WHAT'S ON

in and around Nether Edge in December & January

UNION HOTEL

Union Road

The popular **Union Monday night quiz** has been running for 17 years with quizmaster, John Barthram. Starts at 9pm, £2 per team. Free sandwiches, sausages, and sausage rolls. Free drinks for winners and a free meal prize for the best team. All are welcome.

On the first Wednesday of every month, 9pm **Monthly Pop Quiz**. £2.00 per team and free food.

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Wed 3rd Dec. An evening with **Bella Gaffney**, a folk and acoustic singer, and Kate Griffin, a clawhammer banjo player, singer and composer.

Thur 4th Dec. Charlie Dore, one of the country's finest songwriters performs 'Songs for the Curious' with Gareth Huw Davies..

Fri 5th Dec. Mambo Jambo are an acoustic roots duo Pete Jack and Frankie Banham. Latin America, Africa, Caribbean, bluegrass, boogie and rumba are just a few of the musical influences.

Sun 7th Dec. Alistair Gordon's voice has been shaped into a rich baritone through years of busking and a creative approach to guitar and harmonica.

Mon 8th Dec. A chance to witness another mind blowing performance from the insanely talented classical pianist **Hyuk Namkoong.**

Tue 9th Dec. Seamus Fogarty hails from the west of Ireland. 'This singersongwriter is a no-nonsense operator with a fine handle on strong, melodic, powerful folk, country and blues.' Jim Carroll. Irish Times.

Wed 10th Dec, Blue Seven have been entertaining audiences for 10 years in Sheffield bringing an irresistible mix of jazz, blues and soul. **Thur 11th Dec. Gecko** is a singerstoryteller based in South London, whose songs cover the big things in life with wit and warmth.

Fri 12th and Sat 13th Dec. Gabriel Moreno is a singer-songwriter, poet, performer and lyricist with strong links to the London alternative Americana.

Sun 14th Dec. Johnny Campbell

has been singing and performing for years and is a multi-instrumentalist who is versatile on guitar, tin whistle, mandolin, tenor banjo, fiddle and is working on concertina and ukulele.

Wed 17th Dec. Patakas are a pair of talented brothers, Joe and Will Sartin, who have burst onto the English folk scene bringing driving rhythms and innovative harmony to their fresh interpretations of tunes and songs.

Thur 18th Dec. A gig of two halves with **The Ciderhouse Rebellion**, the original folk improvisers followed by an about turn into their alter ego, the gypsy jazz virtuosos: Vagabond. Tickets £19.30.

Fri 19th Dec. The Dizzies, include John Naylor, Shez Sheridan and Michael Fleming who provide an intimate shuffle of jazz standards and Dizzy Club compositions to warm your hearts with a delightful yuletide mix. Tickets £22.00.

Sat 20th Dec. Janice Burns and Jon Doran are an Anglo-Scottish duo. Their compelling storytelling comes alive through tight vocal harmonies and sensitive interplay between mandolin and bouzouki. £19.30.

Fri 9th Jan. The Washboard Resonators are a duo that play footstomping blues, vaudeville, ragtime, hokum, skiffle and folk.

Sat 10th Jan. The 20ft Squid Blues Band is Sheffield's premier up-beat, irreverent blues outfit, mixing elements of the Chicago style with a broader take on the blues tradition.

Fri 16th Jan. Sound Of The Sirens,

are duo Abbe Martin and Hannah Wood from Exeter. They combine agile guitar playing, soaring harmonies and lyrical heartfelt songwriting. Tickets $\mathfrak{L}19.30$.

Sat 17th Jan. Local four piece **The Tigermen** bring a stripped down version of their take on Chicago style rhythm and blues.

Sun 18th Jan. Lee Bardsley is a singer-songwriter/dreamer of poetic melodies that are born in the everyday.

Wed 21st Jan. John Showman and Chris Coole of the Lonesome Ace Stringband bring you Old Timey, Bluegrass and folk on fiddle and banjo. Tickets £19.30.

Fri 23rd Jan. Ash Gray is a Texan country rock troubadour and is the owner of a warm, versatile set of vocal chords that lend themselves to a variety of songs.

