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MERGE festival comes to Bankside

The contemporary culture and rich heritage of Bankside will be highlighted by a new annual festival which launches this month.

For two months this autumn, the riverside walkway near Tate Modern, a vacant office block, historic buildings, Bankside Mix, as well as open spaces, workplaces, bars and cafes will come alive when major names from the art world stage installations and musical performances alongside emerging talent.

MERGE is hosted by Better Bankside in collaboration with Illuminate Productions, organisers of the biennial Drift festival on the Thames.

"We are delighted to be hosting MERGE as Bankside has such a unique cultural and business offering," says Donald Hyslop, chair of Better Bankside. "It is a fantastic example of what we are working to achieve in the neighbourhood when businesses, local communities and artists work together."

Curator Caroline Jones added: "MERGE is a festival with a difference: it takes art and music directly into the heart of the community. It brings together residents, workers and visitors, both as participants and audiences, while allowing artists and musicians to showcase and develop their work without commercial restraint."

The festival will showcase the work of artists behind legendary bands such as The Sex Pistols (Jamie Reid) and The Ramones (Arturo Vega), with young hip-hop performers who rap Shakespearean verse and a new musical arrangement of the hit pop song *Snoopy v The Red Baron* produced by Fiona Banner.

Never Records is an art installation in the guise of a record store that only stocks vinyl cut in the shop itself by the public and professional musicians. Located in a vacant office block in Southwark Street, this is the first time New York artist Ted Riederer has brought his installation to London.

A tiny mobile theatre housed in a caravan that can only accommodate six audience members at a time will stage performances on the river walkway near Tate Modern and in Canvey Street at Bankside Mix.

An open air stage on the riverside will host dozens of live music performances while a series of surprise musical events will take place in cafes, parks, and offices at unexpected times.

• www.mergefestival.co.uk



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Bermondsey Street Festival celebrates 5th anniversary



Bermondsey Street Festival on Saturday 24 September will fill Tanner Street Park and Bermondsey Square (and everywhere in between) with stalls, music and entertainment.

Maypole dancing, the fashion show and the dog show are all back by popular demand. New additions include the Surrey Docks mobile farm and promenade theatre performances. The day ends with an open-air screening of *Cabaret* organised by Shortwave.

• See listing on page 3
• www.bermondseystreetfestival.org.uk





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Listings for most types of local event are free; details of events to be considered for inclusion next month should be sent by **Friday 23 September** to se1events@banksidepress.com or by post.

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This month in brief

Lower Marsh Market

Lower Marsh Market will get a new lease of life this month when Westminster Artisans starts to operate the market on a one-year licence. Lambeth Council and Waterloo Quarter BID have enlisted the help of Westminster Artisans – the social enterprise which has turned around Pimlico's Tachbrook Street market – to bring new traders to Lower Marsh. Westminster Artisans will initially focus on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. In response to demand from Waterloo residents who work outside the area and would like to support local shops, there will also be experimental Thursday evening markets and occasional Saturday events.

www.westminsterartisans.co.uk

A Room for London

Want to spend the night in a 'boat' perched on the roof of the Queen Elizabeth Hall on the South Bank? Public booking for A Room for London opens on Thursday 8 September. The building is designed by David Kohn Architects and artist Fiona Banner. A planning application has been submitted to Lambeth Council.

www.living-architecture.co.uk

Blackfriars for Bankside

Network Rail's public consultation on a possible new name and/or signage for the new Blackfriars Station runs until Tuesday 6 September. Have your say at www.networkrail.co.uk/Blackfriars

Royal visits

The Duchess of Cornwall will visit guerrilla gardening sites at Elephant & Castle on Tuesday 6 September as part of a tour of urban gardens in South East London. On the same day the Earl of Wessex will attend a National Youth Theatre performance at the Old Vic Tunnels underneath Waterloo Station.

Lambeth Archives Day

This year's open day at the Minet Library, 52 Knatchbull Road SE5, is on Saturday 1 October. The programme includes (at 4.15pm) a talk by archives manager Len Reilly on *The Festival of Britain: 'bread and circuses' for a post-war world*.www.lambeth.gov.uk/archives

Architecture exhibition

An exhibition entitled 'Southwark Reborn: The Next Chapter' – featuring images and models of proposed and completed developments in the borough – can be seen from 6 to 30 September at the New London Architecture gallery in Store Street. The same exhibition was shown in May at Southwark Council's Tooley Street offices. www.newlondonarchitecture.org

London Design Festival

Two Lines – an installation by David Chipperfield Architects – will be displayed outside the Royal Festival Hall from 17 September to 16 October as part of the London Design Festival.

GB400KJB radio station

An amateur radio station will be set up in the churchyard of Southwark Cathedral from Monday 19 September as part of the celebrations to mark the 400th anniversary of the publication of the King James Bible. The Ofcom licence allows anybody to drop in and send a greetings message.

Oasis Academy Waterloo

Waterloo's Johanna Primary School begins the new academic year with a new name – Johanna Primary, Oasis Academy: Waterloo – to reflect its new status as an academy sponsored by Oasis Community Learning. www.oasisjohanna.org

Free yoga classes

Free yoga classes at the Setchell Hall in Hazel Way (near Grange Road) every Monday from 6 September, 6pm-7pm.

Cycle events

Southwark and Westminster Bridges will be closed to motor traffic on Sunday 4 September (for the Mayor of London's Skyride) and Sunday 18 September (for the Tour of Britain London stage).

New writing group

A new writing group starts on Tuesday 13 September at the Calder Bookshop in The Cut. 7pm-9pm. Free. No previous experience necessary. New and established writers welcome. Information: 07940 041025.

What's On September

Comprehensive local listings

Special events

Bermondsey Street

Tanner Street Park & Bermondsey Square

Saturday 24 September BERMONDSEY STREET FESTIVAL

11am till late; free
This annual event is now in its fifth year. The usual favourites are on the schedule including the dog show, fashion show, children's activities and maypole dancing. Highlights for 2011 include a fancy dress parade starting in Bermondsey Square at 11am. Join in the hunt for 'Spring Heeled Jack' in a new promenade theatre piece written exclusively for the festival by Jack George. Appreciate new exclusive contemporary dance from Jemma Bicknell or 'get your apps out' and join the impromptu iPhone Orchestra on the new Performance stage. Bermondsey Square features music and DJs during the day and an outdoor film screening of *Cabaret* in the evening in association with Shortwave Cinema.

