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Lib Dem Councillor Accuses Council Of Lying Over Parking Zones

Over the past two weeks in Southfield, the Liberal Democrats have seen over 1000 people complain about shared parking bays that Labour-run Ealing are trying to introduce, claiming that the majority of the ward do not want them. Councillor Gary Malcolm asked a number of questions through the Freedom of Information request process, revealing that Ealing Council has no numerical data about which bays are empty or full, and that the locations of the shared bays were chosen because Council staff live in the area or go past on the train. Malcolm, Liberal Democrat Group Leader, said: "Liberal Democrats expect that our Council Tax goes towards projects that are well researched and will help the thousands of local people in the borough. Instead we see Labour-run Ealing Council choosing lo-

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Temporary Closure Of Hogarth's House Chiswick

Hogarth's House will temporarily close to the public from Friday 29 June until Tuesday 21 August. The closure is necessary as part of the delivery of the £2.3m Heritage Lottery Funded Mulberry Garden project, enabling contractors to

set up and carry out enabling works, including safe demolitions. The closure will also facilitate repairs to be carried out to the ceiling and fireplace inside the house, permitting the re-opening of the first floor.

Hogarth's House will reopen to the public in late August while the contract work continues for the rest of the year and into 2019. The site will be made safe for the public and

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the House will be fully open on both floors once more, with the garden closed for the duration of the works. The house will close again for a short period in early 2019 to allow for the final phase of works linking the Grade I listed house with the new learning centre.

The Mulberry Garden project includes the design and construction of a much-needed new learning centre, adjoining the Grade 1 listed Hogarth's House, the conservation and repair of the historic garden wall and the creation of an 'exhibition garden', whose design and planting present the story of the site. The aim is to provide an appropriate setting for the historic building, to expand the range of events, activities, learning and volunteering opportunities available to a wide audience, and to help manage the greatly increased numbers of visitors on site, while improving their experience.

The works will also ensure the future sustainability of the site with new learning facilities that are fit for purpose, flexible and used to their full potential.

We apologise for any inconvenience



this necessary closure may cause anyone planning on visiting Hogarth House over the summer period, but we look forward to welcoming all to visit this unique venue, once restoration and improvement works have progressed.

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CHISWICK TORIES INVITE LOCAL RESIDENTS TO FORUM

Chiswick Conservative Councillors are inviting members of the public to "have their say".

On Monday 9th July, at 7:30pm in the Chiswick Town Hall (Main Hall), Chiswick Councillors will be holding a Chiswick Area Forum to discuss and debate current issues and problems affecting the whole Chiswick area.

Issues being discussed will be parking and street cleaning issues in Riverside, an update on Cycle Superhighway 9 as well as various police reports. There will also be an opportunity for public question time where Chiswick residents can ask any question or raise any issue with Chiswick Councillors.



Hounslow Trio Complete British Heart Foundation Bike Ride

Around 16,000 cyclists saddled up to complete the British Heart Foundation's (BHF) legendary London to Brighton Bike Ride on Sunday 17 June, to help fund the charity's life saving research into heart and circulatory disease.

The iconic event, proudly supported by Jaffa® fruit, saw thousands of riders of all abilities get on their bikes to ride the 54-mile route from Clapham Common, through the Surrey and Sussex countryside, finishing at Brighton's seafront. Riders celebrated crossing the finish line in the beach village on Brighton Beach.

Now in its 43rd year, the London to Brighton Bike Ride is Europe's oldest charity cycling event, and over the years has seen hundreds of thousands of cyclists pedalling over 41million miles, helping to raise nearly £70million for the fight against heart disease. This year, the event raised over £3.1 million for the BHF's vital work.

Amongst those riding was Sumeer Bhamb, 32, Harpreet Thiria, 31, and Charlie De Contro, 32, from Hounslow, who raised an incredible £2,200. They took on the iconic challenge because they wanted to challenge themselves and saw it as a great opportunity to raise money for such a wonderful charity.

Elizabet Tack, Event Lead for the BHF's London to Brighton Bike Ride, said: "Without the dedication and commitment of people like Harpreet and Charlie, we wouldn't be able to do in aid of the BHF both in the UK and abroad.

After crossing the finish line, Su-



meir said: "Taking part in the British Heart Foundation's London to Brighton Bike Ride was such an incredible experience. The atmosphere along the route was fantastic and I'm so proud to have been cycling for the BHF's vital heart research."

Knowing that I was raising money for such a great cause really spurred me on to the finish line – even on the steep climb up the dreaded Ditchling Beacon! I'm proud that the money I raised will help make a difference to the seven million people living with heart and circulatory disease in the UK."

Elizabeth Tack, Event Lead for the BHF's London to Brighton Bike Ride, said: "Without the dedication and commitment of people like Harpreet and Charlie, we wouldn't be able to do in aid of the BHF both in the UK and abroad.

After crossing the finish line, Su-

ground, revolutionised treatments and transformed the lives of millions of people in the UK.

"The stories of why our amazing supporters take part never fail to amaze me and it was incredible to see Harpreet, Charlie and around 16,000 others take on this iconic challenge, which will help us put the brakes on heart and circulatory disease for good."

In London 720,000 people are currently living with the burden of heart and circulatory disease, so there is still so much more to be done. The London to Brighton Bike Ride is a fantastic way to support the nation's heart charity and is part of a calendar of more than 80 incredible challenge events you can do in aid of the BHF both in the UK and abroad.

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on a number of occasions and identified a number of parking bays that were underutilised, which if felt could accommodate visitor parking during the day without impeding on the requirements of residents."

Councillor Gary Malcolm responded: "I asked about what was the benchmark and the list of streets in Southfield by occupancy rates but that information was not included." The response was that "Numerical data was not collected..."

Malcolm suggests that this means Ealing Council is making decisions not based up on hard, reliable data.

Councillor Gary Malcolm then asked: "Why have 3 of the 5 zones that fall under this new proposal are in Southfield?"

Ealing Council said in its Freedom of Information reply:

"The council observed that within Controlled Parking Zones, many bays are often empty during the day. This is often because residents are using their vehicles for work.

The council surveyed the area

small chance) so I am not sure this can be true as officers will have chosen these or was it done using a truly randomised computer?"

She added: "The Government have ignored the forensic work of the Commons Transport Committee which conditioned their support for expansion on guarantees of adequate noise protection and public transport access,

on protection for regional airports and no increase in flight slot charges. More and more MPs from around the country are now saying they cannot support this white elephant which we also don't want in West London."

A Parliamentary vote on the Revised Airports National Policy Statement made today is due within 21 sitting days from 5 June.

ticket costs for passengers, or yet more taxpayer subsidy into Heathrow."

Customers can now enjoy a pint of Frontier delivered straight from two large tanks, which have replaced the traditional keg, which is normally used for beer. The Frontier tanks, in their bright yellow livery, each hold five hectolitres (the equivalent of 10 kegs or 880 pints) of delicious London premium lager, which has travelled less than two miles from Fuller's Griffin Brewery.

The Distillers has been refreshed and injected with colour, creating a lighter, brighter and more open space. A whole new back bar has been built, the timber floor has been sanded down and the garden has been furnished

further.

Andrew Donbavand, General Manager of The Distillers, said: "The Distillers is looking brilliant after its recent refurbishment and it is especially exciting to be named as a Frontier Hero Site. This is another step in the evolution of The Distillers as a craft beer haven. It's great that we can offer a place where customers can relax after work or on the weekend to enjoy a fresh pint of Frontier and sample our tasty new summer menu."

Matt Bassant, Frontier Brand Manager said: "Frontier has seen fantastic growth since its launch in 2015, proving popular as a lager not only in the pub but also at events around the UK. The best place to go to get a pint of Frontier is in a Fuller's pub and now the best place to get the freshest pint of Frontier is in The Distillers in Hammersmith."

The Distillers can be found in the heart of Hammersmith at 64 Fulham Palace Road, London, W6 9PH.

Ealing Council's Freedom of Information reply said: "The first 5 zones were primarily chosen on the basis of convenience for the officers undertaking the surveys, as they were in an area in which they reside, or an area in which they travel through on their daily commute..."

Councillor Malcolm said, "What this means: Ealing Council appears to have lied. It initially said it was a coincidence and then it has said that zones were chosen because staff live nearby! Another day, another story." overflow on the existing approach paths, but could well mean higher

Thousands of British Steel workers have been persuaded to transfer their British Steel pensions into risky personal pension schemes, including Self-Invested Personal Pensions (SIPPs). Are you one of these people? If so, you could be sat on a mis-sold pension claim.

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THE LEGAL POSITION

The Financial Services Compensation Scheme has recently stated it will compensate people who have suffered losses because of negligent advice from Financial Advisers, such as Active Wealth, to transfer out of their British Steel pension.

The situation has become so serious that the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) has intervened to protect workers who had received bad advice to transfer their pensions.

WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

If you were a member of the British Steel Pension Scheme (BSPS) and have concerns that you were given misleading or incorrect advice about transferring your pension, please contact one of our experienced case handlers for a FREE consultation to discuss your situation. Our contact number is 0151 509 6164.

If we think you have a valid claim, we will deal with your case on a NO WIN, NO FEE basis.

Alternatively, recommend a friend who may have been a victim and receive a £300 recommendation fee on acceptance of the case.

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Hounslow Council Release Statement On Grass-Cutting In Cemeteries



On March 1 2018, the Parks Management contract was taken over by Lampton Greenspace 360, a subsidiary of Lampton 360 which is wholly owned by Hounslow Council. The company took over the contract earlier than planned due to the involuntary liquidation of Carillion, the previous management company. Both Lampton GreenSpace 360 and Hounslow Council have worked hard to build a new service, whilst also delivering the ongoing grounds maintenance, arboriculture, allotments, cemeteries, countryside and communities services required.

Whilst the teams have worked tirelessly ensuring continuity of service, some problems have been experienced in relation to the grass-cutting across the borough. The grass-cutting season traditionally begins on 1 March of each year, however delays were incurred this year due to the unexpected early transfer from Carillion. Additionally, the extreme weather conditions experienced between March-May, has resulted in the grass growing much faster than normal. We apologise for any inconvenience caused by the delays.

The teams have worked hard to



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West London Sports Club Celebrates Major Refurb



Gunnery Triangle Sports and Social Club took on a new look at the weekend with the completion of a major refurbishment to provide welcoming and modern facilities for members and guests, especially families and people with more limited mobility.

The refurb, made possible by grants from Sport England and Suez Communities Trust, and the generosity of a Club member, provides step-free access to all parts of the clubhouse together with a new kitchen, changing and washrooms, and an easy access toilet.

