



Cathays Local Businesses



Cathays Monthly Update – February 2025

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February 2025 comments:

Gremlins in the machine

How I got January's update out I will never know – a lot of IT glitches recently and not having a PC has meant the February update has been a challenge to put together, write and edit.

Fairoak Primary School Opens Sept 2025

The newly renamed Gladstone Primary School (and the smaller population of Allensbank Juniors) will amalgamate to open in September 2025 under the new name of Fairoak Primary School.

St Monica's will move up to the existing Ysgol Mynydd Bychan site – which in turn will move to the Allensbank Juniors site (on Llanishen Street) whilst, as mentioned before the Allensbank pupils will join with Gladstone pupils. It all seems full circle

When years ago St Monica's came from the bottom of Llantrissant Street/Merthyr Road to take up residency in part of Gladstone site (the old headteacher he was not happy about that – historical local drama decades ago!!) yet this was due to both school populations dropping with 'the change' of the 1980's to 2000's with families moving out the area and a dwindling demographic led to less pupils attending our schools.

Now that position is being reversed, as the younger families are moving back into the Cathays district – and the children/pupil numbers going gradually back up.

Mrs. Paula Shipton-Jones will continue as Headteacher at the new amalgamated Gladstone and Allensbank group of children to become the new Fairoak Primary School. I hope our community gets behind the new school set up – we wish all 4 primary schools success in the changeover and the coming years settling into their respective buildings.

Early morning haircut?

Given a fair few residents do work long shifts and often cannot shop or use local services in the evenings – a small positive to highlight in our community.

Jack's on the bottom end of Cathays Terrace is open 7:30am onwards (sometimes a bit earlier) in the mornings for those who have long shifts and cannot go for a trim in the evenings. Please do pass this on

Coldest day of the year

Please remember the agricultural industry loves a very cold winter as namely it helps the ground re-set. It may have been a cold winter – yet I hope this leads now to a bumper growing year for the UK agricultural system.

Engaging with the waste producers

One of the Pizza producers have been quite infamous in recent decades for the bi-product, delivery truck nightmares that has caused residents stress etc.

I have been going there for 6 months now, to try and get some ongoing dialogue with the staff to try and understand the dynamics their end of things.

The questions I had was around storage, excess food /pizza produced, waste flow, output etc.

I was trying to understand what prospect could there be of sending the food to the local 'Community Fridge' yet at 4am when the pizza place closes – there are no staff to take the food to the community fridge, more to the point obviously the community fridge is not open that time of the morning.

Bit of idealistic thinking (over-thinking?) yet If we have a community fridge – why not a community oven or hot-plate? Not necessarily in the same location (how much would it cost to maintain heat on – expensive! How to run it – independent off-grid system?) yet just sharing some thoughts on how to reduce our waste streams (and stress for treasured residents).

Too proud to ask for help?

Don't be!! It is scary how many residents will not go to a doctor, optician, dentist – or even the local chemist even if they are suffering a bit of grief with sight, hearing, general pains etc.

A lot of this stems from incurred costs – or feared potential costs – which puts people off going to GP, dentist, optician etc. *Oh dear – back on the issue of money* Please all of you get your health checked out We are only human!! Too many think they are invincible

We've lost too many neighbours across Cathays in the last 5 years, I ponder if more of them had regular healthcare checks if they'd still be amongst us. Please people – will you put your health first!!

Tiny income/costs savings for the residents

On the theme of costs, I am trying to put posters in from NHS, or the various Uni's of when they are running little projects – which the local residents can get tiny pots of money from.

So for example the Optometry School was running a long term project where they pay £40 for 3-4 hours of testing your eyes as part of a research study.

If I can get info off the 3 colleges, NHS etc – I will aim to get these posters into this community update – if it helps a few of you make an easy £20 or get a shopping voucher.

Waste Oil production and collectors

A lot of small businesses cannot always afford big corporate waste collectors. By chance a discussion with a local Oil Collector from the food/coffee shops it was interesting to see their insight to the changes in the high street with all the 'little' businesses they service.

If the local businesses could tell us which oil collectors they use – it may be a prudent measure to add a few of them to the 'Cathays Trusted Tradesperson' database (based on your professional recommendation).

