

# in SE1

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## Borough Food Markets go weekly

The Trustees of the Borough Market have announced that the increasingly popular retail Food Markets on the third Saturday of the month will in future be a weekly event.

The aim is to provide a weekly "one stop shop" in the Borough on Saturdays, with some traders also opening on Friday afternoons as demand increases. The full selection of stallholders will still be trading on the third Saturday of the



month.

The development of Borough Market as a centre of excellence for all things edible will be strengthened this month with the opening at 6 Southwark Street (next to the main market entrance) of de Gustibus, a high quality bakers shop run by Dan Schickentanz, twice winner of the Baker of the Year award.

- See *Special Events & Festivals* page 8
- [www.londonlarder.org.uk](http://www.londonlarder.org.uk)

## Architecture Week

With so many exciting developments in SE1 it's no surprise that the South Bank features prominently in this year's Architecture Week, which runs from 5 to 14 November.

Marcus Beale Architects, the company working on the Christ Church Gardens project in Blackfriars Road, will be opening their offices to visitors on 9 November, whilst on 9 and 10 November visitors are welcome at the offices of Foster and Partners, responsible for the Millennium Bridge.

On 10 November there are three SE1-related events – there's a chance to hear Alex Lifschutz examine the Hungerford Bridge Project (see *in SE1* August 1999), whilst Waterloo International architect Nicholas Grimshaw is speaking at University College London. There is also an opportunity to visit the offices of David Marks Julia Barfield, the husband and wife team responsible

for the BA London Eye.

Southwark Information Centre and its surroundings will be the focus of a tour of the Southwark Gateway Project on 11 November.

*Project Vauxhall: Off-Cuts and Leftovers in the City* is the title of an event on 13 November at Vauxhall St Peter's Heritage Centre which will look at Vauxhall's position so close and yet so far from the centre of London.

Rick Mather, the masterplanner for the South Bank Centre, will speak about the project on 13 November.

Two SE1 practices, Purcell Miller Tritton & Partners and Timpson Manley, will also be opening their doors during the week.

And if you missed the *Eating Design* exhibition at the.gallery@oxo last month, it will be on show at 60 Bastwick Street EC1 from 8-12 November.

- T 020 7973 6436
- [www.archweek.co.uk](http://www.archweek.co.uk)

## SE1 restaurants get mixed reviews

The ninth edition of the widely respected *Harden's London Restaurants* has just been published, based on over 60,000 reviews by members of the public.

Despite 36 restaurants in the listings, no SE1 restaurants make it into the overall top ten this year, but Harvey Nichols' Oxo Tower Restaurant and Conran's Le Pont de la Tour both feature in the ten best for business.

Newcomers Cantina Vinopolis ("simple, reasonably priced cooking"), Fish! Diner ("fresh and simple") and Tas ("a useful addition to the South Bank") all get their first listings.

However, the Oxo Tower topped the nominations for "most disappointing cooking" and "most overpriced restaurant".

The Fire Station (see page 5) is described as "hit-and-miss", whilst the Laughing Gravy is "a real find". Contributors to the guide also took to the "chunky, wholesome, heaving plates of fresh and nourishing food" at Bermondsey Street's Honest Cabbage. Pizzeria Castello at the Elephant is "amazing value, well worth going to the Elephant & Castle for".

- *Harden's London Restaurants* is available from all good bookshops, priced £7.95

### This Month

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Southwark Festival's fantastic free fireworks finale

## Cinema Preview

### Film Festival in SE1

The National Film Theatre has long been the principal venue for the London Film Festival (3-18 November), but this year a new location has been added – the BFI London IMAX. On 3 & 4 November there's a chance to see the world's first IMAX film, *Tiger Child*, juxtaposing images of industrial Canada and the natural world. On 5, 6 & 7 November *Extreme* is a fast paced glimpse into the world of extreme sports. *Siegfried & Roy*, to be shown on 8 November, is a series of extraordinary time lapse sequences. Director Brett Leonard will be in attendance for a special screening of his new 3D IMAX film *Chronos* on 10 & 11 November.

- Hotline 0906 613 2000 – calls cost 60p/min
- The LFF website is at [www.lff.org.uk](http://www.lff.org.uk)

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### Millennium in SE1

We will be publishing a bumper Christmas and Millennium edition in December.

The deadline for listings is Wednesday 17 November. For contact details see page 8.