Thur 29th Jan. Steve Jinski

is a singer songwriter, performer, musician, music educator and cultural visionary, whose influences include acoustic folk, Americana, indie and blues.

Sat 31st Jan. Gideon Conn said to be on his journey through jazz, soul and hiphop is joined by Ben P Williams, a Manchester-based singer-songwriter known for crafting songs with honesty.

Doors open at 7.00pm for 7.30 and tickets from WeGotTickets are £16.50 (unless specified separately) including booking fee and byo/corkage fee should you want to bring alcohol. Under 14s must be accompanied by an adult.

SHEFFIELD GENERAL CEMETERY

Thur 4th Dec. Cemetery Sessions present Professor Chill. Step into a sonic world of gentle grooves and shimmering ambience as Professor Chill brings his unique blend of electronic music and sound science at The Samuel Worth Chapel. Time 7.30pm. £10+booking fee.

SHEFFIELD CAROLS AT THE UNION









This years dates for the annual celebration of Sheffield Carols held at The Union Hotel and sponsored by NENG and the History Group:

Thursdays December 4th, 11th & 18th, 7.00 - 9.00

Come early if you want a seat.

Come even earlier if you are thinking of ordering food (doors open 5.30). Not sure what to expect ? Google 'The Sheffield Carol Tradition' or contact john.austin1@btinternet.com

Sat 6th Dec. John Hegley New and Selected Potatoes. Prepare to laugh. sing and be gloriously entertained at The Samuel Worth Chapel. Time 7.30pm. £15+booking fee.

Sun 7th Dec. December History

Tours .Step back in time with us on a guided tour of Sheffield General Cemetery. Meet at the Gatehouse, Cemetery Avenue, S11 8NT. Time10.30am and 11.00am. £5.00+booking fee.

Sun 7th Dec. Christmas with **Sonority Choir**. Celebrate the festive season in enchanting candlelight as Sonority Choir return to the Samuel Worth Chapel for a magical evening of winter and Christmas music. Time: 1.30pm and 5.30pm. £15+ booking

Tue 9th Dec. Christmas Wreath Making. Join us in the Samuel Worth Chapel for a festive wreath-making workshop, tickets include everything needed. Please bring gardening gloves, a pair of secateurs, a large bag to carry your wreath home and any additional embellishments you may wish to add. Time 12.30pm and 3.00pm. £25+booking fee.

Sat 13th Dec. Skank n Boogie.

Get ready to move as Skank n Boogie bring their irresistible mix of soul, funk and reggae to the Samuel Worth Chapel. Time 8.30pm. £7.00+booking fee.

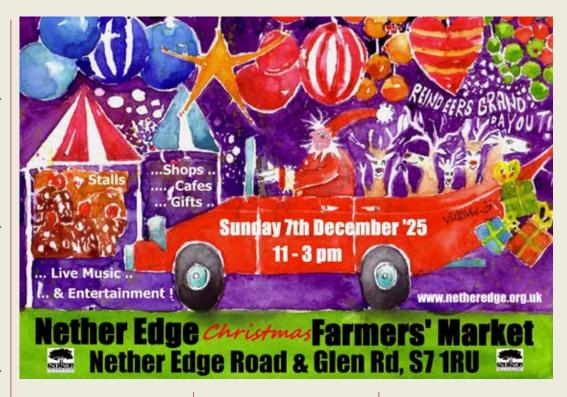
Sun 14th Dec. Steve Edwards.

The Samuel Worth Chapel welcomes singer, songwriter, producer and natural performer Steve Edwards for an unforgettable night of soulful, genre-blending music. Time 7.00pm. £15+booking fee.

Sun 21st Dec. The Midsommars **Alternative Christmas Carols.** Step

into the Samuel Worth Chapel for a spellbinding evening of alternative Christmas carols. The Midsommars are a multinational collective of mystical sisters who breathe new life into ancient and contemporary folk songs. Time 3.30pm and 7.00pm. £15+booking fee.

For further information about events contact sgct@gencem.org . All tickets sold online via TICKET SOURCE, no tickets on the door.