→ Full info at se1.net/10531

County Hall

Riverside Building, County Hall, Belvedere Road
www.londoncountyhall.com

Sunday 18 September JAPAN MATSURI 2011

10am-8pm; free
This annual event brings the Japanese community and Londoners together to enjoy Japanese food, lively music, exotic dance and much more. The event will also reflect on the devastating Tsunami which struck Japan on 11 March. There will be fundraisers, photographic exhibitions and many other events and activities to support survivors. Japanese ambassador Keiichi Hayashi will formally open the day at 11am. This year there will be live performances on the three stages, family activities, a much expanded food market and stall area, as well as an exhibition area, providing day long entertainment and interest for all the family.

→ Full info at se1.net/11483

Design Museum

Shad Thames T 0870 909 9009
www.designmuseum.org

Friday 23 September DESIGN OVERTIME: DESIGN MUSEUM BALL

6pm-10pm; £7.50 in advance or £11 on the door

Music and passion will once again be the fashion at the Design Museum Ball. Dress currently or timelessly to face the music, performance, dressing up workshops, gallery activities, back of a taxi discussions and dance.

→ Full info at se1.net/11508

James Clerk Maxwell Building

57 Waterloo Road
www.kcl.ac.uk

Wednesday 7 September DR BIKE

5.30pm-7.30pm; free
Get a free basic check-up for your bicycle courtesy of Lambeth Council. The event is held in the piazza outside the King's College building next to BFI IMAX.

→ Full info at se1.net/10787

Marlborough Playground

Union Street

Friday 23 September MOVE MARLBOROUGH

3.30pm-6pm
What sport facilities would you like to see at the Marlborough Playground? Come to this event and share your ideas with Bankside Open Spaces Trust as well as joining in the fun activities.

→ Full info at se1.net/11486

Mint Street Adventure Playground

Southwark Bridge Road

Saturday 24 September EDIBLE BANKSIDE HARVEST FESTIVAL

12 noon-5pm; free
Join Bankside Open Spaces Trust to celebrate the first year of its food growing projects. Come and learn more about the projects, setting up your own food growing scheme and get information from local residents and visiting professionals.

→ Full info at se1.net/11480

Morley College

61 Westminster Bridge Road T 020 7928 8501
www.morleycollege.ac.uk

Tuesday 6 September ENROLMENT, ADVICE AND GUIDANCE DAY

3pm-6.30pm
Do you want to apply for a course but need more advice and guidance?

→ Full info at se1.net/11485

River Thames

Saturday 17 September GREAT RIVER RACE

Starts 1.40pm; competitors passing through the City approx 2.15pm-3.40pm
Annual 22-mile race on the Thames from Greenwich to Richmond featuring approximately 300 craft. Any traditional-style, coxed boat, propelled by a minimum of four oars or paddles, without sliding seats or riggers, may take part. This year's official charity is MediCinema.

→ Full info at se1.net/11291

National Theatre

South Bank T 020 7452 3000
www.nationaltheatre.org.uk

Saturday 3 September LIBERTY 2011

1pm-5pm at Southbank Centre;
1pm-7.30pm at National Theatre; free
Liberty is a platform for amazing new work from deaf and disabled artists. Come and enjoy an afternoon of music and cabaret, outdoor arts and dance, and fun for children. For the first time the

festival is hosted at Southbank Centre as part of celebrations for the 60th anniversary of the Festival of Britain, and the National Theatre as part of the Watch this Space festival.

→ Full info at se1.net/11434

St Mary Magdalen

Bermondsey Street
www.stmarysbermondsey.org.uk

Saturday 24 September ST MARY MAGDALEN CHURCH FAIR

10am-4pm
St Mary Magdalen Church is holding a fundraising fair to coincide with the Bermondsey Street Festival. Inside the church there will be music from the organisers of the Classics With My Baby concert series as well as readings from Shakespeare and the King James Bible. Tours of the church will also be available. In the churchyard between 12 noon and 3pm there will be a BBQ, tea and cakes, bouncy castle, face painting and music.

→ Full info at se1.net/11512

Southbank Centre Square

Belvedere Road
www.southbankcentre.co.uk

Friday 23 to Sunday 25 September REAL FOOD HARVEST FESTIVAL

Fri & Sat 11am-8pm; Sun 12 noon-6pm; free

Bringing together 120 producers, a top line-up of chefs, livestock and entertainment, this is a fantastic opportunity to taste and buy the very best produce the UK has to offer, at this exceptional time of the year. The event will be held on three sides of the Royal Festival Hall, including the Queen's Walk. It will feature demonstrations by chefs including Arthur Potts Dawson, Valentina Harris, Cyrus Todiwala and Mickael Weiss.

→ Full info at se1.net/11459

Trinity Church Square

outside 57 Trinity Church Square

Saturday 3 September POP-UP BOOKSTALL

9am-6pm
Lots of secondhand books for sale, mostly for 50p, in aid of Trinity Newington Residents' Association funds.

→ Full info at se1.net/11469

Welsh Chapel

90 Southwark Bridge Road
welshchapel.com

Friday 30 September WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING

12 noon-2pm
Coffee and Welsh cakes in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. All welcome.

→ Full info at se1.net/11409

Woolfson & Tay

12 Bermondsey Square T 020 7407 9316
www.woolfsonandtay.com

Saturday 10 September WOOLFSON & TAY FIRST BIRTHDAY

2pm-6pm
The Bermondsey Square bookshop celebrates its first year with music and special offers in store.

→ Full info at se1.net/11370

Children & family

Design Museum

Shad Thames T 0870 909 9009
www.designmuseum.org

Sunday 25 September MAKE AND CAKE FAMILY WORKSHOP

2pm-4.30pm; £4.50 + normal admission
This hands-on kitchen-themed family workshop will explore different elements of the kitchen through modelling and craft activities including make your own chef hat, biscuit and cake decorating and fantasy kitchen and appliance design. Supported by Kenwood with assistance from the Kenwood design team.

→ Full info at se1.net/11509

HMS Belfast

Morgans Lane, Tooley Street T 020 7940 6300
hmsbelfast.iwm.org.uk

Saturday 10 to Sunday 11 September WAVING NOT DROWNING: SIGNALLING AND SIGNALS

11am-12.30pm & 2pm-4pm; Entry included in general admission price
Do you know your 'jack' from your 'pennant'? Learn about naval communication and have a go at sending your own message by signalling across the ship or across the River Thames using semaphore. This free family activity is suitable for all ages with parental supervision.

→ Full info at se1.net/11333

Shortwave Cinema

10 Bermondsey Square T 020 7357 6845
www.shortwavefilms.co.uk

Saturday 10 September RIO

11am; children £4; accompanying adult free

Kids' club screening. Voice cast: Anne Hathaway, Jesse Eisenberg, Jamie Foxx.

