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What's on in Chelsea

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Gunter

3-25 April, Royal Court Theatre
royalcourttheatre.com

Awarded five-stars by the Financial Times, this performance covers the disturbing history of murder and witchcraft in the 1600s, all sparked by a football match. An award-winning production that premiered at last year's Edinburgh Fringe Festival, this is a must see.

Spring in a Bottle: A Seasonal Perfume Workshop

14 April, Chelsea Physic Garden
chelseaphysicgarden.co.uk

Master the art of perfumery, inspired by the seasonal beauty of fragrant flowers and plants, in this immersive workshop set within London's oldest botanical garden. This whimsical adventure will draw on the scents of spring as you create your very own bespoke perfume to take home with you. Tickets are £50.



ZooLab: Meet Amazing Animals

10 April, National Army Museum
nam.ac.uk

Join a team of real-life survival experts from the animal world to understand how they survive in extreme conditions and learn how soldiers might take inspiration from them. In this free to attend family-activity, you will learn how tarantulas catch their rations and why snails keep their kit bag on them at all times.



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Gyles Brandreth

26 April, Cadogan Hall
cadoganhall.com

Babbling since he was a baby, Gyles Brandreth will be recognized from his multiple appearances on Pointless, QI, Would I Lie To You?, The One Show and Celebrity Gogglebox. A novelist, actor, ex-MP, podcaster, number one best-selling bibliographer and general wordsmith, he is known for his sell-out performances. This one-man show is not to be missed.



Sofia Laskari: Body and Flesh

Until 12 May, Saatchi Gallery
saatchigallery.com

A showcase of works by 2023 Robert Walters UK New Artist prize winner, Saskia Laskari invites you to consider physical and mental challenges faced by individuals today. A deeply personal and relatable exploration of the human experience and addresses feelings of isolation, distress, rage and vulnerability.



Jazz Up the 80s with the Jay Rayner Sextet

12 April, The Pheantry
pizzaexpresslive.com

A celebration of the greatest jazz-influenced chart hits of the 80s by the Jay Rayner Sextet. Restaurant critic, MasterChef judge and jazz pianist, Jay Rayner leads a sextet of top flight musicians with new arrangements of brilliant tracks by Sade, Everything But The Girl, Sting and much more. Big hair recommended!



Yinka Shonibare CBE: Suspended States

From 12 April, The Serpentine
serpentinegalleries.org

Discover Yinka Shonibare's first UK exhibition in over 20 years, a showcase of new works that investigate how power systems affect sites of refuge, debates on public statues, the ecological impact of colonization and the legacy of imperialism on conflict and consequential attempts at peace. Free to enjoy, her works address the suspension of psychological, physical, and geographical boundaries.

Create in Clay

27 April, Design Museum
designmuseum.org

A hands-on workshop designed to introduce you to the art of clay design. From clay preparation to making pinch pots into functional whistles, attendees will then take to the potter's wheel where they can explore their creativity without fear of failure.



Salon Privé

18-20 April, Royal Hospital Chelsea
salonprivelondon.com

For three spectacular days in April, an unrivalled celebration of automotive excellence illuminates this distinguished setting in the heart of London. Immerse yourself in the exhilarating world of luxury automobiles – both classic and modern – against a sumptuously elegant backdrop. With its exclusive 'Concours de Vente' – an expertly curated selection of 75 rare and historic cars, all of which are for sale – and peerless programme of elite marque celebrations, alongside premium shopping and fine dining, this remains the preeminent event of its kind.



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CHELSEA IN BLOOM

20-26 MAY 2024



Chelsea in Bloom

20-26 May, Across Chelsea
chelseainbloom.co.uk

Save the date for Chelsea's largest free-to-attend flower festival where over 120 of your favourite shops, restaurants and businesses will transform their frontages with floral masterpieces inspired by this year's theme – 'Floral Feasts'. From 20-26 May, feast your eyes on scenes from The Lady and The Tramp and The Very Hungry Caterpillar, as well as Willy Wonka inspired creations and Winnie-the-Pooh as Chelsea comes alive with an explosion of creativity. To find out who is involved and how to support this year's charity partner, The Felix Project, visit chelseainbloom.co.uk.

