

WHAT'S ON IN THE BOROUGH

Diary of Events by BBAC's 100 member societies.

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Spring 2019

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www.barnetarts.org.uk

* TALLY HO *

CONSULTATIONS CONTINUE ON the future lay-out of North Finchley town centre and local residents are calling for the provision of an improved open space near to arts depot with a hotel. Keith Martin, our Treasurer, recently exhibited at arts depot this sketch of Fermo in Italy where his daughter lives, which like many older towns has recognised the benefits of attracting tourists through this type of development. They include the successful scheme in Chaville, Barnet's twin town near Paris, and even High Barnet where Premiere Inn are steering proposals through planning.



Piazza del Popolo, Fermo, Italy
by Keith Martin. 2018

BBAC's third North Finchley Music Festival in May aims to attract more customers with a weekend of musical performances at the larger Bohemia and in a number of smaller venues such as Café Buzz. As traditional retailers withdraw from High Streets and are now often replaced by

cafes, they then hold a licence for public performance, suitable for smaller soloists or larger groups up to the growing number of local choirs. Come by and explore Tally Ho on 25th and 26th May.

BBAC's two annual competitions mature at this time. Results of the Poetry Competition will be published at the Prize-giving on 16th March – at 10am for 7–11s with a strong entry from Foulds School in Barnet, and at 2pm for the adults, both at The Bull Theatre in Barnet opposite Barnet Church. Judge for juniors is **Katherine Gallagher**, well known poet, and for

adults **Maggie Butt**, Professor of Creative Writing at Middlesex University Anthologies £8 + 75p, cheques in favour of BBAC, from The Bull.

The Barnet and District Drama Competition entries of full length plays are being visited by the adjudicator in this

unique competition where societies perform in their usual venue. This encourages everyone to improve their local halls and provides a training ground for people of all ages in acting and production. Competition is fierce for the many cups presented in June.

Theatre in the Park has been

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presenting touring open air shows for nearly twenty years in Oak Hill Park as part of East Barnet's summer Festival, but this year moves its dates forward to a separate season organised by BBAC. Dates are 14/7 *Wind in the Willows*; 21/7 *Frankenstein the musical*; 11/8 *A Midsummer Night's Dream*; 15/9 *Ali and the 40 Thieves*. All are fast-moving, professional and suitable for the family from age five plus Presented by Illyria, Quantum and Immersion Theatres. Booking from May.

Membership subscriptions become due on 1st April and letters are being sent to past members.

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DIARY

Arts depot

6 – 10/4

Elmer Patchwork Elephant

17/4 Mine film

The Ballet Boys are coming

Chicken Shed

13 – 18/4

The Tigon and the Liger

The Bull Theatre

16/3 **Poetry Prizegiving**

10am Juniors, 2pm Seniors
Friday Folk Club

arts Depot

5 Nether Street, Tally Ho Corner, N12 0GA
www.artsdepot.co.uk 8369 5454



Arts depot is a multi award winning cultural hub, voted Best Age Friendly Welcome Centre. It has a 395 seat theatre, 148 seat studio theatre, creation space, a gallery, studios for drama, dance and music, a free children's playspace, a café and a bar. It acts as host to the Young Performing Arts College and London Studio Centre.

2017 was their busiest year yet, when they presented 527 events and welcomed 154,000 visits. They supported 22 arts residences; provided 244 subsidised tickets and free lunches to socially isolated over 75s; 11477 children and young people took part in creative events and performances and 120 schools benefited from group bookings.

In the year they received 300K subsidy from The Arts Council of

Great Britain and paid 303K to the government in taxes. A remarkable achievement, offering facilities to enhance life in North London.

