

Celebrate the start of summer at The Manchester Flower Festival. With fabulous floral displays, outdoor dining and entertainment, you’re in for a bloomin’ amazing long weekend in Manchester city centre.

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OPENING TIMES

FRIDAY 23 – SUNDAY 25 MAY
10AM – 7PM

MONDAY 26 MAY
BANK HOLIDAY
10AM – 5PM



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THE MANCHESTER FLOWER FESTIVAL

23–26
MAY
2025

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FESTIVAL ZONE DISPLAYS

Keep your eyes peeled as you explore the city’s shopping streets — you never know what you’ll stumble upon. From shop windows and planters to doorways and unexpected corners, the streets are bursting with floral surprises waiting to be discovered, including...

- Bringing Barbados Vibes. Kuoni Travel, King Street
- Café Paris 1804: A sun safe retreat. Constructing Minds with Nature & Melanoma UK, St Ann’s Square
- Destination Unknown. Marks & Spencer, Market Street
- Firenze. Tom Jameson, St Ann’s Passage (next to St Ann’s Church)
- The Ginnel Gardens. King Street
- Tour de Fioré. Freddie’s Flowers, New Cathedral Street

THE FLORAL MARQUEE

Visit The Floral Marquee where you will discover an array of stunning floral displays from local florists as well as daily workshops.

FRINGE DISPLAYS

Step out of the festival zone to find floral displays and green spaces across the city centre, including:

- A Splash of Colour. Spinningfields, M3 3EB
- Celebrating 10 years’ of Sadler’s Yard. Sadler’s Yard, M60 OAB
- Celebrating The Manchester Flower Festival. Castlefield Viaduct, M3 5LN
- Floral Symphony and Bridgewater Canal Floating Islands. The Bridgewater Hall, M2 3WS
- Kimpton Clock Portal. Kimpton Clocktower Hotel, M60 7HA
- Urban Animal A-Z. Fred Aldous x The Hammo, Stevenson Square, M1 1LW

POWER FLOWERS: SELFRIDGES AT THE MANCHESTER FLOWER FESTIVAL

Exchange Square

At this year’s Manchester Flower Festival, Selfridges returns with a takeover of Exchange Square.

Enjoy the best of the city’s food and drink offering, plus live entertainment from local DJs & family activities to enjoy.

EL GATO NEGRO

St Ann’s Square

Head to the square as El Gato Negro serve a variety of twists on their classic patatas bravas, alongside refreshing cocktails, ice-cold draught beer and soft drinks.

ZAMBRERO

St Ann’s Square

Come and get your ‘Feel Good Mex’ with Zambrero’s Mexican-inspired Burritos & Bowls. Each dish is freshly prepared, bursting with flavour and customised to your preferences.

THE MANCHESTER FLOWER FESTIVAL COCKTAIL TRAIL

Enjoy Flower Festival inspired cocktails at bars and restaurants across the city, including: Grand Pacific, Franco Manca, Harvey Nichols, Kala, Urban Playground and more.

FLOWER, ARTS AND CRAFT MARKET

New Cathedral Street

Take home a little piece of The Manchester Flower Festival from the festival market. Discover a delightful selection of floral keepsakes — from beautiful prints and fresh posies to hand made gifts and sweet treats.

KIDS’ BEE HUNT

St Ann’s Square

Can you find our trail of bees buzzing around the city centre? Spot the letters on all 9 bees and fill in the secret word in the boxes below. Head to the information point on Exchange Street to claim your special prize.

BEE PROCESSION

St Ann’s Square, Sunday 25 May, 12pm

Head to the information point on Exchange Street to follow our ‘Queen Bee’ and waggledance through the streets. Unforgettable family fun.

