

## HANDSTAND Films Liverpool

### Filmography

#### **Becoming Visible – celebrating children and their rights (2020)**

HD20/02

Public Artist Stephen Broadbent introduces the 'Becoming Visible' project, which proposes an ever-changing sculpture in the City of Liverpool, celebrating children and their rights.

#### **Speaking Two Languages (2020)**

HD20/01

In Autumn 2019 HANDSTAND Films did an eight session residency at Childwall Sports and Science Academy in Liverpool. We worked with a group of English as Additional Language pupils, with whom we made this film to give a glimpse of some of the good and not-so-good aspects of being a native foreign language speaker.

#### **Universal Children's Day Choirs video (2019)**

HD19/07

Eight youth choirs and a youth orchestra perform to celebrate the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the UN Declaration of Children's Rights on Universal Children's Day 2019. Shown at the Liverpool Town Hall celebration event and available on-line for educational use.

#### **LYC 2019: Walking Hadrian's Wall (2019)**

HD19/06

Lancashire Youth Challenge took a group of 15 young people, whose lives weren't easy, and challenged them to walk the length of Hadrian's Wall. A story of walking, mud, new friendships, resilience - and a ghost.

#### **Jambo to Impala (2019)**

HD19/05

Tongue-in-cheek conference fun.

#### **Sunny – a film by Carla Owens (2019)**

HD19/04

We supported 16-year old first-time Director Carla Owens throughout the development, production and post-production of her charming short film about teenage love and witchcraft. Excellent performances from Joe Edwards, Ellen Boyland and Eithne Browne.

#### **Creative Futures 2019 Cardinal Heenan (2019)**

HD19/03

As part of the Liverpool Cultural Education Partnership, twelve 6<sup>th</sup> Form students from Cardinal Heenan Catholic High School worked a couple of days with us, creating a 30 seconds chocolate advert, which they pitched, scripted, filmed, and post-produced themselves.

- Humans Are The Problem ...** (2019) HD19/02  
EUREKA! The National Children's Museum commissioned us to run video-making workshops at The Mosslands School in Wallasey, as part of their EUREKA! Mersey co-creation programme. Over the 4 half-day sessions, the boys made this campaign video about the climate crisis, which they created, scripted filmed and presented themselves. A short 'The Making of...' documentary gives an insight in the process.
- The Making of 'Foodbank'** (2019) HD19/01  
Short video showing how members of Lancashire Youth Challenge made a documentary about the increased use of foodbanks in Lancaster, Morecambe and Merseyside.
- LYC Caledonian Canal Challenge 2018** (2018) HD18/05  
30-minute documentary about Lancashire Youth Challenge (LYC) and the 2018 canoe challenge its members completed on the Caledonian Canal. Commissioned by Lancashire Youth Challenge charity, for use on their website <http://www.lancashireyouthchallenge.co.uk/> . Various cut-down versions of the film have also been created.
- James Clarke Adopted Hero** (2018) HD18/04  
Short doc about James Clarke, the man who saved many Liverpool children from drowning in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century. Made by young people from Toxteth as part of a Splendid Things half-term video-making residency, funded by Awards for All.
- Hope Street Ltd 30<sup>th</sup>** (2018) HD18/03  
HANDSTAND and FIRST TAKE jointly produced this short film to celebrate Hope Street Ltd's 30th Birthday. It was first shown during the after party of Hope Street's last ever show 'Climate Change Is Rubbish' on 27 July 2018. Many thanks to everyone who contributed to the film!
- A Day at HANDSTAND Productions** (2018) HD18/02  
Short video impression of the work experience visits students from the Academy of St Francis in Liverpool made to HANDSTAND. Created, written and filmed by the students themselves. Part of the Liverpool Cultural Education Partnership 'Creative Futures' initiative.
- Dirty Air and Pneumonia – two studies in Malawi** (2018) HD18/01  
40-minute documentary telling the story of Liverpool School of Medicine's CAPS trial and AIR study. Presented by Dr Kevin Mortimer and Dr Hannah Jary, the film gives an engaging insight in how the studies were conducted and what was learned from them. It features contributions from study staff and participants. Available in English and in over-dubbed Chichewa and Tumbuka.
- Park Palace Ponies fund-raising videos** (2017) HD17/04 and HD17/05  
Two 30 second campaign videos to raise funds for the Park Palace Ponies inner-city Starter Riding School in Liverpool.

