

St Michael and All Angels presents

THE BEDFORD PARK FESTIVAL bedfordparkfestival.org

FRIDAY 6 JUNE

Lunchtime Organ Recital

Improvisations by Neil Wright, inspired by the artwork on display at the Bedford Park Summer Exhibition. 12.30pm. St Michael & All Angels Church. Retiring collection.

SATURDAY 7 - FRIDAY 13 JUNE

Bedford Park Summer Exhibition



Over 100 works of art by local artists of all ages. All pieces are for sale, and a third of the proceeds go to the Festival charities. Raffle tickets will be on sale at £1 each for a painting by Oliver West (left). There will also

mural of Chiswick houses on display, created by local children. Be the first to see and buy the artwork at the Preview Party with wine, music and canapés. Sponsored by Savills. Preview Party: Fri 6 June 6.45pm-9pm. Exhibition: 12-6pm daily. St Michael & All Angels Church. Admission free. Catalogue £1, purchased at venue.

SATURDAY 7 - SUNDAY 8 JUNE

Bedford Park Photographic Exhibition & Competition

Photographs taken by local photographers of all ages, and more... Raffle tickets will be on sale at £1 each for a Vibeke Dahl sitting to include a 10"x12" print. See website for competition entry details. Preview Party: Fri 6 June 6.45pm-9pm. Exhibition: Sat 12pm-6pm & Sun from 12pm, voting closes 4pm, prize giving 4.30pm. St Michael & All Angels Parish Hall. Tickets £1, including exhibition catalogue.

SUNDAY 8 JUNE

The Queen of Mont Blanc

In 1838 Henriette D'Angeville became the first lady to climb Mont Blanc. Sarah Lenton's play recreates this epic climb, in the Tabard, with a cast including Sarah Finch, Nicholas Rowe and Callum Coates. **8pm. Tabard Theatre. Tickets £10.**

MONDAY 9 JUNE

House Concert

A programme of Mozart, Schumann, Britten, Dring, McDowall and Roussel, performed by Andrew Carter (piano), Lynn Carter (oboe), Colin Kitching (viola), Ruth Ridley (cello), Louise Grattan (violin) and Patrick Grattan (flute). **8pm. 12 Woodstock Road, W4 1UE. Tickets £12.**

Mark Ellen: Rock Stars Stole My Life!



From NME and Live Aid to Whistle Test and Radio 1, Chiswick's Mark Ellen has been at the centre of rock music for over 30 years. He tells all in his new book. Interview by Torin Douglas. 8pm. St Michael & All Angels Parish Hall. Tickets £12.

WEDNESDAY 11 JUNE

Charles Owen House Concert

Internationally renowned and award winning pianist Charles Owen performs Mendelssohn, Brahms and Schubert in a beautiful Bedford Park house. **8pm. 15 Priory Avenue, W4 1TZ. Tickets £15.**

THURSDAY 12 JUNE

Lunch Recital

Pianist Maksim Stsura performs works by Prokofiev and Chopin. Refreshments available. Bring a picnic to have in the garden afterwards. 12.30pm for 1pm. The Studio, 2a Blenheim Road, W4 1UA. Tickets £12. Advance booking only from Rosalind Leney on 020 8994 0762.

FRIDAY 13 - SUNDAY 15 JUNE

Artists At Home

70 artists and craft-workers open their home-based studios across Chiswick, Hammersmith and Shepherd's Bush. Meet the artists, buy at studio prices, place commissions or just browse the artwork. Fri 6pm-9pm, Sat & Sun 11am-6pm. Admission free.

FRIDAY 13 JUNE

A Good Life in Bedford Park: Remembering Richard Briers



A Festival celebration of one of Chiswick's best-loved residents, who brought enjoyment to audiences all over the world. Introduced by Torin Douglas, with video clips and appreciations from those who worked with him and knew him best. 8pm. St Michael & All Angels Church. Tickets £12.

SATURDAY 14 JUNE

Roald Dahl: Storytelling and Crafts



The Roald Dahl Museum's lively and interactive storytellers will captivate you with Roald Dahl's hilarious Dirty Beasts and Revolting Rhymes - fairy tales with a twist, followed by a craft session. Age 5+. 10.30am. St Michael & All Angels Parish Hall. Tickets £3.50.

Bedford Park Walk

A fascinating walking tour of key architectural and literary features of Bedford Park, led by architect John Scott & lecturer Dr Pamela Bickley. **3pm-5pm. Start at St Michael & All Angels Church. Tickets £7.50.**

Under Milk Wood

To celebrate the centenary of Dylan Thomas's birth, 18 professional actors will come together to perform Under Milk Wood, directed by John Griffiths. This mesmerising play will transport you into the lives and thoughts of

50 quirky inhabitants in the fictional fishing village of Llareggub. **7.30pm. St Michael & All Angels Church. Tickets £15.**

SUNDAY 15 JUNE

Parish Eucharist

All welcome - the service includes a Children's Church, Crèche, and Youth Church. Refreshments available after the service.

