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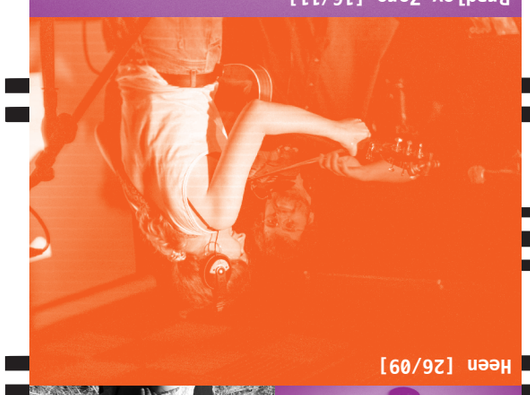














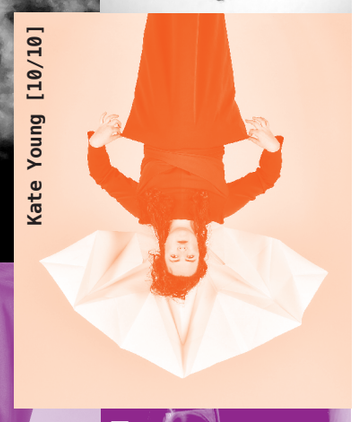
























It's AUTUMN!

Hello & welcome to our Autumn programme! We missed you.

Obviously we are excited about all of our programs – we couldn't & wouldn't do it otherwise! But this season truly feels like many years of grit, dedication and graft have just fallen into place – all our ducks are in row, the stars are aligned, the birds are coming home to roost or however you see these things… this is THE ONE! This is the program, where most agents finally replied. This is the one where artists we've been dreaming of booking for years said 'yes', this is the most balanced, most diverse & highest quality program we've ever put out – something feels different and we are absolutely buzzing! Also of note ….its not always easy to balance genders but this season you will note & strong & fiery female energy running throughout the events, something we constantly work towards.

We've even been selling tickets without putting them up on Instagram – infact as the algorithms continue to stifle us we are doing less and less of that constant 'come to this it will be good type posting' but still people check the website, find stuff and buy tickets. Despite regular money glitches and continuing insecurity, when we think about the music and the gigs & parties to come this season it just feels positive and exciting. Butterflies!!

In other news, here's what else has been happening this summer… Quite a lot of boring but important things from sanding worktops, replacing fridges to safeguarding policies, training documents and filing our housekeeping documents & posters. Writing the program is a very time consuming job for a team of 1.5 people!

With some support from a small fund run by Cooperatives UK we have had some external support to look at our governance, expect some changes sometime soonish! We have received a small amount of funding form the PRS Foundation Talent development network for our work with new music which is enabling us to film gigs for the artists as we know this is important. It will also allow us to run three small scale residencies. We've also received a grant to create a Youth Music studio and we were involved at the admin end of Ben's amazing crowd funder, more details on all of this soon!

We've written up and considered all of the notes from our first steering group, and are planning more for the Autumn. We've got so many ideas for outreach work and education to really push the scope of what it means to be genuinely accessible.

Generally, though we are still looking closely at much needed strategies to change the constant hand to mouth existence we survive in to more sustainable model. Governance change and proper funding strategies will be the key to this - it's a slow complicated process when we are so constantly at the forefront of delivering the program.

For now, though, all eyes are on a reopening for autumn with a big push to restock the venue & get it back together and get these events out there. Please help us defy social media algorithms by telling your mates, coming to cobalt in groups and sharing events on your own social media - we are so grateful for this kind of help!

We really hope to see you soon.

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YOUTH MUSIC STUDIO



A big thanks to youth music for a grant that is going to enable us to create a youth music studio in our backyard. The studio will provide opportunities for 18-25 year olds to learn DJing and electronic music production, as well as acting as a small hub for young people. Our application was called "levelling up the decks" focusses on addressing the gender imbalance in electronic music, however the studio will also be open to others at certain times as well.

The grant also covers creating opportunities for young women and gender non-conforming people to meet DJs in person, workshops & master classes. We are so grateful for this opportunity to increase the scope of what we do and can't wait to get going on the project.

