



WHAT'S ON

THE SPIN JAZZ CLUB
 129 High St, OX1 4DF
THU 20 MAY: Tony Kofi
 Highly accomplished sax improviser
 WITH Pat Thomas/Raf Miziraki/Mark Hoffman
 8.15pm - 12am BOOKINGS & INFO: 07711 617647
 £9/£7 OAP/£6 stud.

ADULT CUSHION CONCERT
 Jacqueline du Pré Music Building
 St Hilda's College, OX4 1DY, Friday 21 May, 8pm
 Mark Hooper (piano), Alison Moncrieff Kelly (cello)
 Informal and informative concert with cheese & wine
 Tickets: £15, 01865 305305, www.ticketsoxford.com

Celia Green
 COFFEE MEETINGS
 Tuesdays, 4.30pm; cgoxfordforum@gmail.com
www.celiagreen.com

O'REILLY THEATRE, BLACKHALL ROAD, 'Hanging Hoops': Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th May, 7.30pm. Tickets £10 (£5 full time students) from Oxford Playhouse. 01865 305305. A play about the 17th century scientist, Robert Hooke.

Salter's Steamers - Boat Trips on the River Thames
 Short trips or day excursions. Why not charter a private boat for a party with a difference? Punting and self drive boats also available. Located at Folly Bridge, Oxford.
 01865 243421 www.salterssteamers.co.uk

CINEMA to Thu 21st
Phoenix Picturehouse (0871 7042062)
VINCERE [15] Thu: 1.00, 3.40, 6.20pm
 The tragic story of Mussolini's secret lover and their son. Italian and German with English subtitles.
FOUR LIONS [15] Thu: 2.00, 4.15, 6.30, 9.00pm
 Chris Morris comedy about four British jihadists. Yes, really.
ACORA [12A] Thu: 8.45pm, followed by satellite Q&A with director Chris Morris
 Roman Polanski's returns as Iron Man.
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BAD LIUTENANT [18] Fri: 1.00, 3.45, 6.15, 9.00pm
 Drug-addicted detective investigates murders in New Orleans.
LEBANON [15] Fri: 4.15, 6.30pm
 Young soldiers during the Israel-Lebanon war.

Vue Cinema (08712 240 240)
DATE NIGHT [15] Thu: 9.15pm
 A couple get more than they bargained for on their night out. Gangster comedy thriller.
THE GHOST [15] Thu: 1.45, 5.00, 8.00pm
 Roman Polanski's adaptation of Robert Harris' political thriller.
IRON MAN 2 [12A] Thu: 1.30, 2.30, 4.40, 5.45, 7.45, 9.00pm
 Robert Downey Jr returns as Iron Man.
FURRY VENGENCE [PG] Thu: 2.50, 5.10, 7.20pm, Fri: 1.50, 4.20pm
 Family comedy with Brendan Fraser and plenty of animated animals.
HOOT TIME MACHINE [15] Thu: 1.20, 3.50, 6.20, 8.40pm
 Fri: 1.30, 4.45, 11.45pm
 Four friends wake up in 1986 after a heavy night in a hot tub.
A NIGHTMARE ON ELM STREET [18] Thu: 7.00, 9.30, 11.00pm
 Sam Bayer remake of Wes Craven's 1984 slasher.
THE BACK-UP PLAN [12A] Thu: 1.00, 3.40, 6.10, 8.50pm
 Jennifer Lopez stars in pregnancy rom-com.
ROBIN HOOD [12A] Fri: 1.15, 2.10, 4.30, 5.20, 7.45, 8.45, 11.10pm
 Ridley Scott and Russell Crowe reunited in historical reversion.
KITES [12A] Thu: 9.15pm, Fri: 12.40, 3.40, 6.20, 9.20pm
 Romanos, danger and dance from Las Vegas to the Mexican desert.
PRINCE OF PERSIA: THE SANDS OF TIME [12A] Fri: 11.30, 12.30, 2.20, 3.20, 5.10, 6.10, 8.00, 9.00, 10.50, 11.40pm
 Medieval fantasy epic.
STREET DANCE 3D [PG] Fri: 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30, 11.00pm
 Street dance and ballet collide in a quest for the championship.