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## Theatre

### Shakespeare's Globe

21 New Globe Walk, Bankside  
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*The 1999 Shakespeare's Globe season has now finished. Globe Education provides a year-round programme of related events.*

See page 8 for highlights or visit [www.shakespeares-globe.org](http://www.shakespeares-globe.org)

### Old Operating Theatre Museum & Herb Garret

9a St Thomas Street  
T 020 7955 4791

### Until Sunday 14 November QUARTET

Thu-Sun 7.30pm; call for prices  
Hiener Müller's play performed by Yorick Internationalist Theatre Ensemble.

See page 5 for details of Southwark Mysteries events.

### The Old Vic

The Cut/Waterloo Road  
T 020 7369 1722

### Until Saturday 15 January ANTIGONE

Mon-Sat 7.30pm; Wed & Sat 3pm;  
£7.50-£32.50

War has destroyed Antigone's world: her brothers lie dead on the battlefield, Creon, her uncle, has seized the throne. New production by Declan Donnellan (co-founder of Cheek by Jowl) of Sophocles' seminal tragedy fusing ancient skills and modern technology. Cast includes Tara Fitzgerald and Jonathan Hyde.

### Royal National Theatre

South Bank  
T 020 7452 3000

### Until Thursday 11 November DARKER FACE OF THE EARTH

Cottesloe Theatre; from £12; phone for dates.  
UK première of Rita Dove's first full-length play exploring racial and sexual tensions on a plantation in pre-Civil War South Carolina. An NT Ensemble production.

### Until Saturday 13 November MONEY

Olivier Theatre; from £8; phone for dates  
Edward Bulwer-Lytton's 1840 comedy. An NT Ensemble production.

### Until Tuesday 23 November SUMMERFOLK

Olivier Theatre; from £8; phone for dates  
Maxim Gorky's 1904 play about a group of Russians at their summer holiday retreat. An NT Ensemble production.

### Until Tuesday 25 January CANDIDE

Olivier Theatre; from £8; phone for dates  
New version by John Caird and Trevor Nunn.

### Continuing in repertory THE ORESTEIA:

1: THE HOME GUARD  
Cottesloe Theatre; from £12; phone for dates  
Adaptation of Aeschylus' original by the late Ted Hughes.

### From Thursday 18 November THE ORESTEIA:

2: THE DAUGHTERS OF DARKNESS  
Cottesloe Theatre; from £12; phone for dates

### Continuing in repertory THE MERCHANT OF VENICE

Cottesloe Theatre; from £12; phone for dates  
Trevor Nunn directs Shakespeare's 1594 play.

### Continuing in repertory REMEMBER THIS

Lyttelton Theatre; from £7; phone for dates  
Stephen Poliakoff's provocative new play exploring the intense rivalry between the generations.

### Southwark Playhouse

62 Southwark Bridge Road  
T 020 7620 3494

### Until Saturday 6 November WHALE RIDING TOGETHER

Mon-Sat 7.30pm; £9 (conc £6); all tickets £3 on Mondays  
Sensual and sensitive exploration of the currency of sex by Canadian writer Bryden MacDonald.

### Tuesday 9 November to Saturday 4 December SOLACE

Mon-Sat 7.30pm; £9 (conc £6); all tickets £3 on Mondays  
John Huxford, stand up comedian, is attempting to restart his glistering career. Childhood loyalties are called into question and memories revisited in this razor-sharp play by Rhiannon Tise.

### Union Theatre

204 Union Street  
T 020 7261 9876

### Tuesday 23 November to Saturday 11 December UNPAINTED PICTURES

Tue-Sat 7.30pm; £8 (conc £6.50)  
By Stephen Dunstone. Artist Emile Nolde has had his lifetime's work banned by the Nazi regime and though forbidden to paint is compelled to continue creating despite lack of materials and the threat of punishment. Into his world comes the art-loving Nazi Hermann Göring eager to see what the genius is up to...

### The Young Vic

66 The Cut, Waterloo  
T 020 7928 6363

### Until Saturday 6 November 'TIS PITY SHE'S A WHORE

Mon-Sat 7.30pm (also matinées);  
£17 (conc £12, £8)  
Acclaimed new production of the famous Jacobean tragedy. Cast includes Jude Law.

### Monday 22 November to Saturday 29 January THE NATIVITY

Call for times; £8 to £15  
The Young Vic Theatre Company combines simple story-telling and dazzling physicality with a little magic and a lot of fun to vividly bring to life one of the world's greatest stories. Joseph the carpenter seems destined never to find love, until one day a beautiful girl enters his workshop to escape from a storm. Her name is Mary, and Joseph falls completely in love with her. Three months later they are married, but on their wedding night Mary tells Joseph that she is already pregnant. So begins this tale involving giants, shepherds, devils and kings as Joseph and Mary go on a remarkable journey which will test their love to the limit and reward them with a miracle.

