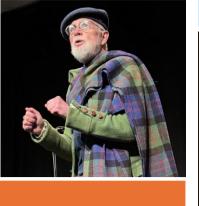
## Aberdeen and Beyond Storytelling Festival 2024

co-organised by the Elphinstone Institute and the Grampian Association of Storytellers











EVENTS FOR ALL AGES		
FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH	FIRST FRIDAY FLING   Friendly monthly storytelling get-together	St Peter's Heritage Centre
7–9pm   £3 donation	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Peterculter AB14 0PU
<b>TUESDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2024</b>	STORIES AND SONGS OF IRELAND   Nuala Hayes and Aoife Granville	Sir Duncan Rice Library
6.30–8pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and the Scottish Intl Storytelling Festival	Fl. 7, Craig Suite
<b>MONDAY, 18 NOVEMBER 2024</b>	THE DESPERATE BATTLE OF THE BIRDS   James MacDonald Reid & Ryan Williams	Sir Duncan Rice Library
6.30–8pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and the Scottish Intl Storytelling Festival	Fl. 7, Craig Suite
<b>TUESDAY, 19 NOVEMBER 2024</b> 7–9pm   Donations welcome	<b>TOILET TALES FOR ADULTS (FUNDRAISER)   Jackie Ross &amp; Nicola Wright</b> Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers & the Toilet Twinning Organisation	Online event
<b>TUESDAY, 28 JANUARY 2025</b>	WILD AND FREE? STORIES OF LAND AND SOUL   Cara Silversmith	Divinity Library, King's
6.30–8pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and the Grampian Association of Storytellers	College, AB24 3SW
WED., 26 FEBRUARY 2025	WEAVING SOUTH & NORTH: SYRIAN TALES   Sahar Abdulla & Ali Al Daioub	Divinity Library, King's
6.30–8pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and the Grampian Association of Storytellers	College, AB24 3SW
<b>THURSDAY, 25 MARCH 2025</b>	OF BEGINNINGS & OF THE NORTH: FINNISH TALES & BEYOND   Riikka Palonen	Divinity Library, King's
6.30–8pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and the Grampian Association of Storytellers	College, AB24 3SW
<b>MONDAY, 14 APRIL 2025</b>	<b>REFUGEE/MIGRANT STORYTELLING WORKSHOP 1   David Heathfield</b>	Buchan Library, Elph. Inst.
10am–12pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and Refugee Festival Scotland	MacRbt Bldg, AB24 5UA
<b>MONDAY, 12 MAY 2025</b>	<b>REFUGEE/MIGRANT STORYTELLING WORKSHOP 2   Jackie Ross &amp; Phyll McBain</b>	Buchan Library, Elph. Inst.
10am–12pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and Refugee Festival Scotland	MacRbt Bldg, AB24 5UA
<b>MONDAY, 16 JUNE 2025</b>	SHARING OUR STORIES: REFUGEE/MIGRANT STORYTELLING PERFORMANCE	Sir Duncan Rice Library
6–8pm   Free but ticketed	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and Refugee Festival Scotland	Fl. 2, Seminar Rm 224
	EVENTS FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS	
<b>FRIDAY, 4 OCTOBER 2024</b>	A STORYTELLING ADVENTURE FOR PRIMARY-AGED CHILDREN   Anna Fancett	Inverurie Library, Market Pl
11am–12pm   Free	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Inverurie AB51 3SN
<b>TUESDAY, 15 OCTOBER 2024</b>	LEGENDS, LIES, & LAUGHTER: STORIES FOR TEENS   C. Silversmith & P. McBain	Aberdeen Central Library
10am–12.30pm   Free	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Aberdeen AB25 1GW
<b>TUESDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2024</b>	LEGENDS, LIES, & LAUGHTER: WORKSHOP   Cara Silversmith & Phyll McBain	Aberdeen Central Library
10am–12.30pm   Free	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Aberdeen AB25 1GW
<b>SATURDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2024</b>	FUN WITH STORIES (FAMILIES/ALL AGES)   Anna Fancett	Culter Library
11am–12pm   Free	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Peterculter AB14 0UJ
<b>FRIDAY, 8 NOVMEBER 2024</b>	UNEXPECTED HEROES: ADVENTURES FOR BIG & SMALL   Pauline Cordiner	Banchory Library
10.30–11.30am   Free	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Banchory AB31 5SU
<b>SAT., 9 NOVEMBER 2024</b>	DORIC RHYME TIME FOR BAIRNS   Sheena Blackhall & Jackie Ross	Westhill Library
10–11am   Free	Hosted by the Grampian Association of Storytellers	Westhill AB32 6FY
<b>TUESDAY, 19 NOVEMBER 2024</b>	<b>TOILET TALES FOR CHILDREN   Jackie Ross &amp; Nicola Wright</b>	King's College
Pre-booked for Primary Schools	Hosted by the Elphinstone Institute and the Toilet Twinning Organisation	University of Aberdeen

## TO BOOK TICKETED EVENTS E-MAIL: ELPHINSTONE@ABDN.AC.UK OR TELEPHONE: 01224 272996

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