

## ITEM 4: Cambridge Refugee week



Refugee Week



Cambridge celebrates

# REFUGEE WEEK

20 - 26 JUNE 2016



**7th June - 4th July**

### Cambridge Refugee Stories exhibition and featured events

- The Museum of Cambridge

The Museum of Cambridge will be exhibiting refugee stories, collected from the local community, in their 'Community Cabinet' exhibition from 7<sup>th</sup> June to 4<sup>th</sup> July, as well as hosting a series of Refugee Story events (listed below)

#### Greta Burkill exhibition

7<sup>th</sup> June - 3<sup>rd</sup> July  
Greta Burkill 'We Must Save the Children - the Cambridge Refugee Committee 1938-46' exhibition from Keystage Arts and Heritage Company.

#### Beyond Borders and Boundaries

**FREE EVENT**  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June, 19:00

Acting Now's winning project at the first Cambridge Soup, has come to life and its result will be performed by the participants of the workshop again as a Forum theatre performance during Refugee Week. Participants from Beyond Borders and Boundaries will represent their performances in front of an audience at the Museum Of Cambridge.

#### Presentation on the Cambridge Refugee Committee

**FREE EVENT**  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 19:00

A talk from Mike Levy of Keystage Arts and Heritage Company on his research into the Cambridge Refugee Committee, accompanied by dramatised monologues based on refugee stories.



**Museum admission charges**  
Adults: £4.00, Concessions: £2.00  
Children under 12 years: Free  
Friends of the Museum: Free

**Museum opening times:**  
Tues-Sat: 10:30 - 17:00. Last admission 16:30  
Sunday and Bank Holidays: 12:00 - 16:00  
Last admission: 15:30

**For further information, visit:**  
[www.facebook.com/museumofcambridge](http://www.facebook.com/museumofcambridge) or email [hilary.coxcondron@museumofcambridge.co.uk](mailto:hilary.coxcondron@museumofcambridge.co.uk)

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June, 20:00 - 22:00**

### Refugee Week Panel Discussion on the new Immigration Act 2016

**FREE EVENT**

- Latimer Room, Old Court, Clare College

The Immigration Act 2016 received Royal Assent on 12<sup>th</sup> May. The Act represents the culmination of the Government's efforts to create a hostile environment for migrants attempting to secure status to remain in the UK. Those involved in assisting migrants and refugees need to understand the new legislation. The panel discussion will bring together some of the UK's leading lawyers and campaigners to consider the implications of the Act.

**Confirmed panel members:**

- Alison Harvey, General Secretary of the Immigration law Practitioners Association
- Saira Grant, Director of the Joint Council for Welfare of Immigrants

**Free entry, but tickets required.**

**For further information and tickets, visit:**  
[www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/refugee-week-panel-discussion-on-immigration-act-tickets-25628108362](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/refugee-week-panel-discussion-on-immigration-act-tickets-25628108362)

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 18:30**



### Hamsa (film)

**FREE EVENT**

- Anglia Ruskin University, Room Z1

A story of refuge. One family. Four years. From Syria to Germany.

**Free entry, but tickets required.**

**For further information and tickets, visit:**  
[www.anglia.ac.uk/community-engagement/hamsa](http://www.anglia.ac.uk/community-engagement/hamsa)

**Hamsa schedule:**

- 18.30 - refreshments
- 19.00 - short intro
- 19.10 - film screening
- 19.30 - Q&A
- 20.00 - event finishes

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 12:30 - 14:00**



### Hora Chilena (film)

**FREE EVENT**

- Anglia Ruskin University

Hora Chilena film tells the story of a group of Chileans who fled the brutal Pinochet dictatorship of the 1970s and landed in Cambridge to find an interesting reception from the locals.

**Free entry, but tickets required.**

**For further information and tickets, visit:**  
[www.angliaruskincommunity.eventbrite.co.uk](http://www.angliaruskincommunity.eventbrite.co.uk)

**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June, 10:30 - 13:30**

### Cambridge City Amnesty Asylum Project market stall

**FREE EVENT**

- Market Square, Cambridge

The Cambridge City Amnesty Asylum Project sub-group will have a stall in the market square providing informational material on the amnesty Asylum Justice Project and petitions to sign.



Events and activities presented by:



"Refugee Week is a UK-wide programme of arts, cultural and educational events that celebrate the contributions of refugees to the UK and encourages a better understanding between communities. Its aim is to deliver positive educational messages that counter fear, ignorance and negative stereotypes of refugees and to promote understanding about the reasons why people seek sanctuary" - source Refugee Week Website.

Visit: [www.refugeeweb.org.uk](http://www.refugeeweb.org.uk)