"The improvements will make a huge difference to our ability to better meet the broader needs of the local community. We already offer tennis, table tennis, yoga, snooker and karate but we want to provide a wider range of classes in future. We welcome anyone running or planning classes in the area – or wishing

Marina.

Birmingham Milestone For Chiswick Rising Star Tennis Player



Chiswick tennis star Jodie Burrage, 19, secured the biggest victory of her career in the first round of qualifying at the Nature Valley Classic in Birmingham on Saturday, defeating Bojana Jovanovski Petrović of Serbia in straight sets.

Burrage is coached by former Great Britain No.1 Lucy Ahl and trains at JTC at Dukes Meadow in Chiswick. Burrage is regarded as one of the most promising junior British players but faced a tough challenge having been drawn against an experienced opponent in Saturday's opening round of qualifying at Edgbaston Priory Club - although ranked 400 places below her, Jovanovski Petrović is a former top-40 player looking to climb back up the rankings after two years out with injury. After battling to take a tight first set tie-break, the British teenager showed real composure at 3-2 in the second set and seal an impressive 7-6 (7-5) 6-3 victory for what is the first WTA win of her career. She will now face compatriot Katy Dunne on the Ann Jones Centre Court in the headline match of Sunday's second round of qualifying.

Speaking after the match, Burrage said: "Her level was good, you can tell she liked the grass with the way she hit the ball. She hit it quite flat but I kind of like it like that as well so I can use her pace. "The support of the crowd really helps, especially in tight moments like the first set in

the tie break. To hear them cheering, even if you lost the point or won the point, it really helps you to stay positive on the court."

Should Burrage win two further matches in qualifying, the prize on offer is a place in the 32-player main singles draw alongside a host of tennis' biggest names, including reigning Wimbledon champion Garbiñe Muguruza, World No.5 Elina Svitolina, World No.7 Karolina Pliskova, British No.1 Johanna Konta and two-time Wimbledon winner and defending Birmingham champion Petra Kvitová.

POLICE APPEAL FOR MOTORBIKE INVOLVED IN W6 COLLISION

Police are appealing for witnesses and information following a fail to stop collision in Hammersmith which left an elderly man with serious injuries.

Officers are specifically appealing for information to trace a motorcycle involved in the collision - it is described as a black Suzuki GSXR750 with a registration of WV57 GZE. The rider was described as a man, wearing black and white motorcycle clothing.

Police were called at approximately 16:45hrs on Monday, 21 May to reports of a collision involving a motorcycle and a male pedestrian in Fulham Palace Road, W6.

The collision occurred as the motorcycle was filtering down the offside of a line of traffic. There have been no arrests; enquiries are ongoing.

An agreement has been reached between Chiswick Rugby Football Club, Old Meadowians Football Club and Hounslow Council on the development and installation of a brand-new rugby pitch at Riverside Land Playing Fields (Dukes Meadows), Chiswick.

Cllr Steve Curran, Leader of the Hounslow Council said: "I am delighted that agreement has been reached between Hounslow Council, Chiswick RFC (CRFC) and Old Meadowians' Football Club (OMFC) which facilitates the installation of the rugby artificial pitch by the Rugby Football Union and other works by CRFC. I am also delighted that the Council has reached agreement with OMFC to secure their long-term future on the site. The Council is committed to supporting both clubs to ensure that they can continue to develop and grow in providing excellent sporting opportunities for all."

Kelvin Campbell, Chairman of Chiswick RFC (CRFC) said: "I'm delighted to confirm the commencement of installation



works by the RFU to create a new, fully floodlit, Artificial Grass Rugby Pitch constructed to World Rugby Standards at Riverside Lands, Chiswick, and ancillary facilities. CRFC run four adult rugby teams, and provide mini rugby for over 200 youngsters in a range of year groups."

Old Meadowians Football Club (OMFC) Chairman Derek Barnett said "With 10 men's teams and hundreds of children affiliated to the club through local youth teams,

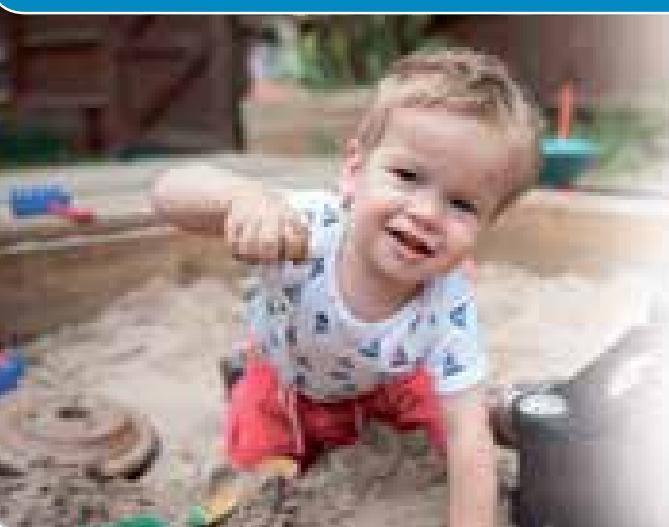
Old Meadowians is one of London's largest and most successful amateur football clubs. We are very thankful that with the support of Cllr Steve Curran and his team we can continue to provide community football in Chiswick for the foreseeable future."

Dukes Meadows will continue to transform as part of the council's regeneration project, which was given the green light in February 2018.

Agreement Reached On New Rugby Pitch At Dukes Meadows



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Hounslow Council Urges Community Groups To Apply For Youth Fund

It has been agreed by the council's Cabinet members that a transitional fund of £450K is to be used to support voluntary and community organisations to prepare for the changes that are being proposed. The fund will be one-off funding and will be available over three years [2018/19 – 2020/21].

Voluntary and community organisations or individuals who are current providers and potential new providers (both consortia or individuals) are eligible to seek funding. Organisations/individuals must be based locally in the borough of Hounslow and provide a service to Hounslow young people and their families.

Funding will be allocated from the Transition Fund, if a proposal meets at least one of the following criteria:

Sustainability

The proposal specifically identifies actions and activities that will support the ongoing continuation of a service and/or project

Skill development

The proposal addresses a skill gap which if addressed will support the continuation of the services

Capacity and is required as the organisation adjusts to a reduction in funding

Governance arrangements The proposal supports organisations to establish good governance, constitutions and management arrangements which will support them in seeking external funding

Funding of a temporary role The proposal suggests a temporary role that will add value to the community

and is required as the organisation adjusts to a reduction in funding

Councillor Tom Bruce, Cabinet Member for Education, Children and Youth Services, Hounslow Council said: "This is an ideal opportunity for not-for-profit community groups, voluntary or individuals to benefit from a community grant and I urge local

groups to apply."

To apply for funding from October 1 2018, applications should be submitted by 30 June 2018. For funding in year 2 and year 3, applications should be made by August 24 2018.

Bids will be considered by a panel of officers and decisions will be communicated to applicants within 21 days.

"The continued resilience and sense of spirit shown by the community at the heart of this tragedy is inspiring. Many of us will take time today - one year on - to think back and remember.

"Met officers and staff continue to work very hard to progress our ongoing investigation, to assist the Public Inquiry and provide support to families."



MET POLICE ISSUE STATEMENT ONE YEAR ON FROM GRENFELL FIRE

On the first anniversary of the Grenfell Tower fire, the Metropolitan Police Commissioner, Cressida Dick, said: "The terrible tragedy of Grenfell Tower remains very real, raw and painful for many people, every day. My thoughts, and those of all us in Met, are with all those who died, the loved ones left behind, and all those who survived the fire that night."

Bone Of Pope St Clement Gifted To Westminster Catholic Cathedral After Being Found On Waste Haul

Following the finding of a bone of apostle Pope St. Clement by an environmental waste clearance company, the bone is now being rested at Westminster Catholic Cathedral. When the company launched an appeal to find a resting place for the almost 2,000 years old bone, the Cathedral came forward.

The environmental waste clearance company which discovered bone of the late Pope St. Clement after a waste haul in central London, is gifted the bone to Westminster Catholic Cathedral.

EnviroWaste.co.uk found the bone in a red and gold, wax-sealed case, during a routine collection in central London last year, but workers didn't realise what they had until it was appraised several days later.

Following a public appeal to find the rightful owner, Enviro Waste discovered that the bone was owned by Westminster Catholic Cathedral. The bone will now be returned to the cathedral to rest, which was also a suggested resting place by many members of the public after the appeal.

Enviro Waste launched the appeal April this year: <https://www.envirowaste.co.uk/blog/articles/bone-st-clement>

ent-found-central-london/

The bone will be handed over to Westminster Catholic Cathedral this afternoon by James Rubin, founder of EnviroWaste to Archbishop George Stack, in the Lady Chapel, Westminster Cathedral. The event will happen from 1pm.

Pope St. Clement is consid-

ered to be the first apostolic

father of the church, the third

successor to St Peter and the

fourth Pope. He was known as

St. Clement of Rome and was

Pope from 92 to 101 AD. It is

said he died in 110 AD at the

age of 75, making the bone

nearly 2,000 years old.

EnviroWaste.co.uk uses a

multi-pick up system, mean-

ing waste collectors visit sev-

eral sites during waste hauls,

so pinpointing the exact loca-

tion it was found is almost im-

possible, however due to the

route schedule on the month

in question, they know it

would have been in the cen-

tral London area.

Sophie Andrae, Vice Chair,

Patrimony Committee, Cath-

olic Bishops' Conference of

England and Wales at West-

minster Catholic Cathedral

said,

"Although very little is known

about the life of St Clement, it

would appear that he was the

third successor to St Peter in

Rome. This is recorded by the

early Christian writer Tertullian (c155-240CE).

"Relics are important to Cath-

olics because they are part of

the physical remains of a

saint after his or her death.

Somehow contact with a relic

imparts to us a unique link

to the divine. Relics of early

Christian martyrs were venerated

from Roman times and

this tradition continues to this

day. Whilst the shrines of fa-

mous English saints such as

St Cuthbert in Durham Cathe-

dral and St Thomas a Becket

at Canterbury were destroyed

at the English Reformation,

on the continent many Cath-

olic churches house reliquaries

of important and much revered

saints. For example, St Francis

and St Anthony attract large

numbers of pilgrims from all

over the world to tombs in

Assisi and Padua respectively

and the Basilica of St Peter's

in Rome is built about the

crypt containing the bones of

Pope himself.

"We are delighted that the

relic of St Clement, third

Pope after St Peter, is finding

a home among the displays of

the Treasures of Westminster

Cathedral exhibition."

James Rubin, owner of Enviro

Waste said,

"You can imagine our amaze-

ment when we realised our

clearance teams had found

bone belonging to a former

Pope – it's not something you

expect to see, even in our line

of work. After launching our

appeal, we were overjoyed to

have the cathedral come for-

ward.