Keep your receipt at Lidl Cathays

Recently a barrier has been set up in the 'self-serve' part of Lidl on Maindy Road. This obviously has something to do with the level of thefts in any retailer around the UK.

So Please do not throw away your receipt, as you will need it to hover over the 'scan-reader' in order to get out of the self-serve area.

Do not say you were not warned. Keep your receipt until you wish to dispose of it at home.

Tea & Cakes Tuesday – 11th February

Specifically focussing on 'Belongers' exhibition (see bigger entry below) the first Tea & Cakes Tuesday of 2025 at Ffotogallery is underway from 11am until 1pm.

Be the amongst the first to experience this powerful exhibition in relaxed and welcoming atmosphere. Have a hot drink and some delicious cake whilst connecting with others who share a passion for art and culture.

Local organised walks

There seems to be 3 or 4 regular organised walks across Cathays – yet they are not publicised enough; if you are involved with any of these – happy to put them up on the monthly calendar so please do pass any information on about these walks.

The invasive phone calls

Once again – the ghost calls still exists Approximately a decade agoWhen a neighbour on Treherbert Street told me they were awaiting a phone call from the Velindre Hospital for the necessary cancer treatment of a family member – they were constantly waiting on the amazing NHS to call them on their landline (advanced age – so they never used mobiles) yet all they got was literally 100's of nuisance calls. Very stressful for them!!

To this day – sadly people still not know about the TPS www.tpsonline.org.uk/ Telephone Preference Service – please get your landline and mobiles registered with the TPS to stop the UK based nuisance calls being made to you. It drives people nuts!!!

Death of social media FB etc

The last 18-24 months a lot of residents have complained to me about all the 'anonymous posting' on the infamous Facebook Connect Cathays page – and how the page has become somewhat redundant for Cathays.

It may have a high volume of people on the group, yet most of them (students) left the area years ago. A lot of the businesses that needlessly post on there are from outside the area and not employing local people.

This is not entirely a bad thing, as many have turned away from social media on many levels (including our youngster who anecdotally mock social media as part of self-parody).

This was Paul Byers (A Maindy Road resident) FB group – he set it up in 2011 to benefit the area Paul sadly died in November 2016 (I went to the funeral wake in December) and he would be displeased/spinning in his proverbial grave if he saw the direction it went in over 2019 onwards For the 90% of residents who never were on that FB group – be grateful you missed all the b@~l&%t during lockdown and the very wrong direction it has been going down since As a community we just do not need it whatsoever!!

I invite you to live in the real world, actually talk to your neighbours I do know how amazing 1000's of the residents of Cathays are – I just wish I could have found a way for you to all communicate with each other. So many of you silently lead by example on so many levels You really make us collectively a better community!

SPAM Mail out of control

So for a lot of people, the spam email is still overloading your inboxes (no – not this community update – cheek!) and some residents have told me they can't be bothered to keep 'junking' the email when they get several of them everyday for weeks – to – months on end

All I can do is beg you to endure. From discussions with neighbours (this could be reflective of the whole world) yet when you are targeted they get an onslaught of junk emails – please just keep 'reporting as junk/phishing' – as they will inevitably reduce after a few weeks. Do not let your inbox just pile up with them When you report it – it helps the international digital community flag all these junk mailers and eventually they will get shut down. *Please keep 'junking the junk emails'!!*

It is not because you've been silly with your email address and published it anywhere public – there are many ways your email address is accessed

The 'Your Cathays online CALENDAR' in February:

Links: <https://www.yourcathays.org.uk/>

Scroll down the front page or click on internet link here: [CALENDAR - What's on this month](#) – enjoy!

Get your entries in please!

Please help to repopulate this monthly online Cathays Calendar – for those with entries on the calendar, please ensure the information is updated with times, links etc.