In the Young Vic Studio:

### Monday 1 to Saturday 13 November HOOD

7.45pm; Matinées on 3, 5, 8, 10, 12  
Nov at 1.15pm; £8 (conc £4)  
The SE1-based Strathcona Theatre Company visits the Young Vic Studio on a national tour. Inspired by Robin Hood, a group of eco-warriors take action against greed and corruption.

## Cinema

### BFI London IMAX Cinema

The Bullring, South Bank  
T 020 7902 1234

### Daily MYSTERIES OF EGYPT

Mon-Fri 12 noon & 3.45pm; Sat & Sun 1.15pm & 5pm; £6.50 (children £4.50, conc £5.50)  
Starring Omar Sharif as a grandfather who captivates his granddaughter with tales of ancient Egypt. The film opens with a recreation of Howard Carter's search for the tomb of Tutankhamun, but the highlight is the breathtaking low-level flight over the River Nile.

### Daily DESTINY IN SPACE

Mon-Fri 1.15pm; Sat & Sun 2.30pm; £6.50 (children £4.50, conc £5.50); cert U; 40 mins  
Amazing footage from space filmed by astronauts during nine space shuttle flights. Narrated by Leonard Nimroy (Star Trek).

### Daily INTO THE DEEP

Mon-Fri 2.30pm, 6.15pm & 8.45pm; Sat & Sun 12 noon, 3.45pm & 7.30pm (& 10pm Fri & Sat only); £6.50 (children £4.50, conc £5.50); cert U; 35 mins  
Stunning 3-dimensional underwater footage filmed over four months off the coast of Southern California eye to eye with the creatures of the oceans.

### Daily THE OLD MAN AND THE SEA

Mon-Fri 5pm; Sat & Sun 6.15pm; £6.50 (children £4.50, conc £5.50); cert PG; 40 mins  
Live-action prologue with scenes from Hemingway's life followed by an adaptation of Hemingway's novella using an amazing oil-on-glass animation technique.

All screenings are preceded by a demonstration of the capabilities of the BFI London IMAX Cinema featuring John Cleese.

See [www.bfi.org.uk](http://www.bfi.org.uk) for more information.

### National Film Theatre

South Bank  
T 020 7928 3232

See Cinema Preview for details of the London Film Festival.

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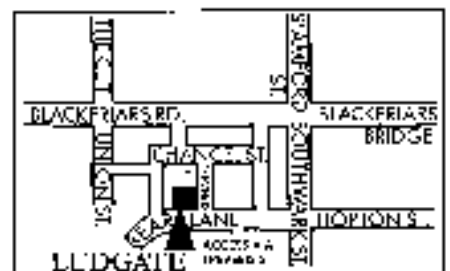
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## SE1 & the World

### BRITAIN IN EUROPE MEET AT WATERLOO

A few years ago it would have been unthinkable – the Prime Minister, senior members of the Government, the leader of the Liberal Democrats and two senior Conservative MPs all spending the morning in Waterloo's Bullring. Once one of the most desolate parts of the South Bank, the Bullring now houses the BFI London IMAX Cinema, chosen by the Britain in Europe group as the venue for their campaign launch.

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### CHINESE PRESIDENT VISITS GLOBE

Shakespeare's Globe was on the programme for the controversial State Visit of Chinese President Jiang Zemin. Reputed to enjoy reciting lines from Shakespeare himself, the President was treated to a special performance of a scene from *Julius Caesar*.

## More London Bridge

Anyone who taken a stroll along Tooley Street recently cannot have failed to notice the More London Bridge signs on the hoardings on the north side of the street. More London Bridge is the slightly strange new name for the next phase of the London Bridge City development being undertaken by CIT Markborough, including the new Greater London Assembly HQ designed by Sir Norman Foster. It has also been rumoured that the BBC are considering moving their news and current affairs operation to the new development. • [www.morelondonbridge.co.uk](http://www.morelondonbridge.co.uk)

## Blackfriars Settlement gets Lottery award

The 113 year old Blackfriars Settlement community organisation has recently received funding from the National Lottery to develop its IT courses for local people over the next three years.

Camberwell and Peckham MP Harriet Harman was one of sixty visitors at a recent open day at the Settlement's Nelson Square and Rushworth Street premises. They were able to see at first hand Blackfriars' education and training, elderly and young people's activities and its IT, craft and printing services for users of mental health services. Discussion forums enabled members of the public to put forward their ideas for the development of Blackfriars' services. Director Mary Gardiner says "we have been delighted to meet new members of the local community at this open day, and hope that many more will come and visit us and make use of the services we and the public have developed together." • 020 7928 9521

## Firework Finale for Festival

What better – or safer – way to spend Guy Fawkes' Night than at Hay's Galleria with the Southwark Festival. See page 7 for details.