Choosing an appropriate rest-

ing place was very important

to us. Therefore, finding out

that Westminster Catholic

Cathedral was the previous

owner was amazing. We think

this is the best and safest

place for the bone due to its

importance to the church and

to ensure that it won't get lost

again!"



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Ealing School Class Gets A Lesson In Local Government

Year 7 pupils at St Benedict's, Ealing have been learning at first-hand about the British democratic process, by following their form tutor's progress in the local elections. Mr Ron Mushiso was duly elected Councillor for Turnham Green. Mr Mushiso, PE and Games Coach at St Benedict's, said: "This was the third time that I had stood in the local elections, and I was voted in as Councillor for Turnham Green on May 4th. My form, who I see at least three times a day, was kept informed throughout my campaign and lived through the whole democratic experience - from the stories about the campaign all the way to the elections and the result. They're very interested and have already started to advise me about the policies I should pursue!"

"The Sixth Form students also took a close interest in my

campaign and some of them voted for me as they turned 18, exercising their civic duty and right to a free vote for the first time. I am delighted with the support the school has given me over the years. The messages of encouragement from students and staff have been overwhelming."

Mr Mushiso received 1,426 votes in a very competitive election, with the Conservatives holding on to win the ward with three new councillors: Cllr Joanna Biddolph, Cllr Ranjit Gill and Cllr Ron Mushiso. The previous incumbents had also been Conservative councillors but had either stood down or retired.

"I am hoping to open up access to the Sixth Form so that

students can take on work experience placements in local government. This will allow them to see for themselves how democracy and politics

work at the community level.

By having this access they

can feel empowered to affect

change through community

engagement and gain a mean-

ingful understand-

ing of our political processes.

"In terms of the manifesto

pledges pupils were inter-

ested in the issues around

tackling air quality, improv-

ing cycling infrastructure and

keeping Council taxes low."

Mr Mushiso's tutor group is

currently looking at ways to

reduce the use of plastic bags

by using homemade cloth

bags (which are made using

old t shirts and jumpers) and

have urged Mr Mushiso to

take their ideas to his ward in

Turnham Green.

Mr Mushiso added "We teach

our pupils about democracy

as the pillar of our British val-

ues, but actually seeing it at

work through my candidacy

and campaign has given them



a unique perspective."

Year 7 pupil Zac Gormley said: "It is important more

people cycle instead of drive, so that the air quality can improve. I like finding out about

Mr Mushiso's manifesto and learning about his work as a councillor."

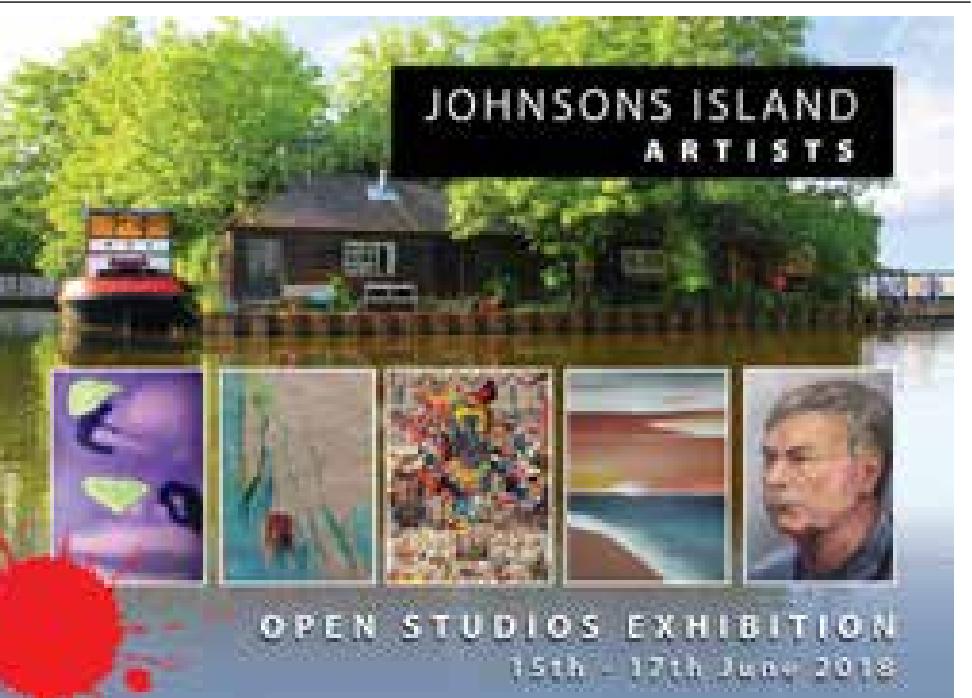


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FIVE CONVICTED OF FATAL ATTACK IN SOUTHALL

Five men who used a multitude of weapons that included knives, swords and baseball bats to commit a brutal attack on a rival have been convicted at the Old Bailey following the conclusion of a trial on Wednesday, 13 June. Amandeep Sandhu, 30 (01.04.87) of Townsend Road, Southall and Ravinder Singh-Shergil, 31 (18.03.86) of Colville Close, Tipton were found guilty of the murder of 33-year-old Sukhjinder Singh, also known as Gurinder Singh from Southall.

Two other men, Visha Soba, 30 (18.10.87) of Eighth Ave, Hayes and Kuldeep Dhillon, 26 (03.03.92) North Road Hayes, were found guilty of Gurinder's manslaughter.

Dhillon was also found guilty of witness intimidation; Soba and Sandhu found guilty of assisting an offender.

A fifth man, Palwinder Multani, 37 (09.12.80) of Tudor Road, Hayes pleaded guilty on 10 November 2017 to manslaughter and assisting an offender.

Multani will be sentenced at

the Old Bailey on Thursday, 21 June; the other four will be sentenced on Friday, 22 June.

The court heard that as far back as August 2013 there was a rivalry that existed between the victim and a group of men within the Sikh community.

The rivalry escalated in July 2016 when it surfaced that Gurinder had been boasting about an assault he had committed on Dhillon at a religious festival in Birmingham. Associates of Dhillon wanted revenge.

On Saturday, 30 July 2016 Gurinder was ambushed and violently attacked in Spikes Bridge Road, Southall by a group of men with various weapons that included knives, swords and baseball bats.

The men chased, beat up and stabbed Mr Singh a number of times.

Police were called and Gurinder was found suffering from a number of stab injuries. He was taken to hospital by the London Ambulance Service (LAS) where he was pronounced dead the next morning at 06:30hrs.

Clothing was also retrieved which again contained blood.

Further analysis showed this

number was also in contact with Multani immediately after the murder.

Multani was arrested at around 06 October 2016 at his home address and, in custody during his interview, he admitted his involvement.

He informed detectives that he knew Gurinder had upset a

number of people who sought revenge and he was hired by them to drive people to where Mr Singh was attacked. He stated he was paid £300 for these services. Multani was charged the following day with murder and assisting an offender.

Singh-Shergil was located and was found to be in possession of a phone which was found to be in contact with Sandhu - he was arrested and charged on 26 November 2016.

On 20 September 2017, Soba - who was on court bail having been charged with assisting an offender - and Dhillon were charged with murder after further information was provided by Multani.

Dhillon was also charged with witness intimidation relating

to an incident on 20 August 2017 when he approached a witness and threatened him against attending court in the upcoming murder trial.

Detective Inspector James Stevenson, Homicide and Major Crime Command said:

"These men used a shocking level of violence to exact their revenge and he was hired by

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Mayor And Wikipedia Join Forces To Challenge Gender Inequality Online

Today the Mayor of London joins forces with Wikipedia and Bloomberg to tackle the significant problem of gender inequality online.

As part of his gender equality campaign, #BehindEveryGreatCity, Sadiq has brought together secondary school girls from across London, women from the tech industry and Wikipedia's experts to create a burst of new Wikipedia pages about women, and to call on the tech industry to help more women and girls to get involved.

It comes after Wikipedia revealed that 83 per cent of its biographies are about men and that 85 per cent of page editors are male.

A series of dedicated edit-a-thons has been organised to tackle the gender imbalance in Wikipedia pages and to encourage more women to edit entries. These events are supported by the Wikimedia Foundation, which provides mentors and technology to help guide newer editors through the process.

Today, the Mayor, in partner-



ship with Wikimedia, organised an edit-a-thon at Bloomberg's central London office, where pupils worked in pairs with support from women who work in the tech industry to upload a raft of new pages about London women, and to make existing pages about women more robust.

Among the pages created

were Rosalee Mason, a London basketball player, and the leading publisher, and Farrah Storr, editor of Cosmopolitan magazine. Previous edit-a-thons run by the Wikimedia foundation have resulted in an increase in the number of biographies online about women, including Australian female neurosci-

entists and women in Jewish history. Programmes such as Women in Red, Wikipedia's project which aims to bridge the gender-gap, have led to the creation of 17,000 new biographies of women in the past three years.

Today's edit-a-thon will kick-start a series taking place across London. The Mayor

create profiles on women and by women.

Sadiq Khan, Mayor of London,

said: "It's just not an accurate reflection of the achievements of women that Wikipedia pages are still predominately about men. This has to change. Through the edit-a-thon today we are breaking down the barriers preventing more women and girls from becoming Wikipedia editors – by giving the knowledge and the support they need to create new pages, we can take the right steps to tackle this serious imbalance.

"Our event today is also about challenging how we recognise and champion women's accomplishments. There are women CEOs, magazine editors, entrepreneurs, lawyers and artists who don't have Wikipedia pages despite their immense talent, profile and contribution to their fields.

As part of my #BehindEveryGreatCity campaign, I want to highlight the women that are at the heart of our city's success, and ensure they get the recognition they deserve."

Detectives investigating reports of a suspected noxious substance attack are appealing for witnesses to contact them.

Police were called at approximately 19:10hrs on Friday, 8 June to reports of a suspected noxious substance attack on Brentford High Street.

Officers attended along with the London Ambulance Service.

A woman, aged in her early 30s,

was treated at the scene by paramedics for injuries that are not life-threatening or life-changing. She did not require hospital treatment.

A 20-year-old man was arrested at the scene on suspicion of causing grievous bodily harm. He was taken to a west London police station and has been bailed to a date in early July.

The suspect and victim are known to each other.

Anyone who witnessed the attack

is asked to contact police on 020

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on 0800 555 111.

The romantic comedy In-Laws and Outlaws has been nominated for The People's Book Prize – the only major book prize in which the winners are determined entirely by the public vote. The book is the debut novel of Chiswick author Kate Fulford.

The book tells the story of Eve, an unconventional heroine, with a colourful past,

whose best friend describes her as a 'borderline psychopath'.

