

ARTS FESTIVAL 2019

July 7th - 21st

at Riverside Arts Centre

59 Thames Street, Sunbury-on-Thames TW16 5QF

Festival Box Office:

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Sunday July 7th 8.00pm

Tickets £15

"CHOICE GRENFELL" – a celebration of the life and wit of the great comedienne, Joyce Grenfell. In the 40th anniversary year of her death, it features some of the best of her hilarious songs and monologues, and some of her most endearing characters. The family of her

pianist William Blezzard has allowed access to previously unpublished material. By Kick in the Head productions.



"SPELTHORNE IN ART" – an illustrated talk by well-known local historian Nick Pollard which looks at representations of Spelthorne is art, mainly paintings but also sculpture from the 18th century to the present, the artists, their connections with the borough, and what they tell us about

the history of the local places depicted. Presented in The Studio.

Tickets £12

Tuesday July 9th

7.30pm

Wednesday July 10th 7.30pm

Tickets £15

"SUMMER SENSATION" – a Flower
Arranging Demonstration by GILL
McGREGOR – an exciting evening with the
well-known NAFAS demonstrator and
teacher, whose designs promise to enthral,
entertain, educate and inspire. Her books
will be on sale. Tickets include a glass of
wine in the interval.





"I USED TO BE IN PICTURES" – an illustrated talk by Austin Mutti Mewse, actor and writer, of his fascination with the stars of Golden Hollywood and his contacts with them, recently published as a book, and soon to be released as a feature film. Books will be available for sale. Presented in The Studio.

Thursday July 11th 7.30pm

Tickets £12

Friday July 12th 8.00pm

Tickets £15

"THREE MEN IN A BOAT" – by Kick in the Head Productions. Giles Shenton as J.K. Jerome recounts the hilarious story of his boating holiday along the Thames with two companions and dog, from Kingston to Oxford. Join in the fun as he expertly pilots you through the ridiculous tale of men behaving badly while messing about in boats! Tickets include a glass of Pimm's.



Friday, Saturday, Sunday July 12th, 13th,14th 11.00 – 5.00pm SUNBURY WORKING ARTISTS — OPEN STUDIOS Visit the artists working in their own studios. (see information overleaf)



"A SHOW IN A DAY" – A MUSICAL THEATRE WORKSHOP – run by K.H. DANCE ACADEMY for children from age 5 upwards. Don't miss this opportunity to spend a day working with singing, dancing and drama teachers and then put on a show at the end of the afternoon. Registration 9.30. Workshop 10.00 – 4.00.

Saturday July 13th 9.30am

Tickets £25

Saturday July 13th 7.30 for 8.30 pm

Tickets £12.50

"LAUGHING CHILI COMEDY CLUB"

Fabulous Jonny Awsum returns to headline our July show. His antics on Britain's Got Talent, had the British public in stitches. Cheeky Tom Holmes is your MC for the night. And also joining us is Jake Lambert with his slick one-liners,



and observational humour from Rob Coleman. Age 16+ only. Shows may contain material and language of an adult nature.

Sunday July 14th 7.45pm

Tickets £12
In advance

MOOD INDIGO – "Too Marvellous For Words" - A Celebration of the songs of Johnny Mercer, who wrote the lyrics to some of the most beautiful and iconic melodies of the last century, presented by jazz vocalist Jane Parker and pianist Terence Collie. This



promises to be a wonderful evening's entertainment.



AT SHEPPERTON STUDIOS – Tickets include a glass of Prosecco and canapés, to precede a short introductory talk and a viewing in its 25th year, of the 1994 film made at Shepperton – "THE MADNESS OF KING GEORGE", directed by Nicholas Hytner and adapted by Alan Bennett from his own play.

Thursday July 18th 6.30pm

Tickets £20

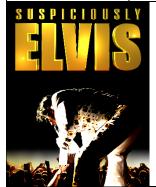
Friday July 19th 8.00pm

Tickets £15

"STRICTLY SHERLOCK" presented by Don't Go Into the Cellar productions. Join the king of the detectives as he brings to life those three startling cases, The Sussex Vampire, The Creeping Man and The Devil's Foot! Jonathan Goodwin portrays Sherlock Holmes, in a show scripted by himself and

co-directed by Goodwin and Gary Archer.





"SUSPICIOUSLY ELVIS - ONE NIGHT IN VEGAS"

– Described as "Quite simply the UK's finest Elvis tribute performer", Suspiciously Elvis faithfully recreates those famous high energy Rock'n'Roll Vegas nights, when the King was at the top of his game. So put on your blue suede shoes, and prepare to join in! Saturday July 20th 8.00pm

Tickets £20

Sunday July 21st 2.30pm

Tickets £16

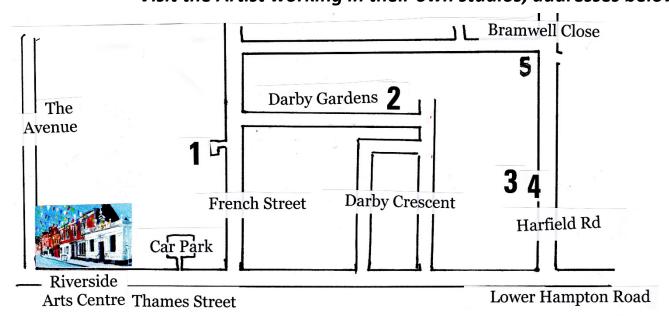
PIANO RECITAL – MENGYANG PAN

Having studied in Beijing, the Purcell School, and RCM, Mengyang has won many prestigious international competitions, and as well as teaching, gives regular masterclasses. Her programme will include music by Beethoven, Liszt, Debussy and Gershwin. *Tickets include the Cream Tea which follows*.



SUNBURY WORKING ARTISTS – OPEN STUDIOS

July 12th – 14th (Friday to Sunday) 11.00am – 5.00pm *Visit the Artist working in their own studios, addresses below.*



- 1. Sue Munson, Contemporary Artist, Rear Studio, 165 French St. TW16 5JW
- 2. Ros Perton, Ceramic Artist, The Dormer House, Darby Gdns TW16 5JW
- 3. Richard Howells, Contemporary Artist, 25 Harfield Road, TW16 5PT
- 4. Daphne Clement, Watercolour Artist, 25 Harfield Road, TW16 5PT
- **5. Helen Hadley**, Textile artist, 7 Bramwell Close, TW16 5PU



Most events take place at RIVERSIDE ARTS CENTRE,

59 Thames Street, Sunbury-on-Thames TW16 5QF

Car parks in The Avenue & Thames Street.

Disabled drop-off at the side of Riverside Arts Centre.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

COFFEE CONCERTS – Saturday October 5th and November 2nd 10.15 for 11.00 Tickets £14 (including Coffee & Croissant)

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