

# Welcome to Baylight

## Baylight is back!

A very warm welcome to Baylight '25 and another exciting 1.5km of 18 installations along the beautiful Morecambe seafront, presented by Morecambe Sparkle CIC in association with Morecambe Town Council.

This year's theme is a celebration of the heritage of Morecambe and the Bay environment. The rich history of our town is highlighted with iconic installations such as 'The Ghost of Moby Dick' a homage to the much-loved galleon. We also give a nod to the local legend that Morecambe was the birthplace of the first ever mirrorball. See it when you look up to the Winter Gardens' balcony, reflecting the history of dance and entertainment.

Look for more mirrorballs at Glittering Grove, an immersive and magical pathway. To celebrate our natural environment and bay life, stroll around and under the stunning Luminosi exhibit with its six-metre-high light trees towering above you.

Baylight '25 is only made possible by our funders and supporters as well as our dedicated staff team and wonderful volunteers.

If you love Baylight and would like to see it continue each year, we encourage you to make a small donation of £3- £5



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or at our info point (see [i](#) on map) during the evening. It really helps us to create and put on this free event for local people and visitors to Morecambe. As always, we welcome your feedback to help us improve what we do.

Have a fantastic evening!

## Siân Johnson

Chair of Morecambe Sparkle CIC

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# Visitor Information

## Opening Times - 6pm to 9.30pm

We expect the peak times to be 6.30 - 8pm and Saturday 22nd February all evening.

## Accessibility

The trail is fully accessible. See event guide for information about each installation and talk to the Baylight volunteers at the event.

## Sustainability

Please help us by using recycling bins and bringing your own reusable cup or water bottles.

## Travel

Consider whether you can walk, cycle or take public transport to Baylight. Car parks are shown on the map. Marine Road Central will be closed for a couple of hours to accommodate the parade on Saturday. Visit our website for up to date travel information.

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# BAYLIGHT 2025

# Event Guide

## 21st - 22nd February

## FREE ENTRY

A mesmerising celebration of light designed to banish the winter blues and brighten up

Morecambe Seafront from 6pm to 9.30pm

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# Baylight Magical Parade

Local participants

Join us at 6pm on Saturday for our popular heritage parade featuring magical fish lanterns, jellyfish dancers, and a lively flotilla. Enjoy performances by local groups like Baybeat and Samba Espirito as the parade winds along Marine Road Central. Attend our FREE workshops to create your own handheld illuminated sea creatures and take part. Go to the website for more details.



You don't need to start your walk at installation 1. You can walk the accessible trail in any direction and from any point



Check out here to see which hospitality and retail businesses will be open during Baylight evenings.



### Accessibility



### Look



### Play

Loud

Quiet

Flashing Lights

Under cover

Parade



Sailing Club

Morecambe  
Town Hall

Eric Morecambe  
Statue

The Stone  
Jetty

Midland  
Hotel

Morecambe  
Winter  
Gardens

Bus  
Station

Railway  
Station

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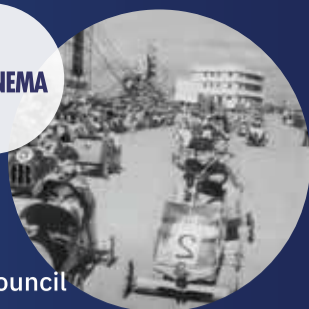
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**i** INFORMATION

FOOD & DRINK

All information was correct at the time of printing. However, details are subject to change. For the latest updates and the most accurate information, please check our website prior to attending the event or making plans.

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## Reel Cinema

Footage - Morecambe Town Council

The Reel Cinema radiates with Space Flower lights and a red-carpet welcome, showcasing vintage cine footage of Morecambe's history, courtesy of Morecambe Town Council. Playing on a loop both evenings, these screenings offer a nostalgic view of the town's past.

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## Sky Tracer & Colour Flow

Artist - Tom Chennells

A returning favourite from 2024, LED batons are programmed to create a colourful effect that run up and along the building. Creating an impactful set of flowing effects, two striking beam lights project a bold searchlight and flower effect into the Morecambe sky.

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## Pipe Dream

Artist - Luminism Light Art Pioneers

An impressive NEW installation debuting at Baylight '25, standing 6m high with a 4m footprint this is a colourful and spectacular piece. Perfect for increasing dwell-time, Pipe Dream will create a captivating centre piece for this stop point along the route.

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## The Garden of Hope

Local Artists - Luminare

Enjoy a radiant showcase of positivity in "The Garden of Hope," presented by Luminare in collaboration with local LGBTQIA+ community group Out In The Bay. This inspiring exhibit features a stunning display of uplifting words, celebrating love, togetherness and acceptance.

