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Sat 7th May - Mon 9th May 2005 (2nd - 3rd Week)

WHAT'S ON/COMING SOON

Holywell Music Room  Sun. May 8th, 11.15am
Alastaire Ross (harpischord)
Bach: Goldberg Variations
Tickets: Playhouse 01865 305305 / 07976 039385
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PHILIP PULLMAN'S I WAS A RAT!
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CINEMA
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Phoenix Picture House (512526)

- MEET THE FOCKERS [12A] Fri, Sat: 11.30pm
MIRIA FULL OF GRACE [15] Fri, Tue-Thu: 1.30, 6.30pm, Sat: 6.30pm, Mon: 1.30pm
FUTURE SHORTS [15] Sat: 11.30pm
OVFN: SHOWCASING SHORTS [15] Fri: 11.30pm, Sat: 4.00pm
French Cinema: DRÔLE DE DRAME Mon: 6.30pm
UNTOLD SCANDAL [18] Fri, Mon-Thu: 4.00, 8.45pm
KIDS CLUB: ELLA ENCHANTED [PG] Sat: 1.30pm
THE JIGSAW OF LIFE (preview) Fri: 4pm
THE HITCHHIKER'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY [PG] Life: The Universe & Everything. Daily: 1.45, 4.15, 6.45, 9.15pm (not Sat 4.15)

Ozone Multiplex (0870 444 3030)

- ROBOTS [U] Sat-Sun: 11.00am, 1.00, 3.00pm
POOH'S HEFFALUMP MOVIE [U] Sat-Sun: 11.00am, 12.40pm
THE HITCHHIKER'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY [PG] Life: The Universe... daily: 1.40, 4.20, 6.40, 9.00pm; Sat-Sun: also 11.20am
THE INTERPRETER [12A] daily: 2.00, 5.00, 8.15pm
THE AMITYVILLE HORROR [15] daily: 5.40, 7.40, 9.40pm
SAHARA [12A] daily: 1.10, 3.50, 6.20pm
VALIANT [U] Sat-Sun: 12.20, 1.50pm
MISS CONGENIALITY 2 - ARMED AND FABULOUS [12A] Comedy sequel with Sandra Bullock. daily: 5.10pm, Sat-Sun: also 12.10pm
GUESS WHO [12A] daily: 1.20, 3.30pm, Sat-Sun: also 11.10am
DOWNFALL [15] daily: 2.00, 5.00, 8.15pm
WEDDING DATE [12A] daily: 3.10, 7.30, 9.30pm
HITCH [12A] daily: 2.45, 5.20, 8.00pm
CURSED [15] daily: 9.10pm
XXX: THE NEXT LEVEL [12A] daily: 2.20, 4.40, 7.00, 9.20pm
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN [15] daily: 2.30, 5.30, 8.30pm
GUESS WHO [12A] daily: 2.15, 6.30pm
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- SENIOR SCREENING - VERA DRAKE [12A] Wed: 10.45am
THE INTERPRETER [12A] daily: 2.45, 5.30, 8.15pm
VALIANT [U] daily: 12.15pm
ROBOTS [U] daily: 12.00pm
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- DOWNFALL Fri: 8.30, Sat: 5.30, 8.30, Sun: 4.30, 7.30, Mon: 7.30pm
NINE SONGS Sun, Mon: 10.30pm, Fri, Sat: 11.30pm

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THE WINTER'S TALE Tue 10th-Sat 14th; Tue-Wed: 7.30pm, Thu & Fri: 7.30pm, Sat: 2.30, 7.30pm, Fri-8pm
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Burton Taylor Theatre (305305)

OLEANNA Fri 6th & Sat 7th: 7.30pm
David Mamet explores the dynamics of power. E5/E4
FOUR NIGHTS IN KNARESBOROUGH Tue 10th-Sat 14th: 7.30pm
Premiere student production of portrayal of Thomas Becket's murderers. E5/E4

Jongleurs (01865 722851)

BURLESQUE Mon 9th: Doors 9pm / show 10pm
Can-can, corsets, cabaret and everything burlesque! E5/E4

Pegasus Theatre (722851)

RUINS Sat 7th: 8pm
Theatrical dance piece with an ambitious mix of Indian & Western elements. E8 (£5.50, E3)
MARK THOMAS: WORK IN PROGRESS Mon 9th: 8pm
Radical leftie comic previews UK tour. E10/E7

O'Reilly Theatre, Keble College

EAST Fri 6th - Sat 7th: 7.30pm
Stephen Berkoff's elegy for London's east. E7, 50/£5.50

Old Fire Station Theatre (297170)

ABSOLUTELY! (PERHAPS) Fri 6th - Sat 7th: 7.30pm
The odd new neighbour sets tongues wagging in dark comedy. E8.50/£6.50/Opening night: £5.50

I WAS A RAT! Tue 10 - Sat 14; daily: 7pm (Sat matinée, 2.30pm)

An exciting new adaptation of Pullman's fairy tale with a twist. E8.50 (E6.50)

Amey Hall, Abingdon School

'GODSPELL' Fri 6th: 7.30pm, Sat 7th: 2.30pm, 7.30pm
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Mon 9th

OXFORD SOCIETY OF CHRISTIANS & JEWS / Prof. John Klier: 'Was Dostoevsky an anti-semiter?' / 8pm / Oxford Jewish Centre, Richmond Rd
FACING CLIMATE CHANGE / Talk by Joanna Macey on ways to empower ourselves / Climate Outreach Network / 6pm - 8.30pm / £2 - £5 entry / Email: info@coinet.org.uk / Web: www.coinet.org.uk / mac / Wesley Memorial Hall, New Inn Hall Street; Tel: 01865 242316

TALES FROM THE TRENCHES / Kat Hogwood talks on the realities (and fun) of commercial archaeology / Oxford Uni Archaeology Society / 8pm, £2 for non members / Email: archsoc@herald.ox.ac.uk / Web: www.geocities.com/ouarchsoc/ / Institute of Archaeology, 26 Beaumont Street, Oxford

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POETRY AND STORYTELLING / Spoken Word and drama from the floor with musical break / Hear the Word / 8pm start admin free / Email: heartheword@smallnet.net / Gardeners Arms, Plantation Rd

GIGS

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