

City Centre Forum

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Hi!
I'm Kathy McAule,
Chief Operations Officer of
the Creative Quarter
Company 😊

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Creative Quarter

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THE X-FILES

MISSION

**To make Nottingham a
great environment in which
enterprise can flourish to
start, grow and sustain a
creative innovative
business**

OUR VISION

*The 'must be there' quarter:
a thriving central business
neighbourhood,
driving jobs and economic growth
by attracting and sustaining a
diverse business base,
renowned for innovation and
creativity*

WHAT WE'RE DOING

- q **ENTERPRISE** – Information Hub, website, signposting, property, workforce, finance, inward investment.
- q **ECOSYSTEM** – Connect, Coordinate, Integrate.
- q **ENERGY** – A vibrant area, dynamic, a special place, animation, events, digital engagement.
- q **EXPOSURE** – promotion, profile, positioning, reputation





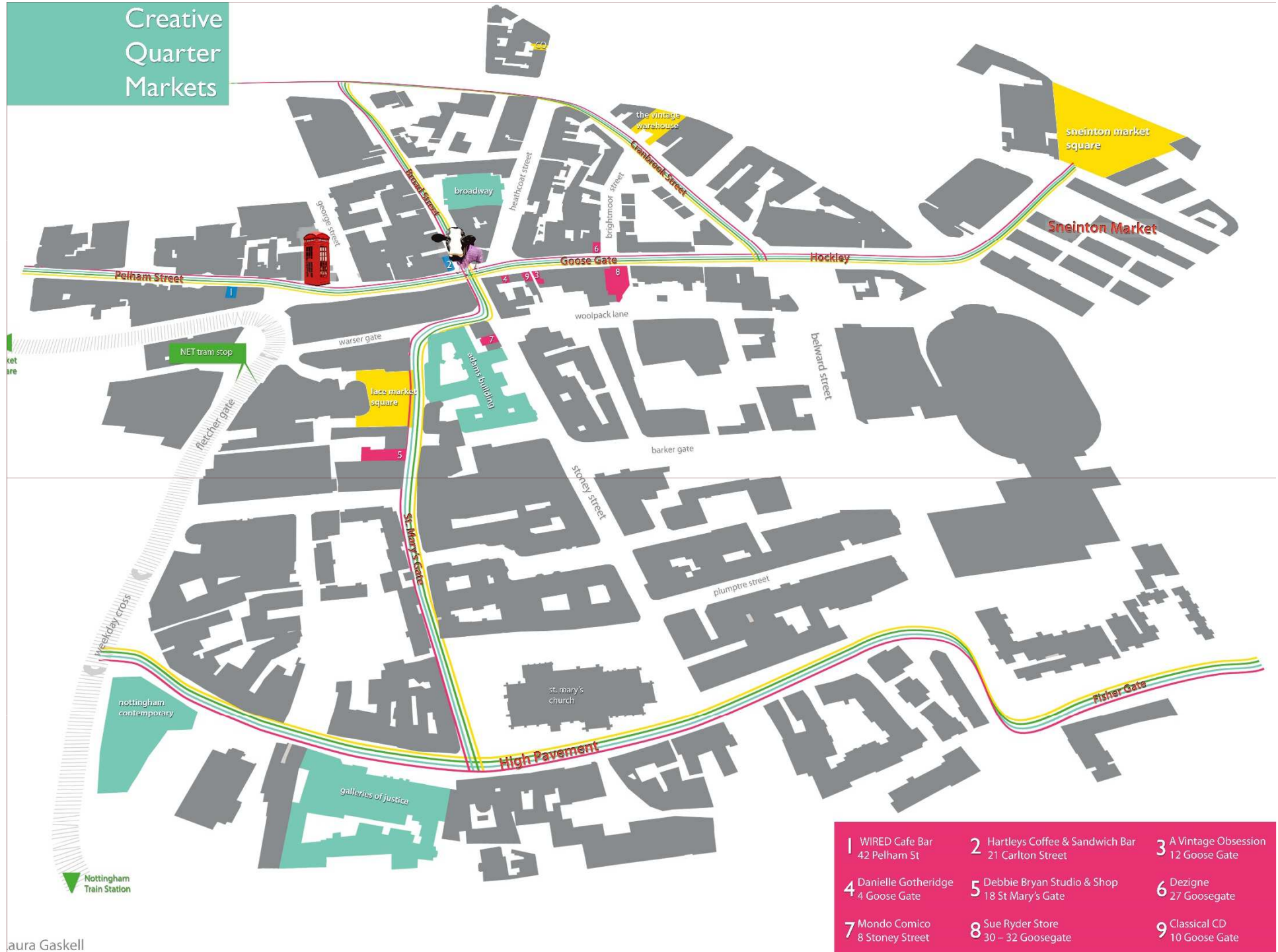








Creative Quarter Markets



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| 1 WIRED Cafe Bar 42 Pelham St | 2 Hartleys Coffee & Sandwich Bar 21 Carlton Street | 3 A Vintage Obsession 12 Goose Gate |
| 4 Danielle Gotheridge 4 Goose Gate | 5 Debbie Bryan Studio & Shop 18 St Mary's Gate | 6 Dezigne 27 Goosegate |
| 7 Mondo Comico 8 Stoney Street | 8 Sue Ryder Store 30 – 32 Goosegate | 9 Classical CD 10 Goose Gate |

**SUPPORTING NEW &
ESTABLISHED
BUSINESSES IN THE
CQ**



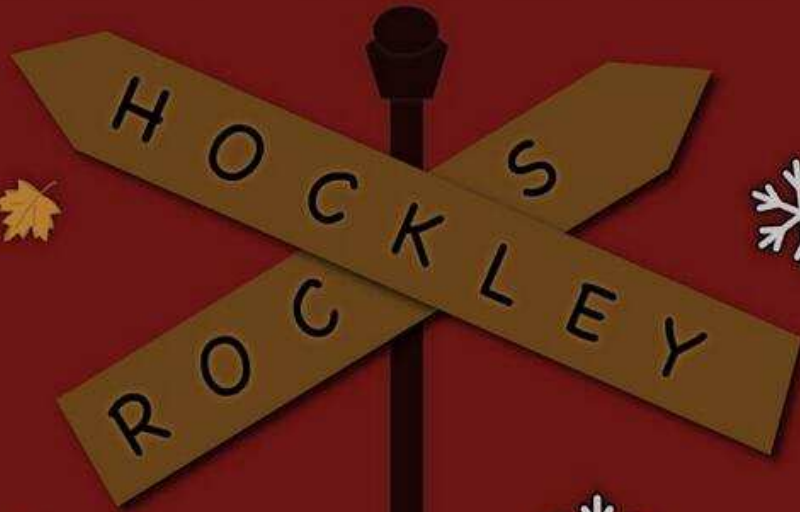
CQ Creative Quarter
Pop-Up Centre

Debbie Bryan Studio & Shop
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(Re) Discover Hockley... Eat, Drink, Shop & Be Entertained



November

Sat 23rd
Sat 30th

FREE

December

Sat/Sun 7th/8th
Sat/Sun 14th/15th
Sat/Sun 21st/22nd

12-4PM



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Christmas in the Quarter



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Rates Relief





DeZigne



