



Riverstone Club Events

On the following pages of this bulletin we share with you details of all events taking place over the next two months.

Please remember that the schedule is subject to change, and new events may be added or removed throughout the month.

To ensure that you have the latest and most up-to-date information, please keep an eye on the MyRiverstone app or speak to one of the concierges who will be pleased to help.

Certain events require a printed ticket. For those events where a ticket is required it is clearly marked in the event description.

To book your place at any of these events sign up on the MyRiverstone app or speak to one of the concierges.



Julius, Zara and Xena are the Riverstone Club team and are responsible for creating and delivering events.

The goal is to produce a fantastic programme of interesting and engaging events which you are welcome to join.

To get in touch with us, please email theclub@riverstoneliving.com



Riverstone are the founders and curators of the beautiful Kingfisher Wharf. With spectacular panoramic views of the River Thames, cityscape and beyond, Kingfisher Wharf is a unique venue for education and events. The beautiful and contemporary space is on the river Thames and can host up to 75 people, the perfect place for a celebration, get-together, leisure or teaching opportunity.

Please contact events@kingfisherwharf.com to enquire about hiring the space.

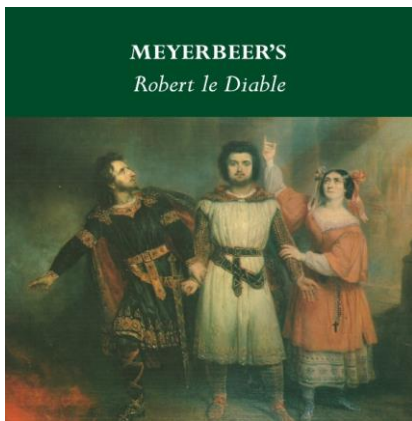
Discovering Classical Music - Concepts 4: Dialogue and Conflict

Tuesday 5th November, 11:30

— £9

Here we expand the idea of pictures further to explore the ways in which pieces of music might outline a plot over the course of them, with particular reference to the genre of ‘tone poems’.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON



Matinee Cinema & Lunch

Tuesday 5th November, 13:00

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Enjoy lunch from a seasonal new menu created by Steve Groves, winner of MasterChef the Professionals. Steve will guide you through the dishes with wine to match. Following lunch enjoy the iconic movie Casablanca complete with a classic French 75 cocktail.

RIVERSTONE BISHOPS AVENUE HUB

Matinee Cinema & Lunch

Wednesday 6th November, 13:00

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Enjoy lunch from a seasonal new menu created by Steve Groves, winner of MasterChef the Professionals. Steve will guide you through the dishes with wine to match. Following lunch enjoy the iconic movie Casablanca complete with a classic French 75 cocktail.

RIVERSTONE BISHOPS AVENUE HUB

Remembrance with Piers Storie-Hugh

Thursday 7th November, 16:00

— This is a ticketed event.

Join historian and battlefield expert, Piers Storie-Hugh, for an afternoon of reflection and remembrance and explore the power of military conflict and the act of remembrance drawing from his extensive knowledge of battlefield history.

CINEMA, FULHAM



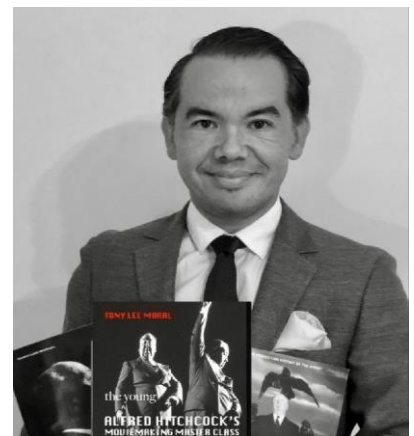
Tony Lee Morale on the life of Tony Lee Hitchcock

Friday 8th November, 17:30

— £20

If you enjoy Hitchcock's films you will find the talk by Tony Lee Moral totally fascinating. Hitchcock was an obsessive perfectionist and that is shown by the storyboards prepared for each film. Tony will demonstrate the use of the highly detailed storyboards, which provide deep insights into both the films and Hitchcock's thinking as a director.

CINEMA, KENSINGTON



TLC – Arabella Dorman – War Artist
Monday 11th November,
11:00

— £15

Arabella Dorman is an award-winning, internationally renowned artist and one of Britain's leading portrait painters who has captured members of the Royal Family in the best light, and in this talk will explore the realities of modern conflict, its immediate impacts and long-term consequences. Please sign up directly with A Bit of TLC.

