

Oxford's DAILY INFO

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Fri 22nd – Thu 28th July 2005 (vacation)

WHAT'S ON/COMING SOON

The Elysian Singers
of London

Parry and Purcell
Sat 23rd July, 8.00 pm £10 (£7)
Merton College Chapel, Merton St.

One of London's top chamber choirs sings English choral music, with period instruments

01865 305305, www.elysiansingers.freemove.co.uk

Holywell Music Room
Oxford Coffee Concerts
Sun, July 24th, 11.15am

Angell Piano Trio
Beethoven: *Kakadu Variations*
Schubert: *Piano Trio in B flat*
Tickets: *Playhouse 01865 305305 / 07976 039385*
www.oxfordconcerts.com

VENUE NOW: Magdalen College Auditorium
Summer Concerts
Tues July 26, 8.00pm

Adderbury Ensemble Dir.: David LePage
Dvorak: *String Quartet op.96 (The American)*
Mozart: *String Quartet K465 (Dissonance)*
Tickets: door / *Oxford Playhouse (01865 305305)*
www.adderburyensemble.co.uk

MEETINGS AND LECTURES

Fri 22nd
HILL MUSIC FORUM / Lunchtime Gallery Talk / 1.15pm, £2 / Randolph Gallery, Rm 1, Ashmolean Museum

Sat 23rd
MECO MONTHLY FORUM / Dr Lodhi, Pakistani High Commissioner, talks about the London bombings / 3pm, Free / Info@mecoforum.org / www.mecoforum.org / Nissan Lecture Theatre, St Andrews's College

Sun 24th
MALCOLM TROUP - LECTURE RECITAL / "Backing to the Future" Transcription as Innovation / Oxford Philomusica / Jacqueline du Pré Music Building, St. Hilda's College, Cowley Place / Tue: 276821

Mon 25th
OXFORD STUNT FACTORY / enquiries@oxfordstuntfactory.com / Gravity & Extreme Sports Club at Oxford & Brookes / 8pm / The Radcliffe Arms, Cranham Street

Tue 26th
THE UNCEASING QUEST / Retrospective of the search for higher meaning Zen/Buddha, Buddha and Quantum physics... / 7.30 £3.5 / unceasingquestworld.com / West Oxford Community Centre, Botley Road

SPIRITUAL HEALING / 6.30pm meditation, 7pm healing / free, donations welcome / Friends' Meeting House, 43 St Giles; Tel: 557373

A SUNSHINE TOUR / Lunchtime Gallery Talk / 1.15pm, £2 / Randolph Gallery, Rm 1, Ashmolean Museum

LINDOLPH BOOK CLUB / 8pm / jerrydepsey@btinternet.com / Borders Book Store, Oxford

Wed 27th
ABINGDON GATHERING / Pub gathering / Children of Arctemis / 8.30pm / rain@wittcraft.org / www.wittcraft.org / King's Head and Bell, East St Helen's St, Abingdon

INTRODUCTION TO IMPRESSIONISM / Lunchtime Gallery Talk / 1.15pm, £2 / Randolph Gallery, Rm 1, Ashmolean Museum

"WHY A GOD-MAN?" / Talk by Canon Marilyn McCord Adams, Regius Professor of Divinity / Summer Lectures Programme 2005 / 4.30pm / sally.ann@fordjch.ox.ac.uk / Christ Church Cathedral

A GRAND CHARITY BINGO / Cash and Prizes - Free Attendance Draw / In aid of Oxfordshire Mind / Doors open @ 7 - Eyes Down 8 / www.oxfordshire-mind.org.uk / Cowley Community Centre, Barns Road, Cowley

Thu 28th
OPEN DOOR DROP-IN MEET / Drop-in centre for refugees & asylum seekers, relief, mingle/network / Open Door / Thursday 11 am, to 4.00 p.m. / East Oxford Community Centre, Princes Street, Tel: 792168

STAGELIGHTS / New members always welcome / Grove Theatre Group / 8-10pm / www.stagelightsgroup.org / Old Mill Hall, 6.15pm

COCKERELL'S ASHMOLEAN / Gallery Talk by Phil Hills / 5.30-6.30pm / free / Ashmolean Museum

PUBLIC LECTURE / Jonathan Glover: The politics and psychology of a new order / Presentation Seminars Oxford / 7.30 coffee, 8.00 lecture / john.glover@climac.ox.ac.uk / Harris Manchester College, Tel: 271006

SPEEDWELL SUPPORT GROUP / For anyone with serious illness interested in complementary therapies / 11.30am - 1.30pm / speedwellbeing.org.uk / Friends' Meeting House, 43 St Giles; Tel: 557373

OARC WEEKLY OPEN MEETING / Come and be part of shaping the project / Oxford Art Resource Centre / 7pm / oarc@oarc.ox.ac.uk / East Oxford Community Centre, Princes St, 792168

TUITION

Sunday 24th July 3pm
Gardeners Arms, Plantation Rd

Wing Tsun Kungfu
Free Demo

Complete Self Defence System
Classes: St Barnabas School, Hart St Thur 7-9pm
Gardeners Arms, Plantation Road Wed 3-5pm
tel: 0776241447
markschroft83@hotmail.com

GUJARATI TUITION. All levels / styles. Good rates. info@musicfromscratch.co.uk tel 07812 211042

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TUITION. Cambridge / IELTS exams. Writing skills. Thesis checking. 01865 728698.