February 2025

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
					1 10:00 am: Repair Cafe Cathays - every 1st Saturday of the month 11:30 am: XR Cardiff - Monthly Meetings - first Saturday of each month @ Quakers - Charles Street	2
3 7:00 pm: Cathays Brass - every Monday evening!! 7:00 pm: Cathays PACT - Bi-Monthly: Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec @ Venue TBC	4 10:30 am: Baby & Toddler Group - EVERY Tuesday @ 'The Table' - Pentyrch Street 10:30 am: Weekly Tuesday 'Cathays Cemetery Walk' (Walk for Health) 11:00 am: Tea & Cakes - The first Tuesday of each month @ Ffotogallery	5 10:00 am: Bute Park - Plant Sales EVERY Wednesday 6:45 pm: Cardiff Greenpeace @ Temple of Peace - 1st Wednesday of each month	6 2:00 pm: Heritage FAN [Friends And Neighbours] 2pm at Cathays Library 7:30 pm: Blues Dragon & Blues - First Thursday of each month	7	8 11:00 am: Foodbank @ Woodville Baptist Church - EVERY Saturday	9 1:00 pm: United Community Social - EVERY Sunday @ Brodies Cafe (North Road)
10 9:30 am: Story Time for Under 5's - English 7 Welsh Medium - EVERY Monday	11 2:00 pm: Memory Lane (Dementia support group) EVERY Tuesday	12 10:00 am: Police Community Access Point - weekly @ Sherman Theatre 12:00 pm: Home Grown Vegetable for sale - EVERY Wednesday	13 4:30 pm: Youth Club @ Cathays Community Centre - EVERY Thursday	14 6:30 pm: IYP - Youth Club @ Cathays Community Centre EVERY Friday	15 10:00 am: Plant sales @ Bute Park - every Saturday	16
17 6:00 pm: Embassy Youth Club - EVERY Monday early evening	18	19 10:00 am: Coffee Morning - EVERY Wednesday @ Cathays Community Centre	20	21	22	23
24	25 1:00 pm: Foodbank @ Woodville Baptist Church - EVERY Tuesday 1pm to 3pm	26	27	28		

Please **contact us** and tell us about your events in Cathays so that we can add them to the *Your Cathays Calendar* for everyone else across Cathays to see & share in your activities !!

Cathays Community Centre AGM – 3rd time lucky !!!

“Red storm warning will not hold us back!!!”

The AGM was set in stone for early December then God sent a curveball with the infamous 90mph winds (in some parts of UK) which resulted in the first ever Red Storm Warning that went to millions of people’s PCD (personal communication device) – I meant ‘mobile’ device! It got deferred another week or 2, yet more spanners in the works – and the AGM was deferred to January after the UK got through the silly season.



The amazing people from Cathays Community Centre made it happen 3rd time lucky on **Saturday, 11th January 2025** when the AGM (f-i-n-a-l-l-y) happened. So you can not accuse the Community Centre of never quitting. Amazing job everyone involved !!

Long story short !! What happened then

It was amazing – opening with multiple songs from several local bands (including the in-house band of Sam, Tom, Pete, Bud et al) approximately 45-50 people were in attendance. Very positive vibe with a lot of love demonstrated through many people’s hard efforts in the last 12 months (and many years before!!)

Ministry of Life Youth Project:

One of the highlights was Adam initially being involved with the coffee mornings as a volunteer, this motivation and activity has resulted in Adam now having a job at the community centre.

Gemma (local resident): Volunteer Coordinator

Gemma (who was painting faces at the Cathays Fair in April 2017) who explained her 12 month role, and that they’ve got 32 new action volunteers involved since April 2024 and the positive things they have contributed recently. Well done, Gemma – for your contribution to not only the amazing community centre, yet as a resident, a mum and part of the Cathays community.

A reflection of the centre

Many did reflect how the community centre is a very special place to work, volunteer and play in. A few anecdotes were shared – you feel the passion in the people’s voices!!

Debs is retiring!!

Yes after many years of service (20 years!!) – Debbie has done a great deal with funding applications etc and as she retires the centre is in a stable financial position. Thank you Debs!!

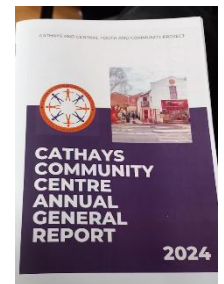
John remembered And he remembered you !!!

It was sad to hear that John – Bud’s predecessor that ran the community centre for many years had died – yet it was a beautiful revelation that John had left the Cathays Community Centre in his will (basically the sale of his property) which is bequeathed to the Cathays Community Centre. That will be a significant chunk of funds to help Bud and the team, the volunteers, the participants and everyone else through the coming years!!