AFFORDABLE TICKETS



A note on our work to make great music available for all. One of our key criteria at Cobalt is to make culture, affordable and accessible for everybody. And we feel that often tickets in regularly funded organisations, at festivals and also at big arena gigs mean that access to certain kinds of music is out of reach for many. For most events, you will find three price options so that you can select which you feel is the most affordable for you. On a Thursday you can see absolutely great new music and eat your dinner for £10. We also try to offer pay as you feel and free options for some events and last year our average ticket price was £8.52. If you still feel, Cobalt is out of reach for you, you can always email us explaining your situation and ask for sponsored tickets. The system means that many live music gigs will actually cost us money so we do ask that you treat it with complete respect and really choose the tickets you can afford & please never never bring your own booze in (which a surprising amount of people do) this is something we find really upsetting! A big thank you to all those choosing the Cobalt supporters prices.

BABY BUSHKA



A special mention to our favourite women coming back to Cobalt for a third time all the way from San Diego and bringing with us their theatre & very special renditions of Kate Bush songs. It's been a gorgeous and emotional journey every time they have visited and this one's a finale tour so expect tears.

Saturday is already sold out but Sunday does have some tickets left if you are quick! (06 October)

BEN BOSSED THE BAIRNS BIKE



In case you missed all of the flurry of social media stuff on this over the summer, this is Ben riding a very small bike to raise funds for Cobalt. Taking just five days and hitting a top speed of 40 mph Ben Road a child's bike 150 miles all the way from Manchester to Newcastle and to date has raised £3487 & the crowdfunder is still open and rising! If you would like to support it, visit bit.ly/ridingforgrassrootsmusic

We would like to say a massive, thank you to Ben once again for such a crazy & wonderful plan and we have awarded him with the card above! The money he has raised will go towards the fit out of our youth music studio in the backyard.

HERE'S YOUR PASS TO 13 WEEKS OF HOMEMADE FOOD, BRILLIANT NEW MUSIC & BOARD GAMES!



TICKETS TO ALL OF OUR WEEKLY EVENTS...

- OPEN HOUSE
- LEARN & DO
- FRESH
- ALL LIVE MUSIC
- CLUB NIGHTS

Do - & - Learn

MONDAY

GONG BATH

23 SEP | 21 OCT | 18 NOV | 09 DEC



An immersive sonic massage and a cellular cleanse for your mind, body and soul. Soak yourself in gorgeous, peaceful & healing vibrations at this gong bath led by Tracey West.

7PM / £9-13

OPEN MIC

30 SEP | 28 OCT | 25 NOV | 16 DEC



Freshly Squeezed returns! A welcoming monthly open-mic night at Cobalt led by Jayne Dent (aka Me Lost Me), listeners and performers all welcome sign up on arrival. (Suggested Donation £3)

7PM / SUGGESTED £3

SACRED HARP SINGING

07 OCT | 04 NOV



Learn the basics of Sacred Harp/Shape Note singing, a form of social harmony singing. Anyone is welcome to come along & join in, it's easy & beautiful

7PM / SUGGESTED £5

SOUNDWALK (WITH TIM SHAW)

14 OCT

Part walk, part performance, follow Tim Shaw as he makes live field recordings from the immediate environment & and captures electro magnetic waves transmitted straight to your ears via wireless headsets.

7PM / PRICE TBC

STEERING GROUP

11 NOV

An open invite to give us feedback so we can make sure we're in touch with community needs, working as well as we can with our community...

7PM / FREE

TRANSFORMATIONAL BREATH

02 DEC

Join Sally Asquith, Michelle Messer and Rapasa Nyatrapasa Otieno for an introductory session to transformational breath, a dynamic and integrative breathing technique accompanied by hypnotic music performed on African Lyre.

7PM / PRICE TBC

TUESDAY

OPEN HOUSE: PLAY

Every Tuesday 7pm / Suggested Donation £5

24 SEP | 01 OCT | 08 OCT | 15 OCT
22 OCT | 29 OCT | 05 NOV | 12 NOV
19 NOV | 26 NOV | 03 DEC | 10 NOV





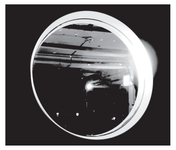
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WEDNESDAY

LIFE DRAWING

25 SEP | 02 OCT | 23 OCT | 30 OCT
20 NOV | 27 NOV | 18 DEC

Chilled life drawing in a relaxed environment with gentle music, colourful lighting and fully licensed bar & hot drinks. No judgement; no pressure, no teacher - just drawing.



