



THE BLAKEHAY THEATRE

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Box Office Opening

Mon - Closed
Tues - 10 - 2
Wed - 10 - 2
Thurs - 10 - 2
Fri - 10 - 2
Sat - 10 - 2
Sun - Closed

(Open 1 hour before performances unless stated otherwise.)

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NEW BOX OFFICE OPENING TIMES FOR 2012

Monday -	Closed
Tuesday -	10.00am to 2.00pm
Wednesday -	10.00am to 2.00pm
Thursday -	10.00am to 2.00pm
Friday -	10.00am to 2.00pm
Saturday -	10.00am to 2.00pm
Sunday -	Closed

News from the Blakehay Theatre

Happy New Year to all, we trust that you had a wonderful Christmas and are getting back into the swing of things.

What a wonderful december at the theatre with such Christmas spirit and fun had by all. Aladdin by the Weston College was a huge success with an estimated 3,000 audience members over their run of performances. The RAFA Band Christmas concert was a full house and enjoyed by all who attended. The Evening with Dicken's and Boulevard Swing played to enthusiastic crowds who were asking for more and got everyone into the Christmas spirit. Children were amazed and excited by the magic of Dreamland Adventure all wrapped up with Father Christmas on Christmas Eve. Special thanks to the Weston-super-Mums who did a fantastic job entertaining hundreds of children with christmas art over the week of Dreamland Adventure.

Now that the tinsel is coming down and the turkey has finally been eaten, (except for maybe a few more sandwiches in your packed lunch!) lets look forward to 2012!

Our What's On page on our website has been updated again so please take a look to make sure that you do not miss out on the amazing shows and events that we already have booked for this year - [Blakehay - Weston-super-Mare Town Council](#)

I am pleased to announce the line up for the comedy at the Blakehay and hope that you will support our 4 month trial of this so that we can get continue this throughout the year. Please see below our great line up for or first night!

I hope that we will see more people enjoying this great Weston theatre over 2012, so please tell your family and friends about the exciting new things at The Blakehay Theatre.

Sally Heath (Theatre Supervisor)

What's On

Film	Wed 1 st Feb	7.45pm
Weston-super-Mare Film Society Presents: 2011 film Potiche (15) 70's Set French Comedy	This is the story of a put-upon trophy house-wife of a right-wing factory owner who steps into his shoes while he is ill and proves herself up to the job with a 'caring sharing' approach that wins over striking factory workers. Starring Catherine Deneuve & Gerrard Depardieu.	
Doors Open at 7.00pm	Tickets available on the door only	Members £3.00 Non-Members £4.50
Clairvoyance	Thurs 2 nd Feb	7.30pm
Evening of Clairvoyance - Three International Mediums		
Sky TV, Psychic Cop, Author - KEITH CHARLES BBC Radio, National Press - IVAN LEE ITV, Pshycic Press - MIKE KINGSCOTE		
Three individually gifted mediums, One enchanted evening of spirit communication, linking two worlds in love and harmony.		

Doors Open from 6.30pm	Tickets available from the Blakehay Box Office	£12.50
Music	Sat 4th Feb	3.00pm & 7.30pm
<p>Encore Pro. Productions present: The Great American Songbook with special guest - Lucy Pope.</p> <p>After the success of Live & Swingin' at The Blakehay Theatre in October 2011, Encore Pro. Productions are back by popular demand with their latest show. Mike, Exley and Simon will be swinging back onto the Blakehay stage with tunes from Hollywood, Broadway and Modern classics.</p> <p>This is not a show to miss out and will be very popular so book your tickets now!</p>		
Doors & Bar Open from 2.00pm & 6.30pm	Tickets available from the Blakehay Box Office	Matinee £10.00 Evening £13.50
Comedy	Thurs 9th Feb	8.30pm
<p>In association with The Blakehay Theatre the Comedy Box presents: Stand Up at The Blakehay</p> <p>BRAND NEW Monthly comedy at The Blakehay Theatre. With success at the Hen & Chicken and Tobacco Factory in Bristol, the Comedy Box are expanding into Weston-super-Mare at The Blakehay Theatre. Bringing the best in UK Stand-Up to the people of Weston-super-Mare!</p> <p>This opening night features Jimmy McGhie, Sally-Anne Hayward and John Robins.</p> <p>A highly regarded young stand-up and comic performer, Jimmy McGhie performs on the UK and international comedy circuit to great acclaim. Charming, bright-eyed and relaxed, he melds rhythm and timing with a polished and honest delivery. <i>"A delightful turn of phrase...instantly likeable stand-up."</i> Chortle.co.uk</p> <p>Sally-Anne Hayward has been described as a charming and popular performer with a winning brand of autobiographical humour. She always manages to endear herself to any audience by taking them on a journey through her slightly eccentric world, including insights into the female psyche. She has developed a unique brand of sweet young lady cum sharp-witted fox. <i>"A bubbly stream of comedy anecdotes."</i> Chortle.co.uk</p> <p>Charming, generous and honest company, Bristol's effortlessly entertaining comic John Robins hosts the opening night of this brand new comedy venue in Weston. He has hosted many shows over the last few years at The Comedy Box in Bristol and on many occasions he has been the star of the night with his easy-going, whimsical manner which has won him many fans. Expect John to intimately explore subjects past, present and in the future in his now familiar disarmingly hilarious style that he has made his own. <i>"One of the most naturally gifted comedians I've ever seen"</i> The Daily Telegraph</p>		
Doors & Bar Open 7.30pm	Tickets available from the Blakehay Box Office	Advance £10.00 On The Door £12.00