FAMILY THEATRE

Sundays and half terms, includes :

- 1/3 **The Day I Fell Into a Book**
 - 2/3 **Book Buzz**
 - 9/3 **The Boy and the Mermaid**
 - 2/3 **Story experience** for 7–12s
 - 9/3 **David Badlets Animal Colour**
 - 14/3 **Wow, it's Night Time**
 - 17/3 **Mole and Gecko show** for 5 +
 - 21/3 **DIG**
 - 6 – 10/4 **Elmer the Patchwork Elephant**
- ### THEATRE
- 5/3 **Stitch in Time – Canada Season, Knitting**
 - 17/3 **MINE**, special film
 - 24/3 **Comedy Night**
 - 5/4 **Shazia Mirzo** – Work, in progress
- ### SUNDAY BUZZ
- Free Music

GALLERY

Italian for Beginners

CHICKEN SHED

Present a programme of excellence without exclusion. They are delighted to announce that they have won a Frontie prize (Not in the West End).

- 9/3 **Tales from The Shed**
- 7 – 30/3 **100% Chance of Rain**
New musical explores issues of mental health.
- 10/3 **Young Musicians Performance Workshop**
- 7 – 14/3 **Shakespeare**
- 17/3 An Evening with **Maria Friedman**
- 21/3 **Baby Broadway** family concert
- 24/3 **Launch of classical jazz**
- 13 – 18/4 **The Tigon and The Liger**
Theatre Workshops for all ages and Community Choir. Saturday Shed for 5 – 12s. Chase Side, Southgate, N14
www.chickenshed.org.uk 8292 9222

GARDEN SUBURB THEATRE

4 – 20 July
TWO PLAYS ALTERNATING AT THEIR OPEN AIR THEATRE.
Shakespeare's **The MERCHANT OF VENICE** and **OUR COUNTRY'S GOOD**.
www.gardensuburbtheatre.org.uk 7723 6609

INCOGNITO THEATRE

19 – 25/5 **'Tom Jones'** by Joan Macalpine, from the novel by Henry Fielding 8pm, Sundays 6pm and Saturday matinées 3pm.
Holly Park Road, behind the Health Centre, N11 3HB www.incognitotheatre.com

THE BULL THEATRE

16/3 **Poetry Competition Prizegiving**. 10am 7–11s judged by **Katherine Gallagher**
2pm adults judged by **Maggie Butt**.
28 – 29/3 **We Heat Theatre**
30/3 **Open Space Festival of Speech and Drama**.
Barnet Folk Club, monthly on Friday with J J Dunne and friends. 8.30pm

THE BULL CLASSES

Summer School
Limited places – please book.
Ages 4 – 6 and 7–16 years 9.30 – 12.
Allen Ashley –
Writing for Fun or for Publication.
Monday 5.30 – 6.30pm

Saturday Theatre School
9.30am. 5–16s
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Acting for stage and screen. 5 – 16s
Mencap Theatre Group
Monday 5pm.

Non-Stop Dance
Wednesdays 5pm. 6 – 16s
Performance group
All styles of dance
D2D Dance Company
Thursdays 4.15pm. 5 – 16s
Barnet Community Radio
Quality radio shows 24/7.
www.barnetcommunityradio.com

Susi Earnshaw Theatre School
Only 12 pupils per class.
Full time independent secondary school, 9 – 16s.
www.susiearnshaw.co.uk
68 High Street, Barnet, EN5 5SY
www.Thebulltheatre.com 8441 5010

AFTERNOON ARTS

Based at Wesley Hall next to Chipping Library, Afternoon Arts meets on Tuesdays. Originally based at The Bull Theatre, it has been running for nearly 30 years with a programme of playreadings and discussions on music, theatre, arts, crafts and the like.
New members welcome
Enquiries to :
afternoonarts@btinternet.com.

ART CLUB

Classes for adults and children. Purpose built studios with proper work surfaces, sinks, table and sketching easels, with excellent natural daylight.
Drop off car park at Mead Road off Whitchurch Lane.
92 High Street, Edgware, HA8 6LH
www.artclub.co.uk 8951 3883

THE ART STABLES – School of Art

New children's class Wednesday. Photography, portraiture and painting in the former stables of the Sternberg Centre. Art classes are open to all, with extra space available for pilates and yoga.
80 East End Road, N3 2SY.
www.artstables.co.uk 3302 5525

BBAC ART & INFORMATION EXHIBITIONS

Festivals through the summer.