Nonetheless, Eve's heart is in the right place. Having recently fallen in love with Gideon everything seems, at last, to be working out rather well for Eve. But then Gideon introduces her to his mother, Marjorie. Marjorie knows what's best for her son, and it's definitely not Eve.

In-Laws and Outlaws has

been getting rave reviews:

"A hysterical read... Eve's narrative digressions are pure enjoyment... will keep you in stitches. In-Laws and Outlaws is the perfect diversion."

Underrated Reads

"Having lived with the book in my head for so long, to know that people are reading it at all is astonishing - to be shortlisted for The People's Book Prize is beyond unreal.

The Prize is a wonderful way

for readers to find books that may otherwise go unnoticed, so I would urge people to take this opportunity to read as many of the shortlisted books as possible, I will be!"

Janet's Book Corner

"This was a fun read... there were many twists and turns."

Winding Words

Kate Fulford says:

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CHISWICK NURSERY CHILDREN CELEBRATE RAMADAN



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H&F Council Vows To Keep Fighting Third Runway Plans

Hammersmith & Fulham Council has vowed to keep fighting plans for a third runway at Heathrow, even if Parliament supports the scheme. The council has said it will seek to join any legal challenge against a decision in favour of expanding the west London airport – a move the council says would subject residents to a mire of misery and pollution.

"We absolutely refuse to sit back and let such a potentially catastrophic decision be made without a fight," said Cllr Stephen Cowan, H&F Council Leader.

"We've made our stance very clear; a third runway at Heathrow would mean more noise for residents already suffering noise disturbance, more pressure on our roads and an unacceptable increase in air pollution.

"If we need to take legal action, we will, as the environmental cost of meekly accepting a decision in favour of expansion, would be far worse."



On 5 June, the Government published a document, which, if approved by Parliament, would support plans for a third runway and effectively give the scheme outline planning permission. Parliament will soon vote on this. Once a policy supporting a third runway is adopted, Heathrow can then submit details and seek approval for its scheme under the national planning process for large infrastructure projects.

In 2014, H&F Council set up a resident-led commission to investigate the potential effects of expansion on residents' lives. It reported back that the overall impact of Heathrow expansion would

be negative, with any benefits unlikely to be felt by those in H&F.

Commission chair, Christina Smyth, blogged last week on the Government's decision.

Speaking of the council's announcement, she said: "Our position remains the same, we see little benefit to H&F residents from expansion at Heathrow. In fact, we'd pay a heavy price, so we're grateful our council is prepared to fight for our interests.

Furthermore, the most recently published Government information shows that overdevelopment of London and the South East could act to the detriment of the regions and nations of the UK as well. "It's time for residents to reject the third runway once and for all, and demand that better solutions are found to the UK's transport woes."

The Rainbow Boroughs Project was established by the 17-24-30 No To Hate Crime Campaign (named after the combined dates of the London nail bomb attacks on Brixton, Brick Lane and Soho which took place on the 17th, 24th and 30th April 1999), which tackles hate crime in all its forms.

Those representing Hounslow

HOUNSLOW'S LGBT COMMUNITY INVITED TO TAKE PART IN PRIDE MARCH

Residents from Hounslow's LGBT (lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans)+ community are being invited to be part of one of the UK's largest celebration of LGBT+ life – Pride in London. The annual event, which this year takes place on Saturday 7 July, will parade through the heart of central London raising awareness of LBGT+ rights, freedoms and diversity.

For the first time in Hounslow's history, there are limited number of parade places for residents to be at the heart of the action. The Rainbow Boroughs entry to the Pride march will bring together representatives from across London who may not otherwise be represented at Pride in London.

To take part in Pride in London, come along to an open meeting at 6pm on Wednesday 20 June at Hounslow Youth Centre, Kingsley Road, TW3 1QA. If you can't attend the meeting but would like to participate in the event email Keryn.Jalli@hounslow.gov.uk or call on 020 8583 2582 for more information.

Joanna Biddolph: Local Councillor

The life of a local councillor was the backdrop of my childhood – the phone would ring during supper and my father, a borough councillor for 11 years, would disappear to listen to a resident. Later he'd be at his desk going through papers for council meetings – if he wasn't at a council meeting. My mother, a county councillor for four years, went on visits during the day, had just as much reading and many evening absences. So I ought to have been prepared for the flow of casework the three of us new councillors in Turnham Green ward have seen in our first month, the pile of reading we've been issued with as new councillors, and the amount of time spent travelling to and from the civic centre.

I'd expected residents to raise issues by email. I've been surprised when people have stopped and said, "You're the new councillor, aren't you?"

then asked me to take up their concerns. Planning applications or appeals; missing bollards outside houses now plagued by lorries parked in front of sitting room windows;

flyposting; paving stones replaced with bitumen; pollution; rats; drug dealing; the loss of our police station; and a massive daily heap of spreading filth from flytipping left beside waste sacks put outside, as required, by residents who live in flats above shops. I thought the insistence (that's a polite description) of complainants on Twitter had reached a not-to-be-surpassed peak during the election campaign but, no, it has become worse – often personal – since. I was told early on in the campaign that I'd have to develop a thick skin. I haven't achieved that yet.

When I moved to Chiswick, 35 years ago, it was normal to smile at a passer-by, to comment on the weather, even to say "hello" and hear it said back. Now it's eyes down, swish past. Yet we still have a strong sense of community, something TfL failed to recognise in its first iteration of the cycle superhighway CS9. I will fight against any loss of pavement – not one inch, I'm on record as saying – not only because of its effect on the strongest visible expression



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Dads and Sons enjoy a 'Magic Breakfast' together in Burnaby Gardens

The Falcons Pre-Preparatory School in Chiswick opened its doors early last Friday morning inviting all Dads in Nursery to join their sons for breakfast in recognition of Fathers' Day.

The event also raised funds and awareness for 'Magic Breakfast' which is a charity, supported by the Falcons Pre-Prep catering team, that was set up to provide healthy school breakfasts to hungry and malnourished children in disadvantaged areas of the UK.

As a result of holding this event, Falcons Pre-Prep were able to donate over 180 free nutritious breakfasts to school children who would otherwise have gone without, giving them a chance to succeed. Mr Andrew Forbes (Headmaster) said 'It was great to see so many Dads joining their sons for what is arguably the most important meal of the day. Given that studies have shown that a healthy breakfast increases concentration and attainment levels, Fathers' Day gave us a wonder-



ful opportunity to be able to both bring our community together and also give back and support Magic Breakfast in their aims.'

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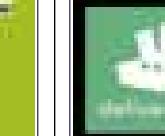
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Chiswick Dentist Aims To Set Up Dental School In Sierra Leone



Local dentist Rafaella Gabassi, proprietor of White Dental Rooms in Chiswick, has set up a charity in a bid to set up a Dental Therapist School in Sierra Leone.

The Smiling World Foundation is working hard to fund raise an initial £15,000 for the school in a country where there are over 7.5m people and only 3 dentists. Children and adults live in abject poverty and suffer constantly from several conditions many of which are oral related which can ultimately lead to death.

Rafaella said, "Our vision is to see the children of Sierra Leone grow up free of oral disease by providing them education, giving them self esteem and the opportunity to increase their

quality of life. We travel all across Sierra Leone, reaching schools, orphanages and communities treating oral disease, paying particular attention to those in isolated parts of the country."

Smiling World was founded by Dr Rafaella Gabassi in 2012 as one of the very few charitable organisations established to promote oral health through education, reaching remote villages, treating and educating children in destitute situations and giving them hope and understanding.

To help Rafaella achieve her goal, you can donate here.

Royal Wedding Pushes Heathrow To Record May

May's Royal Wedding led to a surge in passengers in May, just as the Government announced plans to hold a vote in Parliament within weeks on expanding the UK's hub.

6.7 million passengers travelled through Heathrow in May (+3.1%) as wedding watchers from the US travelling to nearby Windsor pushed up passenger numbers 5% on North American flights.

As Parliament prepares to vote on expanding Heathrow, latest polling shows 75% of MPs back expansion at Heathrow, alongside substantial support from Britain's major business groups and trade unions.

Domestic flights also saw an uplift, boosted 5.5% as more passengers filled flights to Aberdeen, Edinburgh and Leeds. Over 144,000 metric tonnes of cargo passed through Heathrow in May, the 22nd consecutive month of record growth at the UK's largest port by value for non-EU trade.

Long-haul markets were the fastest growing markets for cargo, with Japan (28%) and Brazil (33%) taking the top spots.

Scandinavian Airlines and LOT Polish Airlines were the best performers in the latest 'Fly Quiet and Green' results, with the latter moving from the lowest spot on the league to second place.

Heathrow saw the arrival of new direct services to the cities of Wuhan and Sanya, operated by China Southern.

The airport's connection to Sanya is a first for Europe.

The routes will allow for

6,000 metric tonnes of additional cargo capacity and over 110,000 new seats for passengers annually

Heathrow CEO John Holland-Kaye said, "We have a robust plan to expand Britain's hub airport, unlocking billions in

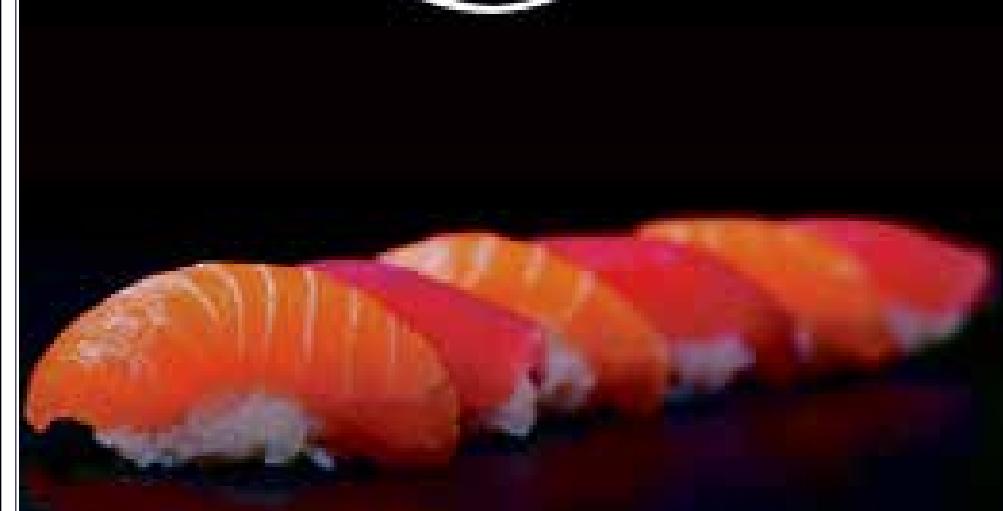
growth and creating tens of thousands of new skilled jobs – from Plymouth to Perth and Swansea to Southend. With strong cross-party support and a united voice from business and unions – MPs must finally seize the opportunity to expand Heathrow and secure a prosperous future for all of Britain."



