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Ian Davenport's *Poured Lines* installation will be unveiled in Southwark Street early this month. Prints associated with the project can be seen at the Alan Cristea Gallery (31 Cork Street W1) from Wednesday 13 September to Saturday 7 October.

## Mayor's Thames Festival and Open House London

The weekend of Saturday 16 and Sunday 17 September offers a fabulous opportunity to explore SE1; once again the Mayor's Thames Festival promises a packed programme along the banks of the river whilst local buildings will be throwing open their doors as part of Open House London.

The Mayor's Thames Festival – attended by half a million people last year – takes place between Westminster Bridge and Tower Bridge on Saturday and Sunday from 12 noon to 10pm. The festival culminates with the now traditional night carnival and fireworks display on Sunday night.

Almost 20 local buildings are participating in Open House London this year; some for the first time. There is an opportunity to get a sneak peek inside the refurbished Royal Festival Hall, but book quickly as capacity is limited.

- [www.openhouselondon.org](http://www.openhouselondon.org) & [www.thamesfestival.org](http://www.thamesfestival.org)
- Turn to page 8 for an at-a-glance guide to the weekend's events
- Full listings including interactive maps can be found at [www.London-SE1.co.uk](http://www.London-SE1.co.uk)

## Southwark Playhouse prepares to leave Southwark Bridge Road

The last play at the Southwark Playhouse is a specially commissioned work set in Southwark.

*Everything Must Go* has been written by Stephen Sharkey and the one hour comedy is directed by Charlotte Gwiner. The play is about a Southwark couple, married for forty years, who create a storm amongst friends and family with their plans for moving on.

Presented by a professional cast with support from members of the theatre's youth and older people's groups, *Everything Must Go* runs from Tuesday 12 to Friday 15 September as both a celebration and a fundraising opportunity for future plans. Tickets are £20 (conc £15).

Chief executive Juliet Alderdice, education director Tom Wilson and general manager Chris Smyrniotis are looking to continue the theatre's work in various venues until a purpose built theatre is erected at the Elephant & Castle.

This autumn there will be the launch of the Better Bankside

Emerging Directors Award and in early 2007 the annual Shakespeare for Schools production will be directed by the award winner.

Southwark Playhouse opened in November 1993 with old church pews for seats in the former tea warehouse with a courtyard entrance in Southwark Bridge Road.

It was conceived as a result of singer-actress Juliet Alderdice having had to scour London for a venue for her own one-woman show. She became fired to provide a stage for innovative work and together with her husband Tom Wilson she has placed education and community work at the heart of the theatre as will be demonstrated by the final production in Southwark Bridge Road.

Simon Callow and Prunella Scales have appeared at the Playhouse and former artistic director Memet Ergen went on to establish the Arcola Theatre in Dalston.

- See listings on page 5.
- [www.southwarkplayhouse.co.uk](http://www.southwarkplayhouse.co.uk)



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Listings are free; details of events to be considered for inclusion next month should be sent by Thursday 21 September to listings@inSE1.co.uk or by post.

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## LOCAL HISTORY

## Trading Places in Lower Marsh

**The South Bank Centre and the people of Lower Marsh are working on a project to celebrate the memories and experiences of those who live and work in the street.**

They will be creating an interactive wall of photographs and poetry about the street that will be displayed on the South Bank and launched at the Poetry International Festival next month, along with an accompanying booklet and website.

This year the festival's opening show will feature the work of poet Kwame Dawes, who spent time in his home town of Sumter, South Carolina, listening to the reminiscences of a group of African American elders and used their memories as a base for his collection.

As much of the Waterloo area used to be marshland, this project looks to link the memories of the elders of Swamp Country and our communities in Lower Marsh in a parallel journey of reminiscences.

There are a number of ways to get involved. Firstly, you can shoot 'A Day in the Life' on a unique camera, the Lomo. You'll have a 15-minute lesson on how to use the camera, and the philosophy of the project is to 'shoot from the hip, don't think, and

don't worry about any rules'. Pictures will be added to the project's wall of images.

Roving poets will be in Lower Marsh on certain days. They will be on hand to talk to you about your experiences. Try your hand at making a poem or just have a chat.

A regular reminiscence group will be meeting every week for 6 weeks in the Waterloo Action Centre. The relaxed workshops will offer a chance to share memories and experiences with other local people and to create some poetry.

The launch event in October will provide an opportunity to meet American artists from the Swamp Country project

The project website will be active from the start of the festival, with clips and photos to download.

•To get involved contact Lucy Macnab (020 7921 0867; lmacnab@rffh.org.uk) or Louise Abbotts (020 7921 0724; labbotts@rffh.org.uk) at the South Bank Centre.



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## In brief...

## Calling Waterloo swimmers

If you are a competent swimmer aged 16 years or over, then you can help Waterloo swimming club. They need good swimmers to help parents take their kids swimming. Apart from carrying all the kit, parents have to comply with the pool safety rules; there must be one competent adult swimmer for two kids under 8 years old or for two kids who cannot swim. This means parents with more than two kids or those who cannot swim cannot take their kids swimming. To help out, contact Abigail Tripp, Family Links, 99 Upper Ground SE1 9PP, abs@tripp.fslife.co.uk or 07792 471115.

## Opportunities for older people in Waterloo

The Association of Waterloo Groups has produced a directory of opportunities for free or affordable physical activity by older people who live in the Waterloo and Blackfriars area. An electronic version is available by email from a.w.g@btconnect.com or paper copies can be obtained for 60p from the AWG office at the Waterloo Action Centre, 14 Baylis Road. Include an SAE if requesting by post.

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# What's On in SE1

## September 2006

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### Special Events

#### Geraldine Mary Harmsworth Park

Lambeth Road

Thursday 14 September  
**THE BEAT GOES ON**  
12 noon

Join thousands of campaigners to drum out Christian Aid's trade justice message to the Treasury. Rally with international speakers, musicians and prayer.

#### Guy Street Park

Guy Street  
www.guystreetpark.com

Thursday 28 September  
**LIGHTBOX PROJECT 4**  
6pm-9pm; free

Unveiling of the new artwork produced by local young people in workshops at Charterhouse-in-Southwark.