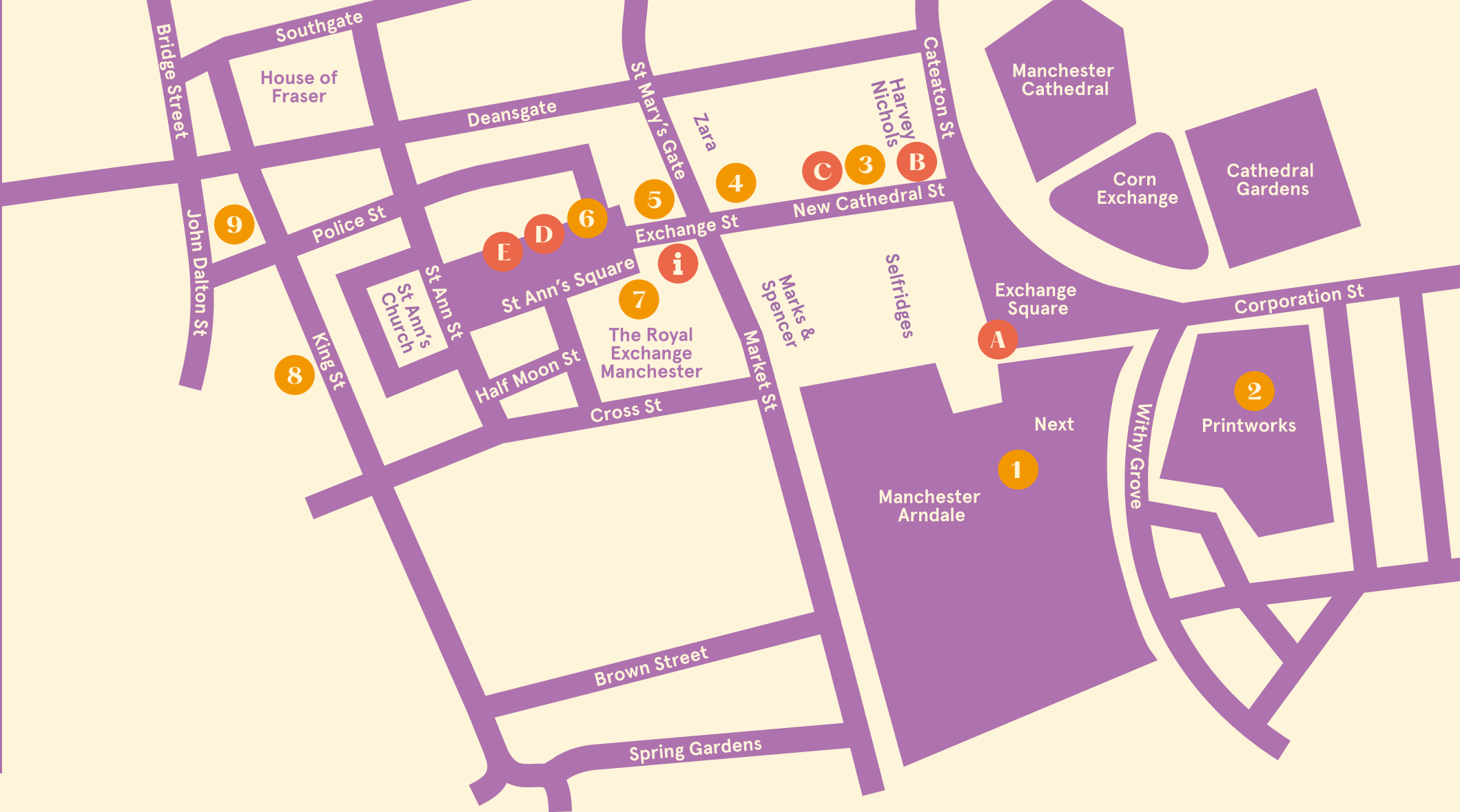
THE MANCHESTER FLOWER FESTIVAL
FLORAL TRAIL

Wind your way around the shopping streets to find the most beautiful (and Instagrammable) gardens and flowers. There are nine professionally designed displays to be discovered, all themed around Manchester and other great cities around the world.

Commissioned by Manchester City Centre BID, the displays celebrate Manchester as the first industrial city and its music culture, as well as partner cities such as the ‘Manchester of the East’: Osaka.

Walk around the city centre to visit the vibrant markets of Marrakech, sample city life in New York, Paris or Mumbai, and skip through Amsterdam’s tulip fields. All brought to life with plants, blooms and awe-inspiring floral art.

For full event listings visit MCRFlowerFest.com



THE FLORAL TRAIL

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THE GATEWAY TO OSAKA

By Manchester Arndale & Visual Architects

Manchester Arndale (Exchange Court, outside Next),
New Cannon Street, M4 3AQ
- 2

A WORLD IN BLOOM AT PRINTWORKS

By Printworks & Designs in Air

Printworks, M4 2BS
- 3

THE MARKETS OF MARRAKECH

By Citiblooms Limited

New Cathedral Street, M1 1AD
- 4

MCR LIVE `25

By the Manchester Flower Festival & DECORDIA

New Cathedral Street, M1 1AD
- 5

MUMBAI DREAMS

By Verdure Floral Design

Exchange Street, M2 7HA

- 6

MANCHESTER: THE ORIGINAL MODERN CITY

By The Manchester Flower Festival & DECORDIA

St Ann’s Square, M2 7PW
- 7

A STROLL THROUGH AMSTERDAM

By Royal Exchange Flowers

The Royal Exchange Manchester (inside the arcade)
St Ann’s Square, M2 7EF
- 8

LA ROMANCE IN PARIS

By Frog Flowers

King Street, M2 6BA
- 9

STEPS OF NEW YORK

By DECORDIA

King Street, M2 6AQ

DISCOVER MORE...

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