**NEW ARRIVALS
TO
THE CQ**









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MAJOR PROJECTS

A RETAIL INCUBATOR
FOR THE CITY

COBDEN CHAMBERS







Cobden Chambers

- Cobden Chambers is a new, exciting development in Nottingham's Creative Quarter, designed to promote, encourage and support the very best in contemporary craft and design in Nottingham, the East Midlands and beyond. Comprised around a large, central sun-trap (or rain shelter depending on the weather) of a courtyard, the Chambers is made up of The Terraces, Cobden Place, and the Bodega.

The Vision for The Terraces

- The Terraces is a beautiful Victorian building, housing up to 10 individual units, each of which can be used for retail space, as workshops, as studios, or a combination of all three.





The Courtyard - how will it be used, and how will it look..?

- The Courtyard will play host to pop-up street food vendors, markets and street art, drawing visitors into the Chambers and creating a dynamic, vibrant atmosphere.









cobden chambers christmas market
12th — 14th December // 12pm to 4pm

COBDEN
CHAMBERS

CHRISTMAS MARKET

12-14th December | 12pm-4pm

Cobden Chambers
Pelham Street
Nottingham City Centre

A Christmas Market in the newly renovated Cobden Chambers, featuring a treasure trove of festive treats & gift ideas from local artists & creatives, real christmas trees, artisan foods and hot mulled wine & cider.

Participating Stalls:

| Nota Bene | Sherwood Charcuterie |
| Black Acre Soap Pantry | Campbell Cole |
| Tori Murphy and Joby Woodhouse |
| Vintage Reclaimed | Thompson Brothers |
| The Bodega | The Brisket Bay |



Working with NCC's Econ Dev, Regen, Retail, City Centre & Events teams

- q 12 of 18 Vacant Shops grants awarded by NCC in 2013-14 were to CQ-based businesses**
- q CQ businesses participate actively in the IndieCity network**
- q Elifair (winner of Inspiring Retail) test-traded in The CQ PopUp**
- q Hockley Rocks – partnership**
- q LightNight 28 Feb**

WHAT NEXT ?