#### Hay's Galleria

Tooley Street  
www.haysgalleria.co.uk

Friday 8 to Sunday 10 September  
**OYSTER & SEAFOOD FAIR**  
Fri 11am-8pm; Sat 11am-7pm; Sun 11am-6pm; free

London's festival of fish. Arrive with an appetite and feast on fresh fish supplied by some of the country's finest fishmongers and cooked in front of you by a team of chefs. Oysters and seafood will be in abundance and whether you're in the mood for lobster, langoustines, crayfish or crab, you'll find a glass of champagne or even a pint of Guinness to complement them perfectly. The fair also offers the opportunity to learn how to prepare the ultimate fish dish at home, with demonstrations by experts from the National Federation of Fishmongers and The Seafood Industry Authority.

#### London South Bank University

Keyworth Centre, Keyworth Street  
www.lsbu.ac.uk

Friday 8 to Saturday 9 September  
**ESTATE DEVELOPMENTS PUBLIC EXHIBITION**

Fri 10am-7pm; Sat 10am-2pm  
London South Bank University has submitted planning applications for two new developments on its campus: Keyworth II will be a new building on Keyworth Street and house the Health and Social Care Faculty, Department of Education and provide facilities for the Academy of Sport, Physical Activity and Wellbeing. The derelict Presbyterian Chapel on Borough Road will house the new Student Centre and a GP surgery (relocated from Princess Street) for local residents.

#### Museum of Garden History

Lambeth Palace Road T 020 7401 8865  
www.museumgardenhistory.org

Wednesday 27 September  
**ELEANOR COADE: A WOMAN OF STONE**

11.30am-12 noon & 12.30pm-1.30pm; free

Eleanor Coade lived in 18th century Lambeth, at a time when it was rapidly changing from being an area of marshes and nurseries to a hive of industry. Eleanor Coade not only ran her own artificial stone making factory, but invented the stone! Meet 'Eleanor' and learn about her life and work..

#### River Thames

Saturday 16 September  
**THE GREAT RIVER RACE**

Lambeth Bridge 11.50am, Tower Bridge 12.10pm

The Race will be run over the challenging 22-mile course from Richmond to Island Gardens/Greenwich. Any traditional-style, coxed boat, propelled by a minimum of four oars or paddles, without sliding seats or riggers, may take part.

#### Southwark Council

www.southwark.gov.uk

Friday 15 September  
**BANKSIDE INFORMATION DAY**

11am-6pm in the South Churchyard, Southwark Cathedral

Find out about the latest developments in the area. Many council departments and community groups will have stalls offering information and literature.

#### St John's Waterloo

Waterloo Road T 020 7928 2003  
www.stjohnswaterloo.co.uk

Saturday 30 September  
**HOMO HOMEMAKERS AUTUMN FAYRE**

12pm-5pm  
Fair for gay men and women to show off their skill as cooks, gardeners, craftspeople and collectors. There will be entertainment, demonstrations by celebrity guests and experts, platform performances and bring-and-buy stalls. Part of the House of Homosexual Culture, a programme exploring the shared cultural heritage of lesbian and gay Londoners.

#### Tate Modern

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

Saturday 16 September  
**UBS OPENINGS: SATURDAY LIVE - MUMBAI**

UBS Openings: Saturday Live is a series of day-long events that celebrate

groundbreaking work from the world's most culturally vibrant cities. This is an opportunity to experience the remarkable cultural scene of contemporary Mumbai and explore the pioneering work produced in this lively and eclectic Indian metropolis. The day starts with a symposium examining the role arts and culture have played in regenerating the city. Cinema of Prayoga presents films by influential artists whose work portrays contemporary life in their homeland. In the evening the Cafe is the venue for live performance by poets D'Archetypes and a music from Mumbai-based musician Mukul.

Until Sunday 17 September  
**AREN'T BIRDS BRILLIANT: PEREGRINES AT THE TATE**

12 noon-7pm (8pm on Fridays); free  
Viewing area to watch two peregrine falcons using the 90 metre tall Tate chimney as a daytime roost. RSPB staff and volunteers will be on hand.

Tuesday 19 September  
**GARDEN PARTY**

6pm-8pm in the Community Garden (north-east of the gallery); free  
Enjoy a glass of bubbly and a chat with other members of the community, find out more about how you can enjoy the garden and help put the finishing touches to the space. If you would like to come along, contact synthia.griffin@tate.org.uk for details or call 020 7401 5176.

#### The Scoop

More London Riverside  
www.morelondon.com/thescoop

Friday 1 September  
**DRAWING & COLOURING WORKSHOP**

Workshops at 11am, 1pm, 3pm; free  
Fun-filled creativity for all the family.

#### Tower Bridge

Sunday 3 September  
**TOUR OF BRITAIN**

Crosses Tower Bridge 2.40pm  
Elite cycle race crosses Tower Bridge. Information on road closures at www.tourofbrtain.co.uk

#### Waterloo Millennium Green

Waterloo Road  
www.waterloogreen.org.uk

Thursday 14 September  
**ANIMAL DAY**

4pm; free  
Education and awareness about wild & domestic urban animals.

Thursday 28 September  
**FOOD & COMPOSTING**

4pm; free  
Displays and cooking from food growing groups. Interactive compost heap sculpture display.

### Family Events

#### Coin Street Family & Children's Centre

99A Upper Ground T 020 7593 1567  
www.coinstreet.org

Friday 8 September  
**OPEN DAY**

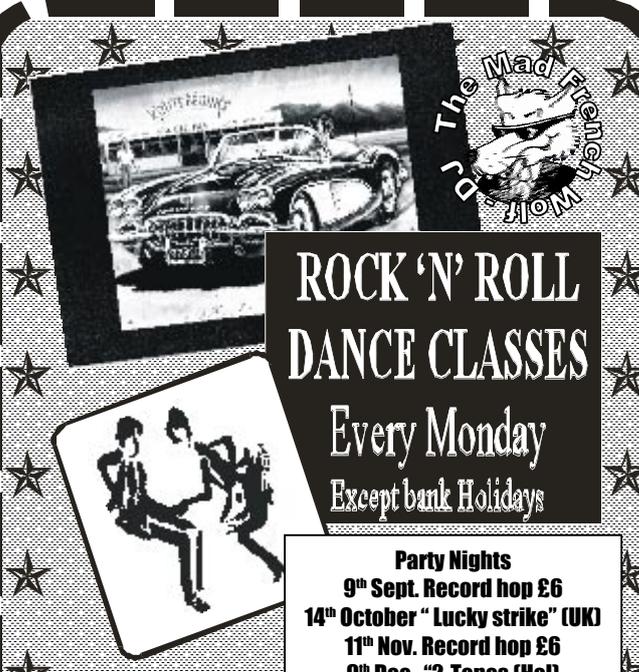
10am-7pm  
Come and find out what the family & children's centre has to offer. Meet the team and hear about the childcare programmes and family activities. No need to book, just turn up. For further information call Guy Hanscombe on 020 7593 1567.