→ Full info at se1.net/11507

St Mary Magdalen

Bermondsey Street
www.stmarysbermondsey.org.uk

Friday 16 September CLASSICS WITH MY BABY: VIOLIN VIOLINISSIMO

10.30am (coffee & cake from 10am); £7 for adults; children come free
A classical music concert series for babies and toddlers performed by local muses and award-winning international artists Miaomiao Yu and Philippa Mo.

→ Full info at se1.net/11484

Unicorn Theatre

147 Tooley Street T 020 7645 0560
www.unicorntheatre.com

Until Sunday 4 September U FEST

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→ Full info at se1.net/11288

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Public meetings

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Wednesday 14 September
SOUTHWARK CYCLISTS MONTHLY MEETING6.30pm-8.30pm
Special guest Cllr Geoffrey Thornton, Southwark Lib Dem spokesman on transport, environment and recycling.
→ Full info at se1.net/11496Monday 19 September
BANKSIDE RESIDENTS' FORUM6.30pm
London River Park and Great Suffolk Street presentations. Plus updates on the neighbourhood plan and pre-Olympics improvements to the riverside walkway.
→ Full info at se1.net/11380

Downside Fisher Youth Club

Coxson Place, Druid Street T 020 7407 0093
www.downside-fisher.orgThursday 1 September
RIVERSIDE WARD SAFER NEIGHBOURHOODS MEETING7pm-8.30pm
Hear a presentation from the Met Police on their activities in Riverside ward.
→ Full info at se1.net/11157

Guy's & St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust

Thursday 8 September
GUY'S & ST THOMAS' NHS FOUNDATION TRUST ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING5.50pm-7.30pm; venue to be announced
Staff, patients and other local stakeholders are invited to come and find out how SE1's two hospitals have performed during the year.
→ Full info at se1.net/10757

John Harvard Library

211 Borough High Street T 020 7525 2000
www.southwark.gov.uk/librariesWednesday 21 September
CALLING ALL PENSIONERS IN SE11pm-2pm; free
Come to the John Harvard Library to meet other pensioners and to discuss various events to be organised.
→ Full info at se1.net/11495

Southwark Council

Tuesday 13 September
BOROUGH & BANKSIDE COMMUNITY COUNCIL7pm at the Crypt, St George the Martyr, Borough High Street
Regular meeting for residents of Cathedrals and Chaucer wards.
→ Full info at se1.net/10934Tuesday 13 September
BERMONDSEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL7pm at the Stansfeld Oxford & Bermondsey Club, Webb Street
Regular meeting for residents of Riverside, Grange and South Bermondsey wards. Theme is 'Bermondsey growingbetter - improving the local area'.
→ Full info at se1.net/10928

The Trinity

204 Borough High Street T 020 7407 1204
www.thetrinity.co.ukTuesday 13 September
LONDON 2012 OLYMPICS: A BUSINESS BREAKFAST MEETING8.15am-10am; booking essential
barrymartin2@btconnect.com; free
Find out about the commercial benefits of the 2012 Olympic Games for businesses in Southwark at this free event organised by Southwark Chamber of Commerce. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided.
→ Full info at se1.net/11448

Waterloo Action Centre

14 Baylis Road T 020 7261 1404
www.waterlooaactioncentre.co.ukWednesday 21 September
WATERLOO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GROUP7pm
Regular public meeting.
→ Full info at se1.net/10363

Talks & literature

East Street Library

168-170 Old Kent Road T 020 7703 0395
www.southwark.gov.uk/librariesThursday 8 September
ARCHAEOLOGY IN SOUTHWARK6pm-7.30pm; free
Borough archaeologist Chris Constable.
→ Full info at se1.net/11445

John Harvard Library

211 Borough High Street T 020 7525 2000
www.southwark.gov.uk/librariesFriday 16 September
JOHN HARVARD BOOK GROUP1pm-2pm; free
The book group will this month discuss *Never Let Me Go* by Kazuo Ishiguro. Coffee and tea will be provided. Contact email eugenia.atta@southwark.gov.uk
→ Full info at se1.net/11494

Old Operating Theatre, Museum and Herb Garret

9a St Thomas Street T 020 7188 2679
www.thegarret.org.ukWednesday 14 September
FRANKENSTEIN RISING6.30pm; £5.90
An examination by Dr Colin Stoklin of Mary Shelley's famous novel as seen through the lens of science of the early 19th century.
→ Full info at se1.net/11510

Southwark Cathedral

London Bridge T 020 7367 6700
www.southwarkcathedral.org.ukSaturday 3 September
"THE DAY WAR BROKE OUT..."Meet 11am inside cathedral at west end; £4
Revd Neville Smith leads a tour examining the role of the cathedral as a storehouse for memories of past conflicts. Part of the 'Southwark Uncovered' series.
→ Full info at se1.net/11318Saturday 3 September
SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL: ITS HISTORYGarry Weston Library; 2pm; £4
Illustrated talk by Guy Rowston.
→ Full info at se1.net/11267

The Old King's Head

45-49 Borough High Street T 020 7407 1550
www.theoldkingshead.uk.comThursday 8 September
AUSTIN OSMAN SPARE: LONDON'S LOST ARTIST8pm; £2.50 (conc £1.50)
Talk by Phil Baker. A South East London Folklore Society event.
→ Full info at se1.net/11498

The Table

85 Southwark Street

Monday 12 September
BOROUGH BOOK GROUP6.15pm; free
Discussing *Nocturnes* by Kazuo Ishiguro. Contact eugenia.atta@southwark.gov.uk to pick up a copy of the book.
→ Full info at se1.net/11493

Woolfson & Tay

12 Bermondsey Square T 020 7407 9316
www.woolfsonandtay.com
Tue-Sat 11am-7pm; Sun 12 noon-5pm;Tuesday 13 September
BERMONDSEY REMEMBERED: TWO CENTURIES IN BUSINESS7pm; £5 (conc £3)
Funeral director Barry Albin-Dyer in conversation with Greg Watts.
→ Full info at se1.net/11347Tuesday 20 September
MICHAEL RICHMOND: SISYPHUSA7pm; free
In conversation with Christopher Somerville.
→ Full info at se1.net/11348Thursday 29 September
JILL MCGIVERING7pm; £5 (conc £3)
BBC correspondent discusses her new novel in conversation with Kate Hoyland.
→ Full info at se1.net/11349

