

Saturday, October 30

■Twinkle Twinkle

Children's magical star-gazing play. Waterside Arts Centre, Waterside Plaza, Sale. £6.50, £4.50 concs - 2.30pm.

■Halloween Lanterns

Lantern making and Halloween crafts. Victoria Park, Victoria Road, Stretford. £1 - 1-3pm.

■Halloween Parade

Fancy dress party, spooky stories, Halloween parade. Victoria Park, Victoria Road, Stretford. Free - 5-7pm.

■Rolling Back The Years

Musical tribute to shows from the 1950s-1980s. Altrincham Garrick Playhouse, Barrington Road, Altrincham. £12, £11 concs - 2.30 and 7.30pm.

■Periscope Challenge

Make a periscope to take home (also on Sunday). Imperial War Museum North, The Quays, Trafford Wharf Road, Trafford Park. Free - 1-4pm.

■In The Spotlight: Captain

Charles Fryatt

Exhibition on First World War hero who saved his crew and was later executed by the Germans for ramming one of their U-boats (on every day). Imperial War Museum North, The Quays, Trafford Wharf Road, Trafford Park. Free - 10am-6pm.

■Manivone

Band playing funk and soul. The Green Room, 10 Goose Green, Altrincham. Free - 8pm-2am.

■Animals Aboard

Family-friendly activities with

main hall - 11.30am.

■What A Performance

Family-friendly performance about bravery and adventure at sea. Imperial War Museum North, The Quays, Trafford Wharf Road, Trafford Park. Free - 11.15am, 12.15, 2.15, 3.15pm.

Sunday, October 31

■Halloween Ball

Live music, Halloween family fun with fancy dress. Red Lion, 110 Irlam Road, Flixton. Free - 5pm-midnight.

■Altrincham Folk Club

Live folk, jazz and blues music. Altrincham Conservative Club, Market Street, Altrincham. £2 - 7.30pm.

■Green Sundays

Live music. The Green Room, 10 Goose Green, Altrincham. Free - 6pm-midnight.

■A Closer Look: War Art

Guided tour of war art collection (also on Wednesday). Imperial War Museum North, The Quays, Trafford Wharf Road, Trafford Park. Free - 2.15pm.

Monday, November 1

■Guys & Dolls

Broadway musical production (until Nov 6). Altrincham Garrick Playhouse, Barrington Road, Altrincham. £8-£12 - 7.30pm.

■Tyneside Shipyards

External exhibition of photographs on shipbuilding in Tyneside during Second World

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