**IMPALA website video (2017)**

HD17/03

Short video introducing the International Multi-disciplinary Programme to Address Lung Health and TB in Africa, an applied health research programme commissioned by the National Institute for Health Research using Official Development Assistance funding.

**Park Palace Ponies Marketing Videos (2017)**

HD17/02

Three short films for social media, promoting the new Park Palace Ponies Starter Riding School in the Dingle, Liverpool. Voiced by BBC Radio Merseyside talk-show host Roger Phillips.

**Cooking and Pneumonia Study: Science Journal for Kids Trailer (2017)**

HD17/01

Trailer for the Science Journal for Kids article about the LSTM's Cooking and Pneumonia Study "A cleaner burning biomass-fuelled cookstove intervention to prevent pneumonia in children under 5 years old in rural Malawi (Cooking and Pneumonia Study): a cluster randomised controlled trial" (K Mortimer et al, 2016). Available on YouTube: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=vbJPglUj124](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vbJPglUj124)

**Mary Poppins flies in! (2016)**

HD16/10

Opening video sequence for St Bede's Catholic Junior School's Christmas Production of 'Mary Poppins' – enjoyed hugely by children, teachers, parents and family.

**Halton Creative Connections Autumn 2016 (2016)**

HD16/09

This film shows our Creative Connections video residencies in Bridgewater Park Primary School and Gorsewood Primary School in Runcorn, in which the children researched how bridges are made, designed and built their own bridge models – and filmed this all themselves. Shown at the Creative Connections Exhibition at the Brindley Arts Centre, Runcorn, Jan/Feb 2017.

**Safer Cookstoves (2016)**

HD16/08

Produced for The International Union against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, this video tells the story of the 'Safer Cookstoves' demonstrations given at the Union's 47th World Conference on Lung Health, 26-29 October 2016 in Liverpool, United Kingdom.

**PATS MECOR (2016/17)**

HD16/07

A short video introducing the Pan African Thoracic Society's MECOR training programme for African clinical scientists, featuring interviews with participants of the 2016 instalment. Produced for the LSTM BREATHE Partnership, for use on their website and as enrolment tool.

- Cooking and Pneumonia – main results (2016)** HD16/06  
Short film showing how Liverpool School of Medicine's 'Cooking and Pneumonia' clinical trial in Malawi was conducted and summarising its main findings: the use of advanced-combustion cookstoves does not reduce the incidence of pneumonia in under-five year olds. They are however 8 times more fuel efficient and reduce the number of burns in children significantly. Embedded in the article published in The Lancet, [http://www.thelancet.com/journals/lancet/article/PIIS0140-6736\(16\)32507-7/fulltext](http://www.thelancet.com/journals/lancet/article/PIIS0140-6736(16)32507-7/fulltext)
- MLW Clinical Research Programme (2016/17)** HD16/05  
Short film giving an insight in the multi-faceted health research conducted by the Malawi-Liverpool-Wellcome Clinical Research Programme in Blantyre. Narrated by MLW's Director, Prof Stephen Gordon.
- Jenny Byrne – guitarist (2016)** HD16/04  
Promotional video for the classical guitarist Jenny Byrne, shot at various locations in Liverpool.
- Halton Creative Connections Spring 2016 (2016)** HD16/03  
This film tells the story of the Creative Connections video-making residencies we did at St Gerard's Catholic Primary School and St Bede's Catholic Junior School in Widnes and features the videos made by the children. Screened at the Creative Connections Exhibition at Widnes Library from 1 Sept – 15 Oct 2016.
- Kiss (2016)** HD16/02  
Handstand's submission to the ITN Source Short Film Competition at Sheffield Doc Fest 2016. Not a winner, but well received!
- Stop Loan Leeches (2016)** HD16/01  
Short information film, warning that illegal lenders (loan sharks - known as 'loan leeches' in different cultures) target migrant workers. Commissioned by Sefton Council and the England Illegal Money Lending Team. The video was created and produced in close collaboration with the Migrant Workers Sefton Community charity. Available in English, Latvian, Lithuanian, Polish, Romanian and Russian language versions.
- The Cheshire Hoards Project (2015)** HD15/07  
Video material commissioned by National Museums Liverpool for use in the new Museum of Liverpool/Congleton Museum 'Roman treasures of Cheshire' display. The videos feature Roman coins and objects of the Knutsford Hoard and the Malpas Hoard, interviews with experts and the finder of the Knutsford Hoard and contributions from members of the Young Archaeologists' Club. Project supported by the National Lottery through the Heritage Lottery Fund.