Church services

Southwark Cathedral

London Bridge T 020 7367 6700
www.southwarkcathedral.org.ukFriday 23 September
NORWEGIAN MEMORIAL SERVICE11am
Memorial service for all those killed on 22 July in Oslo city centre by a bomb and on the same day by gunfire on Utoya island.
→ Full info at se1.net/11376

Guided walks

Blitzwalkers

www.blitzwalkers.co.ukSunday 25 September
THE POOL OF LONDON AND TOOLEY STREET IN THE BLITZ

Meet 11am by the wooden cross in

southern churchyard of Southwark Cathedral; £8
Join Neil Bright for this guided walk.
→ Full info at se1.net/11414

London Trails

Sunday 4 September
THE BOROUGH GUIDED WALK2pm; £8; email kentitmuss@yahoo.co.uk to book
Walk with old maps led by Ken Titmuss.
→ Full info at se1.net/11411

Southwark Needle

London Bridge

Sunday 25 September

DICKENS WALK

2.30pm; £1; booking essential 020 7735 6716
Local historian Stephen Humphrey leads a walk around Borough High Street.
→ Full info at se1.net/11427

Walk London Autumn Ambles

www.walklondon.org.ukSaturday 24 September
LONDON'S HIDDEN TREASURESMeet 10.30am or 2.30pm at exit 6 of Waterloo Tube on York Road; free
Free guided walk from the South Bank to the Tower of London.
→ Full info at se1.net/11490Saturday 24 & Sunday 25 September
EXPLORING SEAFARING LONDONMeet Sat 12 noon or Sun 12.30pm outside City Hall, The Queen's Walk; free
Tower Bridge to Greenwich walk.
→ Full info at se1.net/11488Saturday 24 & Sunday 25 September
THE AMAZING HISTORY OF THE BANKS OF THE RIVER THAMESMeet 2pm at exit 6 of Waterloo Tube on York Road; free
Free guided walk from Waterloo to London Bridge.
→ Full info at se1.net/11491Sunday 25 September
THE ROMANS TO NORMAN FOSTERMeet 10.30am or 2.30pm outside City Hall, The Queen's Walk; free
Led by official City of London Guide. The walk spans 2000 years of history taking in City of London livery companies, Wren churches, the Great Fire and the Blitz.
→ Full info at se1.net/11489Sunday 25 September
MILLBANK M15 AND M16 AND MUCH MOREMeet 10.30am or 2pm outside Pimlico Underground Station; free
Exploring Pimlico, Westminster and Albert Embankment.
→ Full info at se1.net/11492Sunday 25 September
CITY HALL TO CANARY WHARFMeet 11am outside City Hall, The Queen's Walk; free
Guided walk with Peter Finch, chairman of the River Thames Society.
→ Full info at se1.net/11487

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Music

Bankside riverside walkway

next to Millennium Bridge

Sunday 18 September
THE HIP HOP SHAKESPEARE COMPANY: LIVE ON THE RIVERSIDE STAGE

1pm-5pm; free
Expect lots of rapping of Shakespearean verse. Part of [Merge Festival](#)
→ Full info at [se1.net/11519](#)

Theatre

Bankside Mix

Canvey Street
[www.banksidemix.co.uk](#)

Monday 19 September
CARAVAN THEATRE: A MORE GLORIOUS HOLE

12 noon-4pm; free
10-minute live performance in a 1970s caravan parked at the north end of Canvey Street. Part of [Merge Festival](#)
→ Full info at [se1.net/11513](#)

Bankside riverside walkway

next to Millennium Bridge

Tuesday 20 & Wednesday 21 September
CARAVAN THEATRE: THE DEVIL

12 noon-4pm; free
Created and performed by Shunt co-founder Hannah Ringham this 10-minute interactive piece is inspired by our idea of the devil. [Merge Festival](#)
→ Full info at [se1.net/11515](#)

Thursday 22 & Friday 23 September
CARAVAN THEATRE: A MORE GLORIOUS HOLE

12 noon-4pm; free
10-minute live performance in a 1970s caravan. Part of [Merge Festival](#)
→ Full info at [se1.net/11514](#)

Menier Chocolate Factory

51 Southwark Street T 020 7907 7060
[www.menierchocolatefactory.com](#)

Until Saturday 17 September
ROAD SHOW

Tue-Sat 8pm; Sat & Sun 3.30pm; £28.50
Stephen Sondheim's latest musical.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11046](#)

Thursday 22 September to Saturday 12 November
TERRIBLE ADVICE

Tue-Sat 8pm; Sun 3.30pm; £29.50
World premiere of Saul Rubinek's new comedy directed by Frank Oz.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11379](#)

National Theatre

South Bank T 020 7452 3000
[www.nationaltheatre.org.uk](#)

Until Monday 19 September
ONE MAN, TWO GUVNORS

Lyttelton Theatre; In repertory; £12-£45
Directed by Nicholas Hytner.
→ Full info at [se1.net/10718](#)

Until Sunday 6 November

THE KITCHEN

Oliver Theatre; In repertory; £12-£30
Written and directed by Arnold Wesker.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11313](#)

Rose Theatre

56 Park Street T 020 7261 9565
[www.rosetheatre.org.uk](#)

Tuesday 6 to Sunday 25 September
A NEW WAY TO PAY OLD DEBTS

Tue-Sat 7.30pm; Sun 3pm; £12 (conc £10)
from 020 7261 9565
Massinger's comedy directed by Liz Bagley.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11463](#)

Shakespeare's Globe

New Globe Walk T 020 7401 9919
[www.shakespearesglobe.com](#)

Until Friday 30 September
THE GOD OF SOHO

In repertory; £5-£37.50
Chris Hannan's new play for the Globe.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11335](#)

Until Saturday 1 October
MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING

In repertory; £5-£37.50
A miracle of comic & dramatic suspense.
→ Full info at [se1.net/10896](#)

Until Saturday 1 October
THE GLOBE MYSTERIES

In repertory; £5-£37.50
A unique presentation of the English Mystery Cycles, a cornerstone of English drama and a first for the Globe theatre.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11334](#)

Until Sunday 2 October
DOCTOR FAUSTUS

In repertory; £5-£37.50
Arthur Darvill plays Mephistopheles.
→ Full info at [se1.net/10970](#)

Southwark Playhouse

Shipwright Yard T 020 7407 0234
[www.southwarkplayhouse.co.uk](#)

Until Saturday 17 September
PARADE

Mon-Sat 7.30pm; Sat 3pm; £10, £16.50, £22.50 (airline-style)
→ Full info at [se1.net/11322](#)

