

EDEN COURT HIGHLANDS



EACH YEAR AT EDEN COURT

150,000
**TICKETS SOLD TO LIVE
PERFORMANCES**

45,000
**TICKETS SOLD TO
CINEMA SCREENINGS**

15,000
**TAKING PART IN CLASSES +
ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES**



LIVE PERFORMANCE

**175 DIFFERENT
PRODUCTIONS**

Large-scale productions

Smash-hit musicals, acclaimed drama, opera and classical music alongside world-class dance productions, an exciting comedy line-up, family theatre and the annual panto deliver an unparalleled entertainment programme for Highland audiences.

**350
PERFORMANCES**

Versatility

We play host to a variety of innovative new work in our flexible second performance space, the OneTouch Theatre. With retractable seating, this versatile performance space allows for cabaret performances, standing music gigs and more.

10% WITH ACCESS PROVISION

Producing and collaborating

We proudly work alongside Scotland's national companies to present an incredible programme of music, drama, opera and dance. As well as this, we work with artists and production companies to produce our own work, including The Stamping Ground in 2022/23, our annual pantomime and festive family shows. We also offer opportunities for Highland artists through our development network, Eden Court Connect.

8,000 VISITORS COME TO UNDER CANVAS

Under Canvas

We celebrate the summer with our annual Under Canvas music festival, which is firmly rooted in Highland and Gaelic culture and showcases contemporary Scottish music, with a focus on folk and traditional genres. The festival runs for two months and provides performance opportunities for over 170 Scottish artists.



CINEMA

**45,000 CINEMA-GOERS
PER YEAR**

Cinema

Across our two cinema screens audiences enjoy a curated monthly programme of blockbuster, international, independent, and foreign language films plus live theatre, ballet and opera screenings from around the world.

1,800 SCREENINGS PER YEAR

Festival

Established in 2002, Eden Court's Inverness Film Festival delivers a diverse, exciting programme of Scottish premieres, previews and special events that attract audiences of around 3,000 visitors each year.

**350 DIFFERENT FILMS
SCREENED EVERY YEAR**

Collaborate

We utilise our programming expertise to bring a range of world-class cinema into the heart of rural communities. This includes our partnerships with Cromarty Cinema and with Film Hub Scotland on the Spotlight Project, developing a network of independent film exhibitors in the Moray Firth region.

ENGAGEMENT

Studio Programme

We nourish individuals' creativity, health and wellbeing through a weekly programme of arts classes and groups for all ages and abilities.

**15,000 PARTICIPANTS
PER YEAR**

Qualifications

We offer qualifications in creative subjects and deliver projects that enable young people to ignite their passion for the arts, while developing skills for life.

**CREATING SPACE FOR
EVERYONE TO BE AN ARTIST**

Schools

Our focus is on designing high-quality encounters to inspire, engage and spread joy; in particular, working with schools across the Highland region.



ABOUT US

EDEN COURT IS AN INDEPENDENT CHARITY

Our team

The organisation is overseen by a Board of Directors, who are volunteers. They delegate the day-to-day running of Eden Court to a paid team, which is made up of 148 members of staff. The building is owned by Highland Council.