Bud, Manager
Cathays Community Centre

This is what Cathays is about – people who care - people who lead by example!!

You ALL make us thrive – when we work together properly to make the right thing happen by the majority of us all!!



Foodbank in Cathays – donating and collection for February 2025

Link: www.cardiff.foodbank.org.uk

Just like any week of the year – 10,000's of people are still going hungry in a 100km radius of you!



19,253

three day emergency food supplies were provided to local people in crisis by Cardiff Foodbank - of this number 7639 (39%) went to children.



£863

Average rent for a two bed in our city



MORE THAN 1 IN 5

of the UK population live below the poverty line

This list changes EVERY MONTH – so see what shortage/excess the Foodbank is experiencing and please help out by depositing in Foodbank Boxes at Sainsbury's, Lidl, Co-Operative etc. Thank you everyone for donating!

- COOKING SAUCE IN JARS
- LONG-LIFE JUICE
- SPONGE PUDDINGS
- TINNED FRUIT
- TINNED TOMATOES
- CUSTARD
- SOUP
- TINNED FISH
- TINNED MEAT
- TINNED VEGETABLES

Please be aware this could change very quickly each month – so please check out the Cardiff Foodbank link to view our wants/excess list on:

<https://cardiff.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

At present we have plenty of:

- BAKED BEANS
- NAPPIES
- SQUASH
- CEREAL
- PASTA

Please check the link weekly.

To qualify for Foodbank – you need to get referred by your GP, our housing association, the Citizens Advice group or a Social worker!

Here you will be assessed and see if you qualify for the Foodbank voucher to use at the nearest Foodbanks to you!

Many residents, local businesses have asked how to help out – please do help to donate, or if you are a faith group, local business, school etc who wish to set up a foodbank – please contact Cardiff Foodbank and see how you can help out! Every donation (in the panel it highlights what we are short of!) welcome!

Foodbank Cathays DONATION drop off locations:

Deposit in Foodbank Boxes in various part of Cathays including:

- **Al-Manar Centre** – Glynrhonda Road
- **Dar Ul Isra Mosque** – Wyeverne Road (*please do drop off Saturday's between 11:30 and 12:30*)
- **Sherman Theatre** – Box is on the right of entrance (also Warm Places)
- **Sainsburys** – Woodville Road (regular opening hours)
- **Tesco** – Cathays Terrace (regular opening hours)

We are grateful to learn that Dar Ul-Isra Foodbank has been nominated for the Co-Op community Fund 2022/2023 this year! Congrats!

Please do give where you can spare one thing on the right list box!

Thank you everyone who donates!

Felicity – Cardiff Foodbank
Gauri – Cardiff Foodbank
Barak – Al-Manar Centre
Mo – Dar Ul-Isra
Simon – Sherman Theatre



Maindy Velodrome saved? Another positive step forward by the people of Cardiff

Link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/savemaindyvelodrome/>

Many of you woke up to this headline in The Echo earlier on Monday, 20th January (image courtesy of Christine Edmonds – one of the pioneers of **Save Maindy Velodrome** group) shows us that the cycle track / velodrome may be saved for now!! So we shall see how things play out.

The journey of the last few years

Please understand the unprecedented nature of this entire saga of a lot of 'little people' who came together and did the impossible of taking on a council entity.

The resilience and outright 'never give up – never surrender' attitude was incredible (it's a pity they were not about to 'Save the Gower Pub' or other losses Cathays have been subjected to in the last 10 to 15 years!)

Multi-group support !!

It wasn't just the amazing Save Maindy Velodrome activists, yet the support from Cardiff Civic Society and other activist group also worked on this collaboration!

The people of Cardiff from many districts are just sick to death with the very poor direction that Cardiff is going in so what can you all do to evoke change?

Still much work to be done

If you want to help out – why not join the ABC Maindy group – hopefully they will have a stronger voice in the post-Save Maindy Velodrome era and help support the entire site to being part of our heritage, part of our health, possibly a Cathays & Maindy Community Garden growing space and get more people swimming, using the gym at GLL Maindy.

Clean up the site?

