See Oldham in a new light

Across Oldham town centre

Friday 10 February 5 – 9pm
Lantern parade, light trail, LED arts, live performances and much more

Free event
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See Oldham in a new light... and explore the town centre for our first late-night arts festival.

Follow the ‘trail of light’ from Oldham Parish Church down to Gallery Oldham to see all the wondrous events, happenings and installations.

Oldham Parish Church

- **Parade of Illumination** – Join the Oldham Owl on a nocturnal parade to its new home in Parliament Square. Carnival performers will bring a trail of sound and movement, accompanied by a river of beautiful paper lanterns made by local children and their families. Parade starts at 6pm.

- **Within These Walls** – Astonishing 3D projections as Illuminos transform Oldham Parish Church into a giant living canvas. As bells peal and pipes ring the external walls come alive with the extraordinary colours and beautiful patterns found inside the church.

- **Crypt by Candlelight** – Take a guided tour beneath the church. Call 0161 770 3070 to book.

- **Cascadence** – Water, mechanical movement and cascading sound created by Oldham artist Mike Green.

Parliament Square and Old Town Hall Cinema

- **Spark!** – Magical and mysterious LED drummers use light and sound to transform the landscape around them.

- **The Tempest** – Global Grooves present a unique and beautiful performance celebrating carnival arts from across the world. Magical creatures set sail on a sea of illuminated ocean wings in a story inspired by Shakespeare’s tale.

- **Lights, Camera, Action!** – A special screening of the classic trial drama To Kill A Mocking Bird (PG) in the perfect setting of the Old Court Room of the new ODEON Oldham, 7.30pm, £5. Call 0161 770 3070 to book.

- **The Oldham Giant** – The amazing five metre tall illuminated puppet (pictured opposite), created by Handmade Parade for the opening of The Old Town Hall, returns.

- **Light Works** – The Bureau of Silly Ideas put the finishing touches to the new public square.

Gallery Oldham

- **A Night At The Gallery** – Gallery Oldham opens late to showcase its award-winning collections. Includes a visit from an illuminated vintage bus from Manchester Transport Museum to mark the new exhibition Fares Please!

- **Starcrossed** – Discover a kaleidoscope of Shakespearean curiosities by artist Richard Dawson in the Gallery gardens.

- **illumiNight!** – An exciting new youth dance performance created by Oldham Theatre Workshop and choreographer Jessica Pearson.

- **Oldham Illuminated** – Explore photos from the past at Oldham Local Studies and Archives on Union Street. 5–7pm.

Plus

- **Hack Oldham** – LED electronics workshops at the Pop-Up Hack Space at Tommyfield Market 6–9pm (charges apply). See www.hackoldham.com for details.

Get involved

Saturdays 28 January and 4 February before the main event

- **Lantern Workshops** – Free family lantern making workshops at Gallery Oldham, 10.30am–4pm.

- **Hack Oldham** – Make illuminated gizmos at the Pop-Up Hack Space at Tommyfield Market Hall, 1–4pm (charges apply). See www.hackoldham.com for details.
At various venues across the town centre

1. Oldham Parish Church
2. Old Town Hall – Parliament Square
3. Gallery Oldham and Oldham Local Studies
4. Tommyfield Market Hall

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