## New arrivals

The London Aquarium at County Hall has 15 new arrivals in the shape of creatures called nautilus, often known as 'living fossils' because they have remained relatively unchanged since before the age of dinosaurs. Call 020 7967 8000 for details or visit [www.londonaquarium.co.uk](http://www.londonaquarium.co.uk)

## Eat @ Oxo

The gap left by the closure of The Grocer at Oxo Tower Wharf has recently been filled by Eat, part of an expanding take away chain. The chocolate mousse comes with the recommendation of the in SE1 delivery team! [www.eatcafe.co.uk](http://www.eatcafe.co.uk)

## SE1 Snippets

**CYBER COCKTAILS**  
Cynthia's Cyberbar is a new bar and restaurant in the vaults below London Bridge (formerly the Dragon) featuring two robot-operated bars. Cynthia – the world's first robot cocktail waitress – can mix any cocktail in 60-70 seconds. Cynthia's is open 11am to 11.30pm at 4 Tooley Street (T 020 7403 6777) and on the web at [www.cynbar.co.uk](http://www.cynbar.co.uk)

**TATE MODERN**  
The Tate Gallery has announced that its Bankside operation will be known as Tate Modern. The working title of Tate Gallery of Modern Art was rejected as too long, whilst Tate Bankside did not give an indication of the work on display. The gallery is scheduled to open on 12 May 2000. See [www.tate.org.uk](http://www.tate.org.uk)

**LONDON EYE**  
One of the biggest talking points in SE1 recently has been the London Eye. Now at 90°, the wheel is scheduled to make its inaugural turn at 8.30pm on New Year's Eve. Tickets go on sale in December at £7.45 for adults and £4.95 for children – more details in next month's issue. See the London Eye at [www.ba-londoneye.com](http://www.ba-londoneye.com)

**WINE AWARD**  
Southwark Festival director Michèle McLusky was recently nominated for the Baron Philippe de Rothschild Weekly Wine Award by listeners to LBC 1152am and News Direct 97.3fm along with National Poetry Day founder William Sieghart and English Heritage chairman Jocelyn Stevens, the eventual winner of the award.

## Book Review

### London History Handbook

Billed as the "millennium guide to historical, heritage and environmental networks and publications", the *Greater London History & Heritage Handbook* from Peter Marcan is an indispensable reference tool for anyone with more than a passing interest in London's history. Organised by borough, the handbook lists council contacts, local history societies, museums, parks and local press. There's also a detailed section dealing with London-wide organisations. This is a great book which brings together a lot of information that would otherwise be difficult to track down. • Available for £14.95 plus £2 p&p from Peter Marcan, PO Box 3158, London SE1 4RA. Cheques should be made payable to Peter Marcan.

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## Exhibition Review

### Lucio Fontana at the Hayward

Hailed as "one of the most influential artists of this century", Argentine-born Italian Lucio Fontana was an artist of extraordinary versatility as this exhibition shows. Materials used include incised wax, terracotta, bronze, plaster and stoneware. The works in polychrome ceramic are particularly striking. The punctured canvasses ("Spatial Concepts") in the upper galleries can be rather monotonous but don't let that put you off.

• On Monday 22 November the London Sinfonietta will perform a programme of *Music for Fontana* in the gallery. Call 020 7928 3144 for details.

• [www.hayward-gallery.org.uk](http://www.hayward-gallery.org.uk)  
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## Web Watch

### Young Vic website

There's now an easy way to keep up with what's on at the Young Vic Theatre in The Cut. Giving full details of productions in the main house and the often overlooked Young Vic Studio, the site is simply set out and easy to navigate. There is information about the funded ticket scheme designed to make theatregoing accessible to new audiences. The Frequently Asked Questions section provides a lot of useful information including details of the excellent Konditor and Cook café at the theatre. You can even e-mail the box office to reserve your tickets.

• See *Theatre* page 2  
• [www.youngvic.org](http://www.youngvic.org)

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## Exhibitions

### Bankside Gallery

48 Hopton Street T 020 7928 7521  
Tue-Fri 10am-5pm (Tue 8pm) weekends 1-5pm; £3.50 (conc £2)

Wednesday 3 to Sunday 21 November

#### EILEEN HOGAN RWS: PAINTINGS, PRINTS AND BOOKS

Work by the former Dean of Camberwell School of Arts, including prints which mix digital technology with traditional techniques. See page 8 for *Artists' Perspectives*.