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What's the worst habit of all?



We all have bad habits. And, despite being a Christian minister, I am no exception. I do eat chocolate after lunch every day. I do – too often – hit the snooze button when my alarm goes off at 7am. I do put off jobs I don't enjoy, like washing the car.

Your bad habits are probably different. But one bad habit that we all share – and that we should all try to give up is WORRYING! Chocolate, laziness and dirty cars are all bad in excess. But chocolate gives a great energy boost; an extra thirty minutes in bed, when you are tired, may be just what your body needs; and who cares that my mudguards are muddy – isn't that their purpose in life?

But the thing about worrying is that it is really useless.

In the Bible, Jesus says to his followers, 'Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life?' Over and over again, Jesus says 'Do not fear, 'Fear not!'

The thing is that worrying is not only useless – it actually gets in the way of our flourishing. In fact, I would say that worrying is lethal to thriving in life – because when we are worrying we cannot be fully present.

Or to put it another way: the very opposite of worrying is thriving. And the opposite of thriving is worrying. And you can't do both things at the same time.

Babies and children thrive. They do not worry about things.

But, as we get older, we start to worry more. First, we worry about what people think of our looks, what we are wearing, our body shape and weight. Then we worry about exams and getting a job. Then money and paying the rent. Then about finding a partner in life and maybe about children we have. And

whether our partner really loves us. And what about the grey hairs we start to find and the wrinkles? What about ageing and getting old?

What? Isn't it good to worry about others? I hear you ask. Isn't that a good Christian thing to do? Well, I would say that it's good to listen to others and to share in their troubles and to help where we can. But worrying is another thing. When we worry about the people we love, such as our friends or children, we find ourselves becoming judgemental or manipulative. They trust their parents, they trust in the love into which they have been born. They trust that, in being with those who love them, all will ultimately be well. Whatever happens.

And this is the same message Jesus gives to his followers. Trust in me, he says. Trust that you are loved. Trust that, in being with the one who loves you, all will ultimately be well. Whatever happens. So, when you find yourself worrying, recognise what you are doing. And stop. Look

around you. And give thanks for all that you have. And stop worrying about other people too.

So give it up. Let it go. Surrender all the worry, drama and stress that you are currently experiencing in life at the moment. And trust that ultimately all will be well. Trust, as Martin Luther King put it, that 'the arc of the moral universe is long but it bends toward justice.'

When we worry about the people we love, such as our friends or children, we can see the answer. The antidote to worrying is trust. Essentially children trust. They trust their parents, they trust in the love into which they have been born. They trust that, in being with those who love them, all will ultimately be well. Whatever happens.

TONY INWOOD

Tony has just created an exciting new website called newtube, which is a great way to read poetry on the move. It is a collection of his diverse poetry in an easily accessible form, which can be read on a journey, in a doctor's waiting room or in any of those idle moments that we all seem to encounter daily. This mobile-friendly website will offer entertainment in a stimulating and humorous way, wherever you are!

www.new-tube.org

Chiswick Poet



I recently re-discovered this poem that I wrote when I was about 10 years old. I don't know where I got the idea from!

The Tipsy Robber.

The robber creeps around the house, he is as silent as a mouse. Looks he into a wooden chest and finds there jewels of the best.

He puts in his hands, takes out seven, he counts them, finds he's got eleven. Then he crams his pockets four and drops a few upon the floor.

On he searches, round the room, and, in a corner, finds a broom. He looks into a cupboard fine and there he finds some bottles of wine.

He takes one out and has some drinks, and very tasty wine he thinks. He puts the wine into his bag made out of green and yellow rag.

Then he stumbles on the floor and hits his head against the door. He pauses, listens, leaves the house, but no longer silent as a mouse!

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Comedian Sara Pascoe To Perform In Richmond This Autumn



Multi-award-winning comedian Sara Pascoe has announced that her smash hit Edinburgh Fringe and complete sell out West End show LadsLadsLads will tour the UK this autumn, stopping at Richmond Theatre for the London leg of the tour. LadsLadsLads is Pascoe's most honest, heartfelt and personal show to date. Full of jokes, hope and white wine, LadsLadsLads is the thinking person's stag do*. The show follows the huge success of the sold out 'Animal' tour (inspired by Sara's acclaimed book of the same name, published by Faber and Faber).

Over the last year, Sara has starred on Let's Sing and Dance for Comic Relief (making it to the Final); adapted Pride and Prejudice for the Nottingham Playhouse/ York Theatre Royal; filmed a solo stand up special for TV: Sara Pascoe Live from the BBC; hosted an episode of Live at the Apollo and appears as a weekly guest on Frankie Boyle's New World Order. Sara has also been seen on television shows ranging from Have I Got News For You, QI and Travel Man and filmed and co-starred in the most recent WIA series. She is presently writing her sec-

Chiswick Pier Trust Midsummer Jazz Cruise



22 June: The Midsummer Jazz Cruise - Celebrate the summer solstice with Chiswick Pier Trust's popular Midsummer jazz cruise to Westminster. Passengers will have a delicious two course supper served on board, with drinks available from the bar, while being serenaded by jazz band, Anacousis. Departing from Chiswick pier at 7 pm returning after dark, it's a mellow and memorable evening.
22 August: Watercolour workshop with Julia Cassels - Join us for a day's watercolour workshop for adults, hosted by artist Julia Cassels at Chiswick Pier Trust. A specialist

in ink and watercolour, Julia uses these mediums with a modern twist. Julia spent over a decade in the African bush and this intensity of experience allows her a deep and sympathetic understanding of animal subjects. She is also author of How to Capture Movement in Your Painting.

For more info about the events, visit www.chiswick-pier.org.uk, or email trust@chiswickpier.org.uk.

Chiswick Fundraising Concert With Live Music And Ballet

The Nonesuch Orchestra will perform Stravinsky's ballet Apollo ("Apollon musagète") with new choreography from local dance company Ballet4life on Saturday 23rd June at 7.30pm at St Peter's Church, Acton Green. Tickets cost £15, £12, £5 and can be purchased via the Bedford Park Festival website.

Conductor Dan Shilladay has curated an evening of musical delights, starting with Mozart's B-flat Divertimento, followed by Bach's Double Violin Concerto (soloists Stephanie Waite, the leader of the Nonesuch Orchestra, and her husband Enrico Alvares) and concluding with Apollo.

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Traditionally Stravinsky's Apollo is performed with the 1928 choreography by George Balanchine, the first collaboration between the pair who would go on to create many ballet masterpieces. In this unique concert, Ballet4life's choreographer Donna Schoenherr has created her own interpretation of the story of the Greek god Apollo meeting with three of the nine Muses: Calliope, Muse of epic poetry, Polymnia, Muse of sacred song and Terpsichore, Muse of dance.

The dancers featured are: Christodoulos Christodoulou, Sonia Bartlett-Cos,

Alina Luts and Beatrice Ghezzi. Choreographer Donna Schoenherr says, "My Apollo ballet is completely new and different and draws upon my many decades of experience in the world of dance, theatre and creative projects, and inspiration from Stravinsky, the dancers and my surroundings".

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There will also be performances designed for children from local prep and primary schools - but open to all - at St Michael and All Angels Church W4 on Thursday 21st June as part of the Bedford Park Festival. These performances will be accompanied by items sung and played by children

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from participating schools, together with the Nonesuch Orchestra. The performances bring together musicians, dancers and schoolchildren, many of whom live locally, and the profits will go to various charities with local links.

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To purchase a ticket, and for further information on the artists involved and the charities being supported, visit:

bedfordparkfestival.org



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Slow Travel

The Hot Travel Trend of 2018

Forget about a frenetic journey rushing through the airport and squeezing in as many sights or cities as possible but look instead to slow your mindset, as well as your mode of transportation. Slow modes of travel helps relaxation and allows travellers to disconnect from the stresses of daily life and connect more intensely with local places and cultures, returning from holidays refreshed and recharged. Perowne International has handpicked some of the best ways to experience slow travel through wellness, leisurely journeys and off-the-grid offerings:

LEISURELY JOURNEYS

Take the slow train... (or boat)... BELMOND AFLOAT LAUNCHES A NEW CRUISE THROUGH THE PICTURESQUE REGION OF CHAMPAGNE ABOARD ITS BRAND NEW BOAT 'BELMOND PIVOINE'

Length of Trip: 7 days

Distance Covered: 128km

Average Speed: 4mph

Belmond's five barges are amongst the most luxurious in Europe and offer a relaxing way to explore the rivers and canals of France. The new Belmond Pivoine is a beautifully-appointed barge cruising at a stately pace through the idyllic Champagne region. Sleeping eight guests across four contemporary en-suite cabins, Belmond Pivoine boasts an expansive deck with heated swimming pool, lounge and dining room from the trompe l'oeil wall mural and embroidered Parisian bed covers, to the marble bathrooms. The interiors are impeccable – as is the service, provided by attentive guides and chefs who will accompany guests to local markets to select the freshest produce for fine dining aboard the barge, and staff who are on hand to make sure that guests get the most out of each port of call along the way.

Cruising between Meaux and Chalons-en-Champagne past beautiful vineyards and enchanting villages, Champagne is not only famed for its unrivalled wineries, but also its fascinating historical sites, including the gothic cathedral where the glittering coronations took place and the Musée des Beaux-Arts, an 18th Century abbey housing a rich collection of artworks.

HOW: Scott Dunn offers an 8-night itinerary aboard the Belmond Pivoine from £9,165 per person. This is based on a party of six travelling together on a full board basis and includes return flights and private transfers throughout. www.scott-dunn.com

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Length of Trip: 10 days

Distance Covered: 232km

Average Speed: 2mph

For many travellers, Kerala is South India's most serenely beautiful state, with almost 600km of Arabian Sea coast and beaches, a network of glistening backwaters and the spice- and tea-covered hills of the Western Ghats.

The tranquil backwater cruises are a once in a lifetime experience, especially popular for its houseboat cruises where guests can soak in nature at its finest form.

Ensuring the very best of Sri Lanka is within reach of discerning travellers. Historically, the backwaters are used by local people for transport, fishing, and agriculture, so it is an ideal way for travellers to observe the surrounding culture. The lush green landscape, diverse wildlife, and houses and villages that line the backwaters make a journey along these waterways seem like a journey through another world.

