

UEJC Spring Programme 2008

Sat 5 Jan Jazz Café £2.50 (£2)

Your monthly chance to catch some of our excellent house trio (with the occasional excellent guest), sample our excellent bar, and have a chat with some excellent friends (you supply those). Families welcome, excellent or otherwise.

Sun 27 Jan Liane Carroll £8 (£6)

Our first ever solo performance comes from singer and pianist Liane Carroll. Two highly acclaimed solo albums attest to the fact that she needs no assistance, although she can and does work with a range of other artists - from Sir Paul McCartney to drum'n'bass outfit London Elektricity. The only person to win two BBC Jazz Awards in the same year, she also picked up one of the first Ronnie Scott's Jazz Awards this year, for best female vocalist.



"Swinging like hell one minute, brutally expressive and heartbreakingly tender the next... utterly brilliant" - *Time Out*

Sat 9 Feb Jazz Café £2.50 (£2)

Sun 24 Feb Ingrid Laubrock with the House Trio £7 (£5)

Originally from Germany, Ingrid has lived in London for the last 18 years, gradually building a reputation as one of the finest of a new generation of saxophonists and composers. She plays baritone, tenor, alto and soprano instruments - the latter being her current preference. A key member of the *Fire Collective*, a hotbed of young London jazz talent, she pops up in several of its exciting bands, as well as fronting her own duo, quintet and nonet whose various recordings and live performances (including notable appearances at recent Cheltenham Jazz Festivals) have drawn wide critical acclaim.



"Darkly beautiful and breathtakingly inventive" - *All About Jazz*

Sat 15 Mar Jazz Café £2.50 (£2)

Sun 30 Mar Gary Husband's 'Drive' £8 (£6)

Drive is a new and exciting project from Gary Husband. Drummer with the hugely popular 80s outfit *Level 42*, he has pursued a very successful parallel career in jazz, both as drummer and pianist, playing with the likes of *John McLaughlin*, *Allan Holdsworth*, *Randy Brecker* and *Billy Cobham*. *Drive* features the tenor saxophone of *Julian Siegel* (winner of the 2007 BBC Jazz Award for best instrumentalist), trumpet of *Richard Turner*, and double bass of American *Michael Janisch*. It also offers the chance to see Gary as pianist as well as drummer. The band's only appearance to date - at London's *Vortex Club* - attracted rave reviews.



"a darkly lyrical pianist, a relentlessly inventive drummer and a composer with a voice all his own" - *Jazzwise Magazine*
"The guy's a genius." - *Billy Cobham*

Sat 12 Apr Jazz Café £2.50 (£2)

£2 admission to any event for under-18s. All performances are at the Chipping Hall, Wotton-under-Edge. Doors open 7.30, music starts at 8.00. Phone or email mail@undertheedgejazzclub.com for more details, to book, or to be added to our mailing list. Hope to see you soon.

UNDER THE EDGE JAZZ CLUB

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www.UnderTheEdgeJazzClub.com

BOOKING INFORMATION

Visit our website for extra details on events and classes
www.UnderTheEdgeArts.org.uk

Evening performances and events

To book tickets contact number displayed with event. For Jazz Club & Jazz Café events, call 01453 845705. For all other bookings and enquiries, call 07791 323869. Tickets will also be on sale on the door, subject to availability.

Classes and workshops

To reserve places contact the relevant tutor and check start date. If tutor's phone number is not displayed, contact our programme coordinator Jo 07791 323 869. In most cases, participants pay fees directly to the tutor.



The Groove Project is a collective of young instrumentalists and vocalists who write, arrange and

perform their own music. Funded by the National Foundation for Youth Music & WAP - for details, call 07790 635 378

Volunteers

Under the Edge Arts relies on volunteers to help run the many and varied events on offer. If you have any spare time or would just be able to help on a one-off basis, please contact our volunteer coordinator Emily 07791 323869.

Friends

Every year we need to raise funds to support the programme and organisation of Under the Edge Arts; please help us by being a Friend. There are benefits for you too. Contact Rob or Margaret Carruthers for more details 01453 844129.