Saturday 27 November to Sunday 16 January

#### LIGHT FANTASTIC

The mid-winter festival and dawn of a new millennium as celebrated in paints and prints by members of the Royal Watercolour Society and the Royal Society of Painter-Printmakers. Festivals featuring light are common to cultures across the world, from Diwali and Hanukah to St Lucia and Bonfire Night.

### Delfina

50 Bermondsey Street T 020 7357 6600  
Mon-Fri 10am-5pm; free

Until Sunday 14 November

#### BE MY BABY: MANIFESTATIONS OF KARMA

Ellen Cantor's three screen video installation featuring Marilyn Monroe, Clark Gable, Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin.

### Design Museum

Shad Thames, Butler's Wharf T 020 7378 6055  
Daily 11.30am (weekends 12 noon) -6pm; £5.25 (conc £4)

Thursday 4 November to Sunday 5 December

#### CONRAN FOUNDATION COLLECTION 1999

With a budget of £30,000 from the Conran Foundation, television broadcaster and engineer Carol Vorderman chooses objects that have a direct bearing on her everyday life as a self-employed mother of two.

Until Wednesday 8 December

#### DESIGN SENSE

Display of winning designs.

Until Sunday 30 January

#### DESIGN: PROCESS, PROGRESS, PRACTICE

Analysis of 20 of the century's most iconic creations, including the Dyson vacuum cleaner, the red telephone box, OS maps, the McLaren buggy and the Gill Sans typeface.

### Hayward Gallery

South Bank Centre, Belvedere Road T 020 7921 0971  
Daily 10am-6pm (Tue & Wed 8pm) £6 (conc £3.50)

Until Sunday 9 January

#### LUCIO FONTANA

See *Exhibition Review*.

### Imperial War Museum

Lambeth Road T 020 7416 5000  
Daily 10am-6pm; £4.70 (conc £3.70; children & after 4.30pm free)

Until 30 January 2000

#### CRW NEVINSON: THE TWENTIETH CENTURY

Includes inter-war cityscapes of London, Paris and New York.

Until Monday 29 May

#### FROM THE BOMB TO THE BEATLES

Major exhibition on Britain in the post-war years.

### Jerwood Gallery

Jerwood Space, 171 Union Street T 020 7654 0171  
Mon-Sat 10am-6pm; Sun 12 noon-6pm; free

Wednesday 3 November to Sunday 12 December

#### NATURAL DEPENDENCY

Taking a look around through the eyes of ten artists from Britain, Europe and North America with work encompassing painting, sculpture, installation and photography.

### Llewellyn Alexander Fine Paintings

The Cut T 020 7620 1322  
Mon-Sat 10am-7.30pm; free

Until Saturday 13 November

#### JOHN YARDLEY RI: ONE MAN SHOW

Works capturing the light and shade of Italy, Spain and England.

Thursday 18 November to Saturday 4 December

#### RON BONE AND AUSTIN MOSELEY

Dutch-style interiors by Ron Bone and bold oils by Austin Moseley.

### Morley Gallery

61 Westminster Bridge Road T 020 7450 9226  
Mon 1pm-6pm; Tue-Fri 10am-6pm (Wed 8pm); Sat 11am-4pm; free

Until Thursday 11 November

#### CURIOSITIES FROM THE COLLECTIONS OF PETER BLAKE

Art and ephemera including works by Damian Hirst, Patrick Caulfield and David Hockney. An exhibition that "mingles high and low art in a visually exciting way".

Wednesday 17 to Friday 26 November

#### LONDON POTTERS ANNUAL EXHIBITION: ALL CHANGE

Annual exhibition offering an eclectic mix of work from over 80 London-based ceramic artists.

### The Museum Of

The Bargehouse, Oxo Tower Wharf

Thursday 4 November to Thursday 23 December

#### THE MUSEUM OF PRESENTS

Tuesday-Sunday 11am-6pm (last admission 5.30pm); free

A special installation for Christmas. Enter a magical haven away from the stresses and strains of Christmas shopping. Your chance to relax, sit back, listen to a storyteller and create a special gift to give at Christmas. The Museum of Emotions opens in February 2000.

### Museum of Garden History

Lambeth Palace Road T 020 7401 8864  
Mon-Fri 10.30am-4pm; Sun 10.30am-5pm; free

Monday 1 to Sunday 21 November

#### THE BROIDERER'S GARDEN

Exhibition by The New Elizabethans Leon Conrad & Lin Skinner.

