

# Business Support and Representation







11:00-12:30 Registration & Networking 12:30-13:00 Keynote Speaker 13:00-14:00 Lunch & Networking

### CONNECT & ELEVATE

#### Slough Business Networking

Get ready to expand your horizons, forge meaningful connections, and unlock new opportunities at the Slough BID and Asian Star Radio Networking seminar – the ultimate networking experience!



11:00 - 14:00



8 February 2024



Asian Star Radio, The Gallery Level, The Observatory SC, Slough, SL1 1LH

#### Hosted by Slough BID and Asian Star Radio

For more information please email: info@sloughbid.co.uk | info@asianstar1016.co.uk

#### **Slough Business Networking Event**

Slough BID & Asian Star Radio invite Slough Business Entrepreneurs and Managers to connect with fellow professionals at the next Business Networking Event.

It's the perfect opportunity to expand your networks, share ideas, and forge new partnerships.

We look forward to seeing the power of collaboration in action.

**Date: Thursday 8th February** 

🔯 : 11am until 14.00

: Asian Star Radio Station

Book your free space here:

Business Networking Event for SMEs in Slough Tickets, Thu 8 Feb 2024 at



#### Tailored support for your business

The Berkshire Growth Hub delivers the government funded business advice service supporting small and medium sized enterprises in Berkshire to achieve sustainable business growth. The BGH offer a range of services from valuable support guides to our business support tool which can give access to tailored business resources. For more information email

: <u>info@berkshiregrowthhub.co.uk</u> or visit: <u>Home | Berkshire Growth Hub |</u>
<u>Business Support for Berkshire</u>



#### Free Week of Flexible Working

Want to get out of the house or your usual team workspace? Sound can experience Plus X Innovation's newly launched Slough hub for free at The Future Works, 2 Brunel Way, Slough SL1 1XL.

- iii 9 AM 5 PM, Monday 22nd Friday 26th January
- The Future Works, 2 Brunel Way, Slough SL1 1XL.
- Teams can work from a productive private studio.
- Co-workers can choose from a range of energizing shared spaces.
- X Tour state-of-the-art prototyping workshops, podcasting and media suites.
  - Access members-only business support, events programme plus an exclusive panel.
    - Stay refreshed with complimentary coffee and ProductiviTEA.
      - Keep connected with premium super-fast WiFi.

Please visit to book: <u>Coworking Week | Enjoy complimentary access to Plus X Innovation</u>

# SUPPORTING BUSINESSES TO REDUCE COSTS

Slough BID | Place Support Partnership

Following visits to businesses on the 16th August and 10th October, the BID will do another tour of Slough BID Businesses with Place Support Partnership in Jan 18th 2024. In the meantime we welcome businesses to make an appointment with the BID and PSP to assess how this service can help reduce utility costs and other overheads.

This service is <u>free</u> to Slough BID Levy Payers.

Please email Slough BID: <a href="mailto:info@sloughbid.co.uk">info@sloughbid.co.uk</a> or call 07943 185 472 for more information or to book an appointment.

## FULLY FUNDED COST REDUCTION SERVICE AVAILABLE TO ALL SLOUGH BID MEMBERS

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### Marketing & Upcoming Events



#### Free Zumba Classes

We are delighted to inform you that we are introducing exciting new Zumba classes in the Town centre specifically for levy payers like you! As a valued member of our community, we want to offer you the opportunity to embrace a fun and energetic fitness experience right in the heart of our town.

Please book your space via the Eventbrite link below:

https://SloughZumba.eventbrite.co.uk



Saturday February 10th, 2024 11.30am, 1pm, 2.30pm, 4pm

Queensmere Observatory Shopping Centre
Concourse Area, Outside Primark
High Street, Slough, SL1 1LN



Join us on Saturday 10th February outside Primark - in the Queensmere Observatory Shopping Centre concourse area for a wonderful classical Valentine's themed music event bought to you by The Dionysus Ensemble. Indulge your senses and immerse yourself in the timeless allure of classical music this Valentines Day.

Our carefully curated program will feature an exquisite selection of classical compositions performed by talented musicians, creating an intimate and enchanting atmosphere for you and your loved ones to revel in.







### Art Classes Group studio is based in the Observatory Shopping Centre Slough and is an Arts Award Centre.

Providing art classes for children aged 4+ and professional art classes for children 6+. Art Classes Group also offer academic guidance for teens/kids with their GCSE, Art A-level and art scholarship applications, and art classes for adults and groups. They support home-schooled and SEN students.

Each course is designed for different levels. Participants are introduced to the main concept and techniques of drawing like shading, charcoal, oil and soft pastels, pen and ink and painting like watercolours, acrylics, oils, mixed media.

They organise an art exhibition every year and participants have the chance to exhibit and sell their works and to receive Arts Award qualification after completing their art course.

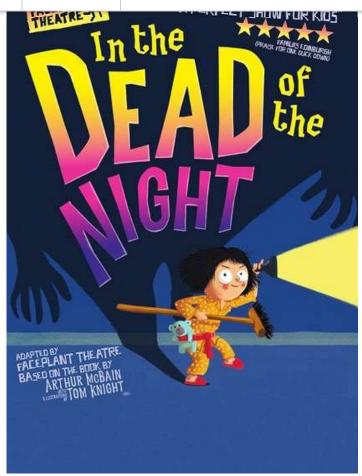
Their tutors are all DBS checked, and the lead tutor is the award-winning artist Marinela Caldarus.