6:30PM / £9

BORN LIPPY: POETRY WRITING + MAIN EVENT

09 OCT | 13 NOV | 11 DEC

Your Monthly celebration of all things wordy returns! Spoken word / Comedy / Live HipHop & More! Poetry writing workshop followed by main event.

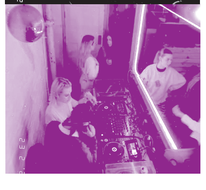
4:30PM / 7PM / £5-12

L.A.D.S

16 OCT | 06 NOV | 04 DEC

Ladies Open Decks & Social. Calling all women/NB who DJ or want learn to DJ! Meet like-minded women who love music & learn through chatting, mixing, sharing notes and generally addressing the lack of women & NB on the decks.





6PM / SUGGESTED £5

COWORKING

Our co-working community is steadily growing! Come & work with us in our colourful rooftop space. You can rent a desk for the day or we have a meeting room available to hire. We have super fast wi-fi, free fizzy water & teas, standing desks or comfy chairs, barista coffee, sound proofed phone booths, an extensive plant collection, balcony, occasional canine visitors & more! Everybody is welcome to a first free day trial of the space.

Scan the QR code or visit cobaltstudios.co.uk/coworking to learn more.



BRING THIS WITH YOU FOR A FREE DAY

(Valid for first time users only)