- Filming Building Runcorn Bridges** (2015) HD15/06  
Year 4 of Weston Primary School in Runcorn made a short video about designing and building models of the four Runcorn bridges out of recyclable materials. The children did most of the camera and sound recording work themselves; researched, designed and built the model bridges and interviewed each other on camera. The video and the 4 model bridges were part of the Creative Connections exhibition at the Brindley Arts Centre in Runcorn, 16 January - 20 February 2016.
- State of the City 2015** (2015) HD15/05  
Impression of the 2015 instalment of the annual Civic Day, organised on 20 June by Merseyside Civic Society at the Bluecoat in Liverpool. Available on MCS website <http://www.mersecivic.org/aboutus/merseyside-civic-day/>  
The video earned Han Duijvendak a 2015 David Stewart Award.
- Royal College of Physicians: Liverpool Lectures June 2015** HD15/04  
Documentation of 3 medical lectures delivered at the Liverpool Medical Institution on 2 June 2015. Available on RCP website.
- Merseyside Dance Initiative: LEAP 2015** (2015) HD15/03  
Documentation of 12 contemporary dance performances taking place as part of the LEAP 2015 Festival at Liverpool's Capstone and Unity Theatres.
- Everyman Theatre, Liverpool** (2015) HD15/02  
A selection of footage of the Stirling Prize-winning theatre, commissioned by Architects Haworth-Tompkins for inclusion in the Mies van der Rohe European Architecture Prize short-list exhibition in Barcelona.
- Aintree Hospital Home Oxygen Assessment Service** (2015) HD15/01  
Short presentation video for Aintree University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust.
- Meet the STEKA family** (2014) HD14/11  
Short film introducing Godknows Maseko's Step Kids Awareness work and the home for abandoned step kids he and his wife Hellen run in Blantyre, Malawi. Available on Youtube and released on DVD in Malawi.
- Deck the Halls at Halecat** (2014) HD14/10  
Short impression of the 2013 'Deck the Halls' Christmas Fair at Halecat House on the Witherslack Estate in Cumbria (Lake District), used to promote this year's instalment on 2 and 3 December 2014. Available on YouTube and on [www.halecat.co.uk](http://www.halecat.co.uk)
- To remember Deb Foster** (2014) HD14/09  
The film tells the story of the creation by Liverpool sculptor Philip Garrett of a large relief sculpture in memory of Deputy Head Teacher Deb Mottram Foster, who sadly died in 2012. Commissioned by St Laurence's Catholic Primary School in Kirkby in January 2014, Philip involved pupils of the school in various stages throughout the project. Available on Vimeo and YouTube and a small amount of DVDs.

**Out of the Darkness into the Light (2014)**

HD14/08

Video impression of the 'Out of the Darkness into the Light' ceremony conducted at the Oratory in Liverpool's St James Gardens on LightNight 2014, in commemoration of the 10 'Liverpool Pals' soldiers buried in St James Cemetary. Available on Vimeo.

**ADJusT study – safety of malaria treatment in young children (2014)**

HD14/07

Short film introducing the ADJusT study, which investigates the cardiac safety of somewhat higher doses of the combination drug DHA-PPQ in young children in Malawi. Commissioned by LSTM/University of Malawi College of Medicine and available on the MedCol website and on Vimeo.

**Cooking and Pneumonia (2014)**

HD14/06

Short film introducing the CAPS study, a research initiative in rural Malawi, led by the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine, which seeks to establish whether the use of advanced cookstoves – which produce far less smoke than the traditional open fires – can reduce the incidence of pneumonia in under-5 year olds. Available on LSTM and CAPSstudy websites and on MRC website. Stills published in The Lancet Journal, with a link to the film. A package of selected video runs for media use, as well as dubbed versions in Chichewa and Chitumbuka are also available from LSTM.