Odeon George St (0871 2244 007)
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 John Cusack in very silly time-travel comedy.
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HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON 3D [PG] Thu: 1.15pm
 Young Viking becomes intrigued by the magic of his traditional enemy.
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Ultimate Picture Palace (245288)
I AM LOVE [15] Thu: 7.00pm
 Tragic love story following the fate of a wealthy Milanese family. Italian with English subtitles.
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CEMETERY JUNCTION [15] Thu: 7.00pm
 Ricky Gervais and Stephen Merchant on British 1970s working class life.
PSYCHO [15] Thu: 9.00pm
 50th Anniversary of Hitchcock's definitive thriller.
Modern Art Oxford (722733)
NATURE'S GREAT EXPERIMENT Thu: 7pm
 A short film looking at two studies followed by audience discussion with filmmaker Jordan Boraman and Prof George Ebers from the Wellcome Trust Centre of Human Genetics. Free

Café Tarifa (256091)
TARIFA FILM NIGHT Fri: From 8pm / Free entry 18+
 This week showing: Dances With Wolves. Free popcorn, cheap cocktails!
Oxford Playhouse (305305)
RUSKIN SHORTS Fri: 5pm
 Director Tony Grisoni opens a screening of art/mainstream crossover shorts organised by Ruskin School of Drawing & Fine Art students. £6/£4
Richard Hamilton Building, Oxford Brookes, Headington Hill (484957)
ZIZEKI Thu: 4pm. Free
 Documentation on the Slovenian philosopher and psychoanalyst. Part of Oxford Brookes 'Vitamin BA' Fine Art Series Show. Full programme at <http://tiny.cc/lectchman>
LA BELLE VERTE [PG] Fri: 4pm, free
 French/Australian comedy, never generally released. Part of Oxford Brookes 'Vitamin BA' Fine Art Series Show. Full programme at <http://tiny.cc/lectchman>
Rose Hill Community Centre (777542)
DEJA VU SCREENING & PARTY Fri: 7pm, free
 Film screening & party to celebrate the making of Maria Pask's Déjà Vu

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GEOLOGY / A smashing story: talk by Dr Peter Hall / Oxford Geology Group / 7.00pm, £1 non-members / www.oggx.org / Oxford OX4 1AB. Tel: 01865 247800
PLAY GO - VISITORS WELCOME / Ancient oriental board game of Go (Weiqi/ Baduki): watch, play, learn for free / Oxford Go Club / 7-11pm, free / <http://oxfordgoclub.blogspot.com> / www.britgo.org/clubs/oxford.html / 01865 249775 (w) / 01865 273928 (w) / Free / 119 Walton Street
ATTITUDINAL HEALING / An application of the principles of a Course In Miracles. Non-judgemental circle / Oxford Attitudinal Healing Group / 7.15 for 7.30-9pm, donations, nckg_dick@hotmail.com / www.jerryjampolsky.com/attitudinal.healing.html / Ann. 01869 246839 / Oxford Quaker Centre, 43 St Giles; Tel: 01865 557373
THE CREATIVE SPACE / Come along and try painting, writing, stories... or just get inspired. No experience necessary / 9.15am - 12noon. Free, drop in. Refreshments available / naomidodds@yahoo.com / Naomi: 07854 727540 / Cutteslow Community Centre, 31 Wren Rd, Cutteslow; Tel: 311712
GURDJIEFF READING GROUP / Fortnightly group to discuss the ideas and messages of G.I. Gurdjieff / The Gurjeff Society / 7.15-9.00pm / 07540 834853 / Oxford Quaker Centre, 43 St Giles
THE KNIT CROWD / An evening of knitting & related conversation / 7pm, free / www.modernartoxford.org.uk/ / Modern Art Oxford, 30 Pembroke St; Tel: 01865 722733
FOOD: FOR PEOPLE OR PROFIT? / Author Eric Holt-Giménez on 'Food Rebellions: Crisis and the Hunger for Justice' / Pambazuka News / 7-8.30 free / <http://info/faham.org/> / www.pambazuka.org/ / Oxford Town Hall, St Aldate's; Tel: 01865 252195
SILENCE IN THE CITY / Thurs lunchtime stillness & peace. Bring veg lunch to share after. Open to all / Fellowship of Reconciliation / 1:15pm start. Free / www.for.org.uk/ / 01865 250781 / Peace House, 19 Paradise St
COMPARATIVE CONSTITUTIONALISM / Prof Ran Hirschl questions the convergence to constitutional supremacy worldwide / FJLS / 5.30pm, free / www.fjls.org.uk/ / 01865 284433 / Magdalen College Auditorium, Magdalen College, High Street
FLASH OXFORD - ADOBE USER GROUP / Monthly meetings looking at the Flash Platform. See website for details / 7.30-9pm, free / <http://flashofx.org/> / Oxford Film & Video Makers, 54 Catherine St; Tel: 01865 791732
LUNCHTIME TALK / Eric Gill's Inscriptions & Sculptures in Oxford. Speaker: Prof Stephen Harrison / 12.30pm, free / www.st-giles-church.org/ / St Giles' Church, St Giles; Tel: 01865 311198
IAN BURTON: WAR & LIBERATION / Wolfson Lecture Series 2010 / 6pm, free / www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/news/?id=453 / Wolfson College Hall, Lincoln Rd
CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE DEVELOPING WORLD / Why things we do in industrialised countries have a profound effect on the developing world / 7.30pm, £1 / www.scienceoxfordlive.com/ / Science Oxford Live, 1-5 London Place, St Giles Church; Tel: 01865 312000
MUSLIM WOMEN & THE EMERGENCE OF COUNTER PUBLIC SPHERES / In: Ruba Salih, Compas: Seminar Series / University of Oxford / Free: 2.30-3pm / www.compas.ox.ac.uk/ / Pauling Centre for Human Sciences, 58 Banbury Rd
SCARBOROUGH: TOO MANY FRIENDS? / Robin Dunbar explains why you can't have more than 150 friends & more / British Science Association / 6.30-7.30pm, free / oxfordscience@hotmail.com / The Cape of Good Hope, 1 Hiffley Road, Oxford OX4 1EA; Tel: 01865 262291
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BUILDING A GREENER CITY / Explore how we can 'decarbonise' the built environment with Brookes students / 4pm, free / www.scienceoxfordlive.com/ / Science Oxford Live, 1-5 London Place, St Giles Church; Tel: 01865 312000
PUPPY SOCIALISATION COURSE / Teach your puppy how to behave around other dogs and people. 10 week course, £40 / Fair Weather Dog Training Club / Starts 6.45 pm / www.fairweatherdogtrainingclub.co.uk/ / 01869 322996 / Ancoats Village Hall, Ancoats, near Bicester