	WC 23/09	WC 30/09	WC 07/10	WC 14/10	WC 21/10	WC 28/10	WC 04/11	WC 11/11	WC 18/11	WC 25/11	WC 02/12	WC 09/12	WC 16/12
THURS (FRESH)	 26/ SEP **BETHANY LEY + HEEN** Sublime twilight electronica meets folk melodies merged with granular electronic texture and shuddering bass. Welcome back. ALT FOLK / EXPERIMENTAL / ELECTRONIC	 03/ OCT **SEALIONWOMAN + LUCY VALENTINE** Folklore driven but boldly experimental, crafted, atmospheric and defiantly uncategorisable soundscapes. ALT FOLK / EXPERIMENTAL / UNCATEGORIZABLE	 10/ OCT **FRAN & FLORA + KATE YOUNG** Reinvented traditional Eastern European melodies infused with drones, loops, improv and electronics. WORLD / CONTEMPORARY CLASSICAL	 17/ OCT **EL KHAT + KINAARA** Wildly raw, hypnotic Yemeni melodies played on unique DIY instruments & a Leeds-based duo that blends Punjabi folk, Anglo-Celtic epics, dark folk, and Indian classical elements. WORLD /EXPERIMENTAL / UNCATEGORIZABLE	 24/ OCT **GAZE IS GHOST + PEIRIANT** Otherworld, ethereal, somewhat supernatural & certainly unpredictable songwriting. Also violin & electric guitar mixed with samples and found objects to created layers of drone, dissonance & rich tonality. SONGWRITER / EXPERIMENTAL / FOLK	 31/ OCT **HANDS OF THE HERON + ANNA ANISE** Moving effortlessly between sparse choral folk and spell-binding chamber pop, richly layered with an assortment of strings, drones and reeds. GENTLE FOLK / SPELLBINDING	 07/ NOV **MISHRA + MUERTITO** Mishra draw together roots in UK traditional music with continent-spanning musical textures into a breathtaking quartet. Flamenco, folk, classical Indian and Afro-Latin grooves from Muertito. WORLD / ALT FOLK / JAZZ FUSION	 14/ NOV **TARA CLERKIN TRIO + HANNAH JAMES & TOBY KUHN** Definitely a gig of two halves. Trippy minimalism with threaded jazz, trip hop & psychedelia moments mixed with folk full of soul & charisma. TRIPPY / FUSION JAZZ / NEW FOLK	 21/ NOV **DON KAPOT + FROLIC ACID** Spirited, slightly humorous blend of modern jazz and krautrock with joyously deranged samples. HONKING / JOYFUL / JAZZ / ROCK	 28/ NOV **GALVANIZE ENSEMBLE + THE HARKLING** Collaborative, improvisation & new contemporary classical music meets ethereal, experimental pop, conjuring sounds to soothe the human soul. CONTEMPORARY CLASSICAL / EXPERIMENTAL	 05/ DEC **SLIP MARTIN + RYE** Self described as a 'a solid attempt at pop' created in Leeds but this doesn't do Slip Martin the justice deserved. FOLK ROOTS / JAZZ INFLUENCED / NEW POP	 12/ DEC **BLIND YEO + PAINTING + PICTISH TRAIL** Lost Map Records takeover! Blind Yeo is a collective of Cornish musicians weaving psychedelic, folky, groove-heavy, shapeshifting music. Joined by electro acoustic psych-pop artist Pictish Trail and Berlin based, genre & medium traversing band Painting. UNDEFINABLE / BOUNDARY PUSHING	 19/ DEC **CONTOURS + LARA JONES** Contours' sound explores the rhythms and sonic spaces that sit between Jazz, percussive experimentation and raw club cuts through to blissed-out ambient and minimalism. Electronics queen Lara jones also comes from jazz but is increasingly led deeper into heavier beats & soundscapes. PERCUSSIVE / ELECTRONIC / EXPERIMENTAL
FRI (LIVE)	 27/ SEP **MINA & BRYTE + PRNCSS + SQUARMS** Mina and Bryte bring back their infectious energy to our dance floor for our Autumn Opening Party. Support from synth punk artist PRNCSS + SQUARMS **£12-16** BASS HEAVY / PARTY / HIGH ENERGY	 04/ OCT **FRANKIE ARCHER + STEFF MUNDI** Reimagined folk created with earthy fiddle, sweet vocals, manipulated samples, synths, drum tracks. **£12-16** ALT FOLK / EECTRONIC / SINGER SONGWRITER	 11/ OCT **PONYLAND + SEAS OF MIRTH +ASK MY BULL** Giant hares, mutants pigeons & possibly death by giant jelly fish – a bizarre animal themed mash of heavy guitars from Ponyland & genre bending music form Seas of Mirth. **£10-14** ALT / IMMERSIVE	 18/ OCT **MARTHA TILSTON + KIRSTY HALL** Silken vocals, thoughtful often provocative songs, this is gorgeous folk from a rebel heart. **£14-18** FOLK / SINGER SONGWRITER	 25/ OCT **HENGE + MR VAST** Barely requiring an intro by now... Simply put, if you would like to be transported somewhere completely surreal & otherworldly for the night - come to this. **£12-16** PSYCHEDELIC / PROG ROCK / ALT / SURREAL	 01/ NOV **N'FAMADY KOUYATÉ + KONTIKI** Energetic master musician N'Famady Kouyaté brings us Modern interpretations