Thursday 25 November to Sunday 12 December

#### CHRISTMAS EXHIBITION

Last chance to visit the museum before its winter closure until March.

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Daily 10am-10.30pm; free

**Until Sunday 7 November**  
**KERRY STEWART DROPS LOVELINESS**  
Ballroom  
Installation commissioned for RFH Ballroom.

**Wednesday 10 November to Monday 6 December**  
**WORLD PRESS PHOTO**  
Level 2 Foyer  
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**Saturday 13 to Sunday 21 November**  
**DESIGN RESOLUTIONS '99**  
Ballroom  
Selling exhibition of work by Britain's best young designers.

**Royal National Theatre**  
South Bank T 020 7452 3000  
Mon-Sat 10am-11pm; free

**Until Saturday 6 November**  
**THE MILLENNIUM GENERATION**  
How young people worldwide are responding to the Millennium.

**Saturday 13 November to Saturday 11 December**  
**THE 1999 LINBURY PRIZE FOR STAGE DESIGN**  
Award-winning work by young stage designers.

**Monday 15 November to Saturday 15 January**  
**DAZZLE**  
Christmas exhibition of jewellery and applied art for sale.

**SE1 Gallery @ Workplace**  
64 Southwark Bridge Road T 020 7401 9494  
Mon-Fri 10am-5.30pm (Thu 7.30pm); free

**Until Friday 26 November**  
**PASSING THROUGH**  
Work by Lisa Jones and Adam Stone.

**Tom Blau Gallery**  
21 Queen Elizabeth Street T 020 7378 1300  
Mon-Fri 9am-6pm; free

**Thursday 4 November to Friday 3 December**  
**SOUTHALL - A HOME FROM HOME**  
Photographs by Dennis Morris focussing on Southall's Punjabi-Sikh community in the mid 1970s.

**The Walk Gallery of Contemporary Fine Art**  
23 King Edward Walk T 020 7928 3786  
Tue-Sun 1.30-6.30pm; free

**Tuesday 16 to Tuesday 30 November**  
**NEERA SEN - FABLES**  
New work - oil on canvas.

## Special Events & Festivals

**Borough Market**  
Southwark Street T 020 7407 1800

**Saturday 20 November**  
**BOROUGH FOOD MARKET**  
9am-4pm; free  
The market may have gone weekly but the third Saturday of the month will still be the biggest event. See [www.londonlarder.org.uk](http://www.londonlarder.org.uk)

**Christ Church Southwark**  
27 Blackfriars Road T 020 7928 4707

**Saturday 27 November**  
**CHRISTMAS FAIR**  
11am; 20p

**Oxo Tower Wharf & Gabriel's Wharf**  
Upper Ground

**Friday 12, Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 November**  
**CHRISTMAS SHOPPING WEEKEND**  
Design shops will be open late. Great place to view Lord Mayor's Show fireworks on Saturday 13 (see [www.lord-mayors-show.org.uk](http://www.lord-mayors-show.org.uk)). Plus other special happenings.

**Southwark Cyclists**  
[www.tao.org.uk/southwarkcyclists](http://www.tao.org.uk/southwarkcyclists) T 020 7403 0329

**Monday 15 November**  
**MONTHLY MEETING**  
Starts 7pm at Tabard Tenants Hall, Hankey Place, adjoining to The George Inn at 9pm.

**Saturday 27 November**  
**SUSTAINABLE SOUTHWARK CONFERENCE**  
Southwark Cyclists will be offering to help people cycle to this conference at Glaziers' Hall - see below.

**Southwark Mysteries**  
[mysteries.southwark.org.uk](http://mysteries.southwark.org.uk) T 020 7403 1496

**Wednesday 10 November**  
**THE MYSTERIES PILGRIMAGE**  
Meet 7pm at the George Inn, Borough High Street; £5 (conc £3)  
John Constable conducts a guided tour of Bankside linking the poem cycle to the sacred sites of the Southwark Mysteries.

**Friday 19 November**  
**THE ANATOMY CLASS**  
8pm; Old Operating Theatre; St Thomas Street; £7 (conc £5)  
A ritual healing of Southwark's physical and spiritual states.

**Tuesday 23 November**  
**THE GOOSE IS LOOSE**  
8pm; Millennium Drome, Weston Street; £7 (conc £5)  
A performance party to celebrate the third anniversary of the raising of the Goose Spirit. Followed by a walkabout in The Liberty.

