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MEET HANS' BAR AND GRILL HEAD CHEF

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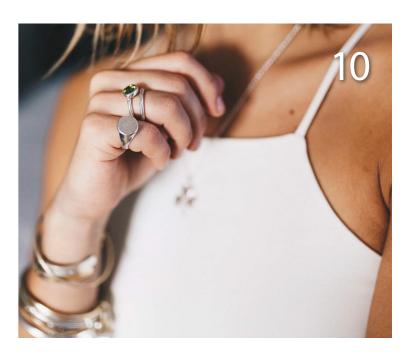
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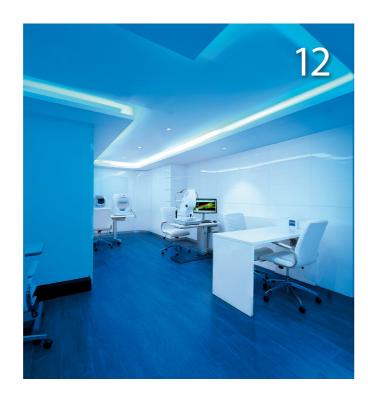
Along with cooler weather and longer evenings, the new season brings a flurry of exciting artisan stores to the area – all of them independent and best in their field, from beautifully crafted shoes to eclectic stationery and striking jewellery. We take a look at some of the recent openings on p8, with further to follow in the new year.

Food is top of our minds this month as we celebrate Chocolate Week with a tempting cocoa themed market on 13th October, and Chelsea becomes a hub for the London Restaurant Festival with a Pavilion Road Tasting Tour and 'Eat Art' event at Saatchi. There is also, as ever, plenty to feast your eyes on with our round-up of neighbourhood exhibitions and events.

Until next month,



Hugh Seaborn Chief Executive, Cadogan





# What's on in Chelsea

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#### Penumbra: Textured Shadow, Coloured Light

3 to 21 Oct - Saatchi Gallery www.saatchigallery.com

This major new exhibition is Rashid Khalifa's London debut, presented and curated by Eva McGaw and Tatiana Palinkasev. This display offers the viewer an immersive opportunity to experience the beauty of textured shadows and light cast through polychromatic metal structures.

#### 1918-2018: Centenary Reconciliation Concert

10 Oct - Cadogan Hall www.cadoganhall.com

This concert is to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the end of the First World War. Works from the last century offer explosions of reflection, renewal and the spirit of ultimate triumph. A donation from every ticket sold will be given to the Chelsea Pensioners.

#### Chocolate Market

13 Oct - Duke of York Square www.dukeofyorksquare.com

In celebration of National Chocolate Week (15-21 October) and overseen by the statue of Sir Hans Sloane – who introduced chocolate to the UK in 1689 – this addition to the weekly Fine Food Market will bring you some of the finest artisanal chocolatiers.

#### Ear for Eye

25 Oct to 24 Nov - Royal Court www.royalcourttheatre.com

The latest highly thought-provoking play by Debbie Tucker Green explores black British identity and social frustration at the continuing devastating effects of systematic racism. This play combines large and provocative ideas with boundary-breaking concepts on stage.







#### Byron: Angel & Outcast

11 Oct - Cadogan Hall www.cadoganhall.com

A performance offering an intimate glimpse into the life of Lord Byron; a poet, campaigner and serial lover who lived through fame and scandal in Regency England. World-class pianist Dina Duisen, along with others, will bring the story to life with performed poems, journals and letters with music by Beethoven. All proceeds will go to The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity.

#### London Restaurant Festival -Chelsea Highlights

4, 8 & 17 Oct - Pavilion Road www.inchelsea.co.uk

On 4 October, enjoy the 'Pavilion Road Tasting Tour' with gourmet tastings and talks from a host of the finest artisan retailers, followed by a three course menu at Granger & Co or Wulf and Lamb. On 8 October, Australian chef Bill Granger is hosting a special dinner at his restaurant, while on 17th 'Eat Art' at Saatchi fuses art and food, offering a private tour of the gallery after hours, followed by a four course dinner at Gallery Mess.