of traditional West African Mandingue songs. Vibrant & joyous, wielding balafon & guitar throughout the show. **£10-14** FUSION / MANDINGUE AFRICAN / POP / FUNK	 08/ NOV **TC & THE GROOVE FAMILY + SWANNEK** Powerful and dynamic music for dancing, exploring grooves and genres from the UK and around the world, including afrobeat, breakbeat, jungle, jazz and highlife + support from local heroes SwanNek. **£11-15** FUNK / SOUL / GROOVE / HIGHLIFE DANCE	 15/ NOV **MOONCHILD SANELLY + EYVE + PRNCSS** Expect fire. Weve been watching Moonchild for sometime , shes both enchanting, fiery and fierce in equal measure. **£12-16** FUTURE GHETTO FUNK / BASS HEAVY	 22/ NOV **NOISE PEDDLER + ELEVEN HANDS** A symmetrical duo of no-input pedalboards transmitting part-composed, part-improvised sonic structures, their music involves the re-appropriation of guitar effects, informed by their unique approaches to instrumental and electro-acoustic music. **£8-12** SYNTH DRIVEN TREATS	 29/ NOV **RAZ & AFLA + KEMMA KAY** Hackney-based producer Raz Olsher and Ghanaian master muscian Afla Sackey make A highly danceable cosmic union of African influences & banging electronic music full of soul, vibrant energy and captivating rhythms. **£10-14** AFROBEAT / INFECTIOUS / FUSION / DANCE	 06/ DEC **YOKO PWNO + COSYS EX** A fiddle led folktronic dancegasm! Yoko Pwno create a storm on the dancefloor with their accessible and irreverant take on Celtic and electronic styles. Madcap eclecticism, showstopping vocals, big basslines and solid grooves, all mashed up in a vibrant, high energy live show. **£11-15** HIGHLY DANCEABLE / FOLK MASHUP	 13/ DEC **YOUNG EDINBURGH STORYTELLERS PRESENT: TÁIN** A cursed bull, a covetous Queen, and two lovers caught on opposite sides of the war… The Irish epic Táin Bó Cúailnge is retold by the Young Edinburgh Storytellers, passing the narrative between them against a backdrop of shadows, accompanied by a fusion of folk and electronic music. **£10-14** STORYTELLING / FOLK FUSION / THEATRE	 20/ DEC **BAGHDADDIES XMAS DO** Always, without fail one of the best nights of the year. Start Xmas the right way! **£12-18** BIG BRASS DANCE PARTY / RIOTOUS KNEES UP
SAT (LIVE)	 26/ OCT **NUJO JAZZ JAM** Jazz jam with NUJO! The student run jazz ensemble hosting a lively jam event with good music and a party atmosphere. **£3-5** JAZZ	 05/ OCT **BABY BUSHKA (SOLD OUT!) SUN 6TH - (TIX AVAILABLE)** Simply requiring no introduction really – unmissable, brilliant theatrical reinventions of Kate Bush songs. Musically perfect, emotional and so much more. Lets get bushy! **£14-18** PURE JOY / TRIBUTE	 12/ OCT **NAUTA'S DEBUT SHIP LAUNCH PARTY** Celebrate the debut releases of the Newcastle-based five-piece instrumental group Nauta, dropping on October 12th. Free solos and tender ballads form an explosive entry into the world of recorded music. Support from WingBeats. **£8-12** JAZZ / INSTRUMENTAL	 19/ OCT **MAD DOG MCREA** From self-penned songs of adventure, drinking, love and life, to traditional songs of gypsies, fairies, legless pirates and black flies – Mad Dog never fail to capture their audience with their infectious songs. **£18** FOLK / GYPSY JAZZ / BLUEGRASS	 26/ OCT **NUJO JAZZ JAM** Jazz jam with NUJO! The student run jazz ensemble hosting a lively jam event with good music and a party atmosphere. **£3-5** JAZZ	 02/ NOV **STATE OF SATTA ALBUM LAUNCH** State of Satta bring happy warm rays of reggae for their eagerly anticipated album launch! Enjoy the swagger of the brass & their triumphant energy that's bound to make you smile. Support from Coalescence Sound System DJs. **£8-12** REGGAE	 09/ NOV **LIFE DRAWING WITH LIVE IMPROVISED MUSIC** A relaxed evening session of life drawing with coloured light & candles alongside a gorgeous live improvised music performance… **£12-16** LEARN & DO / MEDITATIVE	 16/ NOV **UV LIFE DRAWING** Bar, UV light, DJ tunes, neon paint, life model, fluro props, neon chalk markers & black paper – join us for a UV life drawing special. **£12-16** LEARN & DO	 23/ NOV **OFFGRID: MIKEY KENNEY + SAM BAXTER & MERLE HARBRON** Mikey Kenney is a passionate, adventurous Liverpool-style fiddler and songwriter with wide-open horizons & an insatiable curiosity for new possibilities. Baxter & Harbron bring us vibrant musical landscapes built on fiddle, drones & voice. **£12-16** CANDLE LIT / ACOUSTIC / FOLK	 30/ NOV **WHIPPET BEANS + FEED THE ELK + YOUNG PROPERTY DEVELOPERS** The Whippet beans official album launch party! Brace yourselves for the party of the year! Their new album ' Underthunk' will blow your mind and tickle your soul then go platinum. Do not miss this event! **£7-15** FOOT STOMPING / GOOD TIMES	 07/ DEC **NUJO JAZZ JAM** Jazz jam with NUJO! The student run jazz ensemble hosting a lively jam event with good music and a party atmosphere. **£3-5** JAZZ	 14/ DEC **LIFE DRAWING WITH LIVE IMPROVISED MUSIC** A relaxed evening session of life drawing with coloured light & candles alongside a gorgeous live improvised music performance… **£12-16** LEARN & DO / MEDITATIVE	 21/ DEC **LATRINE'S HAUS OF FUN** All things Xmas with Latrine & Co. Further details TBA. **£8-20** QUEER / DRAG
SAT (CLUB)	 28/ SEP **DON'T TOUCH MY FRO!** Kicking off our club season with a rising underground collective playing the very best in afrocentric forward facing grooves. DTMF! is a monthly radio show and party led by Babajide Tikare and Tolu, trust us on this one. **£10-14** COLLECTIVE / AFROCENTRIC / OLD SCHOOL / GROOVE	 05/ OCT **RUF DUG ALL NIGHT LONG** There's a rich vein of gentle, friendly humour running through all of Ruf Dug's output & he is unafraid to lean into the simple act of enjoying one's self, and everything he does is an expression of that sentiment - and it's infectious. **£10-16** MULTI GENRE / FEEL GOOD / DANCEFLOOR JOY	 12/ OCT **DONNA LEAKE + SANTA LETICIA** Deep digger, woven sonic narratives, vinyl queen and one of Londons most beloved selectors meets one of the toon's most beloved selectors for a night of warm, rich tunes that sure to full up your soul with goodness. **£9-15** VINYL QUEEN / DIGGER / SOUL / ECLECTIC	 19/ OCT **WALLACE + WESTON** Pleased to welcome up and coming producer & DJ Wallace. Already released on a host of highly respectable labels you will hear a mature subtlety to his production, woven field recordings & nature is evident – on the dancefloor expect ecclectic groove. **£8-13** ELECTRO / AFRO / HOUSE	 26/ OCT **ROZA TERENZI + PIP** Roza Terenzi is a manifestation of femme-forward rhythmic energy, spreading a concoction of sublime mind dance, irreverent sapphic mischief, & vivacious cybernetics throughout the universe. **£12-16** TRIPPY GROOVES / FEMININE EXUBERANCE	 02/ NOV **BIN JUICE: MICHELLE MANETTI** The best queer party on the block brings you one of the most well loved & respected queer dj, producer , vocalists around. Get in the bin, come out & play! **£12-16** QUEER / HOUSE	 09/ NOV **L.A.D.S PRESENTS: PEACH** Most at home in the dark rooms of small clubs - Peach is a true, honest musical voice. Her sets have become beloved world-wide for the emotional range and bubbly energy that radiates directly from her person & musical choices. **£12-16** TRIBAL, HOUSE / TECH / BLEEP	 16/ NOV **BRADLEY ZERO + WESTY** At the core of Bradley Zero has an infectious love for music, a passion for dancing, an urge to discover and a need to share. One of the most vital selectors in the game, both behind the scenes and under the spotlight. **£14-18** PIONEERING / RHYTHM DRIVEN	 23/ NOV **L.A.D.S PRESENTS: NONO GIGSTA** Joyful dancer, DJ, producer, promoter, writer, researcher, radio host & zine maker - Nono will bring you set as diverse and eclectic as her pursuits. One of the things we love most is she is a slow gigger, refusing to fly and travelling only by train all over the UK. Big respect. **£8-13** ECLECTIC / JOYFUL / DANCE ORIENTATED	 30/ NOV **KISS NUKA (LIVE) + DE SILVA** Live set from Indian raver, audiovisual artist-producer & activist. Her free-spirited love for nature translates to dance floor pieces that flip & twist, grungy basslines blending with ambient layers, distorted vocals, & hints of her roots. **£10-14** WORLD / LIVE / BASS ELECTRONICS / BREAKS	 07/ DEC **VLADIMIR IVKOVIC + PAV** Revered left field selector, Ivkovic is someone with a particularly unique talent for selecting records, and weaving them into a larger and unusually compelling narrative. Expect the unexpected. This is a booking with wanted to bring you for a very long time. **£12-16** GENRE BENDING / EXPERIMENTAL / JOURNEY	 14/ DEC **SPECIAL GUEST TBA**	 21/ DEC **OPTIMO (ESPACIO)** Long term heroes, heavyweight electronic legends meet Xmas party… bring it on! **£14-16** LEGENDARY / XMAS PARTY