ST ANDREW'S PSALTER

Psalter Lane S11 8YL

Tuesday 9th December: Sheffield Carols Evening at St Andrew's Psalter Lane Church. Drop in any time between 6.30 - 8.30 pm to join in singing carols from Sheffield's folk tradition in an informal atmosphere and do a bit of Christmas shopping! Delicious seasonal refreshments will be available and entry is free -Everyone welcome!

Thurs. 4th, 11th & 18th Dec 7.00 pm **Taizé Prayer for Advent**

Sun.14th Dec. 4.00 pm.

CALM Christmas

Sun. 21st Dec 6.00 pm

Carols by Candlelight

Wed. 24th Dec. 4.00pm **Christingle Service**

Thurs, 25th Dec.

Family Christmas Celebration and

all-age communion. For details of all Sunday and Wednesday services, please visit: standrewspsalterlane. org.uk

Monday mornings 10.00 - 12.00. Knit and Natter. Everyone is welcome to this very informal group. You don't have to be a knitter to come! Good coffee or tea and home-made cake. We meet in Shirley House, next to the church.

The Tuesday Café. Tuesdays 2 -4pm, Shirley House (Next door to MHA Southcroft. Parking in the church car park. Access by ramp). A café for those living at home with memory loss or dementia and their carers and older people living alone. Hot drinks, cakes, biscuits, music, singing, and more. For further information please contact the Church Office: Telephone 0114 2678289

Saturday 6th Dec. Any time from 9.30 - 12.30. Everyone is welcome to help look after the garden at the church.

Sat. 24th Jan. 2026 10.00 am - 2.00 pm. Repair Café

ST PETER AND ST **OSWALD'S CHURCH**

On the corner of Bannerdale and **Abbeydale Roads S7 2DL**

Sat 20th Dec.4.00 pm.

Carol service

Mon. 22nd Dec. 4.00 pm.

Christingle

Wed. 24th Dec. 7.00 pm.

Holy Communion

Thurs. 25th Dec. 10.00 am

Christmas Day Communion

Sun. 25th Jan. 2026 10.00 am.

Service and shared lunch to welcome Simon Outridge, the new Priest-in-charge.

KING'S CENTRE

Union Road

7th December, 11am-1pm Café church followed by bring and share lunch

14th December, 10:30am-12pm Nativity themed Coffee, Craft and Cake welcomes King's Kids and **Families**

21st December, 6pm-7pm

Family friendly Carol Service

(KC style) including mulled wine and mince pies on arrival from 5:45pm

25th December, 10am-11am Christmas Day service for all the

Devotions - Tuesday 9-10am (Term time only)

Food Bank - Tuesday 12:30-2pm (every week) - KC Lower hall

Cuppa Club - Wednesday 1:30-2:30pm (3rd Wed of month) - KC lower hall

Zoom Prayers - Wednesday 7-7.30pm (every week) - KC lower

Men's Soup Group - Thursday 1-2pm (1st Thurs of month)

Disciple-making Communities midweek evenings (contact leaders for more info.)

SHARROW COMMUNITY FORUM

AGM Wed. 3rd Dec - 4.30 - 6.30 pm at Adventures, Crowther Place S7 1 BJ. Come and hear about improvements to the area, our services and how you can get involved and have a say.

LANTERN THEATRE

Kenwood Park Road S7 1NF

Thurs, 15th Jan. - Sat 24th Jan. 7.30 pm. David Alnwick presents Edgar Allen Poe's The Tell-Tale Heart. A chilling tale of obsession and madness, The Tell-Tale Heart follows a killer undone by a sound no one else can hear — the beating of his victim's dead heart. Suitable for age 12+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult. £12 + booking fee.

Fri 30th Jan 7.30 - 9.30 pm Victorious A joyful and poignant musical tribute to the late, great Victoria Wood. Suitable for age 16 +. £12 + booking fee.

