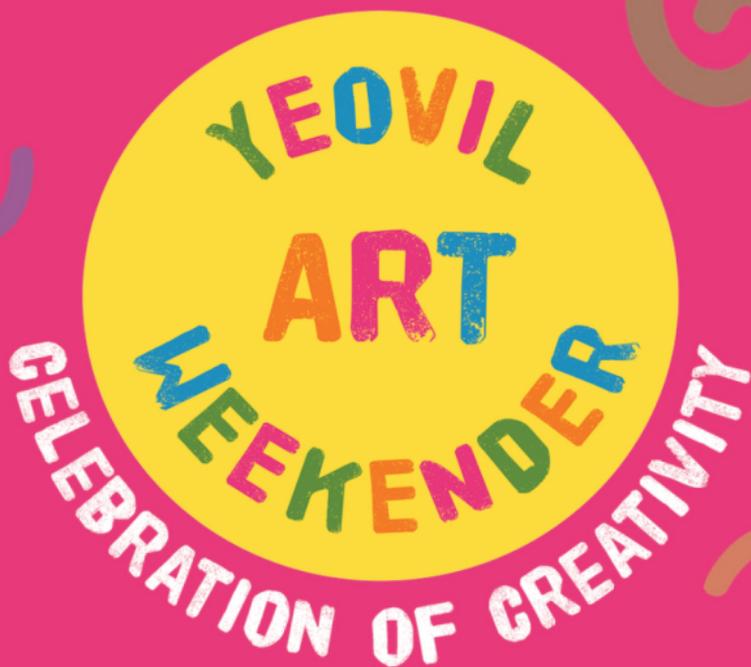


FRIDAY 27 - SUNDAY 29 MARCH, 2026



**YEOVIL
ART
WEEKENDER**
CELEBRATION OF CREATIVITY

A vibrant three day takeover of Yeovil town centre, packed with art, performances, workshops and community creativity.

**All ages and abilities welcome!
Be part of the celebration!**

www.yeovilartspace.uk/artweekender

Join the first *Yeovil Art Weekender*!!

This brand new festival in Yeovil Town Centre brings the public an array of activities including visual arts, live music, and poetry performances. A 3-day celebration of creativity that brings people together to experience joy, inspiration, and a renewed sense of pride in Yeovil.

'Message from Yeovil' Exhibition

Yeovil Art Space, Unit 13-15, Vicarage Walk, Quedam

FRI 27 March - SAT 25 April

WED-FRI 12-4 / SAT 11-4

Check out *'Postcard from Yeovil'* featuring over 70 original artworks by artists and community members, plus *'Dream Big, Fly High'* 8-foot high banners, pennants, costumes and soft sculptures created by artists **Sue Green** and **Alice Bowen-Churchill** for the procession. All this alongside a display of collaborative works from **Yeovil Creatives** artists who co-created them with hundreds of people in the last 6 months.

Exhibitions & Art Installations

'Message from Yeovil' Exhibition **Yeovil Art Space Festival Hub**

(FRI 12-4 / SAT 11-4 / SUN 11-3) **Hot & cold drinks available!**

'OUR TOWN Poetry' Window Art Trail **Town centre locations** (at all time)

'U3A Art Display' Yeovil Library Window (at all time)

'South Somerset Modellers Art Weekender Display'

Atomic Comics & Games (SUN 11-4)

Yeovil Creatives Artist Projects **St John's Church, Quedam,**

The Triangle (see Festival map for details)

Events & Activities

Friday 27 March

(12-4) **Creative Hub 'The Art Drop' Pop-up** by Yeovil College students

(5-7) **Yeovil Art Space Launch Party**

Saturday 28 March

(10-1) **St John's Church 'The Mindful Nature of Creation' &**

'Bloomin' Yeovil' drop-in workshop & display

(10-2) **The Triangle 'The Fabric of Yeovil'** weaving with Emily
Duchscherer Kirk

(10-4) **Quedam Craft Market**

(10-12 & 2-4) **Quedam 'Together'** pom-pom making with Tara Gibson

(10.30-4) **Creative Hub 'Your Junk is My Punk'** with Dawn Handy

(11 - 4) **Creative Hub 'The Art Drop' Pop-up** by Yeovil College students

(12.30 - 1.30) **Town Centre 'OUR TOWN Procession'**

**starts at Yeovil Art Space, public to join at Triangle at 12.45. Final gathering at
Triangle at 1.15**

(1-3) **Yeovil Art Space 'Poetry Chit Chat'** with Yeovil Poets Society

(1.30-3.30) **The Triangle Live Music**

(4-5.30) **Yeovil Art Space 'Poetry Glow'** performance event by Yeovil
Poets Society

Sunday 29 March

(10.30-4) **Yeovil Junction 'Steam Train Day'** with Yeovil Railway Centre

(10.30-4) **Creative Hub 'Your Junk is My Punk' / 'The Art Drop' Pop-up**

(11-3) **Yeovil Art Space Open for coffee, tea & creative drop-in**

Yeovil Railway Centre – Steam Train Day
Yeovil Junction

Visit Yeovil Railway Centre for a family friendly day of Steam Train Rides, Live Music, Model Railway alongside their museum and shop all in support of the Yeovil Railway Centre charity.