BARNET LIBRARIES – WHAT'S ON

Regular classes are held at many libraries – watch the website for details.
www.barnet.gov.uk/library-events

BARNET GUILD OF ARTISTS

The society is having discussions with the planners on the future development of their Whalebones Estate. See their website for paintings at their Summer Exhibition which is usually at the end of July at Pennefather Hall, Christ Church, St Albans Road, Barnet EN5 4LA. Meet at Whalebones Studio weekly. Wood Street, Barnet, EN5 4BZ.
www.barnetguildofartists.org.uk 8449 0724

BARNET MUSEUM

Following the good news that the Barnet Council are arranging to grant a long lease of 125 years at a peppercorn rent following ten long years of negotiation, the Museum is celebrating its 80th year with a surge of events.

The newly created Barnet 1471 Battlefields Society, a group of lady members who are knowledgeable and passionate about the Wars of the Roses, has affiliated to the Battle of Barnet project. Progress is being made on the commemoration of the Battle with the creation of new banners, painted by volunteers.

The search for the site continues north of Barnet, as seen on BBC4's **"Digging for Britain"** and **Barnet Physic Well** is undergoing restoration.

The Battle Talks series continues at Pennefather Hall, St Albans Road EN5 4LA. Museum is open Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday 2.30 – 4.30. Saturday 10.30 – 4 and new hours on Sunday 2.30 – 4.30.
31 Wood Street, Barnet, EN5 4BE
www.barnetmuseum.co.uk 8441 8066

THE BARNET SOCIETY

The new teenage market was launched by The Friends of Barnet Market, backed by funding for it to continue monthly for a year on the first Saturday of the month. Using the space by the bandstand between Waitrose and Chipping Barnet Library from 4 – 7pm after the regular market stalls have cleared it will offer a free platform to those aged between 13 and 23 at 20 stalls. The Society is closely monitoring the proposals for Premiere Inns to build a hotel on the former site of the market. Under discussion are proposals to widen pavements in Barnet High Street, and comments to Sadiq Kahn on the Mayor's proposals for London development, which include recommendations that small scale workshops should be provided for artists and specialist trades, as many traditional sites are being developed as housing. The Society takes a particular interest in the preservation of the Green Belt and green spaces.
www.barnetsociety.org.uk

BARNET & SOUTHGATE COLLEGES

Offering free courses for adult Community Learning at local centres with extensive creative industries, catering and many commercial courses. Their new Colindale Campus is now open, 5 minutes walk from Colindale tube station.
www.barnetsouthgate.ac.uk

BARNET RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

BRA represents the interests of residents in High Barnet and Underhill wards on public transport, highways, street cleaning, hospital provision, policing etc. with particular emphasis on major planning applications, and preservation of conservation areas in the town centre,
www.barnetresidentsassociation.org.uk 8440 0194

BARNET WALKS

- 17/3 **East Barnet Village**
Meet outside East Barnet library, Brookhill Road, EN4 8SG
- 24/3 **Barnet Churches and Pubs**
Meet outside High Barnet Tube booking office.
- 14/4 **Battle of Barnet (Anniversary walk)** 11am. Meet at junction of Great North Road and Hadley Green Road, EN5 5PP.
Please contact Paul Baker in advance to confirm you are coming.
www.barnet-walks.co.uk 07506 761294
Please note new email address.