- q **Development of in-the-round Strategy for The Creative Quarter**
- q **Development of clear vision and action plan for revitalisation of Hockley, as a key independent retail district in the city**
- q **Launch of Cobden Chambers (May 2014)**
- q **Refurbishment of Sneinton Market (Avenues A to C) and develop plan for Avenues D to E**



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Hockley Rocks

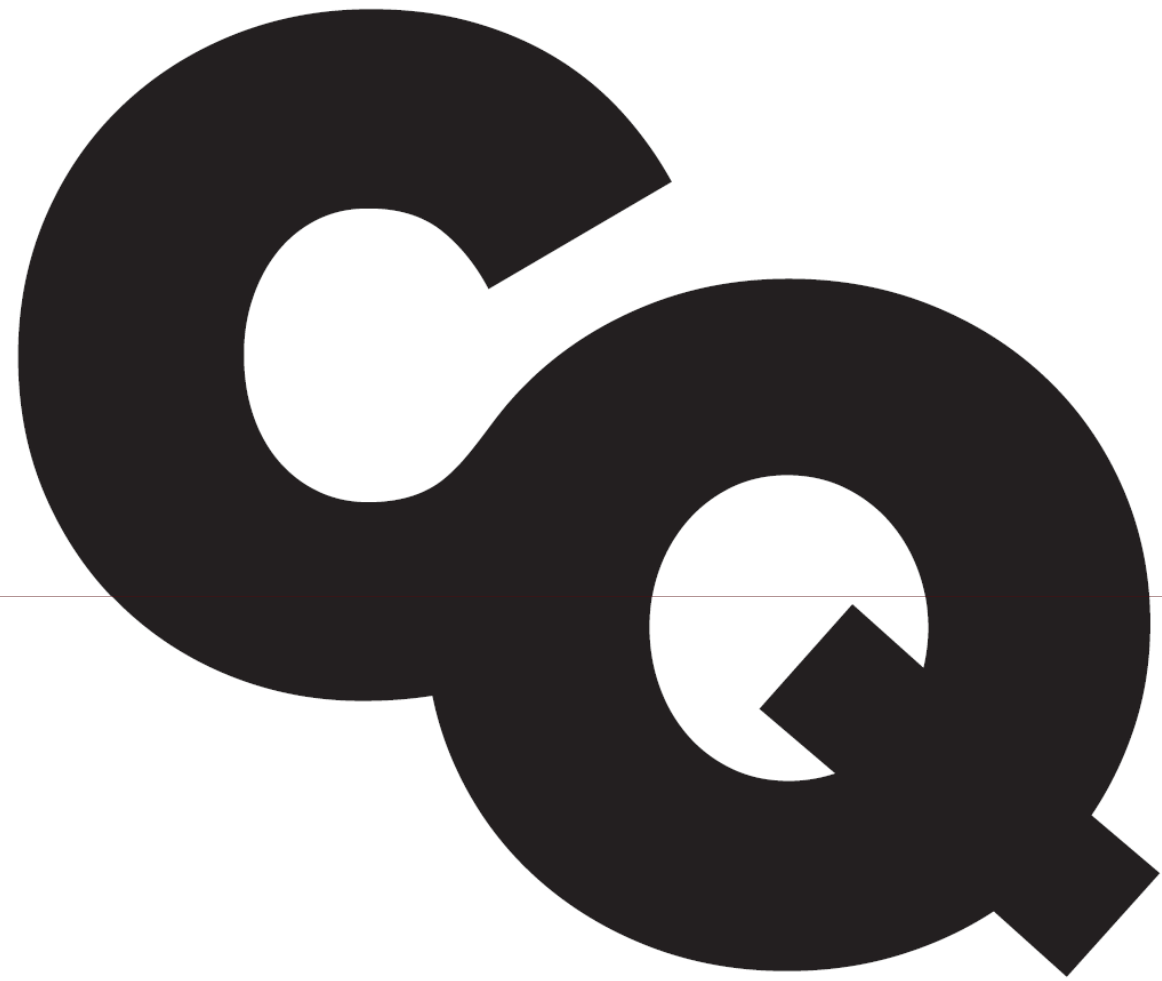
in Hockley, Creative Quarter

27 November to 22 December 2013

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