**A Bust of Jack Ashley (2014)**

HD14/05

Short impression of the creation and unveiling of Philip Garrett's bust of Jack Ashley in Widnes Library. Available on Philip Garrett's website and various news archives and on Vimeo.

**Mice on Sticks (2014)**

HD14/04

Short fundraising video, shot in Malawi, featuring LSTM's Professor Stephen Gordon sampling the popular local street food delicacy mice-on-sticks. Available on YouTube and Vimeo. Don't watch it while eating your lunch!

**The Liverpool Everyman Theatre Portrait Wall (2014)**

HD14/03

25 min Documentary about creation of the major piece of public art which graces the New Liverpool Everyman Theatre's Hope Street façade. Commissioned by Liverpool and Merseyside Theatres Trust and available on [www.everymanplayhouse.com](http://www.everymanplayhouse.com)

**Everyman Opening Weekend 1-2 March (2014)**

HD14/02

6 minute film commissioned by Liverpool and Merseyside Theatres Trust, which celebrates the New Everyman Theatre's opening weekend events: Street Parade on 1 March and public Open Day on 2 March. Available on [www.everymanplayhouse.com](http://www.everymanplayhouse.com)

- Journey through Landscape – Sean McCann at the Williamson Art Gallery** (2014) HD14/01  
Web video, giving an insight in Sean McGann's recent exhibition of landscape paintings. Commissioned and narrated by the artist. Available on Sean McGann's website.
- Philip Garrett – sculptor and artist** (2013) HD13/02  
Short film introducing Liverpool sculptor and artist Philip Garrett and some of his work. Available on YouTube, Vimeo and Philip Garrett's website.
- Everyman Theatre: Topping Out Ceremony 17 June** (2013) HD13/01  
Short doc film for web-site about the Topping Out Ceremony performed by the Mayor of Liverpool Joe Anderson on the roof of the new Everyman Theatre building.
- Titanic and Liverpool – a voyage into history** (2012) HD12/03  
Documentary produced with Archbishop Blanch School Liverpool, created, researched, storyboarded, presented and filmed by 25 students from the school. Features both history and actuality. Project supported by the National Lottery through the Heritage Lottery Fund.
- Everyman Theatre: Portrait Wall Update** (2012) HD12/02  
short film for website about the creation of the Portrait Wall for the front of the new Everyman Theatre building on Hope Street, Liverpool.  
Stage 1: Dan Kenyon photo-shoots and selection process.
- Blaze 2012** (2012) HD12/01  
follow-up documentary about the 2012 activities of the Blaze Cultural Olympiad youth arts development programme, featuring trips to Sweden, London and the first Blaze Festival.
- Everyman Theatre: Groundbreaking Day** (2012) HD12/00  
short film for website marking the start of the new Everyman Theatre building works and launching the public fundraising campaign.
- Blaze 2011 short version** (2011) HD11/11  
10-minute version of the Blaze 2011 documentary.
- The Blaze Boom Bike Band** (2011) HD11/10  
promotional video introducing the Blaze Boom Bike Band and its availability for gigs in 2012.
- Fuse campaign video** (2011) HD11/09  
web video supporting Fuse New Theatre for Young People's campaign against ACE funding cuts, featuring a melting FUSE logo ice sculpture.
- Everyman Theatre: the Finale** (2011) HD11/08  
short film for Everyman Theatre's website capturing events and atmosphere of this famous theatre's final day before closing for radical redevelopment.

