the stories of some of the people she met on her visit to Palestine refugee camps in 2014, from a film of the original performance. This will be on Wednesday 17 June at 7.30pm at <https://youtu.be/JtuQYpL5MyE>. The streaming is a "pay what you think" digital performance with donations, via [paypal.me/avahunttheatre](https://www.paypal.me/avahunttheatre) going to DRAC and Friends of Alrowwad in Palestine.

Contact is Frances Watt (avahunttheatreco@gmail.com)

Migrant Help's Online Exhibition from 18 June

Migrant Help will host an online exhibition offering an opportunity to walk in the shoes of survivors of modern slavery. The visitors will be able to discover and share in the survivors' stories, their dreams when they came to this country, and the new dreams they are building now as they leave their pasts behind. The exhibition will be available from 18 June. Details can be found at www.migranthelpuk.org/Listing/Category/refugee-week-2020.

Contact is Rachael Tew (rachael.tew@migranthelpuk.org)

Sanctuary Sunday at Derby Cathedral on 21 June

Sanctuary Sunday on 21 June will be marked at the Cathedral Eucharist at 10.45am, with special prayers and an address by the Revd Dr Inderjit Bhogal OBE. Inderjit is the founder and President of City of Sanctuary, a Methodist minister and a leader in interfaith and peace activity. The Cathedral Eucharist will be livestreamed at www.facebook.com/derbycathedral/live_videos.

The order of service and other resources will be posted on the 'Worship online' page of the Cathedral's website.

Contact is Elizabeth Thomson (missioner@derbycathedral.org)

Derbyshire Refugee Solidarity Short Film

DRS are putting together a 10-minute film based on photos from seawatch, care4calais and DRS to show the journey refugees have been on before they get to Derby and then the support and activities they do through DRS. The film will be uploaded onto the refugee week website for viewing during that week. Contact is Sue Allanson (sueallanson27@gmail.com)

Phosphoros Theatre Events

Phosphoros Theatre are putting on several events during refugee week.

Details can be found here: www.phosphorostheatre.com/refugee-week-2020.

Contact is hello@phosphorostheatre.com

Derby Museums

During Refugee Week, Derby Museums will be sharing thought-provoking items from their collection relating to refugees. Follow their Facebook / Instagram / Twitter @derbymuseums. Contact is Kathryn Ralls (Kathryn@derbymuseums.org)

Information from the national refugee week team

Further information on what is being organised at a national level can be found here:

www.refugeeweek.org.uk/events and www.refugeeweek.org.uk/covid-19-and-refugee-week-2020