#### Design Museum

Shad Thames T 0870 909 9009  
www.designmuseum.org  
Daily 10am-5.45pm (last admission 5.15pm); £7 (conc £4; under-12s free)

Sundays 3, 10, 17 & 24 September  
**FLYING INTO THE FUTURE**

2pm; Under 12s are free but must be accompanied by a pa  
Use their ingenuity and powers of imagination to conceive, design, make and decorate supersonic aircraft models which might fly into the future. Suitable for children aged from 6 to 12.



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Saturday 9 to Sunday 10 September  
**FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE IN PERSON**

Performances 12 noon, 1pm, 2pm & 3pm  
Come and meet Miss Nightingale in person. She has kindly agreed to visit the Museum and receive visitors. Trails and prizes available.

**HMS Belfast**

Morgans Lane, Tooley Street T 020 7940 6300  
hmsbelfast.iwm.org.uk  
Summer 10am-6pm, Winter till 5pm  
(last admission 45 minutes before close); charge applies; children free

Saturday 30 September to Sunday 1 October  
**NAVY GAMES**

11am-1pm & 2pm-4pm; £8.50 (conc £2.55; child free)  
The crew of HMS Belfast would have enjoyed playing games while off-duty to pass the time and bond with their fellow messmates. Children and families can enjoy testing their wits by playing a variety of games around the ship's Second World War mess tables: Play a specially designed, informative board game following the Arctic Convoy, which HMS Belfast served in, as it dodges German battle ships, submarines and enemy aircraft fire. Enjoy a game of Uckers, a traditional Naval game that would have been played on board.

**Imperial War Museum**

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

Until Sunday 3 September & Saturday 23 & Sunday 24 September

**ANIMAL MAGIC**

11am-4pm; free  
Printing activity looking at how the natural world has influenced the design of the large exhibits. Children taking part must be accompanied by an adult.

Saturday 9 to Sunday 10 September  
Saturday 16 to Sunday 17 September  
**THE NATURE OF THE BEAST**

1pm-5pm; free  
Turn tanks into dinosaurs and aircrafts into insects. A drop-in art activity.

Friday 29 September to Sunday 1 October  
**VOICES: ORDINARY PEOPLE, EXTRAORDINARY TIMES**

11.30am and 2.30pm; free  
Meet veterans from the Second World War who experienced the London Blitz. An opportunity to hear their own individual stories and ask questions.

**Rockingham Community Centre**

Falmouth Road

Saturday 2 to Thursday 28 September  
**ITAN KALE - THE SPREAD**

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Thursday 7 September  
**ALFRED ALVAREZ**

6.45pm; £5 (conc £3)  
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Thursday 14 September  
**JOAN BAKEWELL**

6.45pm; £5 (conc £3)  
Bakewell will talk about her recent books and be interviewed herself.

Thursday 21 September  
**JAMES JOYCE AND DUBLINERS**

6.45pm; £5 (conc £3)  
Araby and Grace, highly atmospheric stories by the Irish master, read by two actors.

Thursday 28 September  
**THE WORLD OF RONALD FIRBANK**

6.45pm; £5 (conc £3)  
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**Design Museum**

Shad Thames T 0870 909 9009  
www.designmuseum.org

Daily 10am-5.45pm (last admission 5.15pm); £7 (conc £4; under-12s free)

Monday 4 September  
**PATRICK HEAD**

7.15pm; £10 (conc £6)  
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Monday 11 September  
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**Museum of Garden History**

Lambeth Palace Road T 020 7401 8865  
www.museumgardenhistory.org

Daily 10.30am-5pm; voluntary charge £3 (conc £2.50)

Thursday 21 September  
**ARTIST TALKS AND PERFORMANCES**

6pm-9pm; free  
An open conversation with artists taking part in *Repatriating the Ark* and performances by poet in residence, Karen McCarthy, writer Jennifer Potter and artists Christian Nold and Richard Dedomenici.

**Old Operating Theatre, Museum and Herb Garret**

9a St Thomas Street T 020 7188 2679  
www.thegarret.org.uk

Daily 10.30am-5pm; £4.75 (concessions £3.75, children £2.75); family ticket £12

Saturday 2 September  
**REACHING THE BRAIN: THE SKULL & THE SAW**

2pm; £4.95 (conc £3.95)  
Trepanning: Discover the medicines, fearsome drills and brutal saws once used in this worrying practice.

Saturday 9 September  
**FROM GARDEN TO GARRET**

2pm; £4.95 (conc £3.95)  
Starting within the fresh herb garden of St George the Martyr Church, there will be a short walk to the oak beamed Herb Garret for a demonstration of traditional medicinal preparations.

**Public Meetings****St Thomas' Hospital**

Lambeth Palace Road  
www.guysandstthomas.nhs.uk

Tuesday 12 September  
**HOSPITAL PUBLIC MEETING**

6pm (Refreshments from 5pm)  
Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust holds its annual public meeting. An opportunity to find out what has happened in the past year and what is planned for SE1's two hospitals.

**Southwark Council**

www.southwark.gov.uk

Wednesday 6 September  
**BOROUGH AND BANKSIDE COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

7pm at Cathedral School, Redcross Way  
Meeting for residents of Cathedrals and Chaucer wards. Agenda includes the Cleaner, Greener Safer programme which enables local residents to suggest environmental improvement programmes. There will also be an update on local parking issues and news from local police officers.

**Waterloo Action Centre**

14 Baylis Road T 020 7261 1404

Wednesday 27 September  
**WATERLOO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GROUP GENERAL MEETING**

7pm  
Updates on local planning issues.