Thanks

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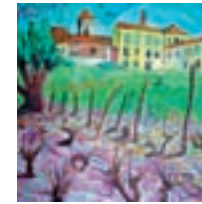
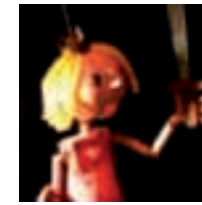
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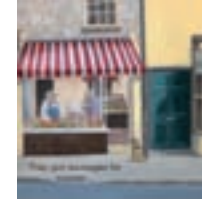


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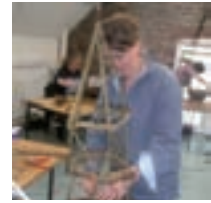


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At the
Chipping Hall,
Wotton-under-Edge



Under the edge arts



presented by
Wotton Arts
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CALENDAR

Performances and events

December

- 08 **2007 Stained Glass Exhibition** - a selection of stained glass panels designed and produced by enthusiastic and talented students at our regular class with Caroline Pederick of Gold Pink Glass. 9am-5pm
- 08 **2007 Stained Glass Auction** - 10 people were challenged to make 10 panels in 1 day on the theme 'Aspects of Wotton-under-Edge'. These beautiful creations are to be auctioned to raise money for St. Peter's Hospice and Under the Edge Arts by auctioneer Philip Taubenheim 5pm
- 08 **Jazz Café** - Informal monthly event. Fantastic house trio. Drop in for a drink & chat. £2.50 / £2 8pm
- 09 **Woodland Chair Workshop** - Make a chair from coppiced hazel on this 1 day workshop: an introduction to green woodworking. No experience necessary. Tools and materials provided. Call 01453 521200. £40 10am-4.30pm
- 15 **Christmas Concert** - Festive contributions from Under the Edge Arts groups. A seasonal feast! At Blue Coat School. £5 / £3 including a mince pie and a glass of mulled wine. 7pm
- 23 **Christmas Tea Dance** - welcoming & friendly, ballroom, Latin & sequence dancing for all ages. Just turn up! No partner needed. Includes tea & mince pies! £3.50 / £2.50 3-5pm

January

- 05 **Jazz Café** - Celebrate the New Year with the fantastic house trio. Drop in for a drink & chat. £2.50 / £2 8pm
- 07 **Volunteers Evening** - Come along for a glass of wine and a chat. Find out what's going on and how you can get involved. 6.30-8pm
- 12 **Fundraising Quiz night** - for all supporters of Under the Edge Arts. £30 for a team of up to six people. Book on 07791 323 869. 7.30pm
- 17 **AGM** - your chance to hear about the past year, future plans and ask any questions about Wotton Arts Project. Everyone welcome. 7.30pm
- 19 **'Revolution Baby (Motherhood and Anarchy in Kyrgyzstan)'** - come and meet this book's author, Saffia Farr; and experience a Kyrgyzstan (Central Asia) evening. A reading, photo presentation, music, costumes & a Yurt, plus bar and snacks. £3 7.30pm
- 20 **Hullabaloo** - Music jamming session for adults. Play or sing along with members of 'One Foot in the Groove'. £2.50 / £2 7.30-10.30pm
- 26 **Creative art workshop for children** - run by local artist & illustrator Claire Failes and based around the story of the Elves and the Shoemaker. Explore mark making and 3D design. Ages 7-10. Call Claire to book 01453 845583. £8.50 10am-4pm

- 27 **Pieces of Art for Peace** - remember, reflect, and react. Responses to conflict throughout history and around the world, in a variety of arts media, to mark National Holocaust Day. 10am-4pm
- 27 **Jazz Club** - Featuring Liane Carroll (piano/vocal) £8 / £6 8pm