To experience the best of Kerala, look to Taj for the ultimate itinerary. Guests can begin their stay at Taj Malabar Resort & Spa, situated on Willingdon Island with stunning views of Cochin harbour. As a nod to Cochin's history, the hotel has its very own spice garden, and in the afternoons, high tea is served to guests on a complimentary basis, followed by a sunset cruise on the hotel's boat. Guests will then continue one of the most popular 5-star resorts in Kerala, Taj Kumarakom Resort & Spa. Experience the old school charm of this rustic backwater resort in Kumarakom, spending afternoons unwinding with a rejuvenating Ayurvedic massage from the Jiva Spa or making the most of the hotel's specially curated experiences such as a local lamp lighting ritual or taking a guided walk into the local villages. Following their stay, guests will then move onto Taj Green Cove Resort & Spa nestled in the lap of Kovalam's pristine beach. Set high on a hillside above a tranquil lagoon, with its prime location and natural backdrop, the hotel offers guests the beaches, hills and backwaters of Kerala, all in one exclusive setting. Key experiences include river cruises floating down the estuary on a backwater adventure, stopping at the tranquil village of Poovar to join a Keralan cooking class.

HOW: Rates at Taj Malabar Resort & Spa, Cochin start from £107 per night, Taj Kumarakom Resort & Spa,

Kerala from £164 per night and Taj Green Cove Resort & Spa Kovalam, Kerala from £142. www.tajhotels.com

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slowly through some of Sri Lanka's most incredible landscapes, offering breathtaking views that travellers can't view from the road. Just a few minutes along the tea lined estate roads from Demodera Railway Station near Ella, stands Nine Skies, a majestic former tea planter's bungalow turned six-bedroom luxury hotel. Set within several acres of private gardens are the hotel's croquet lawn, swimming pool and sun deck, with wonderful views across the valley to the working tea factory and famous Demodera loop. The bungalow's name is a nod to the nine-arch viaduct, through which it is possible to see 'nine skies' when looking up through the arches.

HOW: Rates at the tea bungalows start from US\$495 / approx. £370 per room per night based on double occupancy and on an all-inclusive basis. www.teardrop-hotels.com KNAI BANG CHATT IN KEP, CAMBODIA LAUNCHES 'ROYAL TRAIN EXPERIENCE'

Culture-hungry travellers can now cruise the Cambodian countryside from Phnom Penh to Kampot. Length of trip: 7 hours Distance Covered: 412km Average Speed: 15mph New for 2018, Knai Bang Chatt in Kep - the most charming boutique retreat on Cambodia's south coast - has launched a 'Royal Train Experience' in collaboration with Royal Cambodian Railways, so travellers can now explore this enchanting region by rail for the first time in over a decade. Royal Cambodian Railways has re-instated a passenger train service after 14 years, transporting travellers from the bustling capital of Phnom Penh to rural and tranquil Kampot. The train pulls out from Phnom Penh station and snakes slowly through shanty housing built along the line. The journey then cruises through fields of brightly coloured lotus flowers floating on ponds and extensive rice fields lined by sugar palm trees. A short stop allows time to purchase local delicacies from street vendors, such as freshly cut sweet pineapple and savoury dried river fish. As the train travels deeper into rural Cambodia, limestone mountains start to rise and there is an abundance of wildlife. After 5 - 6 hours, the train will pull into Kampot where the voyage ends. The colonial town of Kampot is located along the Praek Tuek Chhu river and only one hour away from Kep. It retains a certain charm and character that has a laid-back, bohemian feel. When disembarked and sufficiently explored, guests will be privately transferred to Knai Bang Chatt - a chic modernist boutique hotel in nearby Kep sur Mer, and one of the last remaining

hidden unspoilt gems on Cambodia's South coast. Once the premier coastal retreat for the wealthy elite in the 1960s, Kep offers visitors a picturesque, peaceful holiday experience. Guests who just want to take it slowly can treat themselves to traditional Khmer treatments at the spa, while yoga and meditation is also available upon request.

HOW: The Royal Train Experience package at Knai Bang Chatt starts from \$400 per person and includes: pick up from hotel / location in Phnom Penh, one way train ticket, two nights accommodation in a Garden View room at Knai Bang Chatt, return transfer to Phnom Penh, train picnic including wine, transfer from Kampot station to Knai Bang Chatt, welcome beverage and cold towel upon arrival. www.knaibangchatt.com

FROM VENICE TO PARIS IN STYLE ABOARD THE VENICE SIMPLON ORIENT EXPRESS

Length of Trip: 20 hours Distance Covered: 1,120km Average Speed: 33mph

Guests of Scott Dunn can now combine two of the world's most romantic cities staying in the finest hotels in Venice and Paris with an unforgettable overnight journey on the world-famous Venice Simplon-Orient-Express. Beginning the trip in Venice, guests will stay

in the Aman Venice, a beautifully resorted former palace, and can enjoy private, guided tours of famous landmarks and hidden treasures of Venice. The journey continues by boat to Venice's Santa Lucia station where the majestic Venice Simplon-Orient-Express awaits. From here, guests will enjoy the luxurious leisurely journey to Paris. The Venice Simplon-Orient Express comprises 17 original vintage cars all with individual characteristics emulating the golden age of travel. As the train gently pulls away from Venice, it appears to float on water as it cruises away from the magical city.

Guests will enjoy a delicious three-course lunch on board in addition to dinner, a special occasion in which travellers don their finest black tie and elegant dresses. After appetites are fully satisfied, guests can retire to the comfort of their cabins and marvel at the views as the train travels onward through the spectacular alps before arriving the following morning into Paris. On arrival in the French capital, guests will be transferred to the brand new Hotel de Crillon, a landmark hotel with an enviable location on the Place de la Concorde, to conclude their trip in style.

HOW: Scott Dunn offers a 7 night itinerary to Venice and Paris from £7,300 per person based on two

sharing. This price includes full board on the Orient Express, bed & breakfast in Venice and Paris, flights and private transfers. www.scott-dunn.com

RIDE THE 'MOST BEAUTIFUL RAILWAY IN THE WORLD' ACROSS THE NORWEIGIAN FJORDS

Length of Trip: 1 hour Distance Covered: 20km

Average Speed: 20mph

RECONNECT WITH NATURE ON A WALKING HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE THE SHAKTI VILLAGE WALK EXPERIENCE WITH AMPERSAND TRAVEL

MONASTERIO SANTA ROSA HOTEL & SPA

Length of Trip: 4 hours Distance Covered: 12.4km Average Speed: 2mph

Soothie frazzled city minds with a guided walk through the remote Himalayan society of Ladakh, India Length of Trip: 16 days

Distance Covered: reaching altitudes of 4,250m

Average Speed: 2mph

The Shakti Walking Experience by Ampersand Travel is ideal for travellers seeking a remedy to city minds frazzled by concrete and adrenaline. With no motorised transport, no phone signal and travelling at the speed of your own two feet – walking is a journey of the most personal kind. Guests can slow down and connect with nature, offering a therapeutic extra to conventional hotel spa services. Situated in India's far north and perched at over 3,500m (11,500ft), Ladakh is often referred to as 'little Tibet' and is home to one of the best preserved Tantric Buddhist societies in existence. Staying at Shakti, Ladakh, travelers can experience the 'Head in the Clouds' journey as the perfect antidote to the frenetic world that most of us live in, with highlights including silent walks led by mindfulness gurus and a 3km hike to mountain caves chaperoned by a monk. Accompanied by local porters and guides, guests stay in traditional homestays – complete with private chef – that Shakti has spruced up to provide serious comfort without compromising on authenticity - pashmina blankets, fluffy duvets and cosy fireplaces are complemented by traditional artefacts and Indian artwork. For the more active guests, Shakti offers camping in remote but beautiful locations with the chance to spend the night in a tented camp set up exclusively to enjoy outstanding mountain views and some of the clearest night skies to be found in the world at altitudes of up to 6,000 – 14,000 ft. Throughout the journey, guests will dine on healthy meals from a menu of family recipes made with the finest local produce and the freshest ingredients picked directly from the Houses' own herb and vegetable gardens. These unique experiences bring Shakti guests closer to Ladakh's people and their living cultures, whilst also allowing them time and space to recalibrate under spectacular mountain views and clear skies.

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persand Travel (+44 (0)20 7819 9770 // ampersandtravel.com) offers the 16-day Ladakh Village Walk Experience from £9,995 per person. This includes accommodation at the Trident Gurgaon, Delhi, Shakti, Ladakh and The Imperial Hotel, Delhi, international and domestic flights, private transfers and private guiding.

HIKE THE HIDDEN TRAILS OF THE AMALFI COAST WITH AN EXPERIENCED GUIDE BEFORE UNWINDING IN THE REGION'S FINEST HOTEL & SPA – MONASTERIO SANTA ROSA HOTEL & SPA