*The Southwark Mysteries by John Constable is published this month by Oberon Books*

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Glaziers' Hall, Montague Close T 020 7525 2193

**Saturday 27 November**  
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Thu 11: **St Petersburg**

**Community Choir**

Thu 18: **Students from Trinity**

**College of Music**

Thu 25: **David Smith**

Baritone.

## St John's Waterloo

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LUNCHTIME CONCERTS

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Wed 3: **Hamlyn Trio**

Wind trio - music by Handel,

Beethoven and Gordon Jacob

Wed 10: **Venti**

Wind trio.

Wed 17: **Henrietta Ridgeon**

Viola.

Wed 24: **Gordana Kostic**

Soprano.

Sunday 7 November  
A NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

6.30pm; £5

Ernest Read Symphony Orchestra plays John William's Star Wars; Dukas' Sorcerer's Apprentice, Adagietto from Mahler 5 and Prokofiev - Romeo and Juliet.

Sunday 21 November  
MUSIC FOR THE END OF THE AGE

7.30pm; £5 (conc £4)

Music from Renaissance Italy, Spain, Netherlands and England - Gabrieli, Lassus, Guerrero, Josquin, Brumel, Byrd. New Renaissance Voices directed by Bruce Saunders. This concert is in aid of the Waterloo Breakaway charity for the homeless.

Full details of lunchtime music:  
<http://move.to/livemusic>

St Matthew-at-the-Elephant  
Meadow Row

T 020 7357 8532

Friday 12 November  
DIMITRIS KOUNENIS

1.15pm; retiring collection  
Piano.

## Southwark Cathedral

Montague Close  
T 020 7367 6700

Every Monday  
ORGAN RECITAL

1.10pm; free

Programme details available from the Cathedral.

Every Tuesday  
MUSIC RECITAL

1.10pm; free

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Tuesday 9 November  
SING-IN AT SOUTHWARK:  
HANDEL'S CORONATION  
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Thursday 11 November  
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8pm; call for prices

Thursday 11 November  
MUSIC PROJECTS

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Saturday 13 November  
SYNCPATED NOVELTIES

7.30pm; £25

The stride piano of Billy Mayerl and friends.

Thursday 18 November  
BRUNEL ENSEMBLE

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Thursday 25 November  
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## Church Services

## Christ Church Southwark

27 Blackfriars Road  
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Every Wednesday  
CELEBRATE

1.10pm; refreshments

Informal worship.

Wed 3: **Andrea Doyle**

Wed 10: **Rob Chipperfield**

Wed 17: **Stefan Mickel**

Wed 24: **Catherine Francis**

Sunday 7 November  
CHRIST CHURCH CENTRE  
ANNUAL SERVICE

10.30am

Annual service for users of the Christ Church complex.

Sunday 14 November  
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY  
SERVICE

9.30am

## St John's Waterloo

Waterloo Road  
T 020 7928 4470

Sunday 14 November  
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY  
SERVICE

10.30am

Wreaths will be laid on the war memorial at 11am.

St John's has a website at  
<http://welcome.to/stjohnwaterloo>

## Southwark Cathedral

Montague Close  
T 020 7367 6700

Monday 1 November  
CHORAL EUCHARIST

12.45pm

All Saints' Day.

Tuesday 2 November  
CHORAL REQUIEM FOR ALL  
SOULS' DAY

5.30pm

Setting: Durufle, sung by the Cathedral Choir.

Wednesday 24 November  
SOUTHWARK CIVIC SERVICE

6.30pm

With the Mayor of Southwark, Cllr Charles Cherrill. This year's theme is Pride in Southwark, looking forward to the new millennium with hope.

Sunday 28 November  
ADVENT PROCESSION

6.30pm

Service of Advent carols.

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## Southwark success

Thousands of local residents, workers and visitors enjoyed the diverse events of the main 1999 season of the Southwark Festival. Highlights included a sell-out showing of Eisenstein's *Battleship Potemkin* on board HMS *Belfast*, whilst even the



most active children were satisfied by the fantastic two days of family fun at Hay's Galleria. An outstanding concert amongst the 30 musical events was the Soloists' Ensemble's performance – with the assistance of 150 children from Southwark schools – of *The Lost Puzzle of Gondwana*, a multi-cultural journey around the world written by local children's author Malorie Blackman.

## Royal Russian Ball at SE1's Glaziers' Hall

The next big Southwark Festival date to remember is a Russian Ball on 24 January 2000 at the Glaziers' Hall, Montague Close, in the presence of HRH Prince Michael of Kent. The Ball, being staged in aid of the World Monuments Fund and Southwark Festival Association, will include

Russian Gypsy Music, Cossack Dancers and the world première of a dance suite by Alexander Telnikoff, plus dancing to Beatswork. Tickets for the Russian Ball and further information on this unique event is available from the Southwark Festival office on 0171 403 7474.

