

Battle Memorial Halls

81 High Street, Battle, TN33 0GF

www.battlememorialhall.co.uk T: 01424 772044

 <https://www.facebook.com/battlememorialhall>

Dear Reader

Welcome to the sixth official Battle Memorial Hall Newsletter. In this publication we will be updating regular hall users with news and information about their clubs and groups, upcoming events and local town news.

Regular user groups are welcome to submit articles to the Hall Manager by emailing battlememorialhall@talktalkbusiness.net.

Memorial Hall AGM

The Memorial Hall will be holding its AGM on 20th June in the Shephard Room beginning at 7:30pm. Whilst this will cover the necessary, formal business, including reports from the Chairman and Treasurer, it is also an opportunity for all those with an interest in the Hall, particularly regular users, to look ahead and tell the Management Committee what they would like to see changed or improved.

The Management Committee meets monthly and is made up of a combination of elected members and representatives of those groups who use the Hall and its facilities. As the Hall is subject to charitable status the Management Committee members are therefore Trustees of the Charity and collectively responsible for every aspect of the Hall's activities including setting objectives and long term plans as well as overseeing day to day activity. Individually, however, Trustees can bring specific skills and experience such as financial management, marketing and building maintenance which can contribute to the overall operation of the



Upcoming Events

5-7 May – BLOG presents Sweet Charity

9 May – U3A Meeting

18 May – Battle HORTICO meeting

19 May - Battle Historical Society Meeting

21 May – Alex Wingate's Ballroom social

25 May – Battle Community Cinema presents "Brooklyn"

28 May – Battle Festival events (TBC)



Hall. Most importantly Trustees should be enthusiastic about the role which they can play.

The Management Committee is always looking to strengthen the team and therefore keen to hear from anyone interested in the management of the Hall so, whether as an individual or a user group representative, if you would like to know more about becoming a Trustee please contact Amy Cornish, the Hall's Manager or come to the AGM.

The regular upkeep of the building also presents its challenges and the Committee would like to hear from anyone who could act in a caretaker capacity on a voluntary basis either in terms of planned maintenance or responding to emergencies on a call out basis.

More News from the Halls...

Sweet Charity comes to Battle Memorial Halls!



Battle Memorial Hall are proud to announce another amazing musical brought to you by Battle Light Opera Group.

Charity works at a dance club where she has seen only the dark side of life through bad relationships. One day she meets Oscar and believes her luck has changed. When things turn sour, Charity stays sweet and hopeful that someday her ideals will materialise. Popular songs include Big

Spender and the Rhythm of Life.

Due to the popularity of BLOG performances, tickets are now limited. Please visit <http://battlelightoperagroup.org.uk/> for details.

Help protect the Hall

Like most unmanned public buildings in a central location, Battle Memorial Hall is vulnerable to youth vandalism and loitering. The committee ask hirers and users to be vigilant and ensure they lock up securely after use. Do not leave internal doors open when in situ as this often encourages youths to "explore" the building. Particular care needs to be taken to ensure all outside doors are firmly closed at all times. We do not expect any hirer to confront youths. Please alert the authorities if you suspect trespassing.

Community Cinema Showings

25 May – Brooklyn

29 June – Bridge of Spies

27 July – The Martian

31 August – The Walk

Tickets available from the Halls Office, the old Post Office and Spoilt Rotten.

Tickets 50p + suggested donation of £3

The community cinema is run by trustees of the Memorial Halls for the benefit of film lovers in the local area. It is always nice to see new faces in the audience so come on down, tickets available on the door!

Please note that this month's screening is proving very popular and tickets may not be available on the door. Buy your ticket early to avoid disappointment!



Current Main Hall Availability:

Monday AM (excluding first Monday of the Month),
Wednesday AM, Thursday PM,
Friday PM: Contact the Hall Manager if you would like to