Tuesday 6 September to Saturday 1 October
THE BELLE'S STRATAGEM

Mon-Sat 7.45pm; Sat 3.15pm; £10/£15
Starring Gina Beck, Jackie Clune, Hannah Spearritt, Maggie Steed and Robin Soans.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11470](#)

Wednesday 28 September to Saturday 22 October
BOUND

The Vault; Mon-Sat 7.30pm Sat 3pm; £8, £13, £18 (airline-style)
Written and directed by Jesse Briton.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11308](#)

The Old Vic

103 The Cut T 0870 060 6628
[www.oldvictheatre.com](#)

Until Saturday 11 September
RICHARD III

Tue-Sat 7.30pm; Sun 5pm + matinees; £10-£42.50
Sam Mendes directs Kevin Spacey.
→ Full info at [se1.net/10345](#)

Saturday 17 September to Saturday 26 November

THE PLAYBOY OF THE WESTERN WORLD

Mon-Sat 7.30pm; Wed & Sat 2.30pm; £10-£49.50

John Crowley directs J M Synge's irreverent comic masterpiece.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11502](#)

The Old Vic Tunnels

Leake Street
[oldvictunnels.com](#)

Until Saturday 17 September
OUR DAYS OF RAGE

Times vary; £18
National Youth Theatre leads audiences on a riotous journey through protests past, present and future.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11327](#)

Until Saturday 17 September
ORPHEUS & EURYDICE: A MYTH UNDERGROUND

Times vary; £18
Molly Davies' modern adaption of the classic myth. A National Youth Theatre of Great Britain production.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11328](#)

Unicorn Theatre

147 Tooley Street T 020 7645 0560
[www.unicorntheatre.com](#)

Saturday 24 September to Sunday 30 October
BILLY THE KID

times vary; £13 & £19 (conc £8 & £12)
Adapted from Michael Morpurgo's novel.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11287](#)

Union Theatre

204 Union Street T 020 7261 9876
[www.uniontheatre.biz](#)

Until Saturday 17 September
BERNARDA ALBA

Tue-Sat 7.30pm; Sat & Sun 3pm; £16
Michael John LaChiusa's modern musical masterpiece based on Lorca's 1936 play.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11278](#)

Wednesday 21 September to Saturday 15 October

THE BAKER'S WIFE

Tue-Sat 7.30pm; Sat & Sun 3pm; £15
Music and lyrics by Stephen Schwartz.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11503](#)

Waterloo Station

Waterloo Road

Until Sunday 9 January

THE RAILWAY CHILDREN

Tue-Sat 7.30pm; Thu/Sat/Sun 2.30pm; £22.75-£49.75

E. Nesbit's classic returns for a second season in the disused Waterloo International Terminal.

→ Full info at [se1.net/10870](#)

Young Vic

66 The Cut T 020 7928 6363
[www.youngvic.org](#)

Until Saturday 3 September

THE BEAUTY QUEEN OF LEENANE

7.30pm; £10-£29.50
Joe Hill-Gibbins' hit production of Martin McDonagh's darkly comic take on rural Ireland returns.

→ Full info at [se1.net/10840](#)

Friday 2 to Saturday 24 September

DISCO PIGS

The Clare; 7.45pm + some matinees; £10
Cathal Cleary directs Enda Walsh's classic.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11479](#)

Thursday 15 September to Saturday 1 October
STREET SCENE

Mon-Sat 7.30pm; Sat 2.30pm; £10-£29.50
John Fulljames directs Kurt Weill's glorious score.
→ Full info at [se1.net/10841](#)

Cinema

Coin Street Neighbourhood Centre

108 Stamford Street T 020 7021 1600
[www.coinstreet.org](#)

Friday 16 September

FISH TANK

7.30pm (refreshments) from 7pm; £4
Coin Street neighbourhood film club.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11430](#)

Shortwave Cinema

10 Bermondsey Square T 020 7357 6845
[www.shortwavefilms.co.uk](#)

Friday 2 to Thursday 8 September

LITTLE WHITE LIES

Fri/Sat/Sun/Thu 8pm; £8 (conc £7)
Director: Guillaume Canet.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11504](#)

Friday 9 to Thursday 15 September

HEARTBEATS

Fri/Sat/Sun/Thu 8pm; £8 (conc £7)
Xavier Dolan writes, directs and stars in this drama chronicling a love triangle.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11505](#)

Saturday 24 to Wednesday 28 September
SENNA

Sat/Sun/Wed 8pm; £8 (conc £7)
Director: Asif Kapadia.
→ Full info at [se1.net/11506](#)

Tate Modern

Bankside T 020 7887 8888
[www.tate.org.uk/modern](#)

Monday 5 September

THE LONDON NOBODY KNOWS

Starr Auditorium; 7pm refreshments from 6.30pm; free to members
James Mason explores forgotten and now largely non-existent parts of the capital. Membership of the Community Film Club is aimed at those living in Southwark and Lambeth. To become a member (it's free) email [communityfilmclub@tate.org.uk](#).
→ Full info at [se1.net/11429](#)

The Scoop

More London Riverside
[www.morelondon.com/scoop.html](#)

Wednesday 14 to Friday 30 September
FREE FILMS

Wed/Thu/Fri 7.30pm; free
Free riverside open-air cinema next to City Hall. Turn up early to get a seat.
Wed 14: Alice in Wonderland
→ Full info at [se1.net/11435](#)
Thu 15: The King's Speech
→ Full info at [se1.net/11436](#)
Fri 16: Dirty Dancing
→ Full info at [se1.net/11437](#)
Wed 21: The Illusionist
→ Full info at [se1.net/11438](#)
Thu 22: The Social Network
→ Full info at [se1.net/11439](#)
Fri 23: The African Queen
→ Full info at [se1.net/11440](#)
Wed 28: The Manchurian Candidate
→ Full info at [se1.net/11441](#)
Thu 29: Grease
→ Full info at [se1.net/11442](#)
Fri 30: True Grit
→ Full info at [se1.net/11443](#)

Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction Courses

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13 September – 8 November 2011 (not 4 October)

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Exhibitions

ASC Gallery

Erlang House, 128 Blackfriars Road
Mon-Sat 1.30pm-5pm; free

Thursday 8 September to Friday 21 October
DOUG JONES: CAETERIS PARIBUS
Jones uses domestic craft and consumable goods within site specific installations.
→ Full info at se1.net/11476

Bankside Gallery

48 Hopton Street T 020 7928 7521
www.banksidegallery.com
Daily 11am-6pm; free

Friday 9 to Sunday 18 September
LONDON LIVES: TRAVEL
A hundred entries from the second Network Rail-backed competition.
→ Full info at se1.net/11104