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## Yesterlight

Local Artists - Callum Henry & Richard Ryan

A welcome return of this 2023 favourite as we celebrate Morecambe's historic illuminations past and present, through a mix of classic bright and colourful festoons and historic information message boards. Come and see what used to be ... before Baylight arrived!

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## Reflections of Morecambe

Artist - Cordwainer Bird Jnr

Experience this captivating light art installation celebrating the Winter Gardens' rich history. At its centre, a stunning mirrorball sits on the balcony, symbolising the venue's legacy. Powerful light beams transform the facade into a dazzling display, evoking over a century of joyous celebrations.

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## Biolluminate

Local Artist - Mortlock Arts

An immersive hydroponic light installation with five carbon-capturing living systems, interactive light, and sound-reactive technologies. Dynamic projections and soundscapes inspired by community workshops weave a narrative that encourages engagement with sustainability and fosters climate hope for the future.

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## Moby Dick

Artist - Cordwainer Bird Jnr

Experience the revival of Morecambe's iconic legend, the Moby Dick, at Baylight '25! Marvel at a breathtaking large-scale illuminated representation of the beloved galleon, appearing to float gracefully on the bay's waters. Celebrate its return, enriching Morecambe's marine landscape once again.

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## Chainballs II

Local Artist - Pangus

'Chainballs II' is the next step in 'Chainballs' evolution.

The mixture of lights within the chain orbs create a multitude of textures and the accompanying soundscape helps guide the audience as they view.

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## Rainbow Flow

Artist - Jonathan Couzens

Vibrant coloured batons line one side of the path, radiating rainbow light in a dazzling wave-like motion. The dynamic pulses mirror the bay's natural rhythm, guiding visitors along a vibrant, immersive journey that celebrates the flowing beauty and energy of light and water.

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## Not just Bathbombs

Local Artist - Laura Taylor Winn

Discover the enchantment of UV face painting by Laura Taylor Winn. See your face come alive under radiant UV lights as Laura crafts dazzling designs, bringing an illuminated, artistic flair to the unforgettable atmosphere of this spectacular light event.

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## Giant Gobo Projections

Local participants

Spectacular designs created by wonderfully talented local school children adorn the hotel fascia alongside projected logos of our marvelous sponsors.

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## Light Play

Artist - Luminism Light Art Pioneers

Our giant interactive towers are a great family-friendly feature. This bank of six visitor-controlled bubble tubes is a fun interactive addition to the trail. Each tube is individually controlled with a light up panel creating an endless spectrum of colour combinations.

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## Astro Play

Artist - Luminism Light Art Pioneers

Step into the fun with Baylight 25's Stepping Stones! Each step lights up vibrant colours and triggers hypnotic sounds, creating a playful and immersive experience. Fully accessible for wheelchairs and pushchairs, this interactive installation invites everyone to join the excitement.

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## Luminosi Trees

Local Artist - Sound Intervention

Experience this stunning large-scale light and sound installation with three six-metre-high structures. Resembling psychedelic jellyfish or art-deco parasols, thousands of lights respond to a Fibonacci-inspired soundtrack, creating a tranquil, immersive display of colours and movement.

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## Aeolian Flutes

Local Artist - Sound Intervention

Illuminated instruments producing atmospheric sounds as wind flows through. Their gentle tones harmonise with nature, creating a captivating sensory experience blending light, sound, and natural movement.

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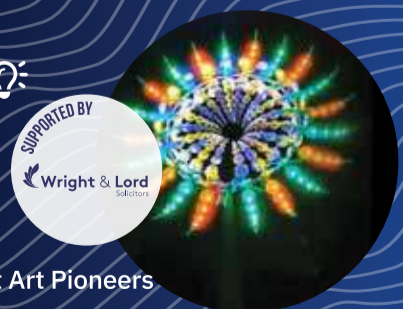


## Glittering Grove

Local Artist - Sound Intervention

Step into our 100-metre immersive light and sound experience. Six suspended half-mirrorballs cast moving light patterns, transforming the surroundings into a magical wonderland. Dance along the prom and play among the stars in this spellbinding installation.

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## Kinetic Light

Artist - Luminism Light Art Pioneers

A giant dynamic brand-new light sculpture which will move and twist in a smooth motion, creating the effect of constant evolution. The individual "blades" of the form will be illuminated in standout colours, set against the surroundings. This kinetic sculpture will be the ideal centrepiece for visitors.