February

- 02 & 03 **Stained Glass Workshop** - Make a small stained glass panel for your home or as a gift, with Caroline Pederick of Gold Pink Glass. Call 07775 772750 for details and to book. 10am-4pm
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- 09 **Woodland Chair Workshop** - Another chance to work with coppiced hazel on a 1 day workshop. Call 01453 521200. £40 10am-4.30pm
- 10 **Tea Dance** - Welcoming & friendly; ballroom, Latin & sequence dancing for all ages. Just turn up! No partner needed. Includes tea & cake. £3.50 / £2.50 3-5pm
- 16 **Children's Scrapbooking Workshop** - Try scrapbooking with Creative Memories. Use photographs to create pages to share with your friends and family. Suitable for children over 8 accompanied by an adult. Bring approx 15 recent photos. Call Jane to book and for more information 01453 521218. £10 / £5 2-4.30pm
- 16 **Crossed Wires and Coloured Strings** - Hayley Savage. First in a series of performances in the UK and the US, which feature her own new works for solo guitar, inspired by jazz, Middle Eastern, English and American folk music. £8 / £6 8pm
- 17 **Willow Workshop** - Spend the day making willow garden structures to support and enhance your garden - wigwams, fans, small hurdles and supports. Call Norah to book 01453 751010. £35 10.30am-3.30pm
- 23 & 24 **Spontaneous Expressions** - An exhibition of oil paintings, both abstract and semi-representational, by Kingswood artist Phil Jefferies. Free admission 10am-4pm
- 24 **Jazz Club** - Ingrid Laubrock (saxophones) joins the House Trio. £7 / £5 8pm

March

- 01 **Wotton Unplugged** - An Acoustic Evening. New and original music performed by local musicians. If you would like to perform call 07791 323 869. Or just come along for a drink and to enjoy a variety of live music. £2.50 / £2 8pm
- 02 **Puppet Workshop** - Stuff & Nonsense Theatre Company. Get some tips from an expert on how to make puppets come alive. Learn the tricks of the trade from a professional puppeteer and create your own puppet show. £5 10-11.30am
- 02 **Dragon's Teeth & Other Tales** - Stuff & Nonsense Theatre Company use puppetry, live music and physical theatre to create a fabulous show for the whole family. £5 / £3 2pm
- 08 **Pots of Potential** - Just turn up and paint mugs, bowls etc. Ideal Easter gifts. With Rose Chalmers. For details call 01453 844764. 2-4pm
- 08 **Tom McConville with Claire Mann and Aaron Jones (Fiddle, Flute, Whistles, Bouzouki, Guitar and Vocals)** - a unique and exciting musical relationship, performing a mixture of traditional and original Scottish, Irish and English music. £8 / £6 8pm

- 09 **BOOST** - arts workshop for children and young people with special needs. Refreshments available. 01453 845568. £2.50 2-4pm
- 15 & 16 **Spring Art Fair – Postcard Exhibition** - Back by popular demand the Wotton postcard exhibition is on again! A display of postcard-sized (6" x 4") artworks in any medium. Open to anyone of any age. Bid for your favourites. Contact Sarah or Neil on 01453 843945. Free admission. 10am-4pm
- 15 **Jazz Café** - Informal monthly event. Fantastic house trio. Drop in for a drink & chat. £2.50 / £2 8pm
- 28 **Ballet Star Gallactica** - Madam Galina: part clown, part stand up, part classical ballerina. Total hit - "has to be the result of a drunken one night stand between Tommy Cooper and Margot Fonteyn". A comedy first for UTEA, written and performed by Iestyn Edwards. Age 14+ £6 / £4 7.30pm
- 30 **Under Fives Day** - Singing, art, stories, drama, puppets, & dance. Drop in with a picnic lunch. £2 per child, free for accompanying adult. 12.30pm-4pm
- 30 **Jazz Club** - featuring Gary Husband's 'Drive' (quartet) £8/£6 8pm

April

- 02 **Hamlet** - presented by Cube Theatre. Shakespeare's story delivered faithfully, with the wit and beauty of the poetry intact. A contemporary play, featuring live original music and integrated film. Age 11+ £6 / £4 7.30pm
- 04 **Tea Dance** - Welcoming & friendly; ballroom, Latin & sequence dancing for all ages. Just turn up! No partner needed. Includes tea & cake. £3.50 / £2.50 3-5pm
- 12 **Jazz Café** - Informal monthly event. Fantastic house trio. Drop in for a drink & chat. £2.50 / £2 8pm