FRIERN BARNET COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Not only a library but a community hub open Monday to Saturday 11am – 7pm, with a busy schedule of clubs and classes for all ages and a new layout installed for children. There's a chess table, computers, sofas, tea and coffee and newspapers with special events later in the evening.
Friern Barnet Road, N11 3DS.
www.friernbarnetlibrary.org 8361 0174

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: These productions are all local groups taking part in this year's **Barnet and District Competition**, which includes the Pump House Theatre, Watford.
: BELMONT THEATRE's **'Bothered and Bewildered'** 27/2 – 2/3 and **'Boeing Boeing'** by Marc Camoletti by RADLETT THEATRE COMPANY 24 – 27/4.
: **'A Snake in the Grass'** by Alan Ayckbourn is presented by EAST LANE THEATRE GROUP 9 – 11/5 and 16 – 18/5 at East Lane Theatre, Sudbury,
: **'A Few Good Men'** by Aaron Sorkin is at BERKHAMPSTED THEATRE COMPANY 20 – 23/3 at The Court Theatre, Tring. **'The Hound of the Baskervilles'** by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is at The Henderson Memorial Hall in Abbots Langley on 3/5 by MUTLEY MINQUE
: Adjudicator **Keith Thompson** will be visiting each production and announcing the prizewinners in June. For more information call 01442 862402
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COMMUNITY FOCUS

12 week courses including painting, drawing, jewellery, photography, drumming and creative writing at their new premises at Friary House in Friary Park, N210 1NR for adults and young adults.

Buses 234 383 and 634.

Community Focus has now received NCFE accreditation and look forward to supporting many participants to achieve qualifications in employability, music and media.

It has been selected to receive support through Global's *makemorenoise.com* which reaches over 24 million people every week through their digital formulas, and is introducing ARTiculate for those aged 16 – 25 to enhance and celebrate positive mental health and well being.

www.communityfocusco.uk 8361 5184

FINCHLEY ART SOCIETY

Meet Mondays 7.15pm at Trinity Church Centre
15 Nether Street N12 7NN and Wednesdays 12.30pm
St Mary's Church Hall,
Hendon Lane N3 1TS.
www.finchleyartsociety.org.uk

FRIENDS OF CHAVILLE SOCIETY

Visits are arranged between members in North London and residents of Chaville, near to Paris, including games of petanque. New offers to link with Friends of Seigerland. 8959 4504 or 8440 9096

THEATRE AND MUSIC FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

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BODENS STUDIO & AGENCY

Established since 1975 Bodens provides performing arts classes for 2 – 12s and up to young adults. They produce regular plays and musicals in their own 100 seat theatre licensed for public performances, which attract sell-out audiences. The majority of students work professionally in the industry, working with a committed team of professional staff in purpose built dance and drama studios.
www.bodenstudios.com 8447 0909

BODENS COLLEGE OF PERFORMING ARTS

Recognised qualification 16 – 19 years. New two year full time performing arts course.
www.performingartscollege.co.uk 8447 0909

FINCHLEY YOUTH THEATRE

Courses and programmes for 10 – 25s in drama, dance and technical theatre. 142 High Road, East Finchley, N2 9ED
email: fyinfo.barnet.gov.uk 8359 5383

FLASH MUSICALS

Community based theatre in Edgware, with many opportunities for young people aiming to encourage performers, in theatre, music and dance, including special needs and wheelchair dance.
www.flashmusicals.co.uk 8930 9930

RAZZAMATAZ THEATRE SCHOOL

Training in dance, drama and music. Wren Academy, Hilton Avenue, N12 9HS
www.razzamataz.co.uk 01923 905 846

JIGSAW ARTS

Weekend schools for 3 – 18s at **Enfield Lower County School** (Saturday mornings), **Highlands School**, Winchmore Hill (Saturday afternoons) **Bell Lane School**, Hendon (Saturday afternoons) **Compton School**, Finchley (Sunday mornings) and Youth Theatre for 16 – 25s at **Woodhouse College**, Finchley (Wednesday 6–9 pm). Jigsaw Jumpers (under 3s) **St John Parish Centre**, Friern Barnet, Wednesday 10am. Half term and holiday weeks at All Saints Arts Centre, Whetstone and Bell Lane School.
www.jigsaw.arts.co.uk 8447 4530

SUSIE EARNSHAW THEATRE SCHOOL

Full time school at The Bull Theatre, 68 High Street Barnet, has small classes to GCSE in all theatre and academic disciplines. Pupils achieve top grades and move on to college of their choice. Scholarship places available. After school classes and Saturday morning Theatre School. Theatrical agency on site.
www.susiearnshaw.co.uk 8441 5010