There is still a lot of work to be done please do support the core Save Maindy Velodrome Team. When Wyn and the core committee did the clean up in January 2024 – a healthy turn up of residents showed up to do their bit. It may be the opportunity may arise to get green space improvements undertaken, perhaps some artwork on the wall of the cycle track – or what about blue skies thinking and creating a seating and roof system for 250 to 500 people/spectators to sit and cheer on the cyclist in the 2030's/2040's onwards Like they had decades ago when it really meant something to turn up and support local sports, local skills, local people etc everything comes full circle!!! Will you get involved !?!

Content written by editor – yet in awe of the following people's efforts

Ant, Christine, Renata, Chris, Jeremy, Wyn and many others Committee/Volunteers
Save Maindy Velodrome / ABC Maindy



Food for Life Project – at The Cathays Community Centre – every Tuesday!!

Link: www.cathays.org.uk/

Or <https://www.instagram.com/cathayscommunitycentre/p/DFXsQrwszkg/>

Food for Life Project

Every Tuesday 10am-12pm 😊 The Food for Life project are at the Centre.



Featuring hot and healthy plant based meals.

This is a pay as you feel // donation based project which is here to help those that might need it ❤️

Let's Spread the Word 🗣️🗣️

Thank you for your work @foodforlifewales

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Thank you Shelly (local resident / Cathays Ladies Group) for flagging this positive venture up!!

Cardiff Social Circle – please do get involved.

We run our community on a platform called Discord: <http://discord.gg/cardiffsocialcircle>

FB group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1064142848752192>



MAKE FRIENDS!

Cardiff Social Circle is a laid-back group hosting a variety of meet-ups and social events across the city. Whether you're new to Cardiff, a student, or just keen to expand your social circle, we'd love to welcome you!

REGULAR MEETS

- Coffee Socials
- Pub Socials
- Food Meetups
- Online Games Nights
- Board Games
- Crafting Nights
- Trips to Local Events

& more!

Join us today on
<http://discord.gg/cardiffsocialcircle>

James – Co-ordinator
Cardiff Social Circle

(Again - I have mentioned to James several venues in Cathays to host potential Cardiff Social Circle events, to this if I know in advance that an event is happening, I will add it into this community update

O. Constantinou secures business growth match-funding for solar/wig training

Link: www.simonconstantinou.com

O.Constantinou & Sons Secures SPF Business Growth Match-Funding for Solar Panels and Wig Training Equipment



Cardiff, UK – O.Constantinou & Sons, a longstanding family-run hair salon, is proud to announce that it has secured SPF Business Development match-funding from Cardiff Council. This funding has enabled the salon to install solar panels, paving the way for a more sustainable future, while also investing in wig training equipment to enhance its specialist services and upskill staff to accommodate this growing department.

At a time when the economy presents ongoing challenges for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs), O.Constantinou & Sons remains committed to innovation, sustainability, and providing exceptional service. The funding has allowed the business to make crucial changes that would have otherwise been difficult amidst rising operational costs and economic uncertainty.

Investing in Sustainability with energy prices soaring, the installation of solar panels is a significant step towards reducing the salon’s carbon footprint and long-term energy costs. By generating renewable energy on-site, O.Constantinou & Sons is reinforcing its commitment to environmental responsibility while ensuring financial sustainability.

Advancing Wig Services & Training recognising the increasing demand for high-quality wig services, particularly for individuals experiencing hair loss due to medical conditions, the salon has also invested in advanced wig training equipment. Last year the salon received the contract to provide and fit wigs for the NHS and this investment ensures that the team continues to offer the highest level of expertise, helping clients feel confident and supported during their hair journey.

Navigating Economic Challenges as an SME despite the economic climate making it difficult for business owners to invest in growth, O.Constantinou & Sons has remained proactive in seeking funding opportunities and adapting to industry changes. The SPF Business Development match-funding has been instrumental in allowing the business to implement meaningful changes that benefit both clients and the environment.

“We are incredibly grateful for this funding, as it has allowed us to take significant steps towards sustainability while continuing to invest in specialist services,” said Helen Rouse, Director at O.Constantinou & Sons. “As a small business, navigating today’s economic landscape is challenging, but we remain committed to evolving, innovating, and providing the best possible service to our clients.”

