St Helens Festival of Imagination

Explore a world of books, words, storytelling and fun Friday 22 July – Saturday 23 July 2022

10am – 4pm Free admission

Family friendly events taking place in St Helens Library, The World of Glass and Lucem House

Come and join us as we celebrate the pleasure of the written word. There are lots of things to do and you can choose the bits that interest you.

Author talks, poetry, films, workshops & performances Lunch is provided for children at the World of Glass.















Here's what's on

Friday 22 July	St Helens Library	Reflections Suite, World of Glass	Lucem Theatre
10-11am	Matt Goodfellow (performance poet)with book signing in collaboration with The BookStop. Age 7+	Free Face Painting all morning	Room on the Broom Age 3+
11-12pm	11.15-12pm Phil Earle (author event) with book signing in collaboration with The BookStop. Age 7+	Will Mabbitt – virtual author event	The Gruffalo (short film) Age 3+
12-1pm		Mark Lowery - virtual author event	Poetry Competition prizes and readings
1-2pm	1.15-2.15pm Matt Goodfellow (performance poet) followed by book signing in collaboration with The BookStop. Age 7+	1.30-3.30pm Creative Writing Workshop with Charlie Lea (11+) Free packed lunches for all children	Free packed lunches for all children
2-3pm			Revolting Rhymes (short Film) Age 7+
3-4pm	2.30-3.30pm Phil Earle - author event followed by book signing in collaboration with The BookStop. Age 7+		A storytelling adventure performance from University Centre St Helens Theatre and Performance students

Saturday 23 July	St Helens Library	Reflections Suite, World of Glass	Lucem Theatre
10-11am	10-10.45am Rachel Lyon (author event) followed by book signing in collaboration with The BookStop	Free Face Painting all morning	The Gruffalo (short film) Age 3+ Free Face Painting all morning
11-12pm	11.15-12.15pm Paul Cookson (performance poet) followed by book signing in collaboration with The BookStop	Will Mabbitt - virtual author event	Performance poet, Dommy B's Best Ever Adventure!
12-1pm		Mark Lowery – a further visit by an author.	The Gruffalo's Child (short film) Age 3+
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2-3pm	2.30-3.30pm Paul Cookson (performance poet) followed by book signing in collaboration with The BookStop		Performance poet, Dommy B's Best Ever Adventure!
3-4pm			We're going on a Bear Hunt(short film)

Please make sure you book early on Eventbrite. Events are suitable for children aged 5+ unless otherwise stated.