Wednesday 21 September to Sunday 2 October
EDWARD HUTCHISON: DRAWING FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
→ Full info at se1.net/11297

Bargehouse

Oxo Tower Wharf T 020 7401 2255
www.coinstreet.org
Daily 11am-6pm; free

Friday 9 to Sunday 25 September
AFRICAN AND AFRICAN-CARIBBEAN DESIGN DIASPORA
→ Full info at se1.net/11511

Bermondsey Project Space

SE1 Studios, 46 Willow Walk
www.bowarts.org/studios/se1-studios
Thu-Sun 1pm-6pm; free

Saturday 10 to Sunday 25 September
VIDEO IN BRITAIN TODAY
Curated by Edward Lucie-Smith.
→ Full info at se1.net/11452

Bicha Gallery

7 Gabriel's Wharf T 020 7928 0083
www.bicha.co.uk
Tue-Sun 11am-7pm; free

Friday 9 to Thursday 29 September
PHOTO BOOTH
Marc Bellini.
→ Full info at se1.net/11468

Cumming Museum

151 Walworth Road T 020 7525 2352
www.southwark.gov.uk/cummingmuseum
Tue-Sat 10am-5pm; free

Until Saturday 29 October
PICTURES, PLACES, PEOPLE: ELEPHANT TO CAMBERWELL
→ Full info at se1.net/10805

Design Museum

Shad Thames T 0870 909 9009
www.designmuseum.org
Daily 10am-5.45pm (last admission 5.15pm);
£10 (conc £9; students 6); Under 12s free

Until Sunday 30 October
KENNETH GRANGE: MAKING BRITAIN MODERN
Grange's career and design legacy.
→ Full info at se1.net/9961

Until Sunday 23 January
DESIGN MUSEUM COLLECTION
Couture garments, street furniture, road signs and traffic lights will be on display.
→ Full info at se1.net/9962

Drawing Room

12 Rich Estate, Crimscott Street
www.drawingroom.org.uk
Tue-Sat 12 noon-6pm; free

Thursday 22 September to Sunday 13 November
THE PERIPATETIC SCHOOL: ITINERANT DRAWING FROM LATIN AMERICA
Curated by Tanya Barson.
→ Full info at se1.net/11497

Elephant & Castle Shopping Centre

Friday 2 to Tuesday 6 September
PARK BENCH
Unit 237-238; 11am-4pm (Sun 12 noon-3pm); free
Kamala Katbamna's E&C art project.
→ Full info at se1.net/11481

Fashion & Textile Museum

83 Bermondsey Street T 020 7407 8664
www.ftmlondon.org
Exhibitions Wed-Sun 11am-6pm; £7 (conc £4); under-12s free

Until Saturday 22 October
TOMMY NUTTER: THE REBEL ON THE ROW
The firm that shook up Savile Row.
→ Full info at se1.net/10011

gallery@oxo

Oxo Tower Wharf T 020 7021 1686
www.coinstreet.org
Daily 11am-6pm; free

Until Sunday 11 September
RIVERS OF THE WORLD
Linking over 2,000 young people around the world through common river themes. Part of [The Mayor's Thames Festival](http://www.themayorsfestival.com)
→ Full info at se1.net/10018

Wednesday 14 September to Sunday 2 October
CREATIVE CONNECTIONS
Japanese design from the traditional to the cutting-edge. [London Design Festival](http://www.londonfestival.com)
→ Full info at se1.net/11472

Garden Museum

Lambeth Palace Road T 020 7401 8865
www.gardenmuseum.org.uk
Daily 10.30am-5pm (closed 1st Mon of month); £7 (conc £6; under-16s free)

Tuesday 20 September to Sunday 3 April
FROM GARDEN CITY TO GREEN CITY
The 'green city' movement over the last 150 years.
→ Full info at se1.net/11466

Hayward Gallery

Southbank Centre T 020 7921 0813
www.southbankcentre.co.uk/visualarts
Daily 10am-6pm (Thu & Fri till 8pm);
£11 (seniors £10, students £8, under-16 £4.50; under 12 free)

Until Sunday 18 September
JOHN CAGE
Project Space; Daily 10am-6pm; free
→ Full info at se1.net/11323

Wednesday 28 September to Sunday 9 January
PIPILOTTI RIST
Videos, sculptures and installations.
→ Full info at se1.net/10354

Imperial War Museum

Lambeth Road T 020 7416 5000
london.iwm.org.uk
Daily 10am-6pm; free

Until Sunday 30 October
ONCE UPON A WARTIME
£5.95 (conc £4.95; child £3.95; family

£12.50)

Bringing five stories of war to life.
→ Full info at se1.net/10155

Until Sunday 27 November
WOMEN WAR ARTISTS
From the First World War to Kosovo.
→ Full info at se1.net/10693

Until Sunday 27 February
MEMORY REMAINS: 9/11 ARTEFACTS AT HANGAR 17 BY FRANCESC TORRES
Photographs reflecting on the emotional power of what remained after 9/11.
→ Full info at se1.net/11329

Jerwood Space

171 Union Street T 020 7654 0171
www.jerwoodspace.co.uk
Mon-Fri 10am-5pm; Sat & Sun 10am-3pm; free

Wednesday 14 September to Sunday 30 October
JERWOOD DRAWING PRIZE
→ Full info at se1.net/10860

Llewellyn Alexander Fine Paintings

124-126 The Cut T 020 7620 1322
www.llewellynalexander.com
Mon-Sat 10am-7.30pm; free

Until Friday 16 September
SOCIETY OF FELINE ARTISTS
300+ oils, acrylics, watercolours & pastels.
→ Full info at se1.net/10320

London Glassblowing

62-66 Bermondsey Street T 020 7403 2800
www.londonglassblowing.co.uk
Mon-Fri 10am-5pm; free

Friday 2 to Saturday 17 September
PIECEMAKER
3D mosaics by Takako Shimizu.
→ Full info at se1.net/11473

Monday 19 September to Saturday 1 October
BINARY
Louis Thompson and Bruce Marks.
→ Full info at se1.net/11475

Menier Gallery

51 Southwark Street T 020 7407 3222
www.meniergallery.co.uk
Mon-Sat 10am-6pm; free

Wednesday 14 to Saturday 24 September
NATIONAL SOCIETY OF PAINTERS, SCULPTORS AND PRINTMAKERS
→ Full info at se1.net/11320