Book all shows at ticketsource.co.uk

NETHER EDGE FOLK CLUB

at Nether Edge Bowling Club

Wednesday evenings at 7.30 pm. The club enjoys acoustic music in a wide variety of genres including traditional, roots revival, blues, jazz, country and Americana. It's a friendly community with beginners, experienced players, unaccompanied singers, instrumentalists and listeners all equally welcome.

There is no admission charge but everyone is asked to contribute £2 to the guest booking fund except on guest nights which are ticketed. Please see below.

Wed. 3rd Dec. Banjo Jen Sheffield-based artist Banjo Jen is difficult to categorise but easy to fall for. Her unique brand of folky Americana, with insightful observations and an eclectic original repertoire, has seen her gain a growing reputation as one to watch on the UK singer-songwriter scene. Tickets available on club nights or online at WeGotTickets. £8 + booking fee.

netheredgefolk.club for more details

COMMON GROUND COMMUNITY CENTRE

Woodstock Road S7 1GR

Ammi's Kitchen Community Lunch.

5th and 19th Dec. 9th and 23rd Jan. 2026

A vegan or vegetarian lunch which offers sabzi, rice and chutneys cooked and served by migrant women who have learned culinary skills from the generations of women before them.

12 - 2pm. All are welcome. Eat in only. Pay as you feel or free if on benefits

Ammi's Kitchen Takeaway

12th Dec. 16th and 30th Jan 2026 Order before 5.00pm on the Tuesday before the Takeaway. www.ammiskitchensheffield.org

NETHER EDGE Women's institute

Nether Edge Club, S7 1HR

Enjoy lively, interesting speakers and activities on the first Tuesday evening of the month at 7.30. Meet like minded women at our dining, theatre, craft and walking groups. Contact us on facebook for a chat or pop into the club on our meeting evening and ask for a committee member.

WALKING NETBALL

SHU Pearson Building, Broomgrove Road.

Thursdays 1 - 2pm Lots of limbering up, fun activities (See England Netball website) and a short game. You don't have to be skilled or very agile; it's just great fun. £6 per session. Details: whitechristie3@qmail.com

THE STAG'S HEAD

15 Psalter Lane S11 8YN

Quiz every Monday evening from 8pm.

Everyone is welcome at this popular quiz which has been running for a number of years. It's $\mathfrak{L}1$ to enter and there's a maximum of 6 people in a team. The quiz usually lasts for $1\frac{1}{2}$ - 2 hours.

Free food is provided at half time for quizzers. All quiz entry fees go to two charities - St Luke's and Cavendish Cancer Care.

LIVE AT SAM'S

17th Dec. at St Andrew's Psalter Lane Church 7.30 for 8.00pm start. John Kirkpatrick 'Carolling and Crumpets' Taking its title from John's unforgettable song telling the Nativity story from the point of view of the animals in the stable, this show is a heart-warming look at the timeless rituals found in the folklore and folk music of England at Midwinter. £18

17th Jan. 2026. Ashley Hutchings and Blair Dunlop House concert 7.30 for 8.00 pm

Ashley's son Blair Dunlop joins his father for this very special evening. A BBC Folk Award-winning singersongwriter in his own right, the pair will reflect on a very special musical relationship in chat, music and song. £20

GLORIA MONDAY

Thurs 11th Dec and 8th Jan 2026 at the Nether Edge Bowling Club We'll have pointful songs, good time songs and a few old favourite pop songs and we hope you'll join in. £5 Fundraising for Rethink Mental Illness. gloriamondayduo@gmail.com

SHEFFIELD BRANCH BRITISH CACTUS & SUCCULENT SOCIETY

Monthly meetings are held at Shirley House, Psalter Lane. 7.30pm, usually the 2nd Friday of each month. Free admission; refreshments, usually plant sales. See https://sheffield.bcss.org.uk

ART EXHIBITION

Old Chapel Gallery, Corner Osborne Rd &, Union Rd

Friday 5th - Sunday 7th December 10.30 - 4.30 each day. An exhibition and celebration of student work created in 4 local adult art classes led by tutor Anna Massey. There will be a wide variety of paintings and drawings on display in watercolour, acrylic, pastel, ink and charcoal, by over 60 students. All welcome, free entry. Some works will be for sale.

