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RADIO ACADEMY CONFIRM RETURN OF THE ARIAS



Leeds is rolling out the red carpet for the radio and audio industry once again as it is announced the city is to host the Audio & Radio Industry Awards (ARIAS) for the second year running.

The ARIAS, launched in Leeds last year by The Radio Academy in conjunction with LeedsBID (Leeds Business Improvement District), are the industry's flagship awards, celebrating the best of audio, innovation and excellence across all radio platforms and digital audio services.

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**LEEDSBID LAUNCHES
COMMERCIAL WASTE**



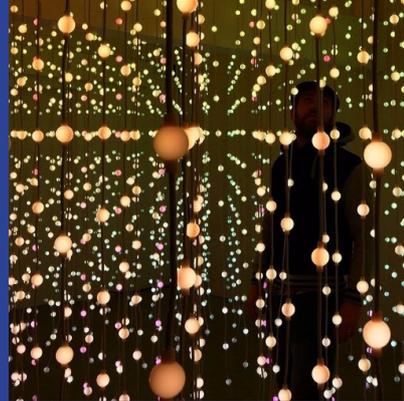
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LeedsBID is asking commercial waste collectors to put forward proposals to improve bin collections that businesses in Leeds city centre receive, helping them save money and recycle more.

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LIGHT NIGHT LEEDS 2017

LeedsBID is delighted to be working in partnership with Leeds City Council on Light Night Leeds 2017. Light Night illuminates the city centre in spectacular fashion, with many of our buildings, places and spaces brought to life with innovative lighting activities and events.



SHOPPING AFFAIR

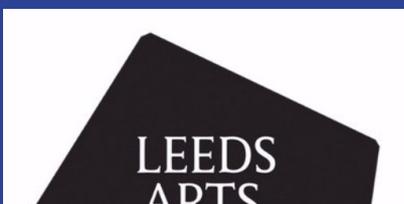
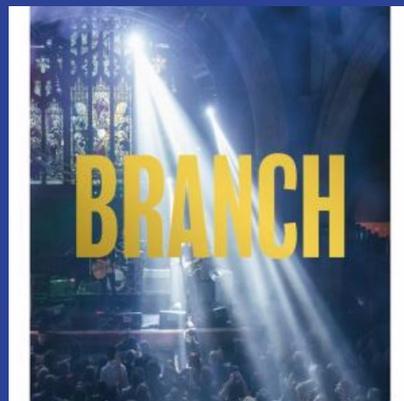
Get dressed up for an evening of live music, dancing, discounts and offers at Victoria Leeds. Special performances from former Strictly Come Dancing professionals Ola and James Jordan will entertain you as you shop and dine in Victoria Quarter and Victoria Gate.

[Find Out More](#)

WELCOME TO BRANCH

Branch is a new publication brought to you courtesy of LeedsBID to keep the business community informed about the BID's work in the city, and to encourage people to branch out to explore and experience what Leeds has to offer them.

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FORMAL RECOGNITION FOR LEEDS ARTS UNIVERSITY

Leeds Arts University has been formally recognised as the new title for Leeds



College of Art, having been granted full university status by the Privy Council. Having undergone a rigorous appraisal process Leeds Arts University will now be the only specialist arts university in the North of England.

LEEDSBID STREET TEAM GROWS

The LeedsBID Street Ranger Team is going from strength to strength as it makes a mark on levels of cleanliness in Leeds city centre.

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NEW TO OPERA?

Opera is all about huge emotions amplified by epic music. This season, Opera North is offering the opportunity to sample opera-sized emotions, delivered in bite-sized bursts with their festival of Little Greats – and you can get your hands-on tickets for just £10! Have a night out with a difference and try it for a tenner.

[Find Out More](#)

TRIB3 COMPLIMENTARY WORKOUT

Leeds latest addition to the boutique Health and Fitness sector comes in the form of TRIB3, recently opened at 68-72 Wellington Street, Leeds LS1 2EE. This is a bootcamp gymnasium concept like no other. To celebrate opening, TRIB3 are offering 1,000 free workouts, interested?! follow the link below to sign up.

[Free Session](#)



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WHATS' ON IN LEEDS

[Cheese Fest Leeds](#) lands at Canal Mills Leeds on the **16th September** with guest able to experience some of the cheesiest cheeses in the world with melted raclette cheese wheels, gooey mozzarella sticks and a whole host of cheestastic tastes from the UK's best cheese traders.

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[Thought Bubble Festival](#) is the UK's largest event of its kind – an annual celebration of sequential art in all its forms, including everything from comics to animation, and beyond. Now entering their second decade, the festival has been extended over eight days with a jam-packed programme of events at a variety of venues across the city. The seventh Thought Bubble will take place from **18th – 24th September** and includes a huge comic con in the city centre on **23rd – 24th**

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[Indoor Garden Party](#) comes to Leeds City Varieties on **29th September**. The musical project sees, Russell Crowe, Alan Doyle, Samantha Barks, Scott Grimes and Carl Falk's collaborate for the sole purpose of creating unique material and enjoying each other's company.

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[Oktoberfest Leeds](#) lederhosens and steins at the ready! Leeds, Oktoberfest is back for two weekends of authentic bier, cuisine and music! This year we take over our brand new city centre venue at South Bank Depot, just several minutes walk from the train station on **6th, 8th, 13th & 15th**.

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[Leeds Digital HUB Breakfast](#) the University Business Centre – Leeds Digital Hub is hosting its monthly breakfast networking event on **11th October** as part of Leeds Business Week, and is run in partnership with The Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM)

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[J Cole](#) hits the First Direct Arena on **22nd October** as part of his 57 city world tour **4 Your Eyes Only**

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[Ping Pong Fight Club](#), the world's greatest inter-company ping pong tournament comes to Leeds on **12th October** at the iconic Leeds Corn Exchange.



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