Morley College

61 Westminster Bridge Road T 020 7928 8501
www.morleycollege.ac.uk
Gallery Mon-Fri 11am-6pm; Thu until 7pm; Sat enquire for details;

Wednesday 7 to Monday 12 September
CITY & GUILDS STUDENT PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION 2011
→ Full info at se1.net/11280

Tuesday 20 to Thursday 29 September
PAINTING ADVANCED WORKSHOP
→ Full info at se1.net/11281

National Theatre

South Bank T 020 7452 3000
www.nationaltheatre.org.uk
Mon-Sat 9.30am-11pm; Sun 12 noon-6pm; free

Monday 12 September to Sunday 23 October
JONATHAN MILLER
→ Full info at se1.net/11311

Never Records

11 Southwark Street
Friday 16 September to Sunday 9 October
NEVER RECORDS BY TED RIEDERER
Wed-Sun 12 noon-7pm; free
Art installation in the guise of a classic walk-in record store. [Merge Festival](http://www.mergefestival.com)
→ Full info at se1.net/11461

Nolia's Gallery

60 Great Suffolk Street T 020 7701 9111
www.noliagallery.co.uk
12 noon-6pm (Fri 5pm)

Thursday 22 to Saturday 24 September
KOLONI ACCESSORIES
→ Full info at se1.net/11377

Poppy Sebire Gallery

Copperfield Street
Tue-Sat 10am-6pm; free
Friday 2 September to Saturday 1 October
MEMORIAL DRAG STRIP: TOM DALE
→ Full info at se1.net/11462

Purdy Hicks Gallery

65 Hopton Street T 020 7401 9229
www.purdyhicks.com
Mon-Fri 10am-6pm; Sat 11am-6pm; free
Friday 9 September to Monday 3 October
MICHAEL PORTER
→ Full info at se1.net/11300

Siobhan Davies Studios

85 St George's Road
www.siobhandavies.com
Mon-Thu 10am-8pm; Fri & Sat 10am-5pm; free

Friday 16 to Sunday 25 September
GUY SHERWIN
→ Full info at se1.net/11471

Southwark Cathedral

London Bridge T 020 7367 6700
www.southwarkcathedral.org.uk
Refectory Mon-Fri 8.30am-6pm; Sat & Sun 10am-6pm; free

Until Thursday 15 September
ANGELS & HEARTS
Bermondsey's Riverside Artists.
→ Full info at se1.net/11385

Friday 16 September to Monday 24 October
CREATION & FALL: DIANA GREEN
→ Full info at se1.net/11386

Tate Modern

Bankside T 020 7887 8888
www.tate.org.uk/modern
Sun-Thu 10am-6pm; Fri & Sat 10am-10pm; free

Until Sunday 11 September
JOAN MIRO
£13.50 (conc £12)
→ Full info at se1.net/9964

Unit 24

20 Great Guildford Street T 020 7401 2142
unit24.info
Mon-Wed 10am-5pm, Thu & Fri 10am-6.30pm; free

Until Saturday 17 September
KEVIN WAYNE: LEFT TO OWN DEVICES
Hand-made sculptures and more.
→ Full info at se1.net/11285

Woolfson & Tay

12 Bermondsey Square T 020 7407 9316
www.woolfsonandtay.com
Mon-Sat 11am-7pm; Sun 11am-5pm; free

Until Sunday 11 September
PORTRAITURE
→ Full info at se1.net/11467



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Thames Festival Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September

Bankside foreshore

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Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
FIRING ON THE FORESHORE

12 noon-11pm (approx); free
Bankside STEWARDS fire pots made from Thames clay on the foreshore.
→ Full info at se1.net/11546

Bankside riverside walkway

outside Tate Modern

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
BARCLAYCARD STAGE

12 noon-10pm; free
The very best in underground music.
→ Full info at se1.net/11542

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
AKARI LANTERN PROJECT

12 noon-6pm; free
It is 6 months since the earthquake and tsunami of 11 March. Japanese craft activities to raise awareness of local communities affected by the quake.
→ Full info at se1.net/11547

Bernie Spain Gardens

Upper Ground
www.coinstreet.org

Saturday 10 to Sunday 11 September
KOREA CALLING

12 noon-10pm; free
Family event with activities and workshops.
→ Full info at se1.net/11541

Blackfriars Bridge

Sunday 11 September
NIGHT CARNIVAL

6.45pm-9.30pm; free
2,000 dancers, drummers, lantern-carriers and costumed masqueraders. This year the carnival route is reversed: the procession lines up on Upper Ground, heads north over Blackfriars Bridge and

then turns left to Victoria Embankment.
→ Full info at se1.net/11539

The Queen's Walk

near Southbank Centre

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
NEW EUROPEAN VILLAGE

12 noon-9.30pm; free
The New European Village area highlights cultures from Central and Eastern European countries that have joined the European Union in the last ten years. For 2011 the countries taking part will be Romania, Hungary and Poland.
→ Full info at se1.net/11555

Royal Festival Hall

Belvedere Road

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
CYCLE-IN CINEMA

8pm-10pm on east wall of the RFH; free
The world premiere of Deva Palmier's *Southbank Unseen*, a series of four short documentary dramas that give us an alternative view of SE1 through the eyes and ears of four extraordinarily gifted individuals.
→ Full info at se1.net/11556

HMS Belfast

Morgans Lane, Tooley Street T 020 7940 6300

Saturday 10 September
TRANSMISSION: ORLANDO GOUGH

12 noon, 4pm, 5pm, 7.45pm & 8.30pm; free
High up on the decks of HMS Belfast, two percussionists perform a five-minute intense, virtuosic duet in military snare drum style - but instead of snare drums, they play on parts of the ship.
→ Full info at se1.net/11552

Hungerford Coach Park

Belvedere Road (next to Jubilee Gardens)

Saturday 10 September
ELECTRO SWING SPEAKEASY

12 noon-10pm
A stage that travels through time from Swing and Jive to the 22nd century sound of electro-swing.
→ Full info at se1.net/11557

Sunday 11 September
LADY LUCK JIVE STAGE

12 noon-10pm
A firm festival favourite.
→ Full info at se1.net/11558

Potters Fields Park

Tooley Street

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
BLUE RIBBON VILLAGE

12 noon-7pm; free
Family-friendly river & environment zone.
→ Full info at se1.net/11548

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
RECLAIMED BY THE THAMES

12 noon-6pm; free
Rising from the grass, as if the earth has swallowed part of her hull, is a life-size shipwreck, built from reclaimed timber.
→ Full info at se1.net/11553