Brunch Club

Chelsea's brunch scene is thriving. In celebration of National Brunch Month, here is where to find the finest Full English and most perfect poached eggs in the neighbourhood.

Colbert

50-52 Sloane Square, London, SW1X 8AX
colbertrestaurant.com

Overlooking the hustle and bustle of Sloane Square, brunch at Colbert is almost something of an institution, particularly if you can secure one of their Square-side seats al fresco. Their kedgeree is menu stalwart whilst the classic full English is the best of British-brunching, or for something a little lighter, the Bircher muesli or mashed avocado on multi-seed bloomer make for two perfect options. Alternatively, embrace Parisian-chic and indulge in a freshly made pain au chocolat or two.





Granger & Co.

237 Pavilion Road, London, SW1X 0BP
grangerandco.com

Get there early to skip the queues and if you can, grab a table outside and spend your morning people watching. The menu needs no introduction, famous for its ricotta hotcakes, gleaming with honeycomb butter, and the scrambled eggs and dusty knuckle sourdough, that crowd pleases day in, day out. Some of their newer additions are well worth a try too, the omelette brioche roll takes the brunch sandwich up a level whilst the sunny eggs and cavolo nero pesto will give plain eggs a run for their money.



Cantinetta Antinori

4 Harriet Street, London SW1X 9JR
cantinetta-antinori.uk

Cantinetta Antinori offers a Tuscan twist on brunch, complete with a vibrant atmosphere when packed full of hungry Sloane Street locals. Alongside the main menu, dedicated brunch specials include cacio e pepe omelette and scrambled eggs all'arrabiata, a delicious way to start your day prior to a little retail therapy around the corner. And whilst it might be earlier in the day, it's definitely not too late to enjoy their tiramisu for dessert. It's famous around here.

The Ivy Chelsea Garden

195-197 King's Road, London SW3 5EQ
ivycollection.com

A stylish spot on the King's Road, we would be surprised to hear if you hadn't already visited. The Weekend Brunch menu at The Ivy Chelsea Garden promises a delicious start to your day, featuring much-loved classics including Eggs Benedict with hand-pulled ham and their vegetarian Avocado Benedict. The all-day menu is also available for those that are looking for something a little more substantial – we suggest you browse this with a Bloody Mary in hand.



Vardo

9 Duke of York Square, London SW3 4LY
caravanandco.com

With a menu inspired by dishes from across the globe, you will want to make sure you're hungry. Whilst pancakes, smashed avocado, and French toast feature, expect some more unique options to consider. The house spiced black beans on sourdough and the Korean style buttermilk fried chicken complete with a kimchi pancake are high on regulars' radars, whilst the golden spiced yogurt and poached pear is a much-loved sweet alternative.

Don't miss out and book your table pronto.



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Inspired by this month's London Marathon, shop the neighbourhoods best active essentials.



Kiton
Outdoor Jacket
£3,740



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£950



Tanner Krolle
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Satin Stripe Sweatshirt
£115



Designers Guild
Eleanora Water Bottle
£24



Free People
Movement Tighten Up Tank
£28

Ortigia Sicilia
Aragona Bath Salts 550g
£30



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£38



FARM Rio
Adidas Farm Logomania Pink Shorts
£40



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Nylon Backpack
£1,500



DIOR
Fitness Set
£5,700

Sirplus
Green Ribbed Organic Cotton Socks
£15



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£1,345



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£95

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£62



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Girls Khaki Skort
£44.95

Space NK
This Works Deep Sleep Bath Soak
£24



Varley
Taylor Pool Towel
£70



Diptyque
The Art of Hand Care Travel Set
£42



Poetry
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£189



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165 Sloane St, London, SW1X 9QB
twigaworld.com

Sumosan Twiga has announced a dramatic interior renovation and refresh to all entertainment, ushering in a new era for the Knightsbridge venue. Celebrate this special occasion with them as they get ready to welcome you with a complimentary glass of Veuve Clicquot champagne on arrival on the night of your booking. You can dine on the vibrant first floor choosing from a sophisticated à la Carte Italian & Japanese menu or choose the bar & lounge on the second floor for a more energetic and dynamic atmosphere.