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- ~ The derelict former Presbyterian chapel on Borough Road will be redeveloped to house the new Student Centre and a Primary Care Practice, providing an excellent new doctor's surgery facility for our local community.

We would like to share with you our architects' plans for these new buildings and give you an opportunity to find out more at a public exhibition.

**When?** Friday 8 September, 10am - 7pm  
& Saturday 9 September, 10am - 2pm

**Where?** Department of Architecture & Design, 7th Floor, Keyworth Centre, Keyworth Street SE1, close to Elephant & Castle tube. You can find directions on our website at [www.lsbu.ac.uk](http://www.lsbu.ac.uk) in the 'About LSBU' section.

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**CAPITAL GARDENS JAZZ NIGHTS**  
7pm, £10-25  
Another series of jazz nights offering the chance to enjoy fabulous sounds in beautiful surroundings.

Fri 1: **Partisans / John Etheridge** (solo)  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/309  
Fri 8: **Matt Wates Sextet / Branco Stoysin Trio / Ellen O'Brien**  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/310  
Fri 15: **Claire Martin with Jim Mullen & Steve Watts**  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/311  
Fri 22: **Acker Bilk & his Paramount Jazz Band**  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/312

Fri 29: **Cuban & Latin Jazz Night: Aventuras with Alex Wilson**  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/313

**Rose Theatre Exhibition**  
56 Park Street  
www.rosetheatre.org.uk

Tuesday 12 September  
**MUSIC FOR MARLOWE & THE ROSE**  
7.30pm; £10 from 07980 516054 or at the door  
Passamezzo return to the Rose.

**Southwark Cathedral**  
London Bridge T 020 7367 6700  
www.southwark.anglican.org/cathedral/  
Daily 8am-6pm; free

Every Monday  
**ORGAN RECITAL**  
1.10pm-1.50pm; free  
Mon 4: **Peter Wright**  
Mon 11: **Peter Wright**  
Mon 18: **Stephen Disley**  
Mon 25: **David Pipe**

Every Tuesday  
**CLASSICAL RECITAL**  
3.15pm-4pm; free  
Tue 5: **Victoria Rimmington**  
Tue 12: **Harriet Adie** (harp)  
Tue 19: **Chris Evesham** (guitar)  
Tue 26: **Guildhall School of Music**

Church Services

**Christ Church Southwark**  
27 Blackfriars Road T 020 7928 4707  
www.christchurchsouthwark.org.uk

Thursday 21 September  
**A HARVEST CELEBRATION**  
1.05pm-1.45pm  
With music by the Portcullis Singers.

**Southwark Cathedral**  
London Bridge T 020 7367 6700  
www.southwark.anglican.org/cathedral/

Sunday 10 September  
**CHORAL EUCHARIST**  
11am  
Preacher: The Most Revd Dr Rowan Williams, Archbishop of Canterbury.

Theatre

**Bookshop Theatre**  
51 The Cut T 020 7593 1520  
www.godotcompany.com

Tuesday 5 to Wednesday 27 September  
**FOOTFALLS, ROCKABY & NOT I**  
Tue & Wed 7pm; £7 (conc £5)  
Beckett Centenary Celebration with a season of shorter works.

**Golden Hinde**  
St Mary Overie Dock, T 0870 011 8700  
www.goldenhinde.co.uk

Until Sunday 3 September  
**THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE**  
Thu-Sun 7pm; £15 (conc £12)  
Gilbert and Sullivan's nautical tale.  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

**Menier Chocolate Factory**  
51 Southwark Street T 020 7907 7060  
www.menierchocolatfactory.com

Until Saturday 30 September  
**THE LAST FIVE YEARS**  
Tue-Sat 8pm, Sat 4pm, Sun 6pm; £20 (conc £14)  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/418  
Jason Robert Brown's break-through one act musical about a marriage.  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

**The Mudlark**  
4 Montague Close T 020 7940 9921

Until Sunday 10 September  
**SHAKESPEARE & CO**  
Wed & Thu 7pm; Fri-Sun 3pm; £7 (conc £6). Advance tickets from 020 7704 1150.  
Follow a troupe of players as they take you on a journey through the historic back streets of 16th-century London.

**National Theatre**  
Belvedere Road T 020 7452 3000  
www.nationaltheatre.org.uk

Until Saturday 23 September  
**THE SEAGULL**  
Lyttelton; in repertory; £10-£37.50  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/183  
A version of Chekhov's play by Martin Crimp and staged by the team that created The Three Sisters in 2003.

Until Saturday 30 September  
**THE VOYSEY INHERITANCE**  
Lyttelton; in repertory; £10-£37.50  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/88  
An early 20th-century play about an upper middle class family. Cast includes Julian Glover.

Friday 8 September to Thursday 26 October  
**THE ALCHEMIST**  
Olivier; In repertory; £10-£27.50  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/621  
Ben Jonson's masterpiece.

Until Tuesday 31 October  
**THE LIFE OF GALILEO**  
Olivier; in repertory; £10-£25.50  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/182  
David Hare's version of Bertolt Brecht's play about social responsibility and the conflict between reason and faith.  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

Wednesday 20 September to Tuesday 31 October  
**THE SEAFARER**  
Cottesloe; in repertory; £10-£28  
Conor McPherson makes his National Theatre debut directing his new play set in Dublin on Christmas Eve.

**The Old Vic**  
103 The Cut  
www.oldvictheatre.com

Friday 15 September to Saturday 23 December  
**A MOON FOR THE MISBEGOTTEN**  
£10, £15, £20, £28, £35, £45  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/40  
This powerhouse of a play reunites actor Kevin Spacey with director Howard Davies.

**The Scoop**  
More London Riverside  
www.morelondon.com/thescoop

Until Sunday 17 September  
**THE CAUCASIAN CHALK CIRCLE**  
Sep 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 13, 15 at 8pm / 6, 13 at 6pm / 17 at 9pm; free  
Brecht's epic tale of revolution, flight, love lost and found, bravery and cowardice. Tackles the fate of an innocent child, abandoned by his royal mother and rescued by a servant girl.

Until Sunday 17 September  
**CYCLOPS!**  
Sep 2, 3, 7, 9, 10, 14 at 6pm / 17 at 7pm; free

Written in 408 BC, this Odyssean adventure has never been staged in the modern world. With a fun mixture of actors, puppets and live original music, CYCLOPS! tells the adventures of the brave warrior Odysseus and his crew, as they encounter the giant one-eyed monster on their long journey home from the Trojan War.

