

# Voluntary Arts week begins today



From choirs to knitting groups, amateur drama companies to orchestras, Edinburgh has so many ways for local residents to get creative – and Voluntary Arts Week is the perfect opportunity to celebrate all the city has to offer.

Taking place from 15 – 24 May 2015 across the UK, Voluntary Arts Week celebrates the creative activity already taking place – and encourages newcomers to discover the joy of taking part.

Visit the [Voluntary Arts Week website](#) to see what's happening in the Edinburgh area that week, including:

- [Union Canal CraftBomb](#) – Help install a colourful CraftBomb on the Leamington Lift Bridge.
- [Big Big Sing Day](#) – A fun-filled afternoon of singing at the

Usher Hall.

- [Say It Ain't Sew @ Cabaret Voltaire](#) – The coolest sewing

club in town.

- [Mons Meg Rapper](#) – Learn a few moves with this Leith

dance team.

- [All the Young Nudes](#) – Life drawing to top tunes.

And much more besides . . .

Visit [www.voluntaryartsweek.org](http://www.voluntaryartsweek.org) for more information and to

**view a short film explaining what this special week is all about.**