WEEKLY BRAND NEW MUSIC GIGS, DINNER & BOARD GAMES. COSY & COMMUNAL. [DOORS 7PM / £7 - 15]

LIVE MUSIC EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT. [DOORS 7PM / VARIOUS PRICES]

MAKING SPACE FOR THE UNDERGROUND. [DOORS 11PM / VARIOUS PRICES]

LIVE MUSIC / WORKSHOPS / DRAG & MORE. [VARIOUS PRICES / DOORS 7PM]

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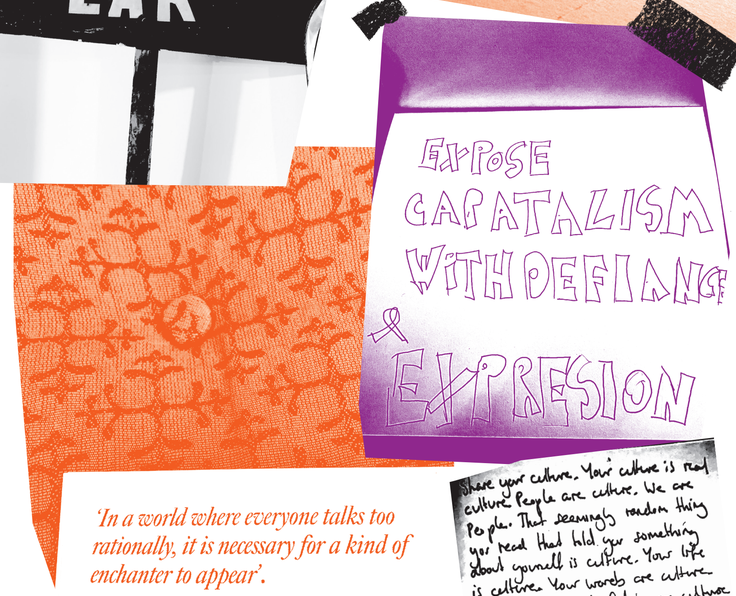




Words from COBALT



Culture is a portal to another world.
It is an everyday magic.
A place where we are free
to reinvent the world as we want it to be.
A place of hope, freedom, expression
contemplation
imagination
activism.

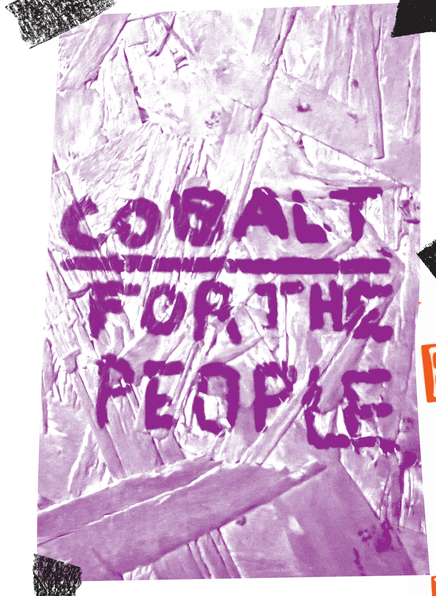


Thing can be better
if we start with
fairness
& kindness
if we think communally
not individualistic

'In a world where everyone talks too rationally, it is necessary for a kind of enchanter to appear'.

Joseph Beuys

Share your culture. Your culture is real culture. People are culture. We are People. That seemingly random thing you read that told you something about yourself is culture. Your life is culture. Your words are culture. Your thoughts and feelings are culture. Your voice is culture. That story a stranger told you on the bus home from work is culture. Our shared experiences are culture. The smile you share with passers by is culture. Your expressions are culture, the ones you hold so closely because you're scared someone will take them from you. They need to be shared to. That's your magic.



"HOPE IS THE
FUEL OF PROGRES
AND FEAR IS TH
PRISON IN WHICH
YOU PUT YOURSELF"

DESPITE
EVERYTHING
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COBALT STUDIOS AUTUMN SEASON SCHEDULE (2024)

23RD - DECEMBER 21ST

SEPTEMBER

23	GONG BATH
24	OPEN HOUSE : PLAY
25	LIFE DRAWING
26	BETHANY LEY + HEEN
27	OPENING PARTY: MINA & BRYTE + PRNCSS
28	DON'T TOUCH MY FRO!
30	FRESHLY SQUEEZED OPEN MIC



Mina & Bryte [27/09]

