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The Black Box Trust

'Weird and welcoming' is an unofficial tagline of the Black Box. We are a vibrant and popular alternative multi-arts venue centrally located in the Cathedral Quarter. We work with many Belfast's festivals, independent artists, performers and promoters providing a space for a diverse range of artistic programming attracting over 54,000 people each year. Our aims are defined around removing barriers to accessing the arts, and empowering people through inclusive creative experiences. Since 2006 the Black Box has established itself as a vital component of the Greater Belfast Arts Community, providing space for grassroots activity by organisations and individuals, for audiences from across NI.

As a registered charity and not-for-profit The Black Box has over the past 13 years, and continues, to develop an inclusive outreach programme for people of all ages and abilities. We run a number of programmes for and by people with learning disabilities that are looking for support through sponsorship. We welcome the opportunity to work with organisations and companies that share our ethos would be keen to have meaningful involvement with our exciting projects and events.

Mini Moon

A monthly sensory disco for young children with disabilities. Baby discos can be overstimulating especially for children with disabilities. Mini Moon offers a relaxed experience with a live DJ, coloured lights, moving visuals, sensory toys including bubble machines, soft mats/ beanbags to lay on. The Green Room café is open next door if children need to take a break or eat snacks they have brought.

- Once a month, Saturday afternoons 1-3pm
- Average of 15-20 children at each event
- Free to attend
- Core support from BBC Children In Need
- Mini Moon aims to reduce social isolation for children with disabilities, increase confidence and provide a safe engaging environment to have fun!!
- Ask; £2000 to support volunteers, invest in branding including t-shirts & pop-ups and fees for live performer/DJ.