SE1 residents have had a taste of things to come with the first stage of the Jubilee Line Extension now open. Smart, clean stations, audible public address announcements and platform-edge safety barriers are some of the novelties for passengers on the new line. Despite a lack of publicity the initial Monday-Friday service has already attracted a sizeable number of users – it's clear that the line will revolutionise travel patterns in the area. Southwark station – SE1's only completely new station – promises to be even more exciting. The architecture is evocative of the 1930s Underground stations in North London while the triangular glass panels will create a dazzling effect as passengers ascend the escalators.

• [www.jle.lul.co.uk](http://www.jle.lul.co.uk)

## Langenhagen Business Exchange

Six trainees and twelve business delegates from Southwark's twin town of Langenhagen in Germany enjoyed local hospitality when they visited SE1 from 3 to 10 October. Placements included London General Transport, Vinopolis, Shakespeare's Globe theatre and Berwin Leighton. A Friendship Evening was held on board the *Golden Hinde*. The return visit to Langenhagen, scheduled for 13 to 19 June 2000, will include a visit to Expo 2000 in Hanover.

## Goldsmiths Sinfonia

Mussorgsky –  
*Night on a Bare Mountain*

Shostakovich – *Piano  
Concerto No.2 Op.102*

Sibelius - *Symphony No.1  
in E minor Op.39*

Piano: Miho Sanou  
Conductor: Tim Hooper

**Saturday 27 November**

7.30pm

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## South Bank

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## Talks &amp; Lectures

## Bankside Gallery

48 Hopton Street T 020 7928 7521

Tuesday 9 November  
ARTISTS' PERSPECTIVES6.30pm; £3.50 (conc £2)  
Eileen Hogan gives a tour of the exhibition.Tuesday 16 November  
ARTISTS' PERSPECTIVES6.30pm; £3.50 (conc £2)  
Eileen Hogan in conversation with Leslie Worth PPRWS.

See page 4 for details of the exhibition.

## Globe Education

Bear Gardens, off Park Street T 020 7401 9919

Sunday 7 November  
THE POLITICIAN3pm; £7.50 (conc £6)  
Staged reading of James Shirley's 1639 play. Preceded at 12 noon by *Rarely Played*, an introduction to the play by Dr Diana Devlin.Wednesday 10 November  
PLAYING THE GLOBE STUDY DAY10am-4pm; £15  
How did the playing conditions influence the scripts written for the Globe? How does the Globe affect the relationship between the actor and audience? Through a series of lectures and workshops, *Playing the Globe* will place the Globe in its historical context for the plays of the Elizabethan period.Wednesday 10 November  
SHOES AND SHOE-MAKING IN SOUTHWARK 1560-16407pm; £4 (conc £3)  
Rosemary Weinstein, formerly curator of the Tudor and Stuart Galleries at the Museum of London has been commissioned by Globe Education to research the shoe-making industry in the Bankside parish of St Saviour's. Would shoe-making apprentices have been groundlings at the Globe?Sunday 14 November  
THE WEEDING OF COVENT GARDEN3pm; £7.50 (conc £6)  
Staged reading of Richard Brome's 1632 play. Preceded at 12 noon by *Rarely Played*, an introduction to the play by Dr Diana Devlin.Wednesday 17 November  
FAIRY TALES AND SHAKESPEARE7pm; £4 (conc £3)  
Novelist, historian and critic Marina Warner on fairy tales, Shakespeare and his contemporaries.Thursday 18 November  
TELLTALE TALES7pm; £4 (conc £3)  
Patrick Ryan on the use of universal motifs and how these relate to the plots, images and themes of Shakespeare's plays.Sunday 28 November  
GEORGE A GREEN3pm; £7.50 (conc £6)  
Staged reading of Robert Greene's 1599 play, full of rumbustious encounters between kings, clowns and townfolk. Preceded at 12 noon by *Rarely Played*, an introduction to the play by Dr Diana Devlin.

## Imperial War Museum

Lambeth Road T 020 7416 5320

Thursday 11 November  
TOMMY BROWN GOES TO WAR2.30pm; free; reservations essential  
Illustrated talk for Armistice Day by Malcolm Brown about the soldiers' experiences of the Western Front.

## Southwark &amp; Lambeth Archaeological Society

Hawkstone Hall, Kennington Road

Tuesday 23 November  
ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE JUBILEE LINE IN NORTH SOUTHWARK7.30pm; £1  
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