- Linghams Booksellers web promo** (2011) HD11/07  
short web commercial capturing the many aspects of customer service this independent book shop so successfully manages to juggle.
- Blaze 2011** HD11/06  
engaging half-hour film documenting the Blaze 2011 youth arts development programme in Lancashire through the eyes of some of its Young Producers and Young Participants.
- Clapperboard YP 2010/11** HD11/02 to HD11/05  
delivery of large-scale secondary schools short film making project for Clapperboard UK, themed around issues affecting young people, resulting in 4 drama shorts, created, performed and filmed by young people and a short project promo.
- A Taste of 2 Cultures** (2011) HD11/01  
a short documentary about cultural diversity, made with twelve Year 9 students of De La Salle Humanities College, Croxteth, Liverpool, with funding from Curious Minds.
- HANDSTAND web promo** (2010) HD10/10  
“film making with a difference”.
- Gun Huyton** (2010) HD10/09  
a short documentary about the consequences of getting involved with guns, created and filmed by a group of young people from North Huyton. Commissioned as peer education discussion material by Knowsley Youth Development Team.
- PSS The Liverpool Siblings Project** (2010) HD10/08  
Info film about the support available from the Siblings Project's for children and young people, whose brother or sister has a disability, complex need or life-limiting illness. Produced for CollageMarketing on behalf of PSS.
- Clapperboard YP 2009/10** HD10/02 to HD10/07  
delivery of large-scale secondary schools short film making project for Clapperboard UK, themed around issues affecting young people, resulting in 6 drama shorts, created, performed and filmed by young people and a short project promo.
- The Community Health Development Team** (2010) HD10/01  
Short presentation film summarising the achievements of the Knowsley Community Health Development Team in the words of its users. Commissioned by CollageMarketing.
- Clapperboard YP 2009 - Halewood** HD09/08  
‘Mischief!’, a young people-created short drama about ‘the consequences of anti-social behaviour on Mischief Night’ for Clapperboard UK. Used as peer education film in Merseyside Police school workshops.



**Behind the Golden Gates** (2009) HD09/07  
a half-hour documentary, uncovering Warrington's links with the slave trade. Scripted, presented and filmed by secondary school students, commissioned by Warrington Humanities Network with financial support from the National Lottery through the Heritage Lottery Fund, produced in partnership with International Slavery Museum Liverpool and Warrington Museum, Library and Archives Service.

**Five Medical Examinations** (2009) HD09/02 to HD09/06  
Highly detailed training films summarising 5 basic physical examination procedures of the major systems, for use as revision aids for students of Liverpool University School of Medicine.

**The Voice of the Learner** (2009) HD09/01  
10-minute film, documenting the personal learning journeys made by participants in Learning Together Cheshire and Warrington's projects.

**Clapperboard YP 2008 - Knowsley** HD08/04  
'Take the Rap', an additional young people-created short drama about 'gang, knife and gun culture' for Clapperboard UK. Used as peer education film by Knowsley Youth Development Project.

**Liveability** (2008) HD08/03  
Promoting Health and Independence for the over-50s. Documentary about the services provided by the Liverpool PCT 'Liveability' service and the benefits provided to its users.

**Clapperboard Youth Project 2008** HD08/02  
delivery of large-scale secondary schools short film making project for Clapperboard UK, themed around the issue of 'gang, knife and gun culture', resulting in 6 drama shorts, created, performed and filmed by young people and a short project promo.

**On a Mission to Listen** (2008) HD08/01  
an interactive DVD for use in the training of year 5 and 6 primary school children who are becoming Peer Advocates or 'Buddies'. Commissioned by Liverpool City Council Pupil Advocacy Services.

**We've got a Right to .....** (2007) HD07/07  
during a film making residential, 12 young people created a peer education DVD about the UN Convention of Children's Rights. Commissioned by Cheshire Children Services.

**NEYT Homecoming** (2007) HD07/06  
Short film documenting the New Everyman Youth Theatre's show to celebrate its return to the Everyman Theatre.

**on the night train** (2007) HD07/05  
one of a brace of DVDs documenting Action Transport Theatre's 'Night Train' project: a play about Running Away from Care, researched with ex-runaways. This film for Cheshire County Council Children Services, presents issues relating to the subject matter of the play for use in CCC staff training.

**NIGHT TRAIN** (2007) HD07/04  
one of a brace of DVDs documenting Action Transport Theatre's 'Night Train' project: a play about Running Away from Care, researched with ex-runaways. This film for ATTC focuses on the new writing aspects of the project.

**Clapperboard Youth Project 2007** HD07/03  
delivery of large-scale secondary schools short film making project for Clapperboard UK, themed around the issue of 'slavery then and now', resulting in 7 drama shorts, created, performed and filmed by young people and a short project promo.

**Bringing Liverpool Alive** (2007) HD07/02  
6 Schools celebrate Liverpool's 800<sup>th</sup> Birthday, a 'Coming of Age' video project with CLNA, subgroup 3, for Liverpool Culture Company.