THEATRETRAIN MILL HILL

Meets on Saturday at Cophthall School Mill Hill with amazing opportunities for students to perform at local and regional locations and at world famous West End theatres.
www.theatretrein.co.uk 8202 2006

BARNET EDUCATION ARTS TRUST

Three Saturday music centres at East Barnet, Finchley and Hendon are part of this independent charity. Their annual 3 day festival at arts depot involves 67 schools this year.
www.barneteducationtrust.org.uk 8959 4111

FINCHLEY CHILDREN'S MUSIC GROUP

Rehearse at Brookland School, Hill Top, NW11 on Sunday afternoons, performing at major venues in London.
www.fcmg.org.uk 8444 8418

RITHMIK YOUTH MUSIC STUDIO

Young people can develop their creative and technical skills at this purpose-built music facility with free sessions on production, recording and singing. Canada Villa Youth Centre, Pursley Road, Mill Hill, NW7 2BL.
email: rithmik@barnet.gov.uk 8359 3562

YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Saturday morning music for 2 – 18s. Orchestras, choirs, ensembles, vocal lessons, instrumental and junior musicianship for the very young. Bigwood House, HBS Bigwood Road, NW11 7BD.
www.youthmusiccentre.org 8450 9290

Quantum Theatre's Open Air production of
The Wind in the Willows
Oak Hill Park
Church Hill Road, East Barnet, EN4 8JP
Sunday 14th July - 3pm
Tickets 0845 450 5157 www.quantumtheatre.co.uk

FESTIVAL DATES

25 and 26/5 **North Finchley Festival** in the Tally Ho area, featuring music in The Bohemia and individual artists performing in cafes and other venues.

23/6 **Proms at St Judes** and **LitFest** NW11

23/6 **East Finchley Community Festival**, opposite the tube station.

5 – 7/7 **East Barnet Festival**
Oak Hill Park. A full weekend of music, dance, a car and dog show.
07071 781 745
Stall bookings only :
020 8441 1359.

14/7 **Theatre in the Park**
BBAC's Season of Sundays at 3pm in Oak Hill park begins with **Wind in the Willows**. And on 21/7 **Frankenstein**, the musical. Watch out for street fairs in Mill Hill and Cricklewood.

FRIENDS OF MONTCLAIR

Barnet's twin town in New Jersey, USA.
casalinger@aol.com 8368 1329

THE FINCHLEY SOCIETY

2018 saw the 100th anniversary of Henry Inky Stephens bequest of the House and Gardens.

The management will be collecting memories – please contact vlo@stephenhouseandgardens.com.

The Borough Council have authorised Finchley War Memorial to be built and placed in the grounds of Finchley Memorial Hospital, and donations may be made. **"Our House – The History of a Victorian Villa"** by Andrew Poulter is on the people who lived in Lichfield Grove from 1869. No charge for the book but a donation of £10 to Avenue House Estate Trust would be appreciated - contact Andrew on 8346 0437/5.

Croquet Open Days Saturdays. Do drop in between 2 and 5pm in Victoria Park Bowling Green. Suitable for all ages.

Photographic Competition selects one entry each month to be used for a calendar.
www.thefinchleysociety.org.uk

HADAS

Hendon & District Archaeological Society
Lectures at Avenue House, East End Road, N2.
www.hadas.org.uk 8440 4350

HEARTS OF GLASS

Specialises in hand made kiln formed glass panels, mirrors, cuff links and other gifts. Half, one and two day taster classes in copper foiling and glass fusion. A sample of Karen Davies work can be seen in two windows in the entrance of All Saints Church N20, restored to match their Victorian companions.
www.heartsofglass.co.uk

INSIGHT SCHOOL OF ARTISTS

Now established at their fantastic contemporary new studios in Northway House in Whetstone, they offer a wide range of term time educational leisure painting classes for adults and children, and mentoring to practising artists.
www.insight.art.co.uk 8441 6153
www.hgsi.ac.uk 8829 4229