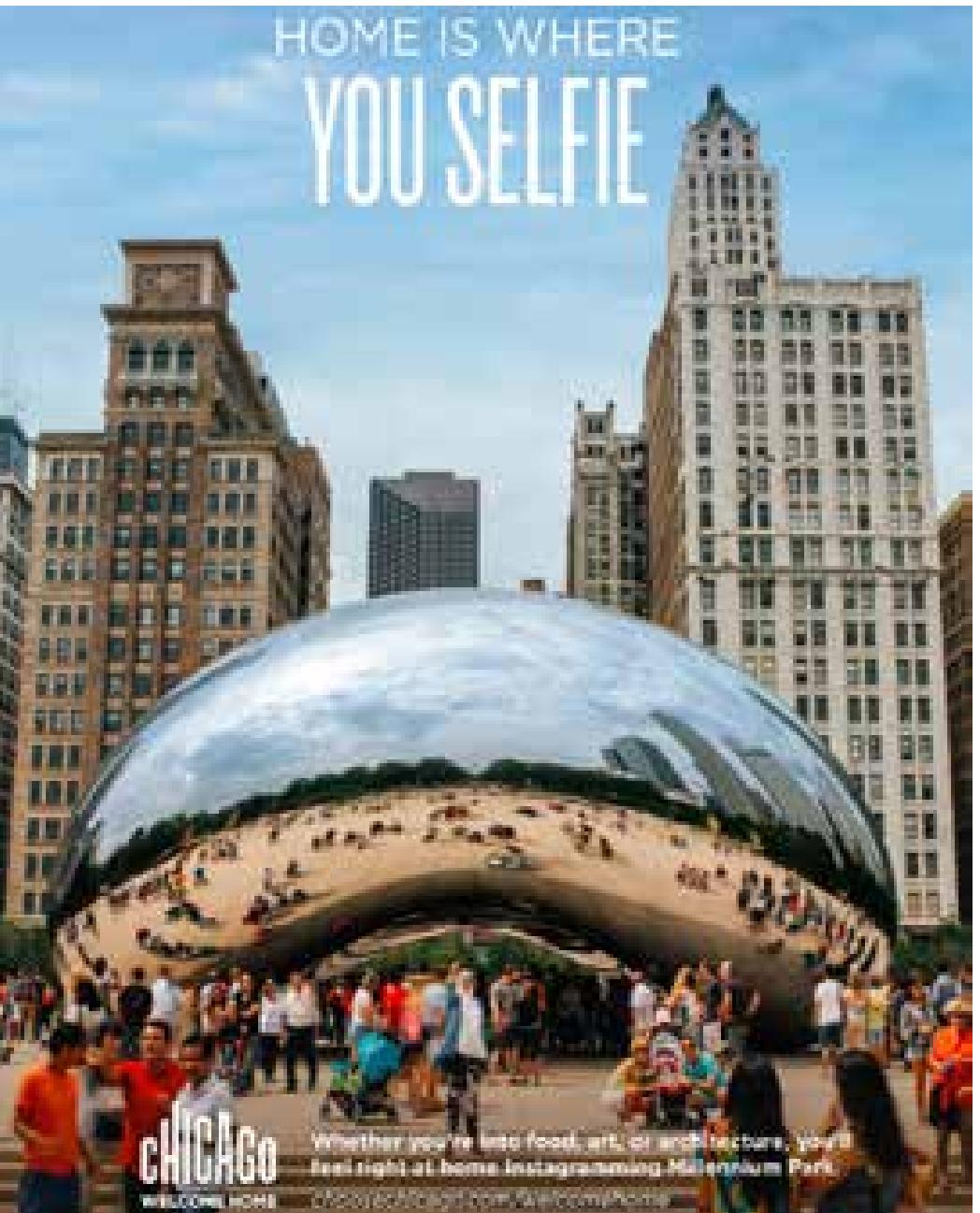
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Monastero Santa Rosa Hotel & Spa is a converted 17th century monastery and one of the most dramatic properties on the Italian coastline. Guests can experience the "Health & Hike" package whilst staying at the hotel - a wellness package incorporating a day's guided hiking to otherwise unvisitable areas of the spectacular Amalfi coastline, and tailored treatments in one of the finest spas in the region. This package is ideal for walkers of all abilities looking to explore the region and escape the crowds, accompanied by a local expert guide. Guests of Monastero Santa Rosa will have the opportunity to hike the little-known route called 'Valle delle Ferriere' or 'Ironworks Valley' that takes approximately three hours; beginning at the 'Piazza Duomo' in Amalfi and ending at the 'green heart' of the coast. Following a day of hiking, guests can relax and unwind in the hotel's award-winning spa - located in the historic vaults of the monastery. The exclusive Monastero Santa Rosa Hotel and Spa is family-run and offers just 20 individually designed rooms each with stunning sea-views and decorated with historical photographs of the area and the monastery itself.

HOW: Rates start from €2,490 for three nights in a Sea View Deluxe Room, this is based on two people sharing on a B&B basis and includes a private guided hike, signature arnica spa treatment, tour of the kitchen garden and lunch with the chef www.monasterosantarosa.com

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NAVIGATING CULTURE AND IDENTITY AT THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF LONDON

For over 40 years, The International School of London, situated at the heart of vibrant West London, has welcomed international families of all backgrounds. With over 60 nationalities represented by our students and staff, and a curriculum that includes teaching in over 20 languages (and embraces many more), the school can truly claim to provide a global education from the moment a child begins school in the early years programme. This continues all the way through to graduation at 18, when, armed with the globally recognised and respected International Baccalaureate Diploma, they depart to continue their studies at universities in the UK and all over the world.

The ISL philosophy aims to develop as full an understanding as possible of what it means to live in the world today. Our staff, our students and their families reflect the inter-connected and inter-dependent global community which is so crucial to London's economy. We know how important it is for our students to embrace and enjoy their own cultures and those of their classmates and we understand that our

students each have a culture and identity that is unique to themselves. We understand too that cultures and identities do not stand still and stagnate but develop and adapt, not only in response to social pressures from the world beyond the school but from living, learning and working with people from other backgrounds.

We help our students understand this complexity. The curriculum of the school is designed to encourage students to be curious and inquiring about the cultures and backgrounds of their peers, and to celebrate the enormously rich diversity of the school. This aim permeates every aspect of school life. It is reflected the school's language teaching; culture and identity are expressed through language, and we support every student's first language from Early Years through to the IB Diploma. The main language of the school is of course English, and our mother-tongue and English support classes enable all students to access our internationally accredited curriculum to the most challenging levels. As communication is so central to

intercultural understanding, all students are also given the opportunity to learn a third (and in some cases a fourth) language, beginning with the very youngest children. Our subject curricula throughout the school are global in their scope, ensuring that the students develop an understanding of the world in all its complexity and eschew the narrow focus of so many national programmes. Central to this is the value placed on reflective and critical thinking. Our globalised world presents us with challenges, and our students are given the tools to be creative, analytical and sensitive in working to solve those problems. And, of course, our diverse community is represented by frequent celebrations which involve our whole community and welcome visitors - you really should see the amazing spread at the Spring Fair!

Many dismissive phrases have been used to describe the kind of people represented by our student body, for example 'citizens of nowhere' or 'global nomads'. We know differently. Our aim is to develop students who, far from absorbing those nega-



tive associations, embrace in the most positive manner the opportunity to be responsible, active, caring members of any community they find themselves belonging to. Multiculturalism at ISL is an active force, with students who look outward to learn about each other, inward to reflect on themselves, and who creatively build a flourishing and inclusive community together. They work hard also to learn about and engage in the wider cultures that make up our very special part of London – something that our Service Learning programme, which runs right through the school, actively promotes. In International Schools such students are, in fact referred to as 'Third Culture Kids' (the home culture, the culture of the place they are living, and the culture they build together as an international community), a phrase which understands culture as additive; each culture enriches the other, and helps build each child's unique, richly complex sense of identity. We know, to borrow from John Donne, that no human is an island entire unto itself.

In today's world, torn by mu-



Anne Williams is Head of Grade 10F and an English teacher at the International School of London.

Going Out? Choose The Pharmacy On Devonshire Road

Evans & Peel, London's original Detective Agency themed cocktail bar, have been scouring the UK for the best ingredients to deliver exciting dishes to serve to the folk of West London, transforming from, not just an expert cocktail bar but also into a destination restaurant. They have two sites, the Pharmacy in Chiswick and Detective Agency in Chelsea, both will be launching a new Smokehouse menu on 27th March featuring a selection of southern American dishes all made daily using their own in-house smoker, as well as a small plate led bar menu. Guests will even be able to get 20% off their food bill from 27th March – 3rd April during their soft launch period. The Smokehouse menu will consist of regional BBQ dishes from Carolina style pulled pork, via St Louis with cut pork spare ribs, all the way

to Texas style brisket, and Pulled eggplant and mushroom brisket served with pickles, buttermilk potatoes, BBQ beans and slaw, as well as house sauces. All meat will be dry rubbed with their own tailored spice blends and smoked slowly over oak for up to 17 hours making them succulent and tender. Both venues will also serve a bar menu featuring small plates of Buffalo wings, Mac 'n' Cheese with pulled pork or smoked mushrooms, Padron peppers and Root beer BBQ beans with pork brisket. Both venues serve an eclectic list of intricate, seasonal cocktails focusing on variations of classics. The Detective Agency serve the 'Not Your Average Joe Martini', an adaption of the Espresso Martini using Buffalo Trace Bourbon, Coffee Liqueur, Tonka Bean, Benedictine and Cold Brew Coffee. Both cocktail bars

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Bedford Park Festival 2018

Thousands of people enjoyed the wonderful weather and entertainment on Green Days weekend on Acton Green, at the start of this year's Bedford Park Festival - followed by a fortnight of arts and community events.

The Festival was opened by actor Eddie Marsan, with Lyn Goleby, the owner of the new Chiswick Cinema, who announced that work will begin on the site next month, with opening scheduled for 2019.

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Perfect Pitch at the Tabard Theatre



Only crumbs left! The kitchen and serving team at the Berlin to Berlitz



Capacity crowd for the Sunday morning service on the Green



Rock Choir performing on Green Days



Interval drinks at the Berlin to Bernstein concert



Eddie Marsan with Fr Kevin Morris, vicar of St Michael & All Angels

Bowel Cancer Awareness: Understanding Bowel Cancer

We're speaking with BMI Syon Clinic's Consultant Gastroenterologist, Dr Devinder Bansi to help raise awareness around this common, but commonly misunderstood cancer.

What are the Bowel cancer statistics?

Dr Bansi notes that Bowel cancer is the fourth most common type of cancer in the UK^[i], however with over 16,000 people dying from bowel cancer each year, it is the second biggest cause of cancer deaths.

On average, about one in 16 people will develop bowel cancer in their lifetime, with the risk slightly higher for men^[ii].

What are the risk factors to be aware of?

"There are a number of risk factors", explains Dr Bansi, "these can be categorised by the following:

Age – Your risk increases with age (but that doesn't mean it can't affect younger men and women).

Family – You are at a greater risk if an immediate family member (parent, child, sibling) has had bowel cancer.

Gene – If you carry the can-

cer genes HNPCC or BRCA1 you are at greater risk. If you are unsure whether you carry either of the genes but are concerned, you can arrange a screening.

Gender – Men are at greater risk of developing bowel cancer. However, more than 5% of women in the UK will be touched by bowel cancer in their lifetime.

Medical conditions – If you have type 2 diabetes, ulcerative colitis or Crohn's disease you are at a greater risk.

Lifestyle - 54% of bowel cancer cases in the UK each year are linked to major lifestyle factors with the below being some of the main risk factors evidenced^[v]:

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What are the symptoms of bowel cancer?

Dr Bansi emphasises that it's important to know that many of the symptoms of bowel cancer do not necessarily mean that you have bowel cancer – they could also be other conditions.