ARMY & NAVY CLUB IN ST JAMES'S | EXTERNAL



"Community is much more than belonging to something; it's about doing something together that makes belonging matter." — Brené Brown

Discovering Classical Music - Structures 1: Dances

Tuesday 12th November,
11:30

— £9

Here we look at music made for dance, looking at the way that the sections help both social and professional dancers navigate their way through the steps. We'll also talk about pieces that use dance forms but were never meant to actually be danced to, and how the music shows this.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON

*"Opera is a beautiful and important diversion for me."
- Luciano Pavarotti*



Discover Opera - Musical Structures: Rossini La Cenerentola

Tuesday 12th November,
15:00

— £9

We'll cover some of the structures from Baroque and Classical opera, as well as the ways that Rossini expanded them to produce a standardised 'number', allowing him to compose at speed.

KINGFISHER WHARF | EXTERNAL

Supper Club

Wednesday 13th November, 18:00

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£55 (excluding wine) | Event ticket required

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For this supper club we are delighted to invite the 'Curry Queen' Dipna Anand to Maria G's Kensington. To reserve your table, please purchase your tickets at Maria G's in Kensington or Fulham.

MARIA G'S, KENSINGTON



November 2024

The Elixir of Love at the English National Opera

Wednesday 13th
November, 18:30

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Event ticket required

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Enjoy this inventive new staging of Donizetti's opera buffa, or romantic comedy, The Elixir of Love. Framed as a TV sitcom episode, this warm-hearted story of unrequited love unfolds with the arrival of a love potion salesman. **Transport will not be provided by Riverstone.**

ENGLISH NATIONAL OPERA,
THE COLISEUM | EXTERNAL

TLC – Guards at the Taj

Thursday 14th
November, 19:30
– £36.50

it is said that Shah Jahan ordered the entire workforce have their hands cut off to stop them from recreating the Taj. This is an award-winning play that covers this period, celebrates friendship and does so with great sensitivity and moments of dark humour. **Bookings had to have been made directly with A Bit of TLC by 12 October to attend.**

THE ORANGE TREE THEATRE |
EXTERNAL

Discovering Classical Music - Structures 2: Variations

Tuesday 19th November,
11:30

— £9

Composers across all times and places have always used techniques to change and transform their material in ways that we refer to as 'variation', but there are also particular pieces which foreground this approach by taking a tune and making changes to it as the entire content of the work.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON

Discover Opera - Text: Verdi Otello

Tuesday 19th November,
15:00

— £9

Adaptations of Shakespeare are common across the operatic canon, but huge numbers of changes need to be made in order to make the originals suitable for singing. Here we'll explore the changes that Verdi and his librettist Boito made to Othello, looking at how they made it practical for opera but also how they transformed it into something 'Italian' in the process.

KINGFISHER WHARF |
EXTERNAL

Kingfisher Choir – Christmas Recital

Wednesday 20th
November, 18:00

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Event ticket required

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An opportunity for residents to showcase the musical talents in the community, strengthened by the weekly choir classes hosted by Choir Master Max.

KINGFISHER WHARF |
EXTERNAL

TLC – Filumena

Wednesday 20th
November, 19:30

– £56.50

Filumena lies on her deathbed waiting to marry the man who has kept her as his mistress for 25 years. No sooner are they married, she makes a miraculous recovery, much to the surprise of her new, unwilling husband and his younger lover.

Bookings with A Bit of TLC closed on 7 October.

THE RICHMOND THEATRE |
EXTERNAL



November 2024

Festive Light Switch On – Pond Square Highgate

Thursday 21st November, 16:00

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Riverstone are proud to be the main sponsor of the Highgate Festive Light switch on. We would love for join us to welcome in the festive period. There will be entertainment and refreshments available for a truly jolly affair. The light switch on is at 16:30, so don't be late.

POND SQUARE HIGHGATE

TLC – Chris Stokel-Walker on How AI Ate the World

Monday 25th November, 11:00

— £15

Artificial intelligence will shake up life in the 2020s as dramatically as the internet did in the 2000s. This charts AI's rise from its origins in Cold War America to its far-reaching impact on us today with journalist Chris Stokel-Walker. Sign up directly with A Bit of TLC.

ARMY & NAVY CLUB IN ST JAMES'S | EXTERNAL

Lebanon; a Land of Crosses, Crescents and Crises - a personal perspective

Monday 25th November, 17:00

— £5

Join Julian Sturdy-Morton from A Bit of TLC in conversation about the captivating country of Lebanon over wine & cheese boards. Discover its rich history, diverse culture, and breathtaking landscapes & what makes this small yet vibrant country so unique.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON



Discovering Classical Music - Structures 3: Rondo

Tuesday 26th November, 11:30

— £9

Here we start getting into the more abstract kinds of structure and look at pieces that are defined by the idea of some material regularly returning. Covering both the Baroque 'ritornello' form and the later 'rondo' form itself.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON

Discover Opera - Direction: Mozart Così fan tutte

Tuesday 26th November, 15:00

— £9

This is the second class to look at the visual aspect, but this time from the perspective of the person making the decisions, covering the aesthetic design and the behaviour of the characters towards each other. Mozart's opera will serve as an excellent case study.