MARI I'ANSON

Illustrator and painter. Mari has a large stock of beautiful work including drawings from her career as a fashion artist. All abilities welcome at her drawing lessons at her Finchley studios. Mari's Finchley Sketchbook has 84 pages of coloured coloured illustrations and is £15 at Waterstones N12. Indian Sketchbook is £10.99 from Chaville Press.
www.mari-artist.co.uk

MILLDON ART SOCIETY

5–8/5 **Summer exhibition** at Trinity Church, High St, Mill Hill, NW7 3TB. Painting evenings every Wednesday 7.30pm. Visitors are welcome at these meetings which until further notice will take place in the Eversfield Hall in Eversfield Gardens.
www.milldonartsociety.org.uk 8445 1363

RAF MUSEUM

Enjoy the Spitfire Experience, It's chocks away for preparing for their 100th anniversary with a £26m major transformation including new landscape areas and a digital project on a global scale.
www.rafmuseum.org.uk 8205 2266

THE STEPHENS COLLECTION

This museum at Avenue House has mementoes related to the invention of ink in 1832 by Dr Henry Stephens MP, whose son "Inky" bequeathed Avenue House to the people of Finchley. The museum is now incorporated in the new cafe.

THERAPIA

With the help from Heritage Lottery Funding are restoring the Victorian Grade II listed Bothy in Avenue House grounds to be used as a therapeutic centre for children, young people and their parents. A project is under way on gathering material on the history of the building. To find out more contact MacKeough at : greer.mackeough@tricolorassociates.co.uk

Keep in touch

Most arts groups in the Borough already belong to BBAC but we hope many more individuals will join and keep in touch with what goes on through Barnet Arts Magazine, which is mailed direct every 2/3 months listing events, and through the website and email group.

Please tick for information on :
Member societies, Drama/Music /Arts and exhibitions.
BBAC poetry / short story / drama/ film script competitions.

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Address:

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My interests are:

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Members can add their news to BBAC web site. Email to

info@barnetarts.co.uk

Send to Barnet Borough Arts Council
c/o The Bull Theatre
68 High Street, Barnet, EN5 5SJ.
Enquiries to : 07071 781 745

www.barnetarts.org.uk

BARNET BOROUGH ARTS COUNCIL
Links 100 art, drama, music and amenity groups with individuals in a forum promoting events in the Borough. The Executive Committee meet with Borough Councillors and officers to discuss topics and policies. Barnet Arts Magazine is mailed direct four times a year to members. BBAC is a voluntary network and has no grants for revenue funding, except for special projects. Admin costs are covered by subscriptions, sponsorship and the income from events – which either link existing societies or aim to include individuals who may not normally be able to belong to any group. Registered Charity No.249275

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CHRISTINE WATSON

Christine teaches painting and drawing on Tuesdays at 10am at Church House, Wood Street, Barnet and on Mondays at 10am and Thursdays at 7pm at URC Church in Muswell Hill.

Christine has been a tutor at Barnet College for many years, and her work has been chosen for inclusion in arts depot Open Exhibition.
www.christinewatsonartist.co.uk
8883 4207

LINDA ZEFF

Linda runs regular classes in clay sculpture, pottery and stone carving from her studio in Whetstone. Suitable for all abilities, clay sculpture and pottery classes are held on Mondays and Thursdays at 10am and 8pm, and stone carving classes on Saturdays 10.30am. Linda also holds occasional taster courses. As a spin off from the BBC series more men are enrolling.
www.lindazeff.com

UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

One of the national and international U3As giving people who are no longer in full time employment the opportunity to continue taking part in the learning experience, with many groups meeting on a huge variety of subjects. Monthly meetings at Ewen Hall, Wood Street, Barnet.
www.u3a.org.uk 8449 1527

WORKERS EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

The WEA is a national organisation, independent and non-profitmaking, providing day and evening courses for adults of all backgrounds. No formal entry or educational qualifications are required. Art, poetry, music, industrial archaeology, London history and buildings, current affairs are included in the course booklets in all libraries.

