



Norwich
Arts
Centre.
Environmental Policy

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Welcome to Norwich Arts Centre

Norwich Arts Centre is a small, independently run venue with charitable status (Charity No: 274803) situated close to the centre of Norwich. It is also an Arts Council England National Portfolio Organisation.

Vision

Create / Nurture / Engage

Mission

Norwich Arts Centre provides quality cultural experiences. We nurture creativity and emerging talent across a range of art forms and deliver a stimulating, engaging programme to a diverse audience. We continually question and adapt to the changes around us to ensure we are an authentic, welcoming venue for all.

Core Values

1. Talent Developers
2. Inclusive
3. Environmentally Responsible
4. Financially Resilient

Environmental Action Plan



Environmental Policy

Norwich Arts Centre aims to:

- Continue to reduce Norwich Arts Centre's energy consumption and CO2 emissions and reduce landfill waste by composting and recycling more.
- Better advocacy of environmental issues such as sustainability, upcycling and re-using within the local community.
- Integrate the consideration of environmental concerns and impacts into all decision making and activities.
- Continue to improve on our environmental commitment of the organisation from procurement to programming and embed it in our core and strategic values.
- Develop our outside garden space to increase wildlife activity and as a wellbeing space for staff and community groups to enjoy.



As part of our regeneration capital grant the windows have been revealed for the first time in 40 years with bespoke wooden frames, double glazing and electric black out blinds.



The exhibition boarded panels were removed to let in natural daylight in the foyer which has enhanced the aesthetics while reducing energy consumption.



All of the lights throughout the building
have been replaced with LED.

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Our back garden has been developed to create a wellbeing space for staff, community groups and wildlife.

Strike For Climate!
NAC staff regularly participate in
the Norwich Youth Strike 4
Climate marches to help
raise awareness.



Mike McCarthy presents

GEORGE MONBIOT

SYSTEM CHANGE, NOT CLIMATE CHANGE

The economic and political transformation we need to prevent climate breakdown

People are taking to the streets to make their voices heard about the climate crisis. The stakes are high. Change is urgently needed... but what needs to change, and how? Join George as he makes the case for the radical change needed if we are to protect our future world.

George is an author, Guardian columnist and environmental campaigner. His best-selling books include *Feral: Rewilding the land, sea and human life* and *Heat: how to stop the planet burning*; his latest is *Out of the Wreckage: a new politics for an age of crisis*.

Talk Duration 60 mins



Hepta Demo Studios

Following George's talk there will be an opportunity for a smaller group of people to explore issues arising from the session. Because of the discursive nature of this part of the evening numbers will be restricted to 100. No charge for admission but a workshop ticket must be booked in advance.

Workshop duration: 60 mins

In the room with
GEORGE MONBIOT
THE WORKSHOP

AVAILABLE FROM FEBRUARY 2020
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CLIMATE CONFERENCE

COP26 - NOT A COP OUT!

OCTOBER 26, 2021
13:00-17:00
NORWICH ART CENTRE



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NAC will continue to programme a number of events that promote environmental awareness.

Objective	Action	Measurement	Financial	Staff	Timeframe
General Building					
Reduce consumption	Install solar panels to power some of the buildings electricity, which will reduce energy bills	Reduced heating bill / Lower CO2 emissions	£7,000	Bradley	By May 2023
Reduce consumption	Switch to Bulb or Roar energy provider	Reduced bill and Lower emissions	No cost	Bradley	By Sept 2022
Reduce CO2	Prioritise the use of electric cars when using taxis for staff and artists	Reduced CO2 usage	Minimal	Bradley	On going
Marketing and Media					
Increase awareness	Increase public engagement around environmental issues through website, social media and press. Instagram pictures, Instagram stories, Facebook posts, articles on stories blog and press releases to local papers	Customer engagement	No cost	Kelly & Grace	Ongoing
Reduce customer car usage	Promote alternative transport ideas / cycle paths, public transport links and directions to venue	Customer engagement	No cost	Kelly & Grace	Ongoing
Bar					

Increase awareness	Introduce a green rider policy, all things to be environmentally friendly, locally sourced or low carbon footprint	1. Written into new artist contracts 2. Implementation	Cost minimal	Bradley & Pasco	Ongoing
Programming					
Raise awareness	Programme more events that highlight environmental issues at Norwich Arts Centre and in other venues.	Ticket sales	Minimal	Pasco & Bradley	Ongoing
Reduce consumption	Host a regular jumble sale to encourage recycling	Public engagement	No cost	Bradley	Ongoing

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