To redeem your special treat, please book via your Lifestyle Manager or quote 'Cadogan VIP' when making your reservation either by phone at 02030960222 or by email to reservations@twigaworld.com.

T&Cs - Complimentary glass of Veuve Clicquot champagne on arrival for a maximum of 10 guests per dining reservation, excludes Saturday and Sunday and private dining. Complimentary prosecco reception and 10% off the bill for any reservations of the private hire spaces. Offers available on reservations or private hire bookings until 30 September 2024.



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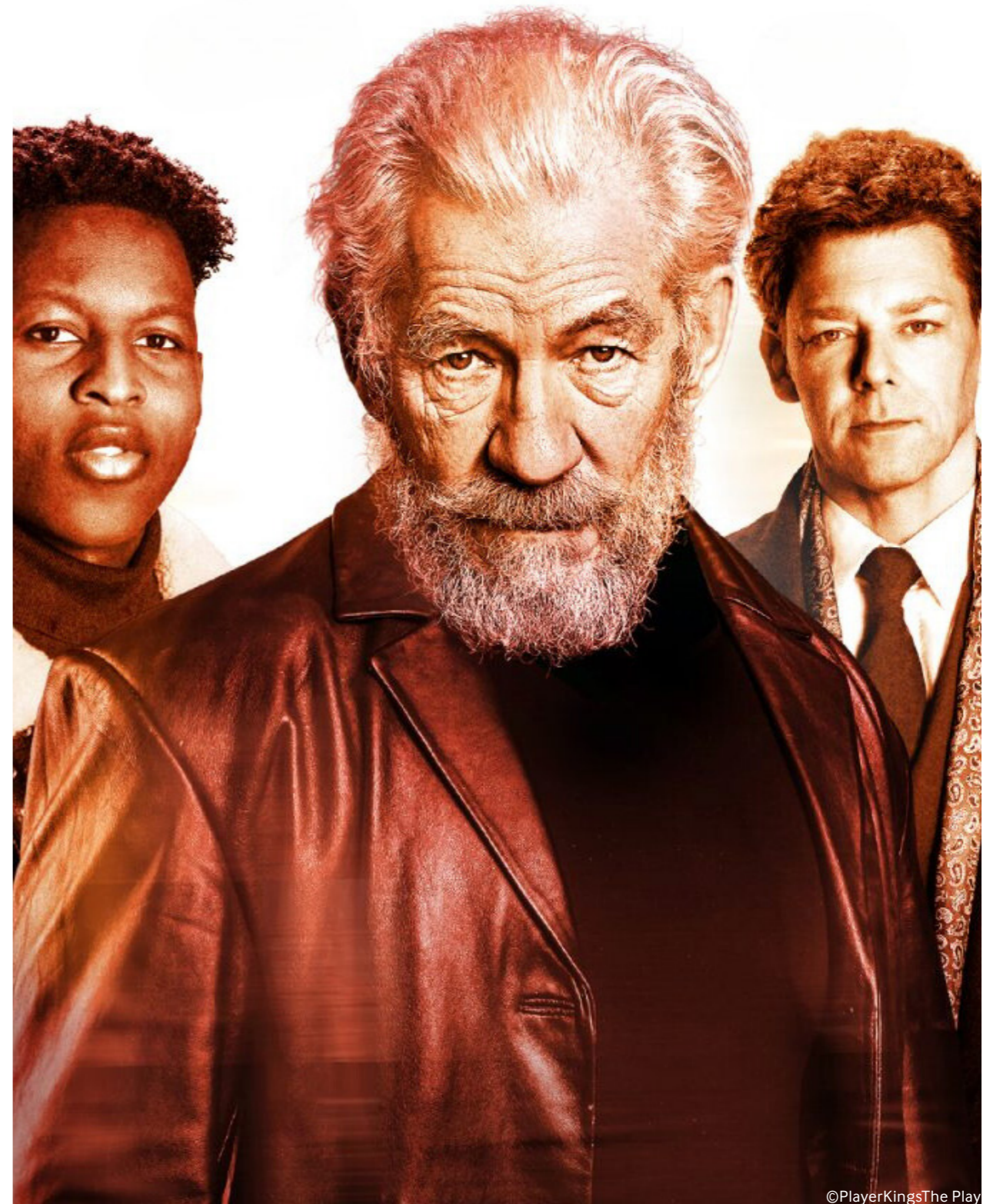
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Your London

We take a look at some of the Capital's most exciting dates for your diary.