KINGFISHER WHARF | EXTERNAL

Festive Wreath Workshop

Thursday 28th November,

— 14:00

Join Riverstone Head Gardener Drew Woodhouse for a festive wreath making workshop. Enjoy a glass of bubbles and light bites whilst creating something beautiful to take home with you.

RIVERSTONE BISHOPS AVENUE HUB



November 2024

Mastering the Art of Downsizing.

Thursday 28th
November, 15:45

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Join prospects, our trusted partner, the Senior Move Partnership and Riverstone's Client Relationship Director, Carsten Swift to talk Downsizing.

RIVERSTONE BISHOPS AVENUE
HUB

The Pirates of Penzance at the English National Opera

Friday 29th November,
18:00

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An apprentice pirate woos the Major General's daughter, while his bungling buccaneer-shipmates try to outwit a party of policemen.
Transport will not be provided by Riverstone.

ENGLISH NATIONAL OPERA,
THE COLISEUM | EXTERNAL

Discovering Classical Music - Structures 4: Sonata form

Tuesday 3rd December,
11:30
— £9

The last class in the term covers a structure you will be most likely to encounter in classical concerts, Sonata Form.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON

Discover Opera - Technology: Machover, Death and the Powers

Tuesday 3rd December,
15:00

— £9
Here we will look at all of the practical aspects of technology that make a modern opera production possible, but also will start to make the transition into ideas around opera that will form the focus of next term's classes.

KINGFISHER WHARF |
EXTERNAL

Harnsa Round Table with A Bit of TLC

Monday 9th December,
17:00

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£15 | Event ticket required
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Join Julian and Maria from A Bit of TLC in conversation about a topic, yet to be decided but sure to be fascinating.

THE HARNSA, KENSINGTON

Festive Feast

Tuesday 10th December,
14:30

Enjoy the sounds of carols and orchestral music, the delicious flavours of mulled wine, cocktails, canapés, desserts and other festive treats.

RIVERSTONE BISHOPS AVENUE
HUB

Cinderella streamed from the Royal Ballet & Opera

Tuesday 10th December,
19:00, pre-performance
introduction starts 19:15

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£20 | Event ticket required

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Put to work by her spoiled Step-Sisters, Cinderella's life is dreary and dull. Everything changes when she helps a mysterious woman out...With a little bit of magic, she is transported into an ethereal new world – one where fairies bring the gifts of the seasons, where pumpkins turn into carriages, and where true love awaits.

CINEMA, KENSINGTON

Festive Family Day

Sunday 15th December,
12:00

— £15 for children aged 13 & under

An event for the whole family to enjoy. Enjoy a glass of bubbles on arrival before Father Christmas makes an appearance.

RIVERSTONE BISHOPS AVENUE
HUB

December 2024

The Nutcracker streamed from the Royal Ballet & Opera

Tuesday 17th December,
19:00. Pre-performance
introduction starts 19:15

—
£20 | This is a ticketed event

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Join Clara at a delightful
Christmas Eve party that
becomes a magical
adventure once everyone
else is tucked up in bed.
Enjoy Tchaikovsky's score,
as Clara and her enchanted
Nutcracker fight the Mouse
King and visit the Sugar
Plum Fairy in the glittering
Kingdom of Sweets.

THE CINEMA, KENSINGTON



Local Choir & Carols around the Piano

Wednesday 18th
December,
17:00

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St Barnabas Choir return to
Riverstone for a festive
early evening of Carol
Singing. Come to Maria G's
for a warming glass of
mulled wine and a mince
pie whilst enjoying the choir
and piano.

MARIA G'S, KENSINGTON

Christmas Eve Brunch at Maria G's

Tuesday 24th December,
11:00 – 15:00

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£25 (excluding dessert)

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Kick off Christmas Eve with
Maria G's and enjoy the
best of brunch classics at
special holiday prices. **Must
be pre-booked.**

MARIA G'S, FULHAM AND
KENSINGTON

Christmas Day Lunch at Maria G's

Wednesday 25th
December,
12:30 – 16:00

— £80

Looking for the perfect way
to celebrate Christmas
Day? Gather friends and
family and join us for a
glass of bubbles, a delicious
seasonal menu, plenty of
festive cheer, and great
company. **Must be pre-
booked.**

MARIA G'S, FULHAM AND
KENSINGTON



New Years Eve Gala Dinner in Maria G's

Tuesday 31st December,
19:00 – 01:00

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£90 | Event ticket required

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Book a table for the New
Years Eve Gala Dinner in
Maria G's. Enjoy a delicious
four course menu
accompanied by friends
and family. **Must be pre-
booked.**

MARIA G'S, FULHAM



Correct as of 01/11/2024 – We look forward to seeing you