Classes

Dance

- Tue **New Generation** - street dance for all ages 15+: a chance to learn all the latest moves to the latest music with Sarah-Jane Noad. 0779 2054615. £3.50 / £3 6-7pm
- Tues **Wendy's Tappers'** - Adult tap dance with Wendy Noad - 07313 973786. 7-7.45pm
- Thur **Wotton Youth Dance with Gloucestershire Dance** - a fun and funky class for 12-16 year olds. Dance to the latest R&B and hip hop hits whilst improving your technique and fitness. From 10 Jan. Call 01452 550431. £2.50 4.30-5.30pm
- Thur **Traditional Egyptian Dance (Raqs Sharqi)** - with Liza Wedgwood. Focusing on the fabled gypsy entertainers of Upper Egypt, the Ghavazee. Vibrant, colourful dancing to driving rhythms and strange, beautiful melodies. For all women. Beginners are welcome. Free trial class. From 10 Jan. 01453 860025. 7pm- 8.30pm
- Sat **The Edge Street Dancers with Di King** - age 8 & up. For venue call 07794 965392. 10.30-11.30am

Arts & Crafts

- Mon fort-nightly **Spontaneous Glass** - stained glass for students with some experience, who wish to learn new skills and to work on larger projects. Call Caroline on 07775 772750. 9.30am-3pm

- Tues **NEW! 4 Arty 1s** - Arty stuff for 7-10 year olds. Exploring an exciting range of art skills and having fun with different mediums with a professional artist & illustrator. From 8 Jan. Phone Claire Failes 01453 845583. £4 3.30 - 5.30pm
- Tues **Drawing & Pastels** - drawing group with Sue Waterfield. From 15 Jan. Call 01454 319237 9.30am-12noon
- Tues fort-nightly **Art Appreciation** - tutor Rob Collins. An opportunity to look at images of artworks from different places, times and cultures. From 8 Jan. Call 01453 844070. £50 for six sessions. 8-10pm
- Tues fort-nightly **Painting with Rob Collins** - Students with all levels of skill and experience welcome. Students supply their own materials. From 15 Jan. £50 for six sessions. 8-10pm
- Wed **Painting with Rob Collins** - Life, still life and landscapes. Students supply their own materials. From 9 Jan. Call 01453 844070. £12 per session or £60 for six booked in advance. 9.30am-12.30pm
- Wed **Life Drawing** - Friendly supportive group in a relaxed atmosphere. Contact Mike Tutchell. From 9 Jan. 07759 693 826. £6.50 7.45-9.45pm
- Thur monthly **Under the Edge Quilters** - Friendly gathering, welcoming complete beginners and anyone wanting to find out about this craft. 3 Jan, 7 Feb, 6 Mar, 3 April. Call Julie Morgan 01453 843876 for details. 12-3pm

Music & Singing

- Mon **Blow Away Band with Gordon Phillips** - players of any wind instruments, of any age, are welcome to attend. A variety of music has been arranged for the group. From 7 Jan 01453 842499. £2 (£3 for two in same family) 4.15-5.15pm
- Mon **Round the Edge** - Community Choir. Great fun singing harmony from around the world in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. Open to everyone - no experience necessary. £5 / £4 8-9.30pm
- Tues **Drumming Class** - All ages welcome: children start first at 5.30, adults join at 6pm. Bring your own instrument. Contact Tony Benabu for venue. 01453 520063. £2 5.30-7pm
- Tues **Orchestra** - classical music for fun. For details & venue contact Richard 01666 890314. 7.30-9.30pm
- Tues **The Groove Project** - for young people. Contact Katie Elliott on 07790 635378 for time and venue. From 8 Jan. eve

Drama

- Mon **Soup of the Evening (12-16yrs)** - Drama: improvisation and short scripts, sharpen your skills and build your confidence. With Bill Sanderson & Will Sanderson-Thwaite. 01453 844851. From 14 Jan. £2 6.30-7.45pm
- Wed **Drama (8-13 yrs)** - Workshops, improvisation & lots of fun. Jacky Scofield & Becky Shaw. 01453 521782. From 9 Jan. £3 4.45-6.15pm
- Thurs **Drama & Creative Play (4-7yrs)** - Imaginative play, a variety of creative activities. Jacky Scofield & Becky Shaw 01453 521782. From 10 Jan. £2.50 3.30-4.15pm