#### Peter Barber: 100 Mile City and Other Stories

20 Oct to 27 Jan - Design Museum www.designmuseum.org

The first ever exhibition by Peter Barber will showcase his 20 years' worth of work as an architect and urbanist. A range of handmade models, drawings, large-scale photographs and sketchbooks will demonstrate the constraints and possibilities of the current housing crisis and the role of architecture in creating a more humane city.

#### Reflections

19 to 30 Oct - National Army Museum www.nam.ac.uk

An emotive exhibition showcasing artwork created by veterans as part of their recovery from trauma; from the psychological impact to its ability for relief and escapism. The exhibition encompasses symbolic reflections of thoughts and feelings, societal observations as well as the pure pleasure the art can offer.

For more local events and exhibitions, visit www.inchelsea.co.uk



# Get to know exciting 'one of a kind' shops at Duke of York Square & Pavilion Road, including Miista, Really Wild Clothing, Daniella Draper & Papersmiths...

#### MIISTA 41 Duke of York Square www.miista.com

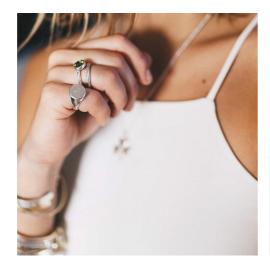
Independent shoe brand Miista has recently opened in the Square. The shoes are designed by Cordwainers graduate Laura Villasenin and team in her East London studio, before being handmade in Alicante, Spain, by a highly skilled community that has been upholding tradition since the 19th century. The wearable, luxurious pieces are feminine and timeless.

### DANIELLA DRAPER 39 Duke of York Square www.danielladraper.com

Another newbie on the Square is Daniella Draper, offering unique keepsake jewellery inspired by travel and romance. From timeless classic rings, necklaces, bracelets to stackable rings and a personalised range, Daniella Draper allows you to add your own personal touch to your outfits.









#### PAPERSMITHS 170 Pavilion Road www.papersmiths.co.uk

Among the row of artisan neighbours, Papersmiths has opened their store on beautiful Pavilion Road. With goods to inspire and tools to create, pop by to browse eveything from sensational stationery and lovely gifts to interesting reads. For the perfect present, Papersmiths notebook personalisation is available with the shop's monogramming service.

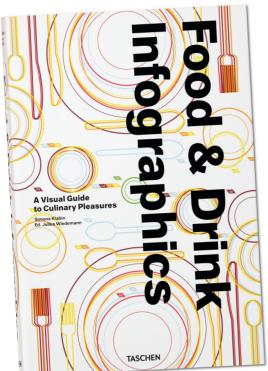
#### REALLY WILD CLOTHING 39 Duke of York Square www.reallywildclothing.co.uk

Having recently opened at Duke of York Square, Really Wild Clothing's pop-up boutique is a must - visit this autumn. It houses the new AW18 collection which combines the best of British heritage and craftsmanship, along with contemporary styling and design. Browse amongst the vast range of clothing from beautiful leather biker style boots and luxurious cashmere knitwear to Liberty London silk prints and stylish tailored tweeds.

# Retail Therapy

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Celebrate all things foodie this month with a feast from local shops...



Food Infographics £50



The White Company Breakfast In Bed Tray







**Smoothies** £4.45-£7.45



Really Wild Reversible Leather Fur Box Jacket in Chocolate £625



Harvey Nichols -Pink Grapefruit & Lemongrass Gin Liqueur - £22



Partridges

Boutique 1 Alexa Chung Banana Tshirt £75



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### Exclusively for You



#### COMPLIMENTARY EYE EXAMINATION - TOM DAVIES

Sloane Square www.tdtomdavies.com

Tom Davies Bespoke Opticians eye clinics are among the most advanced in the world. Equipped with the latest state-of-theart diagnostic equipment from ZEISS, they view eye health in the greatest depth and track its progression. They offer regular comprehensive eye examinations to give you peace of mind over your eye health.