10am. St Michael & All Angels Church. Admission free.

WB Yeats Walk

Discover the walks that inspired the young WB Yeats, from Ravenscourt Park to Bedford Park, with poet, musician and Radio 4 reviewer Cahal Dallat. In association with Coffee-House Poetry at the Troubadour. **2.30pm-5pm. Tickets £18. Advance booking only.**

Rosalind Leney's Pupils's Concert and St Michael & All Angels Junior Choir

A varied programme of short pieces and choral music. **5.30pm** for 6pm. The Studio, 2a Blenheim Road, W4 1UA. Tickets £5. Advance booking only from Rosalind Leney on 020 8994 0762.

Bach: Mass in B Minor

Mass in B Minor BWV 232 by J. S. Bach is widely considered to be one of the greatest musical compositions in history. Performed by The West London Bach Consort and Players, and conducted by Sandy Burnett. **7.30pm. St Michael & All Angels Church. Retiring collection.**

MONDAY 16 JUNE

An Evening in Vienna, followed by supper



David Juritz (violin), Sally Heath (piano) and friends perform the Brahms Piano Quintet in F minor and Fritz Kreisler's rarely heard string quartet. After the performance, supper will be served in the Parish Hall, where the entertainment will continue. **7.30pm.** St Michael & All Angels Church.

Tickets £12 for concert only, or £25 for concert and supper. Advanced booking necessary for supper only by Sat 14 June.

TUESDAY 17 - WEDNESDAY 18 JUNE

Chiswick & Bedford Park Prep School Art Exhibition Students aged 3-11 showcase their vibrant works of art. Tue 3.30pm-6.30pm, Wed 1pm-5pm. St Michael & All Angels Church. Admission free.

WEDNESDAY 18 JUNE

Poetry Evening with Louis de Bernières



Authorof Captain Corelli's Mandolin, Louis de Bernières will read personal poetry favourites. You can bring your own poem to read (max. 25 lines) about music, musicians, composers, instruments... Hosted by local poets Anne-Marie Fyfe and Cahal Dallat. 7.30pm for 8pm. St Michael & All Angels Parish Hall. Tickets £7.50.

THURSDAY 19 JUNE

Lunch Recital

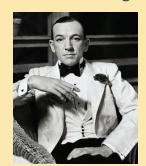
A programme of Richard Strauss and David Popper, performed by Corinne Morris (cello) and Nico de Villiers (piano). Refreshments available. Bring a picnic to have in the garden afterwards. 12.30pm for 1pm. The Studio, 2a Blenheim Road, W4 1UA. Tickets £12. Advance booking only from Rosalind Leney on 020 8994 0762.

Corpus Christi

A visually splendid and uplifting Choral Mass with a procession of the Blessed Sacrament around the church. The choir will sing from Kodaly's Missa Brevis. Preacher Canon Leanne Roberts. **8pm. St Michael & All Angels Church. Admission free.**

FRIDAY 20 JUNE

Noel Coward: Together with Music



At this exclusive event in a beautiful Bedford Park house, Rosie Ashe (actress and singer) and Jonathan Cohen (piano) will dazzle you with many gems of wit and wisdom from the pen of Noel Coward. Champagne and home-made canapés will be served. 7.30pm for 8pm. 22 Woodstock Road, W4 1UF. Tickets £35.

SATURDAY 21 JUNE

An Evening of Film and Food



In conjunction with The Picturehouse Chiswick, we are hosting a pop-up private screening of the poignant and humorous film Philomena, starring Judy Dench and Steve Coogan. A supper of fish & chips will be served. **7.30pm. St Michael & All Angels Parish Hall. Tickets £15, including supper.**

SUNDAY 22 JUNE

Festival Mass

Solemn Sung Eucharist and Missa Cum Jubilo by Maurice Duruflé, performed by The Bedford Park Festival Orchestra and Chorus, conducted by Jonathan Dods. 10am-11.30am. St Michael & All Angels Church. Admission free.

Festival Mass Lunch

Enjoy delicious home cooked food, a beautiful garden and great company at this celebratory lunch in the Vicarage garden. 12pm. St Michael & All Angels Vicarage Garden. Tickets £7.50 adults, £3.50 children.

Bedford Park Open Gardens

Visit some of the most beautiful private gardens in Bedford Park. Tea and cakes on sale afterwards in the Parish Hall. 2pm-6pm. Start at St Michael & All Angels Parish Hall. Tickets £6 adults, including map of garden locations. Children free.

For full event details & online booking, visit bedfordparkfestival.org