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 September
DISCO SHED

12 noon-10pm; free
→ Full info at se1.net/11554

River Thames

Saturday 10 September
THAMES PARADE

3pm-4pm; free
Flotilla passes Westminster Bridge at 3pm reaching Tower Bridge by 3.30pm. Live commentary at Millennium Bridge.
→ Full info at se1.net/11545

Sunday 11 September
BARGE-DRIVING RACES

Watermen and Lightermen compete in the main race (1pm-1.40pm Tower Bridge to Westminster Bridge), while the Newcomers' Race (2.30pm-3pm Waterloo Bridge to Tower Bridge) is for friends, family and apprentices. There is live commentary at Millennium Bridge.
→ Full info at se1.net/11545

Sunday 11 September
FIREWORK FINALE

9.45pm-10pm; free
More than a ton of fireworks goes up in a spectacular display.
→ Full info at se1.net/11540

Southwark Bridge

Saturday 10 September
FEAST ON THE BRIDGE

12 noon-10pm; free
Southwark Bridge is transformed into a giant banqueting space. This year the theme is sustainable fish.
→ Full info at se1.net/11543

The Scoop at More London

Saturday 10 September
AL FRESCO TANGO

12 noon-10pm; free
Star performances, cutting-edge workshops, live music and dancing.
→ Full info at se1.net/11550

Sunday 11 September
KIDS' CHOIR

1pm-1.45pm; free
Performance by 700 kids from 9 boroughs.
→ Full info at se1.net/11549

Sunday 11 September
SING FOR WATER

2pm-3pm; free
50 choirs and over 850 singers perform in support of WaterAid.
→ Full info at se1.net/11551

Open House

Once a year dozens of buildings of architectural and historical interest open their doors to the general public.

The list of participating buildings in SE1 printed below is not definitive – visit www.openhouselondon.org for the complete list.

Open Saturday only

1901 ARTS CLUB

10am-5pm at 7 Exton Street; free
Late Victorian schoolmaster's house elegantly converted into a European salon-inspired arts club providing performance, rehearsal, meeting space and bar. Tours include musical performance.
→ Full info at se1.net/11525

FRIENDSHIP HOUSE

9.30am-4.30pm at Belvedere Place, Borough Road; free
MJP designed the 180 bed Friendship House in Southwark for the LHA London.
→ Full info at se1.net/11532

THE HOUSE OF ANTONI & ALISON

10am-5pm at 80 Southwark Bridge Road; free
An 1820s mid-terrace house, found derelict and covered in plastic flowers, now fully renovated revealing its hidden gems and history. Architectural salvage pieces used throughout. Creative partners Antoni & Alison established their fashion and design company in 1987.
→ Full info at se1.net/11538

IMPERIAL WAR MUSEUM

11am-5pm (free tours ever hour); free
Free tours will include the historic dome chapel and talks on the history of the museum and building as well as a presentation on its proposed redevelopment. There will also be an opportunity to talk to staff from Bethlem Hospital Archive and the IWM. To book a tour email jgale@iwm.org.uk. Alternatively, sign up at the information desk on the day. Max 20 people per tour.
→ Full info at se1.net/11528

K2 BUILDING

10am-4.30pm (tours hourly till 4.15pm) at Keyworth Street; free
8-storey London South Bank University academic building, designed by Grimshaw Architects, with a stunning 5-storey glazed atrium.
→ Full info at se1.net/11534

KIRKALDY TESTING WORKS

10.30am-4.30pm at 95 Southwark Street; free
Grade II listed industrial building, purpose-built to house David Kirkaldy's unique materials testing machine, now restored. Normally open one Sunday a month.
→ Full info at se1.net/11531

ROYAL PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY

2.30pm-5.30pm (tours every 30 mins) at 1 Lambeth High Street; free
6-storey HQ building with sleek brown anodised aluminium cladding. Displays of historical pharmacy collections.
→ Full info at se1.net/11526

OLD OPERATING THEATRE

10.30am-5pm; free
St Thomas' Church attic (1703) once part of old St Thomas' Hospital, houses the herb garret and Britain's only surviving 19th-century operating theatre. A

chance to visit for free.

→ Full info at se1.net/11530

SIOBHAN DAVIES STUDIOS

1pm-6pm at St George's Road; free
The RIBA award-winning studios will be open for visitors to explore alongside the current exhibition by Guy Sherwin.
→ Full info at se1.net/11529

WELLER STREET LOFT STUDIOS

10am-5pm at 14 Weller Street; free
This conversion of a warehouse building contains the offices of Foster Lomas, Toh Shimazaki Architecture and Latitude Architects.

→ Full info at se1.net/11535

Open Sunday only

67 GRANGE WALK

10am-1pm at 67 Grange Walk; free
Grade II-star listed double-fronted Queen Anne house c1700 largely restored and now used as a family home.
→ Full info at se1.net/11523

BERMONDSEY SQUARE

Meet 2pm outside Woolfson & Tay bookshop; free
The project architect from East Architects will conduct a tour of the square outlining the process they undertook in creating the concept for this award-winning public space.
→ Full info at se1.net/11521

MORLEY COLLEGE

12 noon-5pm; free
Free tours of the building and view the college's art collection. The collection includes murals by Martin Froy, John Piper and Edward Bawden, whose scenes from *The Canterbury Tales* adorn the wall of the College Refectory; together with pieces by Bridget Riley, Maggi Hambling, Oskar Kokoschka, Ruskin Spear, Lawrence Toynebee and others.
→ Full info at se1.net/11527

YOUNG VIC

12 noon-4pm (regular tours) at The Cut; free
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Open Saturday and Sunday

ALLIES & MORRISON STUDIO

10am-1.30pm at 85 Southwark Street; free
Purpose-designed studio with fully glazed front arranged on 5 floors linked by a stepped, externally-planted atrium.
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CARMARTHEN PLACE

1pm-5pm at Carmarthen Place, Bermondsey Street; free
One of two eco wooden houses and artist's studio with sedum roof.
→ Full info at se1.net/11524

CITY HALL

10am-5pm; free
Your only chance to visit the upper parts of the building – including the top of the stunning spiral ramp – since Boris Johnson abolished all other public open days. Children's design activity 11am-3pm.
→ Full info at se1.net/11520

JERWOOD SPACE

10am-6pm at 171 Union Street; free
Rehearsal studios and art gallery.
→ Full info at se1.net/11533

ROSE THEATRE EXHIBITION

10am-5pm; free
Archaeological site of the first Elizabethan theatre on Bankside, where Shakespeare performed and learnt his craft. Tours every hour plus 20-minute film screening.
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