**Shakespeare's Globe**  
New Globe Walk  
www.shakespeares-globe.org

Until Monday 2 October  
**TITUS ANDRONICUS**  
In repertory; £5-£28  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/84  
Lucy Bailey directs this Shakespeare play.  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

Until Saturday 7 October  
**IN EXTREMIS: THE STORY OF ABELARD AND HELOISE**  
In repertory; £5-£28  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/15  
By Howard Brenton.

Until Saturday 7 October  
**THE COMEDY OF ERRORS**  
In repertory; £5-£31  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/424  
Hectic tale of violent cross-purposes, furious slapstick and social nightmare.  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

Until Sunday 8 October  
**ANTONY AND CLEOPATRA**  
In repertory; £5-£28  
Tickets: www.inSE1.co.uk/tickets/138  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

**Southwark Playhouse**  
62 Southwark Bridge Road T 08700 601 761  
www.southwarkplayhouse.co.uk

Tuesday 12 to Friday 15 September  
**EVERYTHING MUST GO**  
7.30pm; £20 (conc £15)  
New work by Stephen Sharkey to mark the Playhouse's departure from its current home. A Southwark couple in their sixties on the verge of a break up, create a storm as they sell their house, gamble away their savings and auction off their souvenirs on the internet. *Everything Must Go* is an explosive comedy about love and hate, endings and beginnings and what happens next when you think it's all over. Professional cast supported by community ensemble.

**Unicorn Theatre**  
147 Tooley Street T 08700 535500  
www.unicorntheatre.com

Until Sunday 10 September  
**OZ**  
Weston Theatre; £12.50 (conc £8.50)  
Production for ages 6+ based on The Wizard of Oz.

Thursday 14 September to Sunday 8 October  
**HOOD IN THE WOOD**  
Weston Theatre; £12.50 (conc £8.50)  
An adventure with live music. A lyrical poem by Noel Greig exploring the story of Little Red Riding Hood. For ages 3-7.

Tuesday 12 September to Sunday 8 October  
**I, PEASEBLOSSOM**  
Weston Theatre; £12.50 (conc £8.50)  
The story of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* as re-lived through the nightmares of Shakespeare's neglected fairy. Ages 9+

Tuesday 12 September to Sunday 8 October  
**I, CALIBAN**  
Weston Theatre; £12.50 (conc £8.50)  
Sweet and sorry tale about injustice, inebriation and missing your mum. For 9+

Tuesday 12 September to Sunday 8 October  
**I, BANQUO**  
Weston Theatre; £12.50 (conc £8.50)  
A blood-shot journey into the heart of Macbeth, told through the eyes of his murdered best friend. Age 11+

**Union Theatre**  
204 Union Street T 020 7261 9876  
www.uniontheatre.org

Tuesday 5 to Saturday 30 September  
**BETWEEN WORLDS**  
Tue-Sat 7.30pm; £10 (conc £8)  
Eric-Emmanuel Schmitt's *Between Worlds*. Funny and profoundly moving.

Movie Highlights

**Tate Modern**  
Bankside T 020 7887 8888  
www.tate.org.uk/modern

Monday 11 September  
**COMMUNITY FILM CLUB: GOODYEAR CHARLIE BRIG**  
7pm (refreshments from 6.30pm); free  
83 mins, colour (cert 18)  
To join: communityfilmclub@tate.org.uk

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## Exhibitions

## Bankside Gallery

48 Hopton Street T 020 7928 7521  
www.banksidegallery.com  
Daily 10am-6pm; free

Until Sunday 10 September  
**SOCIETY OF WOOD ENGRAVERS**  
Prints from Japan, the Americas, Australia, Russia and Europe.

Thursday 14 September to Sunday 8 October  
**SENSE & SENSUALITY**  
Organised by BlindArt, a pioneering charity that promotes artistic excellence regardless of visual ability. Large print, Braille, tactile images and audio-description information for visually impaired visitors. All work for sale.

## The Bargehouse

Barge House Street T 020 7401 2255  
www.oxotowerwharf.co.uk  
Daily 11am-6pm; free

Thursday 14 to Tuesday 19 September  
**MA PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIES**  
University of Westminster students.

Thursday 28 September to Sunday 1 October  
**DRAWING WATER**  
Original works by acclaimed architects and designers available for sale with proceeds to WaterAid.

## British Airways London Eye

County Hall T 0870 5000 600  
www.ba-londoneye.com

Friday 1 to Saturday 30 September  
**TREASURED: MY FAVOURITE SIGHT**  
8am-8pm; free  
The sights that celebrities would miss the most if they were to go blind.

## The Camel &amp; Artichoke

121 Lower Marsh

Until Saturday 23 September  
**KALAMARSADA**  
Paintings by Kararzyna Rymarz and Marta Chojnacka.

## County Hall Gallery

www.countyhallgallery.com

Until Thursday 7 September  
**TERI VARHOL**  
Czech artist whose work has developed free of the shadow of the Soviet past.

## Design Museum

Shad Thames T 0870 909 9009  
www.designmuseum.org  
Daily 10am-5.45pm (last admission 5.15pm); £7 (conc £4; under-12s free)

Until Sunday 10 September  
**MY WORLD: THE NEW SUBJECTIVITY IN DESIGN**  
New work from seven British designers.

Until Sunday 29 October  
**FORMULA ONE: THE GREAT DESIGN RACE**  
Discover the design innovations at the heart of Formula One.

Until Sunday 26 November  
**DESIGNING MODERN BRITAIN**  
From London Transport design in the 1930s to the plans for the 2012 Olympics.

Wednesday 20 September to Saturday 7 January  
**DESIGN MART 2006**  
Annual survey of emerging designers.

## f a projects

1-2 Bear Gardens T 020 7928 3228  
www.faprojects.com  
Tue-Fri 10am-6pm; Sat 12 noon-5pm; free

Friday 22 September to Saturday 28 October  
**MARIA MARSHALL**  
Marshall is best known for video works.

## Former St Olave's Grammar School

Tooley Street  
Mon-Fri 10am-6pm (Thu 7pm); Sat 10am-5pm; free

Until Saturday 2 September  
**BILL VIOLA: LOVE/DEATH: THE TRISTAN PROJECT**  
Rare opportunity to get inside the former grammar school.