£7 IS GENERATED BY EDEN COURT FOR EVERY £1 OF PUBLIC FUNDING

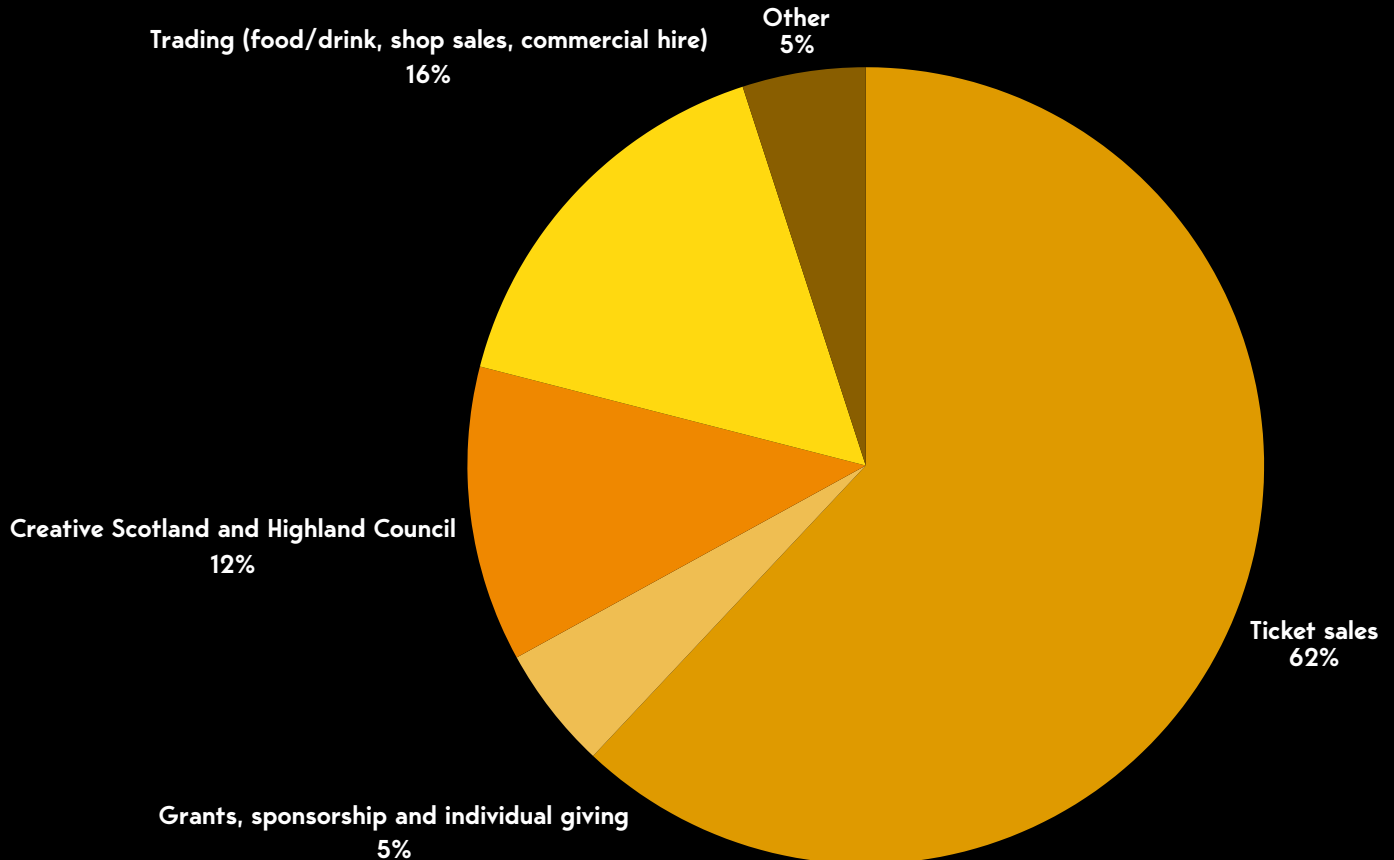
Making an impact

Eden Court's estimated impact on the Highland economy is £11,830,000, based on direct, indirect and induced impact. Eden Court generates additional benefits to the economy that are harder to quantify — for example, the spending generated by large touring companies on hotels and food.

OVER £4,000,000 OF EDEN COURT'S INCOME COMES FROM TICKET SALES

Generating income

Our total annual income is forecast at £6,580,000 for 2023/24. Over half of our income is generated through ticket sales from shows, cinema screenings and classes, with Eden Court retaining 25% of this income on average.



OUR VISION

A thriving Highlands powered by creativity and culture.

OUR MISSION

To inspire people to discover and love the arts, by bringing the world to the Highlands and the Highlands to the world.

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Front — Dylan Morrison

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