Tom Davies is a prestigious British eyewear brand, built on the principles of fit, form and function. It offers a full, bespoke spectacle service, as well as 'off the shelf designs' and uses the highest quality materials, principally natural horn, pure titanium and cotton acetate.

As a Cadogan Concierge member, enjoy a complimentary eye examination at Tom Davies Sloane Square (RRP £150). To make your appointment, contact +44 (0)20 7730 5454

T&C's: The invitation is valid until the end of October 2018.

### Exclusively for You



### AFTERNOON TEA WITH A COMPLIMENTARTY UPGRADE - JUMEIRAH CARLTON TOWER

Cadogan Place - Knightsbridge www.jumeirah.com

The award-winning Symphony Afternoon Tea offers a harmony of delightful flavours. The taste performance begins with the Overture; a selection of savoury cones proposed to set the tone of your experience. Savoury Symphonies are next, including a contemporary twist on traditional afternoon tea savouries such as a Brioche bridge roll with Royal Warrant Holder John Ross Jr smoked salmon and duck egg mayonnaise. Following this is the sweet serenades, including a mini tiramisu with whipped coffee ganache and a Sicilian pistachio éclair with cranberry compote. Guests finish their experience with a delicate coconut and lemongrass sorbet. Offered from 2-6pm daily, guests will also be serenaded by the resident harpist whilst they enjoy their Afternoon Tea experience.

 $Enjoy\, a\, complimentary\, upgrade\, to\, a\, champagne\, Laurent-Perrier\, Afternoon\, Tea\, experience\, when\, quoting\, `Cadogan\, VIP'\, upon\, booking.$ 

T&Cs: Cadogan VIP guests will be offered one glass of Champagne Laurent-Perrier Brut alongside their Afternoon Tea. Offer is available until 11th November 2018 when the Symphony Afternoon Tea ends and is replaced with Festive Afternoon Tea.



Hans' Bar & Grill is the latest restaurant to open amid the gourmet paradise on Pavilion Road. We speak to Head Chef Adam England about the menu and his inspiration – plus don't miss an exclusive offer for Cadogan VIP readers...

#### HANS BAR AND GRILL www.hansbarandgrill.com

Located just a stone's throw from Chelsea's bustling Sloane Square, Hans' Bar & Grill offers an oasis of calm, nestled amongst the artisanal shops and food suppliers of the picturesque street. Head Chef Adam England (previously from Le Pont de la Tour) has created an all-day seasonal menu, rooted in British produce and underpinned by his classical cookery skills - highlights include signature duck breast, confit salmon, goats curd and cucumber, and his own take on classic veal carpaccio. Hans' Bar & Grill is the perfect place to relax into Sunday morning breakfast, drop by for a quick superfood salad during the week, or cocktails followed by dinner.

We get the inside view from Head Chef, Adam England...

#### What led you to becoming a chef?

I've always loved food. I had a job in a kitchen in Manchester when I was about 14, started off washing dishes, moved onto veg prep and then just progressed from there. I studied IT at college but found it really boring, so decided to pursue a career as a chef instead.

#### What is the most popular dish on the current menu?

Poached salmon with compressed cucumber, whipped goats curd and oyster leaf.

#### Do you source produce from any local retailers?

Wherever possible! We use Natoora (on Pavilion Road) for a lot of seasonal fruit and veg.

#### How frequently is the menu changed at Hans Bar and Grill?

The main menu changes seasonally (every 3 months or so) but we run

specials regularly and the set menu changes as often as we see fit.

#### Are there any chefs you particularly admire?

There are a lot of current chefs that I admire and the usual suspects - Sat Bains, Sat Bains, Simon Rogan and Daniel Clifford. But I'd say Nathan Outlaw is one that currently stands out for me (even though I'm not a big fish eater), because it takes a lot of confidence to keep food as simple as he does and let the produce shine through.

#### Where do you get the inspiration for your dishes from?

Literally anywhere. Books, eating out, market reports. Sometimes I just get an idea and I will play with it until it becomes a plate of food that I am happy with.