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THE GRAND TOUR HUNGARIAN STYLE / Zsuzsanna Varga on Hungarian travellers to Britain in the 19C/Reform Age / Oxford Hungarian Society / 8pm / <http://hungsoc.com/> / 01865 736973 / McGregor Room, Oriol College

THEATRE to Sat 22nd
Oxford Playhouse (305305)
OH WHAT A LOVELY WAR Thu: 20th, Sat: 22nd: 2.30pm, 7.30pm; Fri: 21st: 9pm
 An exuberant musical ride through the ironies of the First World War. £11.50-£24.50
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North Wall Arts Centre (319450)
CERTAIN DARK THINGS Fri: 21st: 8.00pm
 An intimate and powerful family drama set under Franco's religious dictatorship of the 1950s. £12/£10
New Theatre (0844 8471585)
THE PRODUCERS Thu: 20th, Fri: 21st: 7.30pm
 Musical based on 1968 Mel Brooks film. £24.50-£15 Sat: 22nd: 2.30pm, 7.30pm
Moser Theatre, Wadham College
TURN AGAIN LANE daily until Sat 22nd: 7.30pm
 New musical about two Oxford students. £5/£4
OFS Studio (0844 847 2360)
FUN RUN daily until Sat 22nd: 7.30pm
 Comedy about Charity Fun Run and the team behind its advertising campaign. £12/£10
O'Reilly Theatre (Keble College)
MEASURE FOR MEASURE Thu: 20th, Fri: 21st: 7.30pm
 It's carnival time in fascist Italy. Sat: 22nd: 2.30 & 8pm
Burton Taylor Studio (305305)
LYVING DOGGO daily until Sat 22nd: 7.30pm
 Four rapemans fix a lighthouse off the Welsh coast. £5/£4
I WAS A RAT daily until Sat 22nd: 9.30pm
 New adaptation of Phillip Pullman's fairytale. £5/£4
Unicorn Theatre, Abingdon (778105)
THE HYPOCHONDRIAC daily until Sat 22nd: 7.30pm
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