## Hayward Gallery

Belvedere Road T 0870 3800400  
www.hayward.org.uk  
Daily 10am-6pm; £9 (seniors £6; children £3); under-12s free

Thursday 7 September to Sunday 19 November  
**HOW TO IMPROVE THE WORLD: BRITISH ART 1946-2006**  
Drawn from the Arts Council Collection showing the diversity and quality of British art over six decades.

## HMS Belfast

Morgans Lane, Tooley Street T 020 7940 6300

hmsbelfast.iwm.org.uk  
10am-6pm (last admission 45 minutes before close); charge applies; children free

Until Sunday 31 December  
**GHOSTS OF JUTLAND**  
Commemorating 90th anniversary.

## Imperial War Museum

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

Until Sunday 3 September  
**GREAT ESCAPES**  
Escape attempts by Allied servicemen.

Until Saturday 22 April  
**THE ANIMALS' WAR**  
£6 (conc £5, children £4)  
The role of animals in conflict. Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

Thursday 14 September to Tuesday 25 April  
**HENRY MOORE: WAR AND UTILITY**  
£7 (conc £5)  
Major retrospective with more than 160 works produced between 1938 and 1954.

## Jerwood Space

171 Union Street T 020 7654 0171  
www.jerwoodspace.co.uk  
free

Until Saturday 9 September  
**MINIATURE WORLDS**  
Seven artists whose practice spans sculpture, installation, painting, drawing, animation and digital print.

Wednesday 20 September to Sunday 22 October  
**JERWOOD DRAWING PRIZE**  
Shortlisted artists.

## Laura Bartlett Gallery

22 Leathermarket Street T 020 7403 3714  
www.laurabartlettgallery.com  
Wed-Sun 12 noon-6pm or by appt; free

Friday 22 September to Saturday 28 October  
**ELIZABETH MCALPINE**  
Uses found film footage to reveal and de-mystify cinematic structures.

## Llewellyn Alexander Fine Paintings

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

Monday 4 to Saturday 23 September  
**SOCIETY OF FELINE ARTISTS**  
300+ pictures of cats in oils, watercolour, pastels and prints. Prices from £80.

## London College of Communication

Elephant & Castle  
www.lc.arts.ac.uk

Monday 18 to Saturday 30 September  
**YOUNG DESIGN**  
Joining primary, secondary and tertiary education with professional practise.

## London Glassblowing

7 Leather Market Weston St T 020 7403 2800  
www.londonglassblowing.co.uk  
Mon-Fri 10am-5pm; free

Friday 15 to Saturday 30 September  
**EVALUATION**  
Juxtaposes glass and metal; challenges you to evaluate the aesthetics of both.

## McHardy Coombs Sculpture Gallery

Shad Thames T 030 7403 7555  
www.mchardy-sculpture.com  
Tue-Fri 11am-5pm; Sat/Sun 12 noon-6pm; free

Wednesday 27 September to Sunday 15 October  
**JOHN HUGGINS SCULPTURE**  
Acclaimed sculptor's most recent work.

## Menier Gallery

51 Southwark Street T 020 7407 5388  
www.paintingsinhospitals.org.uk  
Mon-Sat 10am-6pm; free

Monday 4 to Saturday 9 September  
**MOMENTUM II**  
Paintings in various styles and media by 11 professional artists of different cultures and backgrounds.

Tuesday 12 to Saturday 23 September  
**SOCIETY OF GRAPHIC FINE ART: 85TH ANNUAL OPEN EXHIBITION**  
200 drawings and paintings by society members.

## More London Riverside

Tooley Street  
www.morelondon.com

Until Tuesday 31 October  
**HIROJI KUBOTA**  
Magnum photographer spent four years travelling Japan's many islands.

## Museum of Garden History

Lambeth Palace Road T 020 7401 8865  
www.museumgardenhistory.org  
Daily 10.30am-5pm; voluntary charge £3 (conc £2.50)

Until Sunday 29 October  
**REPATRIATING THE ARK**  
Annual contemporary art show.

Monday 4 September to Tuesday 31 October  
**THE WAY BY OLEG VECHEROV**  
Ukrainian photographer. Subjects include detailed portraits from the plant world.

## National Theatre

Belvedere Road T 020 7452 3000  
www.nationaltheatre.org.uk  
Foyers open Mon-Sat 10am-11pm; free

Until Saturday 23 September  
**MELANGES**  
Exclusive portraits by Matthew Andrews.

Until Saturday 30 September  
**QUENTIN BLAKE / ROALD DAHL: THE ILLUSTRATIONS**  
Coinciding with inaugural Roald Dahl Day on 13 September. Celebrates Dahl and Blake's collaboration.

## Nolia's Gallery 2

60 Great Suffolk Street T 020 7701 9111  
www.noliassgallery.co.uk  
Daily 10am-6pm; free

Friday 22 to Tuesday 26 September  
**PAINTINGS FOR LIVINGROOMS AND ALLEYWAYS**  
Semi-abstract, organic paintings.

## Nolia's Gallery at Thomas a Becket

320 Old Kent Road T 020 7701 9111  
www.noliassgallery.co.uk  
Daily 1pm-6pm; free

Saturday 2 to Wednesday 6 September  
**EXHIBITION**  
Harry O'Grady, Tom Lamb and Izzy Flynn.

Wednesday 20 September to Wednesday 4 October  
**CAMBERWELL UNDERGRAD**

## Novas Gallery

73-81 Southwark Bridge Rd T 0870 906 3200  
www.novas.org  
Mon-Fri 10am-5pm; free

Until Friday 8 September  
**THE ELEMENTS OF COLOURFUL SURROUNDINGS**  
Work by four artists.

## Poussin Gallery

Block K, 175 Bermondsey St T 020 7403 4444  
www.poussin-gallery.com  
Wed-Sat 1pm-7pm; free

Thursday 7 to Saturday 23 September  
**ANNE SMART: NEW PAINTINGS**  
New abstract paintings.

Saturday 30 September to Saturday 21 October  
**ROBIN GREENWOOD**  
New abstract sculpture.