Live performances from **Julie Dunn, Sharon Lazibyrd, and Steel Leaf.**
yeovrailwaycentre.co.uk

South Somerset Modellers Art Weekender Display
Atomic Comics & Games

Come and discover the amazing work of **South Somerset Modellers** who will be sharing their latest models and demonstrating their skills.

sosomodelclub.wixsite.com/ssmc

U3A at Yeovil Library

Collaborative Art Installation by members of the **U3A Yeovil Art Group**, a self-help learning organisation for people who have finished their careers or raising their family.

Come and see their artwork inspired by views from their windows, with support from Yeovil Library.
yeovil.u3asite.uk



The Art Drop by Yeovil College Students (Creative Hub & town centre)

Visit the pop-up shop for **stickers, bookmarks, prints, cards and postcards**, Sketch Stop to tell your Yeovil stories, take your selfie and activities across town centre led by **creative youth** in town.

The Triangle Collaborative Event

Live Music

Present in collaboration with **Alan Flint and EPS** Yeovil, an afternoon of live music features **Big Eye Beans**, a joyful sound from a union of a down-at-heel singer/songwriter and a renowned drummer.

The Ravens of Gallis Row, folk-rock alchemy transforming leaden woes into sonic gold with elements of psychedelia, dirty blues and swingin' southern rock.

Squeaky Leaky, a young and budding indie rock band, formed during the lazy hours of a maths lesson.

Yeovil Diversity Project – Pink in the Triangle

A community event **exploring LGBT stories** informed by the historical use of the **Pink Triangle** as a symbol of persecution and the modern day reclamation by the LGBT community.

Yeovil Diversity Project, a charity organisation aiming to bring people together and learn from each other, will share community artwork and activities to get involved in.

yeovildiversityproject.co.uk

YMCA – Pop-up Youth Club

YMCA Yeovil, a charity supporting young people and Yeovil's community, will be hosting a **pop-up youth club** for children and young people to have a go at biscuit decorating, glitter tattoos, and graffiti boards.

ymca-bg.org/where-we-are/south-somerset/

Yeovil Creatives collaborative art projects

Produced by **8 Yeovil Creatives** artists in collaboration with **over a hundred people** in Yeovil. Find their work across town centre during the weekend and join in! (See map for locations)

- 1 Yeovil Art Space**
3D Butterfly by Lupe Velazquez – Large-scale butterfly sculpture
- 2 Bloomin' Yeovil by Julie Swinnerton** – Wildflower installation made from recycled materials
- 3 Hidden Threads by Jackie Hughes** – Exploration of hidden illnesses through textiles
- 4 THINK, MAKE, DISCOVER & REINVENT by Tracy Walker** – Creating collages of new spaces for the town
- 5 Quedam**
Together by Tara Gibson – Pom-poms celebrating identity and unity
- 6 Triangle**
The Fabric of Yeovil by Emily Duchscherer Kirk – Collective weaving project to bring us together
- 7 Creative Hub**
Your Junk, My Punk by Dawn Handy – Turning waste into community art and connection
- 8 St. Johns Church**
The Mindful Nature of Creation by Celia Brokenshire – Relaxing and playful community artwork

OUR TOWN Poetry (across town centre)

A collaboration with **Yeovil Poets Society**, including Window Art Trail around the town centre, accompanied by a brand new anthology featuring **sixteen original poems** about our home town of Yeovil, illustrated with artworks by Yeovil Creatives.

Join us for the Poetry writing session 'Poetry Chit Chat' and 'Poetry Glow' performance at Yeovil Art Space.

- 1** YEOVIL ART SPACE
- 2** MEMBERS SPACE
- 3** LOVE AND WANDER
- 4** EPS
- 5** REFINE AND DESIGN
- 6** POT DOODLES
- 7** CAKE BOX
- 8** ELEPHANT AND MOON
- 9** COST CUTTER
- 10** TIMPSONS
- 11** HOWDENS
- 12** UNION STREET BRASSEIRE
- 13** BARLO LOUNGE
- 14** LIBRARY
- 15** CERES FOOD
- 16** CAFE NO 50