By embracing sustainability and specialist training, O.Constantinou & Sons continues to lead the way in the hair and wig industry, demonstrating that with determination and support, small businesses can thrive even in tough economic times.

Tel: 07733044356 / hello@simonconstantinou.com / www.simonconstantinou.com

Helen –Director
Constantinou – Crwys Road

Repair Café Cathays – 10am to 1:30pm @ Sherman Theatre – Saturday 1st February

Main website: <https://repaircafewales.org/event/repair-cafe-cathays/all/>

Get your broken stuff repaired for FREE !!

When you arrive at Repair Café Cathays, register at the volunteer’s desk – then please either scan the bar code to start the process, or Or alternatively – you can fill out the form online - <https://repaircafewales.org/what-are-you-having-repaired-today/> - and get your repairs undertaken)



There are Repair Stations for **Information Technology**, **PAT testing**, **Textiles**, **General**, **Electrical**, **Bike repair**, come and have a look at all the Repair stations!



email: repaircafecathays@gmail.com

Social Media please search: **Repair Café Cardiff**



Margaret, Colin, Melanie, Imants, John and everyone else - Volunteers
Repair Café Cathays

Zumba Class @ Cathays Community Centre – Every Wednesday starting 5th February

ZUMBA

DON'T MISS THIS CLASS!

**ZUMBA with Catrin
@ Cathays Community Centre**

EVERY WEDNESDAY @ 6PM

£7

£5 for students

**GET FIT.
MAKE FRIENDS.
FEEL CONFIDENT.
HAVE FUN.**

ALL ABILITIES WELCOME!

Catrin – Zumba lead
Cathays Community Centre – Cathays Terrace

[Belongers @ Ffotogallery – Public preview Thursday, 6th February](#)

Link: <https://www.fffotogallery.org/whats-on-listings/audrey-albert-belongers/>

fffotogallery



Then after preview evening the exhibition continues:

Friday 7th February to Saturday 10th May 2025

Belongers is the first UK solo show by Manchester-based Mauritian-Chagossian artist Audrey Albert. It explores how Chagossians represent themselves and reclaim their identities while navigating life in countries that have never fully felt like ‘home’. The exhibition brings together portraiture, documentary, moving image, cyanotypes, and a traditional Chagossian Kaz (hut), developed through research interviews over the past two years.

Alongside these works, Albert has invited contributions from other artists and researchers, celebrating the multiplicity of Chagossian identities. The exhibition includes perspectives from Mauritius, Wythenshawe and Crawley, each home to large Chagossian communities, and archival glimpses of the Chagos Islands, reflecting the experiences of a diasporic nation denied the right to return since 1968.

Hosted in Wales, which aspires to be the world’s first official Nation of Sanctuary, *Belongers* shines a light on the Chagossian community at a critical moment, as the Chagos Islands and their people continue to be influenced and fragmented by domestic and international political and military agendas.

An IWM 14-18 NOW Legacy Fund commission in partnership with Ffotogallery.

Cath – Staff
Ffotogallery

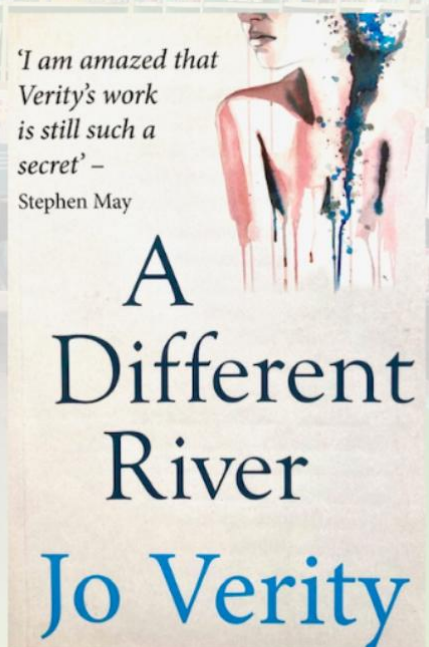
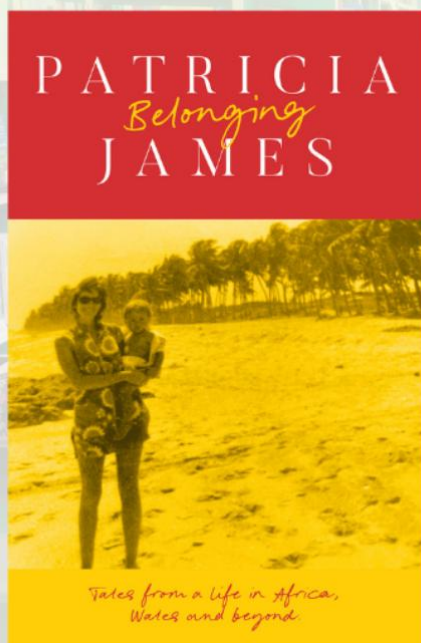
'Belonging' Book Event @ Book Space Cardiff – Thursday, 6th February:

Link: <https://www.bookspacecardiff.co.uk/pages/events/>

Book Space Cardiff

Belonging book event

In conversation with Patricia James and Jo Verity



Date: 6/2/25

Time: 18:30 (doors at 18:10)

Place: 26a Crwys Road, CF24 4NL

Tickets on our website

Hayley J – Singer @ Cathays Sports & Social – Saturday, 8th February – 9pm

KnightHill
ENTERTAINMENTS

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VERY BEST IN LIVE
ENTERTAINMENT!



HAYLEY J
Saturday 8th February

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Mark – Manager / Josh – Deputy Manager
Cathays Sports & Social – Cathays Terrace

Future Wales / Changes everything @ Book Space Cardiff – Wednesday, 12th February:

Link: <https://www.bookspacecardiff.co.uk/pages/events>

Book Space Cardiff

Poetry Open Mic February



Date: 12/2/25

Time: 18:30 (doors, 18:15)

Place: 26a Crwys Road, CF24 4NL

Tickets on our website

Lily – Manager
Book Space Cardiff

Future Wales / Changes everything @ Book Space Cardiff – Friday, 14th February:

Link: <https://www.bookspacecardiff.co.uk/pages/events>

Book Space Cardiff

Future Wales // Change Everything

In conversation with Anthony Slaughter and Natalie Bennett

Future Wales

A Vision for
Green Democracy

Anthony Slaughter



Both practical and hopeful, it's essential reading for anyone who wants a route map to a fairer, greener future'
CAROLINE LUCAS

Natalie Bennett

CHANGE EVERYTHING

How we can rethink,
repair and rebuild society

Date: 14/2/25

Time: 18:30 (doors at 18:10)