#### Do you have a signature dish?

Not as such although our Salmon dish is heading that way! Along with our tuna tartar with yuzu & wasabi (pictured right).





#### What should we keep an eye out for at Hans Bar and Grill?

Herb crumpet, fig poached with lemon thyme, goats curd & honey.

#### When you go out to eat, what is your favourite dish?

I tend to go Asian when we go out. I always order squid and you can't beat a good pad Thai.

#### **EXCLUSIVE OFFER**

Book through your Lifestyle Manager to enjoy a complimentary glass of champagne on arrival for tables up to 6 guests.

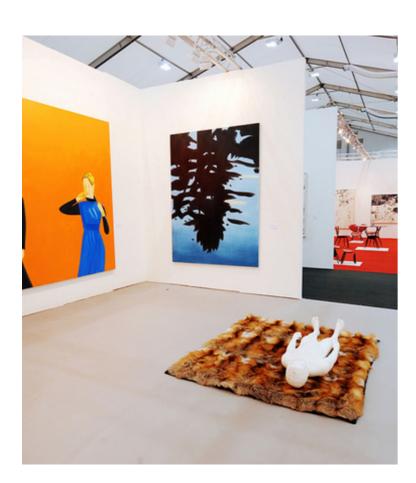
Why not extend your dinner to a night's stay at 11 Cadogan Gardens with 10% off best available rates, inclusive of a full English breakfast for two guests and a welcome amenity.

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# VIP Social Diary

THEATRE • SPORT • PREMIERES • EXCLUSIVE

Cadogan Concierge is here to enhance your social diary. We can access tickets for a range of occasions including many sold out or unobtainable events. Please contact us for further details of events covering the world of theatre, sport, exhibitions, comedy, film premieres and concerts...



FRIEZE LONDON 4 to 7 Oct – Regent's Park www.frieze.com

Discover over 1000 of the world's most exciting artists and the worlds leading art galleries at Frieze London. View and buy the crème de la crème of contemporary as well as experience the critically acclaimed curated sections and talk programme.

LONDON RESTAURANT FESTIVAL 1 to 31 Oct – London www.londonrestaurantfestival.com

October brings even more excuses to eat out with the return of London Restaurant Festival. Celebrating its 10th anniversary and involving hundreds of the capital's best venues, the unique programme of 60 events includes restaurant-hopping tours, gourmet odysseys, chef-hosted events, eat art and ultimate gastronomic weekends.







#### ANOTHER ENGLAND – NOW GALLERY 10 Oct to 11 Nov – NOW Gallery www.nowgallery.co.uk

The third edition of NOW Gallery's annual photography exhibition, Human Stories, opens this month with Another England. The show has been developed in partnership with Historic England to showcase a series of archive photographs and research drawn from their work to map the past century of the nation's history from a Black and Asian perspective.

LONDON FILM FESTIVAL 10 to 21 Oct - Various www.lff.org.uk

This October sees the 61st BFI London Film Festival, undoubtedly the capital's – and the UK's – biggest celebration of international cinema. See an astute mix of the best movies from Cannes and prestige awards contenders from the major US studios. October's festival will screen 21 world premieres, nine international premieres, and 29 European premieres.

NFL LONDON GAMES

14, 21 & 28 Oct - Wembley Stadium
www.nfluk.com

NFL returns this October with three major games in London.
Oakland Raiders host the Seattle Seahawks in the first game on 14th October, then the Tennessee Titans take on the Los Angeles Chargers on the 21st, concluding with Jacksonville Jaguars in a matchup with the Philadelphia Eagles on the 28th.

WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR From 19 Oct – National History Museum www.nhm.ac.uk

Now in its 54th year, the Wildlife Photographer of the Year exhibition showcases extraordinary animal behaviour and the breath-taking diversity of life on earth. Explore the world's best nature photography, chosen from over 45,000 entries by expert judges. The images were awarded for their creativity, originality and technical excellence.

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