

Welcome to the Barn Theatre monthly e-Newsletter

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November eNewsletter



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Hello All



SUNDAY CLUB

After a very successful Sunday Club last month, we are holding the next **Sunday Club on 5th November**.

Sunday Club is held in the bar at the theatre on the first Sunday of every month from **noon** until **2.00pm**, when the bar is open and nibbles are served. If you are new to the theatre, why not come along to find out more about what happens there, or if you are an 'old hand', come to meet friends or network. We all work very hard, so this is a chance to relax and enjoy somewhere that means so much, to so many. Do come and join us, even if it is only for a quick hello, we

would love to see you!

Prior to Sunday Club we have our quarterly envelope stuffing session, so please could all 'stuffers' be there at **10.00am** or if you have flyers to insert at **9.45am** so we can get everything done as quickly as possible. Please remember that if you do not turn up on time to help, your leaflets won't go in the envelopes! **Any help much appreciated!**

Our next events will be **Scrooge** by Oxted Musical Theatre Company on 8th to 11th November, **The Marriage of Figaro** by The New Aquarian Opera Company on 16th to 18th November, **The Alter Eagles** on 24th November, **Oxted Comedy** with Lee Hurst on 25th November and **Les Miserables** by Glow Theatre Group on 30th November to 2nd December

As usual, we will keep you updated via the eNews and will post our events on our [website](#), our [Facebook](#) page and [Twitter](#)

Many people have asked to receive our information only by e-mail, so to ensure you don't miss out on anything, here is a link to the [Barn Theatre News](#). Don't worry, if you have elected to receive snail-mail information, you will continue to do so.

Barn100 CENTENARY GALA DINNER Tuesday 21st May 2024

PLAN AHEAD AND BOOK YOUR TABLE NOW!

Individual tickets, tables of eight or 10, £65 per person

Tickets can be reserved on www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk with a deposit of £10 per person or payment of the full price.

We appreciate that the ticket price is a significant cost and to ease the burden we will be more than happy to accept payment by instalments over the next six months with the final balance to be paid by 1st May 2024.

All enquiries to Paul Robinson fobs.chairman@barntheatreoxted.co.uk with regard to instalment payments.



Whilst Barn100 is almost finished, we have a large bank loan funding these latest works and that needs to be repaid. If you are able to help, do please make a donation now, either direct to our bank account 75687569, sort code 60-16-09 or telephone 07802 302025 or e-mail

barntheatre@btinternet.com or

[Donate](#)



Please do collect up any loose change you might have at home and give generously as retiring bucket collections are not what they were for Barn 2000 and DRIP when they funded over 10% of the projects. We are aware that many people now do not carry change but we are very happy to receive notes or there are QR code posters around the theatre which allow you to donate via mobile phone. Card donations can also be made by credit or debit card at the various card reader locations around the FOH area.



Oxted Musical Theatre Company are performing "**Scrooge**", a wonderful adaptation of the Charles Dickens short story "A Christmas Carol", the story of the miserly Ebenezer Scrooge who, after a night facing the ghosts of his past, present and frightening future is transformed, his Christmas spirit restored. With some beautiful and memorable songs, including "I Like Life", "Money" and "Thank You Very Much" and some spectacular dance numbers, this is the perfect pre-Christmas Show. Performances will be held at from Wednesday 8th to Saturday 11th November at 7.30pm with a matinee at 2.30pm on the Saturday.

Tickets cost £15.00 for adults with additional concessions available to book online on www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk

From 16th to 18th November at 7.00pm, **The New Aquarian Opera Company** will bring their first Grand Opera to the Barn Stage since the 2019 relaunch, with a fully staged production of Mozart's, **The Marriage of Figaro**.

The story takes place on Figaro and Susanna's wedding day; Figaro loves Susanna, the Countess still loves the Count, Cherubino loves all the ladies and as for the Count, love is not the word for how he feels about Susanna! As the Count schemes to get his wicked way, his Countess and the household plot to frustrate him with their own twists of fate and agendas. Mozart's unparalleled music sees the flaws of humanity laid bare, with a triumphal ending that is truly joyous.

It is in English with an extraordinarily funny translation by Amanda Holden (not the BGT one) and an amazing cast of soloists, some of who have performed with ENO, Irish National Opera and Glyndebourne. This will be a fully staged production of four acts with a six piece Chamber Ensemble.