Barnet 8368 0159 / 8445 1709
Finchley & Golders Green
8202 9500 / 8346 1576 / 0800 328 1060
Mill Hill and Edgware
8954 1450 / 8959 1230
Muswell Hill 8374 1212 / 8440 4008
www.london.wea.org.uk

MUSIC

ALYTH CHORAL SOCIETY

2/6 **Opera Through the Ages**
Purcell to Gershwin

BARNET BAND

Celebrated 130 years recently.
www.barnetband.org

BARNET FOLK CLUB

Now at The Bull Theatre, Barnet.
Free Friday events hosted by J J Dunne. 8.30pm
www.communigate/barnetfolkclub
8441 3629

BARNET CHURCH RECITALS

23/3 **Giacomo Banella** -
Double bass. Bach.
6/4 **John Black**, guitarist
11 or 18/5 **Marco Fatichenti**, piano
or **Julian Metzger**, cello.
Saturday mornings, in aid of church.

BARNET SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Programme to be announced.
St John's Church,
Friern Barnet Road, N11 3EQ.
www.barnetsymphony.org.uk
07990 510 102

FINCHLEY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Dvorák's: **The Water Goblin**
Tchaikovsky: **Le Pathétique**
www.finchleysymphony.org

FINCHLEY & FRIERN BARNET OPERATIC SOCIETY

Usually produce two shows a year at The Dugdale Centre, Enfield EN2 6RS.
www.ffbos.org.uk 8807 8880

ST MARY-AT-FINCHLEY

Concerts in aid of the Roof Appeal.
www.stmaryatfinchley.org.uk 8346 4400

ST MARY THE VIRGIN CHURCH

East Barnet
Summer Sunday concerts. 3pm
stmarys-eastbarnet.org.uk 8441 4401



Wallace Ensemble

MILL HILL MUSIC CLUB

3/3 **Piers Lane**, piano
plays Bach, Chopin, Liadov and Rachmaninoff.
7/4 **Wallace Ensemble**
Holst, Finzi clarinet concert
Mozart horn concerto,
Handel Water Music.
12/5 **Smetana Piano Trio**
Brahms, Martinu and Arensky.
7.30pm. Henrietta Barnet School,
Central Square, Hampstead Garden
Suburb, London, NW11 7BN.
www.millhillmusicclub.co.uk 8959 3866

SOUTHGATE OPERA

8 – 9/6 **Der Fledermaus** by Verdi
7.30pm, Saturday matinée 2.30pm.
Wylotts Theatre, Potters Bar EN6 2HN
www.southgateopera.co.uk 01707645005

ZEMEL CHOIR

A popular Jewish mixed choir, a warm and friendly social group who always welcome new members. More on Facebook and 8868 8423.

CINEMA

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Opposite East Finchley tube.
www.phoenixcinema.co.uk 8444 6789

Poetry & Literature

BARNET OPEN POETRY COMPETITION 2019

16/3 Following Prizegiving entry forms available for 2019 competition. Prizes are again higher this year – Adults: 1st £500, 2nd £250, 3rd 3 x £100. Juniors: 7–11s, 1st £25, 2nd £15, 3rd 3 x £10.

Celebrating two decades of fascinating poems since 1993, the judges for 2018 Barnet's Open Competition are **Maggie Butt** for the general category and **Katherine Gallagher** for the 7–11s. Poems up to 35 lines on any topic, closing date 16th November.

Free entry for Barnet schools. £1 for other children. Adults £5 (£4 for Barnet residents).

Entry forms on line or by post from BBAC c/o The Bull Theatre, 68 High Street, Barnet, EN5 5SY. Anthologies available at £8 annually.
www.barnetarts.org.uk 07071 781 745

BARNET POETRY APPRECIATION GROUP

Meet at Friends Meeting House at 55 Leicester Road, New Barnet, EN5 5EL on the second Saturday of each month 2.30pm.

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