Please visit for more information: <u>Kids and Adults Art Classes, Slough | Art Classes Group</u>

# February Half Term shows at The Curve



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Presented by Faceplant Theatre.

Will Lily conquer her fears? Will she conquer her fright? Will she conquer the ghouls in the dead of the night?

In the Dead of the Night brings to life a little girl's imagination as she conjures fantastical monsters whilst hearing strange sounds in the middle of the night. Once she decides that she must overcome her fears, she sets out to tackle this mysterious noisy creature head on. She discovers it has been her scared young brother making the noises, whom she comforts as they fall asleep together. It's a tale about being brave and choosing to face your fears, and eventually about being a loving sibling, two messages that audiences can relate to.

Arthur McBain's witty, spooky, and heartfelt debut children's book has sold both internationally in Australia, Korea and Turkey, and in the UK as one of Waterstones core children's book range. Faceplant Theatre are incredibly excited to be adapting McBain's story for its first ever outing as a theatrical production.

To book please visit: <u>Curve Venue @ The Curve, William Street, Slough, SL1</u>

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#### Thursday 15 February -2pm

All aboard for a delightful train journey through India.

Experience the sights, sounds and smells evoked through South Asian dance, music and theatre; and meet some amazing characters along the way.

choogh choogh is a family-friendly show inspired by the joy for travelling through India on a train. It combines classical Indian dance with contemporary movement, theatre and play, sharing with audiences a world full of colour, invention and flow. The journey starts with the audience getting a special choogh choogh ticket.

Studio

#### £12 | £10 under 16s

Family and Friends (4 people) £4

To book please visit: Curve Venue @ The Curve, William Street, Slough, SL1 1XY



Anansi and the Lost Sun

Friday 16th February - 2PM.

The Anansi Stories are part of our multicultural heritage and they are from an African Heritage. They have a universal appeal to all people in modern Britain. The Anansi stories are humorous, lively, empowering and community led. Stories that travelled with enslaved African people to the Caribbean and beyond.

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### Safe & Secure

### Slough BID SLOUGH TOWN AGAINST CRIME



### Please note the next STAC Meeting: Thursday 25th January 2024

Venue: Plus X Innovation at the Future Works, 2 Brunel Way, Slough, SL1 1XL

There is no need to prebook your attendance.

Please bring any concerns you have to the meeting.

# Town Centre News Businesses opened up in the last year 2023

#### new units in the town centre over the past 12months:

- Feb-24 Heritage Kitchen and Bar, 80 High Street, Slough TBC
- Jan-24 Cien Forever, The Village. 102-110 High Street
- Dec-23 Choice, 3-6 Queensmere Observatory Shopping Centre, Slough
- Dec-23 Phat Buns, 242 High Street, SL1 1JU
- Dec 23 Xmart Phones & Repair, Observatory Shopping Centre, Slough
- Nov-23 Plus X innovation, The Future Works, 2 Brunel Way, Slough
- Nov-23 New Vertex, 227 High Street, Slough
- Nov-23 Just Kids, 222-224 High Street, Slough
- Oct-23 Kebab And Pizza, 66 High Street, Slough
- Oct-23 Prism Hair, 114 High Street, Slough
- Sep-23 Heavenly Desserts, High Street, Slough
- Sep-23 ABO Wind, 2nd Flr, The Porter Building, Brunel Way, Slough
- Aug-23 City Fibre, Gnd Flr East Wing Urban Building, 3-9 Albert Street, Slough
- Aug-23 Berkshire Bagels, 49D Herschel Street, Slough
- Jun-23 Iceland, Gnd & Pt 1st Flr Units 1 & 2, 208-216 High Street, Slough
- Apr-23 Trellix, Urban Building, 3-9 Albert Street, Slough
- Apr-23 Taste Of Karachi, 10 Park Street, Slough
- Apr-23 Bs Unisex Salon, Unit 22 The Village, 102-110 High Street, Slough
- Apr-23 Everyday Lending, Aquasulis, 10-14 Bath Road, Slough
- Apr-23 O2, 146-148 High Street Slough
- Mar-23 Cortardo, Mokka Beans Ltd, The Observatory Café, Slough
- Feb-23 Home Value 109-109 Queensmere Observatory Shopping Centre, Slough
- Jan-23 Table Tennis Parlour, 117a Queensmere, Slough
- Jan-23 Jewel Box, 115 Queensmere, Slough
- Jan-23 Divine Rescue, 110 Queensmere Slough
- Jan-23 Adorn Beauty, 113 Queensmere Slough
- Jan-23 Shoetime, 122 Queensmere., Slough
- Jan-23 Bag Shack, 117 Queensmere, Slough
- Jan-23 Boss Burgers, 306 High Street, Slough
- Jan-23 Little Lahore, 3-4 Prudential Buildings, William Street, Slough





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