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# CHILDREN'S EVENT

in The Studio, Riverside Arts Centre

### **TUESDAY 12 JULY**

# JUNIOR UKE'N'AMAZE UKULELE WORKSHOP & SHOW

Discover the world of the ukulele! This children's ukulele workshop is followed by a concert for all ages. No prior experience or instrument required to take part. Workshop participants perform in the concert! Led by ukulele pro *Clive Harvey*, who will also perform solos in the concert.

**5 PM - 6.30 PM** WORKSHOP for children aged 7 and older TICKETS £7.50 PER CHILD (EVENT 3)

8 PM CONCERT

TICKETS  $\pounds 4$  — FREE FOR WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS AND UNDER-10s (EVENT 4)

# THURSDAY 14 JULY - SUNDAY 17 JULY BY RIVER AND CANAL: AN EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF SUNBURY AND VENICE by Vic Kettle

An exhibition loosely based on the fact that the two areas, so different and so far apart, are both defined by water. Each has a water festival; both have a unique vitality and a natural beauty; and both attract artistic endeavour. Vic Kettle cannot be in either place without being inspired to capture the atmosphere: see for yourself in this captivating display of stunning photographs which will be available for purchase (collection at the end of the exhibition).

Opening times: Thursday 4.30 pm-7.30 pm / Friday & Saturday 10 am-5 pm, 7 pm-11 pm / Sunday 10am - 5pm.

IN THE STUDIO, RIVERSIDE ARTS CENTRE (ENTRY FREE)

All events take place at the Riverside Arts Centre (unless otherwise stated). Doors for all events open half an hour before start time. The SSAA reserves the right to alter performers and programmes without notice.

RIVERSIDE ARTS CENTRE
59 THAMES STREET, LOWER SUNBURY, TW16 5QF





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SATURDAY 9 JULY, 8 PM (EVENT 1)

TICKETS £10

# A VOYAGE ROUND MY FATHER by John Mortimer

**Shepperton Players** present a warm, affectionate portrait of a son's relationship with his father. Growing up in the shadow of a brilliant barrister - whose blindness is never mentioned - John Mortimer yearns for his father's love. But the father is passionate only about his garden and his hatred of visitors. The son survives his boarding school years by creating stories. Then when, as a young man, he meets Elizabeth, a note of reality is introduced into his life - one which challenges the silence of his family...

SUNDAY 10 JULY, 3 PM (EVENT 2)

TICKETS £8

### PIANO RECITAL with Peter Croser

A delightful programme of classics including works by Liszt, Scarlatti, Debussy, Haydn and Albéniz, by this popular and well-known local pianist.

(TICKET PRICE INCLUDES POST-CONCERT AFTERNOON TEA)

WEDNESDAY 13 JULY, 8 PM (EVENT 5)

TICKETS £8

#### **ENGLISH DANCING MASTERS**

with *Maria Sanger* (recorders) and *Dawn Johnston* (theorbo, baroque guitar and lute)

at St Nicholas Church, Church Square, Shepperton

A delightful miscellany of plucking and blowing of English baroque music by Martino Bitti, Lorenzo Bocchi and Nicola Matteis (all living and working in England, despite their names) with works from across the water by Turlough O'Carolan and pieces from *The Division Flute* and John Playford's influential handbook *The Dancing Master*.

THURSDAY 14 JULY, 8 PM (EVENT 7)

TICKETS £10

# PORTRAITS IN SONG: EDITH PIAF & BERTOLT BRECHT performed by *Elizabeth Mansfield*, accompanied by *Stephen Rose*, piano

Elizabeth Mansfield's gripping portraits of Piaf and Brecht bring them both vividly to life in a dramatic evening interwoven with marvellous song. About as far apart as you can get, these two great figures of European chanson and ballad amazingly connect by contrast. Piaf engages the heart; Brecht engages the mind. And, unexpectedly, through the single voice of the performer, two powerfully different world views emerge.

FRIDAY 15 JULY, 8 PM (EVENT 8)

TICKETS £8

# LIBYA: EMERGING FROM THE SANDS

The acclaimed art lecturer *Elizabeth Gordon* returns to share the secrets of ancient Libya. Discover the magisterial Doric temple of Cyrene, the splendid Roman site of Leptis Magna, and the beautiful Roman theatre in Sabratha. And that's not all...! Elizabeth Gordon's magnificent slides will open the doors into an inaccessible and mysterious land.

# CRAFT WORKSHOPS

in The Studio, Riverside Arts Centre

THURSDAY 14 JULY, 10.30 AM - 4.30 PM (EVENT 6) TIICKETS £25

### BATIK ON PAPER: A FRESH APPROACH

Create a stunning piece of art that will be the envy of all who see it through this Batik Workshop! Using hot wax and dyes, you can bring an everyday object to life on paper, reflecting your individual style through vibrant colours, layering and texture. Unleash your sense of adventure through this exciting medium! No previous experience necessary. Materials will be provided.

LIMITED TICKET AVAILABILITY — ADVANCE BOOKING ONLY — A LIGHT LUNCH IS INCLUDED

SATURDAY 16 JULY, 2 PM - 4 PM (EVENT 9)

TICKETS £12

### SUGARCRAFT WORKSHOP with Erica Galvin

Learn to create a stunning celebration sponge cake finished with a hand-crafted sugar rose and fan! Erica Galvin is a member of the British Sugarcraft Guild, who has taught students from all over the UK and abroad including students from Dubai, India, Turkey and France. All equipment and materials will be provided and participants will take home with them their own small beautifully crafted cake.

LIMITED AVAILABILITY - EARLY BOOKING RECOMMENDED.

SATURDAY 16 JULY, 8 PM (EVENT 10)

TICKETS £10

# A NIGHT AT THE OPERA

with Ardente Opera (Julian Black, Musical Director)

Following last year's spectacular 'Night at the Opera' **Ardente Opera** return with another evening of operatic excerpts.

Featuring opera stars of the future from the National Opera Studio, **Aoife O'Sullivan** (soprano), **Justina Gringyte** (mezzosoprano) and **John Pierce** (tenor) – this year representing Wales in the 'Cardiff Singer of the World' competition – as well as **Ashley Riches** (baritone) from the Guildhall School of Music. Accompanied, directed and introduced by **Julian Black**.

SUNDAY 17 JULY, 2.30 PM (EVENT 11)

TICKETS £5

### HISTORICAL WALK AROUND SUNBURY

Discover the rich heritage of Lower Sunbury with the Chairman of the Sunbury & Shepperton Local History Society, **Nick Pollard**. The walk begins at the Riverside Arts Centre (arrive from 2 pm and enjoy Vic Kettle's photographic exhibition: see overleaf) and will end at the Walled Garden, Thames Street, Lower Sunbury.

# **BOOKING FORM**

		TICKET PRICE	No of TICKETS	TOTAL PRICE
EVENT 1	9 July Shepp'n Players	£10		
EVENT 2	10 July Peter Croser	£8		
EVENT 3	12 July Ukulele W/shop	£7.50		
EVENT 4	12 July Ukulele Concert	£4		
EVENT 5	13 July Baroque Concert	£8		
EVENT 6	14 July Batik W/shop	£25		
EVENT 7	14 July Piaf & Brecht	£10		
EVENT 8	<b>15 July</b> Libya Talk	£8		
EVENT 9	16 July Sugarcraft	£12		
EVENT 10	16 July Opera Night	£10		
EVENT 11	17 July Historical Walk	£5		
TOTAL COST £				

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(9 AM - 8 PM)

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