Tickets costing just £20.00 are available from www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk



The Alter Eagles are an experienced, authentic Eagles tribute band and are performing at the Barn Theatre on Friday 24th November at 7.45pm. Formed in 2003, they perform the whole repertoire of Eagles tracks, from tasteful country rock - complete with full harmonies - through to hard rocking numbers, showcasing the Eagles' trademark duelling electric guitars. The current set comprises material from 35 years of Eagles' performances, up to and including 2007's Long Road Out of Eden.

Lauded for their accuracy, the Alter Eagles are a tribute to the Eagles, pure and simple and in a typical two hour set play many of the band's greatest hits, including Hotel California, Desperado, Life In The Fast Lane, How Long, Lyin' Eyes, Take It Easy and One Of

These Nights. The Alter Eagles are: Steve McCormack (guitars, vocals), Alan Tomkins (keys, guitars, vocals), Mike Bradley (guitars, vocals), Ollie Green (drums and percussion) and Rob Beattie (bass, vocals).

We hope to see you at the show.

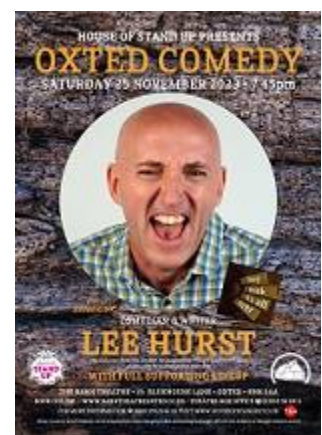
Tickets costing £25.00 are available from www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk

Join **Lee Hurst** and guests as **House of Stand Up** presents 'An Evening of Top London Comedy' on 25th November at 7.45pm.

The bald one from the hit BBC TV programme 'They Think It's All Over' shows why he is even better seen live.

After earning his spurs on the UK comedy circuit Lee became the warm-up man for Have I Got News for You? The producers needed a warm-up man for the pilot of their new comedy sports quiz, They Think It's All Over, and Lee being as sharp as he was they decided to have him as a regular panelist. Although he had no sporting prowess and he knew next to nothing about football, he won over millions of viewers each week with his quick witted banter. Lee appeared as a regular panelist in the first five series of They Think It's All Over, leaving in 1998.

He returned for two appearances as a guest towards the end of its run for Series 17 in 2004, and for the Comic Relief 24 Hour Panel People Special on 6 March 2011. Lee's other TV credits include presenting Shark Tank, Salvage Squad and The Warehouse, and guest appearances on That's Show Business, The Stand Up Show and Have I Got News For You.



He also appeared as a regular panelist on Don't Give Up Your Day Job as well as fronting ITV's short-lived revival of the entertainment show Saturday Night Live.

Lee was the creator of Bring Me the Head of Light Entertainment, which ran for five series on Channel 5 between 1997 and 2000. On radio, Lee has guest ed on The Steve Wright Show, Euromix, Two Men and a Transmitter and The Robert Elms Show. He was team captain on Hold the Front Page. He also presented Wriggling with Eels, a study of Cockney comedians for BBC Radio 4.

Tickets costing £20.00 are available from www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk 16+



Glow Theatre Group are performing **Les Misérables** (School Edition) from 30th November to 2nd December at 7.30pm.

Winner of over 100 international awards, **Les Misérables** is an epic and uplifting story about the survival of the human spirit. This slightly abridged edition of the show will carry you away with one of the most memorable scores of all time and some of the most fascinating characters ever to grace the stage. In 19th century France, Jean Valjean is released from years of unjust imprisonment. He initiates a life-long search for redemption as he is pursued relentlessly by police inspector Javert. Finally during the Paris student uprising of 1832, Valjean is presented with the opportunity to redeem his past before it is too late. Epic, grand and uplifting, **Les Misérables**

(School Edition) packs an emotional punch that has thrilled audiences across the world.

Tickets costing £14.00 are available from www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk

Book Tickets

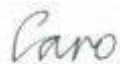
We are also booking tickets for:

- Glow Theatre Group with Seussical JR (7th - 8th December)
- Glow Theatre Group with Guys & Dolls JR (9th December)
- The Unravelling Wilburys (10th December)
- A Celebration of Christmas (16th December)
- The Oxted Players with Aladdin (12th - 20th January)
- Chaperone Training (24th January)
- Ghosthunters (26th January)
- Leaps and Beats with Neophiliac Minds (3rd February)
- Merry Opera with The Merry Magic Flute (9th February)

		
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Hope to see you at the next Sunday Club, or as soon as possible in the future and that you will support us as much as you are able.

Cheers

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Caro".

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