GERMAN LESSONS. Contact Hans, 711917 evenings. **INDIVIDUAL/GROUP ENGLISH LESSONS** at all levels with experienced/qualified teacher guiverbeth@hotmail.com

TANGO ARGENTINO. Private lessons. 01865 454542 / s.capel@ntworld.com.

CINEMA

Until Thu 28th July

Phoenix Picture House (512526)

Winter Season: STALKER [PG] Sun: 3.15pm
A writer and a Scientist on a metaphysical journey towards their hearts desire.

Black Media Festival: METAPHORICAL BACKGAMMON [15]
Comedy drama. The rules of life are a board game. Sun: 4.00pm

French Cinema: BANDE A PART [PG] Sat: 11.30pm, Mon: 6.45pm
Classic Godard crime caper.

The Big Screen: THE INTERPRETER [12A] Wed: 11.30am
Thriller set in the real life genuine UNL

Kids Club: MATILDA [PG] Sat: 1.30pm (activities 12.45pm)
American comedy teacher seeks absolute in the most regressive of Macaulay's lads.

ONG-BAB: THE THAI WARRIOR [18] Sat: 11.30pm
A young martial artist sets out to retrieve a stolen reputation.

MONDAYS IN THE SUN [15] Mon: 1.15pm, Wed: 6.15pm
Bitterness comedy about unemployed Spanish Dockers. Tue-Thur: 1.15, 6.15pm

THE CONFORMIST [18] Sat: 11.30pm, Sun: 6.15pm
A young philosophy teacher seeks absolute in the most regressive of Macaulay's lads.

POWER CITY [15] Fri: 3.45, 6.15, 8.45pm, Sat: 12.45, 8.45pm
A comedy thriller. The rules of life are a board game. Sun: 4.00pm

FESTIVAL [18] Fri-Sat, Mon-Tue, Thu: 1.30, 4.00, 6.30, 9.00pm
What comes: Wed: 4.00, 6.30, 9.00pm, Sun: 1.00, 6.30, 9.00pm

BLACK THE #51 DO WE KNOW [12A] Fri: 12.45, 11.30pm
Quantum physics, spirituality and mysticism. Sat: 6.15pm

Ozone Multiplex (0870 444 3030)

KUNG FU HUSTLE [15] daily: 9.20pm
Martial arts.

DARK WATER [15] daily: 2.40, 5.10, 7.20, 9.30pm
Chiller from the makers of The Ring.

STAR WARS EPISODE 3: REVENGE OF THE SITH [12A] daily: 11.30am
More light Saber fights than you could shake a stick at.

MADAGASCAR [U] daily: 11.00am, 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00pm
A madagascar film.

THE DESCENT [18] daily: 9.10pm
Caving ladies are chased by distinctly unattractive monsters.

WAR OF THE WORLDS [12A] daily: 12.30, 2.50, 5.20, 7.45, 9.00pm
Spielberg interpretation of Sci-Fi classic with Tom Cruise & Dakota Fanning.

BATMAN BEGINS [12A] daily: 12.30, 3.30, 6.30pm
How Batman became what he is today. It's the parents, you know.

KICKING AND SCREAMING [PG] daily: 11.45am, 2.15, 4.15, 6.15, 8.15pm
A comedy thriller. The rules of life are a board game. Sun: 4.00pm

THE WEDDING CRASHERS [15] daily: 12.45, 2.45, 5.45, 8.30pm
Womanizing divorce lawyers soak up the innocence of marriage.

FANTASTIC FOUR [PG] daily: 11.15am, 12.10, 1.30, 2.30, 3.45, 4.45, 6.20, 7.10, 8.45pm
Comic book adventures with the sublime Jessica Alba.

Odeon George St (0871 2244 007)

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An invasion depicted revealed from Tom Cruise's point of view.

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Find out why the trailer showed a fire-breathing hero.

Senior Screen: MISS CONGENIALITY 2 Wed: 10.45am
Sally no Michael Caine this time, but William Shatner returns to camp things up.

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Animators: four animals escape from Central Park Zoo, New York

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Jennifer Connolly is assailed by rising damp in her new apartment.

FANTASTIC FOUR [PG] daily: 10.45, 11.15, 1.45, 2.15, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45, 8.15pm
The thing (made of stone) is the most fully fleshed character.

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The old story, men are swept up by the object of their cynicism.

Ultimate Picture Palace (2452888)

LOS DEBUTANTES [18] daily: 6.45, 9.15pm, Sat: 8.30pm; also 2.30pm
2 brothers get involved with a sexy stripper and her boss. Sexy, gritty, emotional.

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