

The Goods Shed



Mission, Goals and Objectives

Mission Statement

To give the people of Tetbury and surrounding areas the opportunity to discover, learn, enjoy and practise a wide range of visual, literary and performing arts by providing a well-equipped Goods Shed arts facility along with a comprehensive programme of performances, exhibitions, classes and discussions.

Goals for 2017:

1. To become a recognized centre of arts excellence within the South Cotswolds with an eclectic programme of performing and visual arts.

Objectives:

- a) To create a group of businesses and well-placed individuals capable of sponsoring and raising interest in the work of Goods Shed Arts.
- b) To create relationships with leading national arts groups such that they are prepared to exhibit or perform at the Goods Shed.
- c) To hold at least one regionally acclaimed art or sculpture exhibition per year.
- d) To hold at least 5 nights of performances by nationally recognised orchestras, singers or dance ensembles.
- e) To hold at least 3 live performances per month by local artistes.
- f) To hold at least two local “festivals” based around the Goods Shed.
- g) To hold at least two art exhibitions per year for local artists, photographers or craftspeople.

2. To make the Goods Shed self-funding by making maximum use of its facilities:

Objectives:

- a) To become the natural and most popular focus for arts and leisure in the Tetbury area.
- b) To provide a desirable venue for corporate and academic events, meetings and seminars.
- c) To identify and capitalise on local needs for a space in which to undertake peripheral activities such as youth development, physical fitness and social gatherings for the aged.
- d) To establish a regular farmer’s market in order to draw people to the Goods Shed.
- e) To live-stream popular sporting events.

3. To give local people of all ages frequent access to films and the live streaming of events held at major national theatres.

Objectives:

- a) To have performances of recent popular films at least one night and one matinee per week.
- b) To show at least two “art” films per month.
- c) To show at least one film aimed at children or teenagers per week.
- d) To show at least one live streaming per month spread evenly between pop and classical concerts, opera and ballet.

4. To lay the basis for being able to provide a broad programme of arts and crafts education by December 2020.

Objectives:

- a) Identify the local needs for arts, craft and academic activities.
- b) Identify local teachers able to provide these activities.
- c) Identify the facilities and equipment needed to provide the activities.
- d) Identify a suitable programme of training and education

5. To increase the attraction of the Arts Centre by improving its facilities and creating other features of interest around it.

Objectives:

- e) To support the creation of a bridleway running from the Goods Shed to Kemble.
- f) To create a toddlers’ play park close to the Goods Shed.
- g) To install one or more railway carriages adjacent to the Goods Shed.
- h) To improve the area with flower beds and shrubs.
- i) To develop the dining and other in-house facilities.

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