## Purdy Hicks Gallery

65 Hopton Street T 020 7401 9229  
www.purdyhicks.com  
Mon-Fri 10am-5.30pm (wed 7pm); Sat & Sun 12 noon-5pm; free

Friday 15 September to Saturday 28 October  
**SOUVENIR OF ST VALERY**  
Hughie O'Donoghue.

## Rose Theatre Exhibition

56 Park Street  
www.rosetheatre.org.uk

Friday 8 to Thursday 14 September  
**A FESTIVAL OF ART & MUSIC**  
Daily 12 noon-5pm  
Emerging artists display a variety of portrait, figurative and landscape work.

## Southbank Printmakers

Unit 12, Gabriel's Wharf T 020 7928 8184  
www.southbank-printmakers.com  
Mon-Fri 11.30am-6.30pm; free

Monday 4 to Sunday 15 September  
**ELIZABETH NICHOLSON**

Monday 18 September to Sunday 1 October  
**MINAKO OKA**

## Southwark Cathedral Refectory

London Bridge T 020 7367 6700  
www.southwark.anglican.org/cathedral/  
Daily 8am-6pm; free

Until Tuesday 5 September  
**SUMMER MADNESS**  
Work from workshop participants at Cooltan Arts on sale at affordable prices.

Saturday 9 September to Tuesday 7 November  
**THE TALE OF MARY OVERY**  
Oil paintings illustrating a fable about the history of the cathedral.

## Tate Modern

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

Until Sunday 17 September  
**PIERRE HUYGHE: CELEBRATION PARK**  
£7 (concessions £5.50)  
Full review at www.London-SE1.co.uk

Until Sunday 1 October  
**KANDINSKY: THE PATH TO ABSTRACTION 1908-1922**  
£10 (conc £8)  
Kandinsky's journey from figurative landscape painter to modernist master.

## the.gallery@oxo

Oxo Tower Wharf T 020 7401 2255  
www.oxotower.co.uk  
Daily 11am-6pm; free

Until Sunday 10 September  
**FEED YOUR IMAGINATION**  
Food's pleasures & social/ecological effects.

Wednesday 13 to Sunday 17 September  
**40 YEARS OF BRITISH BUSINESS**  
Management Today's 40th birthday.

Wednesday 20 September to Sunday 1 October  
**EUREKA**  
Excellence in the product design process.

## Union Gallery

57 Ewer Street T 020 7928 3388  
www.union-gallery.com  
Mon-Fri 10am-6pm, Sat 12 noon-5pm; free

Until Saturday 9 September  
**TOBIAS LEHNER**  
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Tuesday 19 September to Sunday 19 November  
**GIVE ME SHELTER**  
Group exhibition.

## Waterloo Gallery

14 Baylis Road T 020 7261 9080  
www.waterloogallery.co.uk  
Mon-Fri 11am-6pm; Sat 11am-4pm; free

Monday 4 to Saturday 9 September  
**NAOMI AVSEC**  
Paintings by Naomi Avsec.

Monday 11 to Saturday 16 September  
**LIFEBLOOD**  
Prints and paintings.

Sunday 17 to Saturday 23 September  
**THE CSM4 GROUP**  
Paintings and mixed media.

Monday 25 September to Saturday 7 October  
**RICHMOND PRINTMAKERS**  
Enthusiastic artists exhibit and sell their prints.

SHOPPING

# Camping & Army Surplus Store

37 The Cut  
020 7928 4110  
Open Mon-Sat 9am-5.30pm

**Camping and Army Surplus Store has relocated from Victoria to The Cut to occupy the former Arch Gallery near Tas.**

The shop is a family business started in 1952 and now run by second generation Howard Davis who has been in charge since 1977. Recent customers have included David Dimbleby, now filming his television architecture series, and Home Secretary John Reid.

The shop is popular with those who walk and camp or just work outdoors and are looking for reasonably priced clothing. There is security wear including high visibility jackets.

Soldiers off to Iraq also drop in for extra equipment. There are regimental ties, cap badges and blazer badges.

Howard Davis, who is looking forward to welcoming both old and existing customers at the packed new shop, says that he is always happy to give advice.

The current stock includes a Wynnster rucksack for just under £10; 100% cotton combat trousers (black, olive or beige; £14.95) and classic desert boots (£19.95).



EATING OUT

# Le Pain Quotidien

Festival Walk, Royal Festival Hall • Open Mon-Fri 7am-11pm; Sat 8am-11pm; Sun 9am-10pm.

**With gentle classics playing one is only occasionally aware of the trains overhead whilst having breakfast at Belgian boulangerie Le Pain Quotidien.**

The best place to sit is at the scrubbed communal table which has been the key feature ever since the first branch opened in Belgium. The single person is welcome here.

A pot of coffee (£4.20) will twice fill your coffee bowl. It comes with a jug of hot frothy milk which will help to turn two cups into three. You will need it for the choice of seven breads from the baker's basket (£4.50 but can be shared) is tempting. There are pots of jam and various chocolate spreads on the table and extra butter if required. This is eaten off your personal breadboard.

You can also start with a granola parfait which resembles a fresh fruit knickerbocker glory (£3.95).

We were joined by a couple so excited to find the branch on the South Bank that they photographed each other at the 'table commune'. They may have been tempted to purchase the crockery which is on sale at the handy breadcounter where a spelt loaf (£4.80) and other temptations such as a bar of own brand dark Belgian chocolate (£1.70) are available.



## Borough & Bankside Community Council

Wednesday 6 September – 7:00pm  
Cathedral School of St Saviour  
and St Mary Overie, Redcross Way SE1

Have your say at our next meeting where we will be discussing local parking issues, community funds to assist local groups and schemes, police updates plus much more.

Visit our website [www.southwark.gov.uk](http://www.southwark.gov.uk) or phone 020 7525 7514



## londonSE1 community website

www.London-SE1.co.uk

Local news you may have missed

### Children's hospital shortlisted for top award

The Evelina Children's Hospital in Lambeth Palace Road has been shortlisted for this year's RIBA Stirling Prize, one of the highest architectural accolades.

...full story at [www.London-SE1.co.uk](http://www.London-SE1.co.uk)

### Elephant traders get first refusal in new development

Businesses trading at the Elephant and Castle Shopping Centre will be offered discounted trading space in the regeneration area in a deal agreed last month.