**Sports for All** (2007) HD07/01  
a documentary on the work of the NDC Sports Development Team in North Huyton.

**The Road 2 Work** (2006) HD06/04  
an interactive DVD outlining training and support options for long-term unemployed.

**The Consequence of Choice** (2006) HD06/03  
a Peer Education Cannabis Information film, devised, filmed and performed by young people from North Huyton, with HANDSTAND video training and editing support, financed by Knowsley Drugs and Alcohol Action Team.

**KMBC's Alcohol Harm Reduction Strategy** (2006) HD06/02  
4 presentation videos for Knowsley MBC's Drugs and Alcohol Action Team's Strategy Launch Conference.

**The Bomb** (2006) HD06/01  
Electronic Press Kit, TV Promo and Teacher Video Resource for Kevin Dyer's new play, being produced by Action Transport Theatre, Ellesmere Port, for a national tour in Autumn 2006.

**North West Street Games** (2005) HD05/03  
a short film promoting the North West Street Games, for Sport 4 Life, Manchester.

**Bridging The Health Divide** (2005) HD05/02  
an overview of the many Public Health Initiatives being run in partnership between North Huyton NDC, Knowsley PTC and Knowsley MBC.

**Runaway Home** (2005) HD05/01  
short drama about running away, scripted, performed and shot by young participants in **In The Frame**, Action Transport's 'Arts To Inclusion' film-making project with disadvantaged young people in Ellesmere Port. Accompanied by '**Runaway Home Confidential**', a short documentary about the project. Screened at Tampere International Youth Film Festival, 2006.

**Turning Thoughts into Action** (2004) HD04/04  
a review of the 2004 activities of the NDC Youth Forum.

**North Huyton Celebrates!** (2004) HD04/03  
a video documenting the preparations for, and achievements of the 2004 North Huyton Festival.

**Take The Floor** (2004) HD04/02  
an 8-minute film, commissioned by Action for Jobs, introducing the HCTS Floor covering Academy.

**Loose Change** (2004) HD04/01  
short action drama, scripted, performed and shot by young participants in **In The Frame**, Action Transport's 'Arts To Inclusion' film-making project with disadvantaged young people in Ellesmere Port. Accompanied by '**Loose Change in the Making**', a short documentary about the project.

**Small Change Big Difference** (2003) HD03/04  
a video introducing the NDC small grants scheme to the local community.

**The Team North Huyton Experience** (2003) HD03/03  
a corporate presentation film of the Team North Huyton Programme.

**Team North Huyton For Real** (2003) HD03/02  
a video diary of NDCs Training for Employability Programme.

**Eight Months in the CultureZone** (2003) HD03/01  
a video diary of the CultureZone Arts to Inclusion project for Action Transport Theatre, Ellesmere Port.

**Broadcast TV documentaries for which HANDSTAND has supplied Han Duijvendak as Producer, co-producer or AP:**

**Tim Marlow at The Liverpool Biennial** (2004 Broadside Films for Channel 5)  
Co-producer.

**Boom Town** (2001 Karen Jones Films/Granada): 6-part documentary about booming film industry in Liverpool, presented by Michael Starke. Producer.

**Squaring Up** (2001 Strong Films/Granada): 4 part documentary about the trip to New York the boys from Ellesmere Port's Amateur Boxing Club's made to test themselves against the boys from the Bronx. Co-producer.

**Playing Away** (2000 Strong Films/Granada): 4 part documentary following the Knowsley Youth Football Team preparations for and taking part in the Dallas Cup, Texas. Co-producer.

**FM Unplugged** (Strong Films for Granada, 1999): 6-part documentary about day-to-day life at Manchester's radio station Key 103, featuring appearances by many pop artists. Associate Producer.

**International projects include:**

**The Sofa**, music promo video for Muziek Theater Groep Amsterdam, in collaboration with Handstand Actor Musician Theatre, 1998.

And in a long and distant past .....:

**Anita**, case study simulation training videos (on reel-to-reel Ampex tape!) co-directed for Department of Child Psychology, Groningen University Television Unit, The Netherlands, 1978/79.

Samples of our work can be seen on our website [www.handstand-uk.eu](http://www.handstand-uk.eu) and on our Vimeo channel [www.vimeo.com/handstanduk](http://www.vimeo.com/handstanduk)