OCTOBER

01	OPEN HOUSE : PLAY
02	LIFE DRAWING
03	SEALIONWOMAN + LUCY VALENTINE
04	FRANKIE ARCHER + STEFF MUNDI
04	PUBLIC HOUSE HIFI SYSTEM
05	BABY BUSHKA (SOLD OUT)
05	RUF DUG ALL NIGHT LONG
06	BABY BUSHKA
07	SACRED HARP SINGING WORKSHOP
08	OPEN HOUSE
09	BORN LIPPY
10	FRAN & FLORA + KATE YOUNG
11	PONYLAND + SEAS OF MIRTH + ASK MY BULL
11	HARNESS
12	NAUTA ALBUM LAUNCH
12	DONNA LEAKE + SANTA LETICIA
14	SOUNDWALK WITH TIM SHAW
15	OPEN HOSUE
16	L.A.D.S (LADIES OPEN DECKS AND SOCIAL)
17	EL KHAT + KINAARA
18	MARTHA TILSTON + KIRSTY HALL
18	GRANVILLE COLLECTIVE PRESENTS: SEDEF ADASI
19	MAD DOG MCREA
19	WALALCE + WESTON
21	GONG BATH
22	OPEN HOUSE
23	LIFE DRAWING
24	GAZE IS GHOST + PEIRIANT
25	HENGE + MR VAST
26	NUJO JAZZ JAM
26	ROZA TERENZI + PIP
28	FRESHLY SQUEEZED OPEN MIC
29	OPEN HOUSE
30	LIFE DRAWING
31	HANDS OF THE HERON + ANNA ANISE

NOVEMBER

01	N'FAMADY KOUYATÉ + KONTIKI
02	STATE OF SATTA + COALESCENCE
02	BIN JUICE: MICHELLE MANETTI
04	SACRED HARP SINGING WORKSHOP
05	OPEN HOUSE : PLAY
06	L.A.D.S (LADIES OPEN DECKS & SOCIAL)
07	MISHRA + MUERTITO
08	TC & THE GROOVE FAMILY + SWANNEK
09	LIFE DRAWING WITH IMPROVISED MUSIC
09	L.A.D'S PRESENTS: PEACH
11	STEERING GROUP
12	OPEN HOUSE : PLAY
13	BORN LIPPY
14	TARA CLERKIN TRIO + H. JAMES & T. KUHN
15	MOONCHILD SANELLY + EYVE + PRNCSS
15	SHY BAIRNS PRESENTS: CALL SUPER
16	UV LIFE DRAWING
16	BRADLEY ZERO
18	GONG BATH
19	OPEN HOUSE
20	LIFE DRAWING
21	DON KAPOT + FROLIC ACID
22	NOISE PEDDLER + ELEVEN HANDS
22	SPOTTY DOG
23	MIKEY KENNEY + BAXTER / HARBRON
25	FRESHLY SQUEEZED OPEN MIC
26	OPEN HOUSE
27	LIFE DRAWING
28	GALVANIZE ENSEMBLE + THE HARKLING
29	RAZ & AFLA + KEMMA KAY
30	WHIPPET BEANS ALBUM LAUNCH
30	KISS NUKA (LIVE) + DE SILVA



Moonchild Sanelly [15/11]

DECEMBER

02	TRANSFORMATIONAL BREATH
03	OPEN HOUSE
04	L.A.D.S (LADIES OPEN DECKS AND SOCIAL)
05	SLIP MARTIN + RYE
06	YOKO PWNO + COSYS EX
07	NUJO JAZZ JAM
07	VLADIMIR IVKOVIC + PAV
09	GONG BATH
10	OPEN HOUSE
11	BORN LIPPY
12	BLIND YEO + PAINTING + PICTISH TRAIL
13	YOUNG EDINBURGH STORYTELLERS: TÁIN
14	LIFE DRAWING WITH IMPROVISED MUSIC
14	SPECIAL GUEST TBC
16	FRESHLY SQUEEZED OPEN MIC
17	OPEN HOUSE
18	LIFE DRAWING
19	CONTOURS + LARA JONES
20	BAGHDADDIES XMAS PARTY
21	LATRINES HAUS OF FUN
21	OPTIMO (ESPACIO)



Baby Bushka [05/10] + [06/10]



Mikey Kenney [23/11]



Optimo (Espacio) [21/12]

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