...full story at [www.London-SE1.co.uk](http://www.London-SE1.co.uk)

### Riverside ice cream ban: decision deferred

The debate about itinerant ice cream trading along the Southwark riverside looks set to run and run as councillors defer a decision on a proposal to ban trading for a second time.

...full story at [www.London-SE1.co.uk](http://www.London-SE1.co.uk)

### Palestra wind turbines gain planning permission

Southwark's planning committee has given the go-ahead for the installation of 14 micro wind turbines on the roof of the Palestra building in Blackfriars Road.

...full story at [www.London-SE1.co.uk](http://www.London-SE1.co.uk)

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### ALLIES AND MORRISON

85 Southwark Street  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
10am-2pm; free

### CARMARTHEN PLACE

2-4 Carmarthen Place off Bermondsey Street  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
10am-5pm (last entry 4.30pm)  
Two prefabricated eco wooden houses.

### CITY HALL

Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
10am-5pm  
Tours by engineers 11am, 12 noon, 1pm

### CITY OF LONDON ACADEMY

240 Lynton Road  
Saturday 16 September  
10am-5pm; tours, first come basis

### ERNST & YOUNG

1 More London Place  
Saturday 16 September  
1pm-5pm; last entry 4.45pm; free  
Foster & Partners.

### FRIARS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Webber Street  
Saturday 16 September  
10am-5pm; last entry 4.30pm; free  
A new integrated Early Years Centre.

### FRIENDSHIP HOUSE

Belvedere Place, off Borough Road  
Saturday 16 September  
1pm-5pm; last tour 4.30pm; free  
Modern self-catered accommodation.

### HOP EXCHANGE

24 Southwark Street  
Saturday 16 September  
10am-1pm; Pre-book ONLY: 020 7940 8900  
Purpose-built for trading malt and hops.

### IMPERIAL WAR MUSEUM

Lambeth Road T 020 7416 5000  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
1pm-5pm; tours on the hour; free  
Dome containing chapel.

### LAMBETH PALACE

Lambeth Palace Road  
Saturday 16 September  
10am-3pm; last tour 3pm; free

### LONDON COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION

Elephant & Castle  
Saturday 16 September  
10am-5pm; tours on hour; last 4pm; free  
Media centre by Allies & Morrison.

### NATIONAL THEATRE

Belvedere Road T 020 7452 3000  
Saturday 16 September  
Tours on the half hour from 10.30am.  
book on arae@nationaltheatre.org.uk

### OLD OPERATING THEATRE, MUSEUM AND HERB GARRET

9a St Thomas Street T 020 7188 2679  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
10.30am-5pm; free

### ROSE THEATRE EXHIBITION

56 Park Street  
Saturday 16 to Sunday 17 September  
11am-6pm; tours on the hour; free

### ROYAL FESTIVAL HALL

Belvedere Road  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
10am-5pm (last 4.15pm); booking  
essential through Open House website.

### SIOBHAN DAVIES STUDIOS

85 St George's Road  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
10am-5pm; free  
A landmark home for dance.

### SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL

London Bridge T 020 7367 6700  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
Sat 10.30am-4pm; Sun 1pm-4pm; free  
Tours of Library Sun 1pm-4pm. Tours of  
Millennium Complex Sun 1pm, 2pm, 3pm

### UNICORN THEATRE

147 Tooley Street T 08700 535500  
Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
Sat 10am-12 noon; Sun 11am-1pm; tours  
every 30 mins; free

### WESTON WILLIAMSON

43 Tanner Street  
Sunday 17 September  
1pm-5pm; free  
Practice's offices on Vinegar works site.

## The Mayor's Thames Festival

www.thamesfestival.org

Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 September  
12 noon-10pm

### STREET ARTS

A series of al fresco programmes of UK street arts. Street shows near the Royal National Theatre and walkabout areas between Shakespeare's Globe and City Hall. Street music will be performed in Bernie Spain Gardens, next to Southwark Cathedral and in Hay's Galleria.

### AL FRESCO BALLROOMS

A series of al fresco ballrooms: Jive, Swing and Lindyhop will be next to the Royal Festival Hall, Country 'n' Western hoedown near Borough Market, a 1950s beach party created by the Laundrettas by London Bridge City Pier and Tango – London's biggest ever milonga outside Tate Modern.

### STREET ART

Sharon Baker's Eat Me! is a life-size sculpture of the artist in bread at the EAT Café, Oxo Tower (4pm-6pm). Peter Hillary's Thames Fish – a shoal of 42 lantern fish suspended from the riverside walkway around Oxo Tower Wharf.

### NIGHT CARNIVAL

On Sunday evening, Victoria Embankment and Blackfriars Bridge are closed to traffic for the Night Carnival's 2,000 musicians, dancers and performers with their amazing lanterns, illuminated costumes and fantastic structures. From 7pm.

### FIREWORKS

Sunday 9.45pm between Waterloo and Blackfriars Bridges.

### SING FOR WATER

Sunday 1pm-3pm at The Scoop by City Hall. Raising money for WaterAid.

### BLUE RIBBON VILLAGE

Learn more about the river's history and its role as a key transport highway in modern day London. Loads of activities for children. City Hall.

### YOUR RIVER YOUR SAY

What do Londoners want for the future of their river? A debate about the future of the Thames. City Hall (Saturday).

### THE GREAT RIVER RACE

See page 3 for details.

### THE THAMES FLOTILLA

Raucous sail-by of working vessels.

### THAMES BEACH

Music stage, sandcastle competitions and loads of fun and games on the foreshore by Festival Pier (Sat & Sun at low tide).

### CARMEN, THE FLOWER GODDESS

This is one of the festival's most ambitious projects. It involves the creation of a huge illuminated sculpture in Bernie Spain Gardens.

### RED HANDS FLYING TRAPEZE

Have a go on a flying trapeze Tate Modern Forecourt.

### FIRING ON THE FORESHORE

On Saturday objects made from Thames clay will be fired in three bonfires made from Thames driftwood. Work begins at 1pm when there will also be a chance to explore London's ceramic past with an archaeologist.

### THE LONDON BRIDGES WALK

The Children's Society London Bridges Walk on Saturday 16 September is a great opportunity to not only raise money for a fantastic cause but also to enjoy many of London's greatest landmarks along the river. www.the-childrens-society.org.uk

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