Place: 26a Crwys Road, CF24 4NL

Tickets on our website

How to think like a Poet @ Book Space Cardiff – Wednesday, 19th February

Link: <https://www.bookspacecardiff.co.uk/pages/events>

Book Space Cardiff

Think Like A Poet

In conversation with Dai George, hosted by Taz Rahman

**HOW TO
THINK LIKE A
POET**



THE POETS THAT MADE OUR WORLD
AND WHY WE NEED THEM

DAI GEORGE

BLOOMSBURY



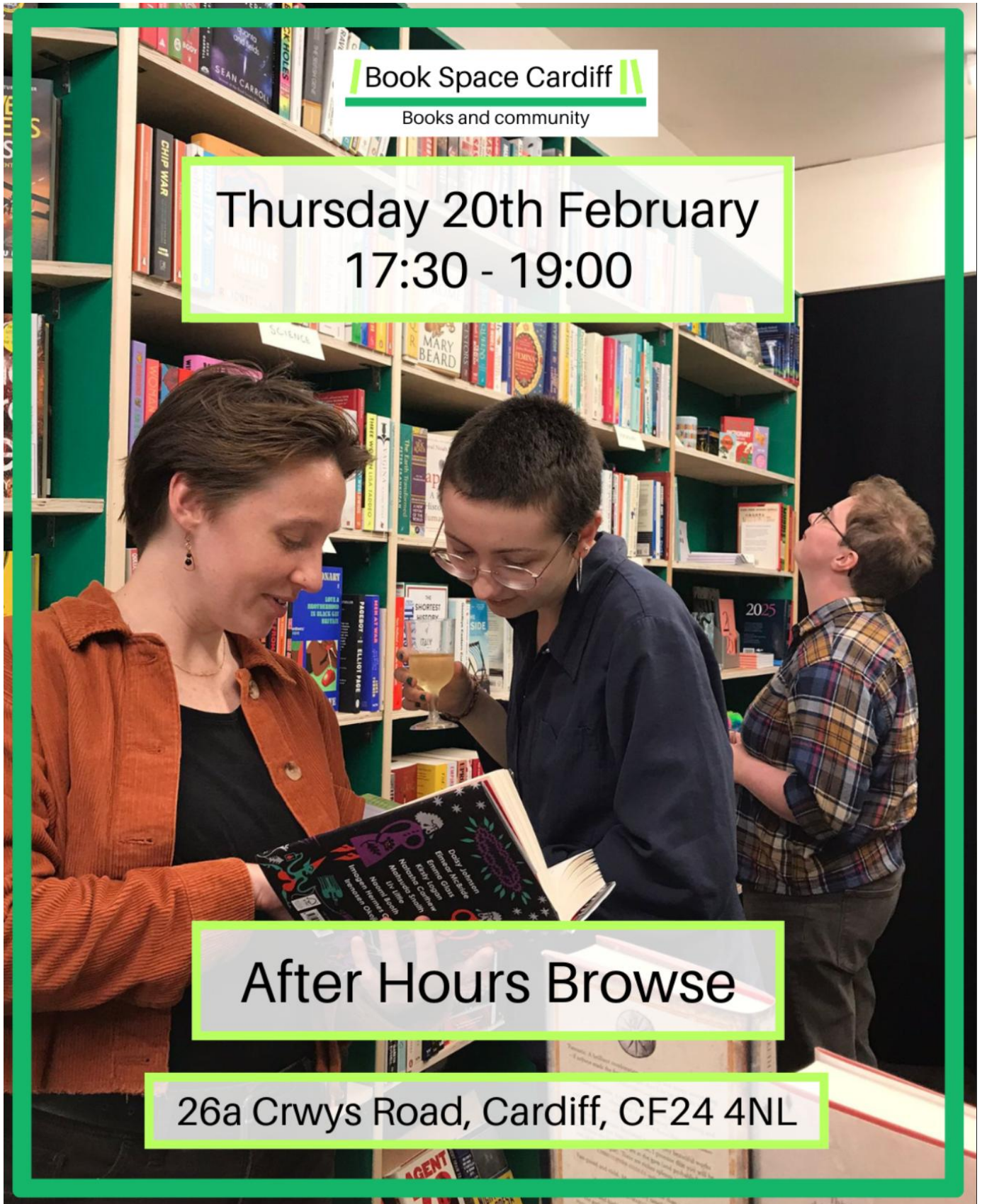
Date: 19/2/25

Time: 18:20 (doors at 18:00)

Place: 26a Crwys Road, CF24 4NL

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After Hours Browse @ Book Space Cardiff – Thursday, 20th February



Book Space Cardiff
Books and community

Thursday 20th February
17:30 - 19:00

After Hours Browse

26a Crwys Road, Cardiff, CF24 4NL

Lily – Manager
Book Space Cardiff

Mercedes – Singer @ Cathays Sports & Social - Saturday, 22nd February – 9pm

Knight Hill
ENTERTAINMENTS

PROVIDING THE
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ENTERTAINMENT!

MERCEDDES
Saturday 22nd February

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Cathays Sports & Social – Cathays Terrace

Peak Cymru Event @ Book Space Cardiff – Thursday, 27th February

Link: <https://www.bookspacecardiff.co.uk/pages/events/>

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Peak Cymru Event

Celebrate the publication of Ymagor



Date: 27/2/25

Time: 18:30 (doors 18:10)

Place: 26a Crwys Road, CF24 4NL

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Lily – Manager
Book Space Cardiff



Cathays Local Businesses



March 2025 – Cathays Monthly Update

Winter ends Spring 2025 begins

Clocks go to lighter evenings

Nature breeds

Please do get your Easter posters, Eid and Ramadan posters in

Celebrate your humanity

The online monthly statistics show people from all around Cardiff check this community update – and we strongly encourage all the other districts of Roath, Penylan, Birchgrove, Whitchurch, Gabalfa, Pontcanna etc to create their own monthly updates!

You all make this community a success – let's keep pulling together !!

Regards,

Paulus