



Shetland *arts*

Shetland Arts – Quick Facts

Shetland Arts is a young agency with broad horizons and big ambitions for the islands we live in and the communities we support. We believe in creativity. We know that art changes lives.

Who we are

Shetland Arts was founded in 2006. It brought together the work of two organisations whose collective histories provide Shetland Arts with a local, national and international reputation for arts development and delivery built over 20 years of work and innovation.

Shetland Arts today runs the Garrison Theatre in Lerwick, Bonhoga Gallery in Weisdale Mill and promotes a year round programme of music, theatre, film, literature and visual arts and crafts events. It also delivers arts development activity across a range of art forms, including film, drama, music, literature, dance, visual arts and crafts through a dedicated team of specialist art form officers. On the horizon is a new music and cinema venue for Shetland with an estimated opening date of Spring 2010.

Shetland Arts is a registered charity (sc037082), and VAT registered (671 2655 32).

Shetland Arts is a Foundation organisation of Scottish Arts Council, and core funded by Shetland Charitable Trust.

Our offices are in the Toll Clock Centre, Lerwick, Shetland ZE1 0DE. We can be contacted on 01595 743843 or email info@shetlandarts.org.

Our office hours are 9-5, Monday to Friday. For a full list of staff and contacts, please see our website at www.shetlandarts.org

Our Vision

Shetland celebrated as a place where:

- inspiration and innovation are valued;
- people want to live work and study;
- individual creative opportunity is available to all;
- each achieves their full creative potential;
- personal development improves life circumstances, styles and choices;
- the full social and economic potential of the islands is achieved.

Overarching outcomes

Increased social and economic sustainability for Shetland

Improved health and well being of Shetland individuals

An empowered, enabled, inclusive and supported voluntary creative community and creative industry sector

Increased and enhanced local, national and international recognition of Shetland's unique creative heritage, contemporary practice and creative value

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Shetland Arts also employs a range of part-time staff in all its venues: Bonhoga Gallery, Mill Café and the Garrison Theatre.

Trustees

Donald Murray ~ Chair

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James Johnston

Alan Murdoch

Willie Shannon

James Sinclair

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Volunteers

We enjoy the support and involvement of a team of active volunteers who make a vital contribution to what we do.