

# Sunday in Edinburgh – What's On Today



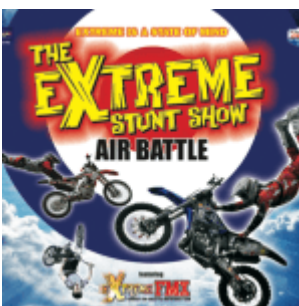
**Kite-making and Hula Hooping** with Edinburgh's own **Hula Honeys** (hoops provided). 10.30am-1.30pm (hula hooping 11am-1pm), [Harrison Park](#) (next to Play Area, accessed by Ogilvie Terrace), Harrison Road and Harrison Gardens). Please bring a strong plastic bag. All welcome: under 16s must be accompanied by an adult. For further information please contact **Esperanza Martin** on 0131 445 4025 or email [esperanza@elgt.org.uk](mailto:esperanza@elgt.org.uk). Facilitated by Edinburgh & Lothians Greenspace Trust, Scottish Natural Heritage, Friends of Harrison Park and the City of Edinburgh Council.

**Filmhouse Junior:** films for a younger audience. Today: **Moon Man (U)** The man on the moon is bored; he hitches a lift to Earth on the tails of a passing comet...but all is not well, the Moon Man's absence from his post means that all the world's children are unable to sleep... 11am, [Filmhouse](#), Lothian Road. Tickets cost £4 per person, big or small, and may be purchased in person, by calling the Box Office on 0131 228 2688 or

online [here](#).

**Hearing Impaired Tour: Jean-Etienne Liotard.** A free tour of  the exhibition, with portable loops, led by **Tessa Asquith-Lamb**. 11am-12 noon, [Scottish National Gallery](#), The Mound. To book a place please call the Information Desk on 0131 624 6560. The **Jean-Etienne Liotard** exhibition opened at the National Gallery on 4th July 2015 and will close on 13th September 2015.

**Scotland's Gardens:** tiny town garden (50' x 25') crammed with a wonderful variety of plants and interesting features, including a Mediterranean-style patio and water feature. 2-5pm, [15 Morningside Park](#). Admission £3, of which 40% will go to **The Citizen's Income Trust** and the net remainder to Scotland's Gardens beneficiaries. Also at same times on 2nd August 2015.




**The Extreme Stunt Show: Air Battle** Sensational monster truck

action featuring Extreme FMX, BMX, mountain bikes, quads and a whole lot more. 3pm, [Ocean Terminal](#), Ocean Drive, Leith. Tickets cost £12/£6 (£14/£7 on the door) and may be purchased in advance [here](#). 'Extreme is a state of mind'.




**Scotland's Gardens: Hunter's Tryst.** Well-stocked, mature, medium-sized town garden: herbaceous/shrub beds, lawn, vegetables and fruit, water feature, seating areas and trees. 2-5pm, [Hunter's Tryst](#), 95 Oxbgangs Road EH10 7BA. Admission £3, of which 40% goes to **Lothian Cat Rescue** and the net remainder to Scotland's Gardens beneficiaries.

**Rumba de Bodas:** swing, Latin and upbeat ska from this young  Italian group. Infectious rhythms, sultry vocals, hot horns and sweet accordion. 10pm, [Tron Kirk](#), High Street/South Bridge. Part of **Edinburgh Jazz & Blues Festival**.

**Bee Scene in Edinburgh:** join the volunteer bumblebee surveys along the **Union Canal** and learn more about these fascinating furry creatures and the vital role they play in the environment. Bumblebee sightings will contribute to the **Bumblebee Conservation Trust's** national **BeeWalk database** and to the **Scottish Canals** environment heritage team, providing up-to-date information on these crucial contributors to the general health of the canal environment. 1-3.30pm, [Water of Leith Conservation Trust](#), 24 Lanark Road. For more information please contact the organiser, **Alan Forrester**, on 07768 951740.



**Picturehouse Vintage Sundays:** classic films back on the big  screen. Today's film is *Touch of Evil* (12A). Shown as part of *A Touch of Orson*, a season of **Orson Welles'** classic films to commemorate the 100th anniversary of his birth, *Touch of Evil* is a stark, perverse story of murder, kidnapping and police corruption in a Mexican border town. 1pm, [Cameo](#), Home Street. Tickets may be purchased in person, by calling the Box

Office on 0871 902 5723 or online [here](#): prices vary.

✘ **St Giles' At Six: Tim Cais** (*cello*) and **Chris Harding** (*piano*) will play Mendelssohn *Cello Sonata No 2*, Mendelssohn *Variations Concertantes* and JS Bach *Gamba Sonata No 1*. 6pm, [St Giles' Cathedral](#), High Street. Free: retiring collection.

**Golden Hare Books Presents An Evening with Malachy Tallak.** ✘

The writer, editor and singer-songwriter launches his new book, ***Sixty Degrees North***, in which he explores the places that share this latitude, beginning and ending in **Shetland**, where he has spent most of his life. Malachy looks at themes of wildness, community, isolation, engagement, exile and memory – and also at the loss of his own father, and his troubled relationship with Shetland. 'A wise, questioning and highly sophisticated talent' (**John Burnside**), '..a brave book in its honesty and exposure..a beautiful book in terms of the subtlety of its thinking and the quality of its descriptive prose' (**Robert Macfarlane**). 7pm, **St Stephen's Centre**, St Stephen Street. Free tickets may be booked via eventbrite [here](#).





And finally... if you would like to attend the **Virgin Money Fireworks Concert** at the end of the festivals this summer, tickets are now on sale for this celebration of dance music and spectacular visual extravaganza. International fireworks artists **Pyrovision** will choreograph this breathtaking display to accompany the Scottish Chamber Orchestra's performance in [Princes Street Gardens](#) on the night of 31st August. Tickets range from £12.50 to £27.50 and may be purchased online [here](#). 'A truly explosive evening!'