

REGENT THEATRE & VICTORIA HALL

Step into the vibrant world of theatre in Stoke-on-Trent! Working within our two beautiful venues is like stepping into a dynamic, ever-changing world where every day brings new challenges and excitement. Behind the curtain, you are part of a tight-knit team, working together to bring the best live entertainment in the region. If you're seeking a rewarding role in a fast-paced, creative industry, consider joining us in the captivating world of live entertainment, here in Stoke-on-Trent.

Regent Theatre

Pall Mall, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, ST1 1AP

Stage Door Contact Number:

01782 211261

Capacity: 1613

Built in 1929 by Provincial Cinematograph Theatres, the Regent initially served as a cinema. It hosted live performances alongside films and was renamed 'The Gaumont' in 1950 under Gaumont British ownership.

The venue showcased local amateurs and iconic artists like The Beatles, Shirley Bassey and Stevie Wonder. Transitioning into The Gaumont Film Centre in 1974, it became a three-screen cinema, which was later acquired by Odeon in 1976. The theatre is built in the Art Deco style. Its frontage is clad in white glazed terracotta, featuring mask representations of comedy and tragedy in each corner.

By the 1990s, deteriorating conditions threatened closure, prompting the formation of the Regent Theatre Trust. A £23 million, three-year restoration ensued and in September 1999 the Regent Theatre was officially reopened by Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II.

Victoria Hall

Bagnall Street, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, ST1 3AD

Stage Door Contact Number:

01782 211222

Capacity: 1,467

The Victoria Hall was built in 1888 to commemorate Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee. Built in local red brick and terracotta, the classical Grade II Listed venue originally held 2800 people, and has, over the years, been the scene of numerous concerts, wrestling contests, boxing matches and many rock gigs.

The venue was revamped in the mid-nineties, opening its doors once more in 1998 and has since then been at the heart of the Cultural Quarter, alongside its sister venue The Regent Theatre.

The Victoria Hall has now established itself as one of the most popular venues on the touring circuit and has played host to an impressive array of famous faces including Paul Weller, Anastasia, Jimmy Carr, Dizzee Rascal.

Getting Here

By Car: The Regent Theatre and Victoria Hall are situated in Stoke-on-Trent City Centre (Hanley), easily accessible from the M6, junctions 15 and 16 and from the A50. Ample secure parking nearby. **By Train:** Frequent trains run from towns in surrounding areas to Stoke-on-Trent railway station which is a 10-minute bus ride or taxi drive away. **By Bus:** The Victoria Hall is located next to the city centre bus station, from which, the Regent Theatre is a five-minute walk away.

