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Square Chapel Centre for
the Arts, Halifax presents

A hand holding a white mug filled with a white liquid, which is dripping down the side of the mug. The background is a solid red color. The text 'PLAYS IN PUBS' is overlaid on the image in large white letters.

PLAYS IN PUBS

3 Plays / 3 Pubs
April / May / June

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PLAYS IN— PUBS

Welcome to our 'Plays in Pubs' strand! The building work for our long awaited extension has now begun and the team here are preparing to relocate for a short period over the summer while the existing building is renovated. We won't be disappearing altogether though - during this period (and in the run up to) we have programmed some events outside of Square Chapel, including a series of 'plays in pubs'. Three new pieces of theatre presented in three of Halifax's favourite watering holes: Circle Lounge, The Railway Hotel and the Victorian Craft Beer Café. These new pieces of work, made by three of the most vibrant companies on the block right now, have been carefully selected to suit each different space, so we hope to bring you with us on the journey and perhaps pick up a few new punters along the way. Beyond these, you should be seeing more of us elsewhere in the town before reopening in September, so keep an eye out for further details to be announced soon.

In the meantime, we hope you enjoy these new pieces of contemporary theatre in some of our most-loved pubs around the town.

Ali Ford (Producer)

All around pubs in the
Halifax town centre



Paines Plough and Latitude Festival present

With a Little Bit of Luck at Circle Lounge

Thursday 14 April | 8pm | £10

2001. Raves. Revision. Re-election.

Nadia is swept up in one hot summer's night of love that promises endless possibilities. Drinking, dancing, hope, ambition, lust, greed...and decisions that will determine the rest of her life.

Rhythmically underscored by a live mix of old school UK Garage, award winning writer Sabrina Mahfouz explores the legacy of a cultural movement that defined the hopes of a generation.

Get out of your seats and on the dancefloor. This is theatre you can rave to.

"Fist pumping euphoria...one of the highlights of Latitude's sun-stroked 10th anniversary festival...crackles with a rare and unexpected life." **The Stage**

"The crowd dancing, singing and cheering the whole show." **Whatsonstage.com**

 **Circle Lounge** – Halifax's premiere cocktail bar located on 59 Commercial St, Halifax HX1 1BE



Eggs Collective presents

Get A Round at The Railway Hotel

Wednesday 18 May | 8pm | £10

Back on the road due to popular demand! Pinned on the arse-end of a night out, Eggs Collective Get A Round is a show with lipstick on its teeth and Wotsits on its face. A wayward exploration of friendship, kindness and belonging that spills out towards its audience. Smart and energetic, entertaining and political, this is a piece of theatre that warms hearts and reeks of Blossom Hill.

Eggs Collective are a trio from Manchester making sharp, fun, political performance that falls somewhere in the cracks between theatre and cabaret. Created in collaboration with Olivier Award-winning director Mark Whitelaw Get A Round was nominated for The Arches Brick Award 2014!

"Glittery, alcohol-fuelled gold" **The Stage**

"Raucous, joyful abandon" **The Guardian**

 **The Railway Hotel** – a friendly and welcoming pub and hotel a few yards from Square Chapel – 29 Horton Street, HX1 1QE



Telltale in association with
LittleMighty presents

Petrification at The Victorian Craft Beer Cafe

Thursday 2 June | 8pm | £10

This is a play for anyone who ever left home and returned to find everything had changed. It's also a play for anyone who never went away in the first place.

Simon and Sean's dad is dead. Returning home from London, Simon is shocked to find Sean in a relationship with a man called Aidan. Sean is irritated by Simon's new cosmopolitan ways. And Aidan? He just wants to be part of the family. Attempting to find common ground, they head out for a booze-fuelled night out. But before long they're arguing. Darts, pints and fists fly across the room, as the past and the present collide.

This show is the world premiere of a compelling new piece from Zoe Cooper (Live Theatre and Old Vic New Voices) and directed by Mark Maughan (National Theatre & Paines Plough). Development supported by Live Theatre, Northern Stage, GIFT and the Kevin Spacey Foundation. Suitable for ages 14+.

"You can sense the buzz developing from Petrification..." **British Theatre Guide**

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