We can access tickets for a range of occasions including many sold out or unobtainable events. Please contact us for further details covering the world of theatre, sport, exhibitions, comedy, film premieres and concerts...



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Player Kings

1 April - 22 June | Noël Coward Theatre
playerkingstheplay.co.uk

Ian McKellen stars as Falstaff in a new version of Shakespeare's *Henry IV*, adapted by the award-winning writer and director Robert Icke. The story follows England as a divided country, leadership crumbling and corruption in the air. Hal was not born to be King, yet now it seems, he will be. Will he follow his father's wishes and leave his friend Falstaff behind in the taverns of Eastcheap? Bringing together Shakespeare's two great history plays (*Henry IV*, parts 1 and 2) into the theatrical event of the season, *Player Kings* will reign over London's West End for twelve weeks only, be sure not to miss it.

The London Coffee Festival

11 - 14 April | The Truman Brewery
londoncoffeefestival.com

The London Coffee Festival is the world's greatest coffee event, embracing London's bustling coffee scene and its creative subcultures and confirms the Capital's place as one of the most advanced coffee cities on earth. Enjoy tastings and demonstrations from over 250 artisan coffee and gourmet food brands, as well as interactive workshops, street food, coffee-based cocktails, music and art exhibitions.



Sony World Photography Awards Exhibition 2024

19 April - 6 May | Somerset House
somersethouse.org.uk

Discover incredible stories from around the world told through the visual language of photography and experience the full spectrum of this diverse medium at the Sony World Photography Awards exhibition. The highly anticipated Sony World Photography Awards exhibition returns to Somerset House this April, bringing extraordinary images – from luscious landscapes to impressive architecture, striking street shots to moving documentary projects – to an iconic location.



The Last Caravaggio

18 April - 21 July | The National Gallery
nationalgallery.org.uk

In May 1610, Caravaggio was in Naples working on the last picture he'd ever paint. Two months later, he died in mysterious circumstances. It was during his final tumultuous years that Caravaggio made some of his most striking works. Few paintings are better placed to tell the story of Caravaggio's final years than his last-known work, 'The Martyrdom of Saint Ursula' which is coming to The National Gallery this season and will be the first time it has been seen in London for over 20 years.



2024 TCS London Marathon

21 April | Across London
tcslondonmarathon.com

The first London Marathon took place in 1981 and it has since become one of the most popular marathons in the world. The route takes in many of London's best landmarks including Buckingham Palace, Tower Bridge and Canary Wharf. Whether taking part or cheering on, head out to enjoy the electric London Marathon atmosphere. Feeling inspired to stay active? Shop our essentials for your active lifestyle on pages 12-15.



In The Round Festival

18 - 27 April | Roundhouse
roundhouse.org.uk

In The Round Festival returns for its seventh year with an eclectic line up of emerging and established artists, with intimate performances set on the Roundhouse's unique circular stage. Discover unmissable shows from the likes of Tirzah, Vashti Bunyan and Lonnie Holley plus a very special tribute to Joni Mitchell for her 80th birthday featuring Emeli Sandé, Sam Amidon and Kate Stables, hosted by Cerys Matthews.



Spring Plant Fair

14 April | The Garden Museum
gardenmuseum.org.uk

Every year at the Garden Museum Spring Plant Fair, expert plant growers and specialist nurseries from around the country gather to sell some of the best garden plants in London. From shade specialists to plants for pollinators, meet the growers and pick their brains on what will flourish in your garden, balcony or allotment. Stalls at this year's fair will include Great Dixter Nursery and Beth Chatto's Plants & Gardens, providing a rare opportunity to shop garden plants grown by these beloved and historic nurseries.

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