Over 55s are also starting to be invited for a bowel scope screening, which is a more limited camera examination (flexible sigmoidoscopy) which looks at your lower bowel and rectum. Dr Bansi emphasises that "If you fall into these age ranges, you

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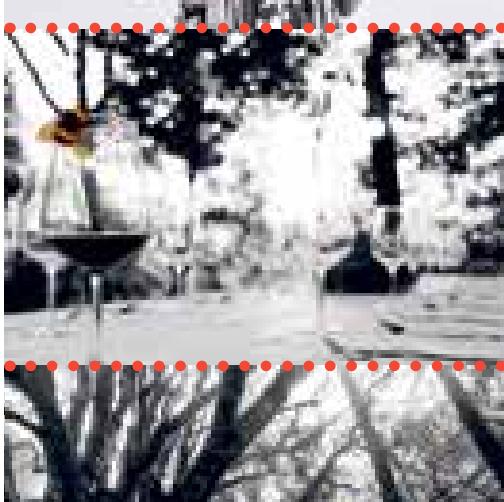


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Between	
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- and -	
JOHN DOOLEY	Respondent
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Ernest Gardens, W4

£450 per week

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Grosvenor Lodge, W4

£314 per week

Fully redecorated ground floor, two bedroom property with access to a shared garden. The property consists of two bedrooms, a large reception room with lots of natural light and rear access door to the communal garden, a fully fitted kitchen, modern bathroom and lots of storage. Located directly across the road from Gunnersbury Tube Station and only a five minute walk to Chiswick High Road with its many shops, bars and boutiques. For the motorist the A4 / M4 is also just minutes away. EPC - D. Fees apply



Elliot Road, W4

£465 per week

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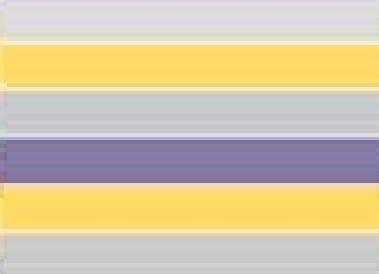
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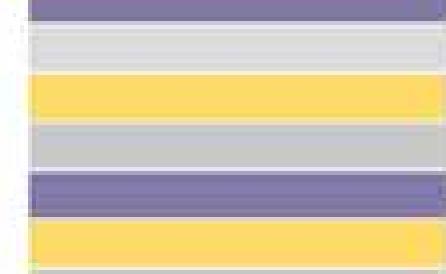
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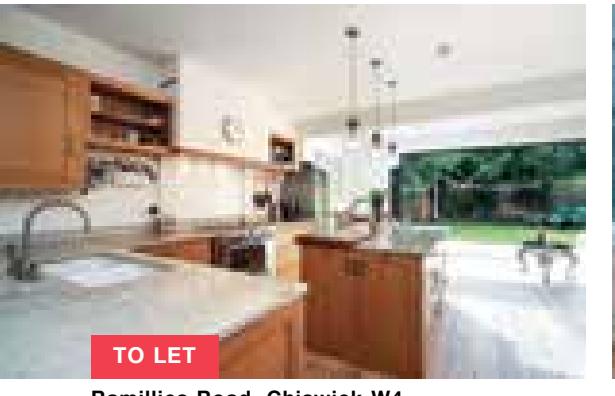
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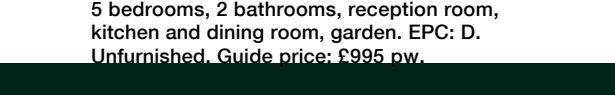
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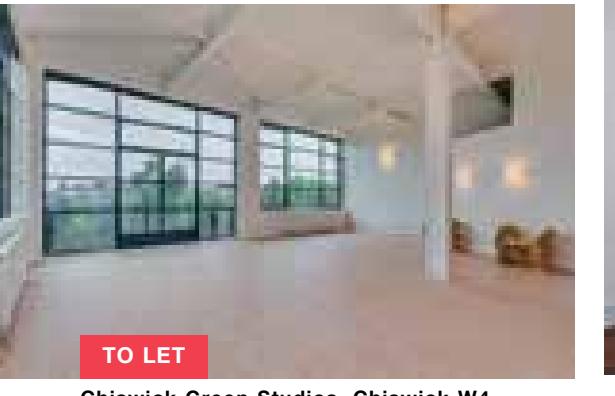
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McClaren Makes Space For New Signings

Although the new Queens Park Rangers manager has not yet made any signings, he is clearly preparing to do so by releasing players he sees to be surplus in order to make space for new arrivals. QPR club captain Onuoha was the first player to be released this summer. Although it is likely he would've been part of McLaren's plans, his wage demands were reported to be too high. Before leaving, the centre-back was voted QPR Players' Player of the year and had over 200 appearances for the Hoops over 7 years.

Jamie Mackie was also one of the first players to have been released marking an end to the wingers second stint at the club. Although the Scotsman made 19 appearances last season, his time at QPR has been plagued by injuries, so this and his high wage demands are likely to be the rea-



son for his departure. James Perch has also been released this summer as despite being a starter for his first two years at the club, in his third year he fell out of favour with just 7 appearances last season. Not to mention the 32-year-old is coming towards the end of his career, which is likely a large factor in the reason why he's not in McLaren's plans.

Other players released from the London-based club include Brandon Adams, Jay Emmanuel-Thomas, Romeo Akinola, Chris Paul, Zenon Stylianides, Joshua Wallen and Connor Hudnott. Earlier this week it is believed that Bournemouth made a £10 million bid for Brentford's Chris Mepham. Cherries boss Eddie Howe had also tried to secure the services of the young Welshman in the final days of the January transfer window. It is not surprising that the 20-year-old has been subject to interest from a Premier League club as he had a very promising season in which the Brentford academy player broke into the first team and scored once in 24 appearances. His form has also been noticed by Welsh manager Ryan Giggs, who gave Mepham his senior international debut against China in March 2018. He also gave the centre-back his first start in front of an

Brentford pair called up by Finland

Two Brentford youngsters have been called up for international duty. Brentford B striker Marcus Forss and his midfield team mate Jaakko Oksanen have been selected for a training camp by Finland Under-19. The pair are building up to the UEFA Under-19 European Championships, which will be held in Finland in July. Marcus and Jaakko will meet up with their national squad next week. They will take part in a four-day gettogether which will include two matches against Montenegro Under-20 on 1 June and 4 June. The UEFA European Under-19 Championships will be held in Finland from 16 to 19 July. Finland are one of eight teams looking to claim the trophy and the draw will be held next week.

England Hoping To Continue World Cup Winning Ways



As well as this training camp, Finland will be holding two more before they name their squad for the tournament. They also have a match lined up against Turkey in July. Both Marcus and Jaakko will be hoping to be part of the group for the competition.

Marcus has been a regular for Finland at youth international level. As well as his Under-19 appearances, he has also played at Under-18 level for his country. In total, Marcus has played 14 games for Finland and scored eight goals, including two in his last match against Switzerland. Despite only being 17, Jaakko made his Under-19 debut against Georgia in October and has seven caps at that level. He has also represented his country at Under-16, Under-17 and Under-18 level.

Players sign new contracts at QPR



On Sunday the 24th of June, the English national team travel to Nizhny Novgorod to face Panama. The Caribbean side lost their first match to Belgium 3-0, meaning that victory for the Lions will be even more vital if they want to top their group. England on the other hand got off to winning ways, with a 2-1 victory over Tunisia in which Harry Kane scored a brace. If England are able to earn all three points on Sunday then they will have completely se-

cured a position in the knock-out stages. They odds are backing them to do so since the Lions are strong favourites to win, this is mainly down to Belgium's dominant defeating of Panama, who offered very little going forward. However,

Sterling could quite possibly be dropped after failing to

make an impact against Tu-

nisia, and was consequently

Southgate's first player to be

substituted off on Tuesday

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ENGLAND CLINCH VICTORY WITH LAST GASP GOAL

Louis Yamani
Sports Editor

On Monday, the English national team travelled to Volgograd for their first fixture of the 2018 World Cup against Tunisia. England knew how vital victory was if they wanted to finish top of their group since just an hour earlier, Belgium had beaten Panama 3-0. The Lions got off to a dominant start with a sense of fluidity in their passing. An early chance was created when Alli was able to poke the ball into the centre of the box. It was Lingard who pounced first, and his low, driven shot was saved by the foot of Hassen who had actually dived the wrong way.

England's dominance continued in the early stages of the game and eventually paid off in the eleventh minute when they opened the scoring. Young swung in a dangerous corner which Stones latched on to and fired a rocketing header towards the top corner. Although Hassen was able to claw the ball away, it simply fell to an unmarked Kane at the back post, who placed the ball into an empty net.

However, just after the half hour mark, Tunisia were able to win a penalty against the run of play. After a ball was whipped into the England box, the VAR confirmed the Walker had struck Ben

Youssef in the face with his arm. It was Sassi who stood over the penalty and placed the ball into the bottom corner to equalise, Pickford may feel he should've done better considering he did get his palm to the ball.

Moments before the break, England came painfully close to finding the goal that would put them ahead. Trippier curled a perfectly weighted ball in behind the Tunisian defence, which was latched onto by Lingard. The youngster at full stretch was able to flick the ball over substitute keeper Mustapha, but could only watch as the ball rolled towards goal, hit the bottom of the post and went out for a goal-kick.

Throughout the course of the match, at set pieces English players were often wrestled to the floor by the Tunisian defenders, in particular Kane and Maguire. However, despite having VAR technology at his disposal, the referee did not once pick up on the blatant fouling in the box. The Lions will feel aggrieved since it was the VAR which confirmed Tunisia's penalty against them, yet it was not used once in their favour although there were countless opportunities.

In the first minute of stoppage time, England won a corner



in their desperate attempts to find a winner. The corner was swung in by Trippier, and met by the head of Maguire who flicked the ball towards the back post. Once again Kane's attacking instincts found him unmarked and he powerfully

headed the ball into the back of the net for England's winner and his second of the night.

The whistle blew just moments later, ending the game at 2-1 meaning England sit at second in their group, only

behind Belgium on goal difference. Lions' boss Gareth Southgate emphasised how pleased he was with his sides dominant display; "We created so many clear cut chances, especially in the first half, and were in total control of

the second half." He added "I was most proud of the way we kept playing even though the clock was running down." Southgate simply stated "Good teams score late goals."

West London Clubs' Opening Day Fixtures



The newly promoted Fulham will host Crystal Palace at Craven Cottage for a London Derby in their opening game of their Premier League campaign. Palace only narrowly avoided relegation last season, so the Cottagers will be even more wary of gifting their opposition points since both will be in a fight for survival this season.

Chelsea will make the trip to Yorkshire on the opening day of the season to face Huddersfield at the John Smith Stadium. The Blues will be looking for revenge for the penultimate match of last season in which the Terriers secured a draw at Stamford Bridge essentially ending Chelsea's hopes of Champions League

football, and which clinched safety for Huddersfield. Brentford begin their Championship campaign at Griffin Park where they will host Rotherham. If the side are serious about pushing for promotion, they will have to ensure that they don't drop points at home to weaker sides such as Rotherham. The West London side will also be hoping for a better start to their campaign than last year in which they weren't able to find their first win until the end of September. It was this poor start which eventually came back to haunt them when they narrowly missed out on the playoffs.

McClaren will take charge of his first QPR game in an away

trip to Preston. Although the new manager stated the club is still a "long way" from Premier League football, this is a match he'll be desperate to win in order to get the fans on his side, especially considering many fans were sceptical of Ian Holloway's dismissal.