

**All Saints
Lunchtime Concerts**

Thursdays in September
1.00 – 2.00 pm

6 September Neil Crossland *piano*

13 September Sussex Camerata *string quartet*

20 September James Kirby *piano*

27 September Brian Newton-Elliott *bass*
Keith Bentley *piano*

All Saints Church, The Drive, Hove
Free admission with retiring collection

The first recitals took place in 1991 for one month only. These proved so successful that the season increased to four months in 1992, then May to September in 1994.

Information: 01273 703110

**Brighton Musical
Fraternity**

Sat 8 September
7.30 pm

First concert of the season including two singers, a pianist and a violinist.

All Saints Church Hall, Eaton Road, Hove
This concert is free, with refreshments available

Brighton Musical Fraternity was founded in 1884. Programmes include both instrumental and vocal items, mainly on the classical side but anything from Bach to Gershwin. Membership costs £15.00 per year which gives free entry to all concerts. The usual charge for guests is £2.00 per concert.

**Coastline Harmony
Chorus**



Thurs 13 September
7.30 – 9.45 pm

OPEN EVENING

Our open evenings give you a chance to hear and experience 4-part harmony singing that will send chills down your spine!

A usual weekly rehearsal night, including gentle physical warm ups, voice warm ups including "tags" for four part harmony. We will sing some of our repertoire of songs (including choreography) and also new songs.

During the event the audience will be invited to join in with us at specific points so they can get a "feel" of singing in four part harmony.

Portslade Community College, Mile Oak Road, Portslade

Coastline are a women's chorus singing four part harmony. The chorus loves to entertain and sing a wide range of music for every occasion, for example, entertaining local societies, clubs, rest homes, charities and special events.

Information: 01273 262015



Sussex Voiceworks

Mon 17 September
7.00 – 9.00 pm

OPEN REHEARSAL

Enjoy singing?

Potential new members are warmly invited to meet and sing alongside existing members to achieve high standards in a friendly and enjoyable atmosphere.

Experience the thrill of taking part in concerts, tours, festivals and recordings, singing a wide range of music with professional instrumentalists and soloists.

Sixth Form Centre, Portslade Community College, Mile Oak Road, Portslade

Sat 13 October
2.00 - 6.00 pm

CHORAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

Sing at First Sight

An exciting new course in how to sight-sing specifically designed for singers in choirs. This enjoyable workshop is designed for all those wishing to improve their existing sight-singing skills.

Methodist Church Hall, Southwick

Information: 01273 419665



Open event

Wed 26 September
2.30 - 5.00 pm

One of our monthly afternoon concerts held on the last Wednesday of the month when singers and instrumentalists take part in a very informal afternoon of light and classical music. The music includes songs from well-known musicals, and solos on a variety of instruments.

Refreshments and raffle during the interval.

All Saints Church, Eaton Road, Hove

Admission free for this concert

The club was founded in 1995. Members and visitors can listen to or take part in nostalgic live music, from pre-1960s light music to songs from musicals, instrumentalists, comedy and poetry. Annual membership is £10.00 for 12 monthly concerts starting from February, plus small additional charges for each attendance and refreshments.

Information: 680707

Membership

Membership is available to individuals or arts organisations in a "non profit making" capacity

Subscriptions

Subscriptions are due annually on 1 January

Rates for 2007 are:

- ★ for individuals: £6.00
individual members receive newsletters and Arts Diary
- ★ for organisations: £14-£36 (subject to size)
details of benefits are available from the
Membership Secretary

Arts Diary

Copy dates (for members' listings)

- ★ 31 October
for events in December, January and February
- ★ 31 January
for events in March, April and May
- ★ 30 April
for events in June, July and August
- ★ 31 July
for events in September, October and November

Advertising (*other than members' events listings*)

Advertising space is available at the following rates

- ★ £45 for 1/3 A4 panel with copy and payment received before copy dates as above
(£35 for member organisations)
- ★ pro-rata charges for smaller advertisements
- ★ 5% discount if copy and payment received one month before copy date

SOUTHWICK PLAYERS



Wed-Sat 12-15 September
7.45 pm

TALKING HEADS

by Alan Bennett

"The Outside Dog" – Louise Yeo
"Playing Sandwiches" – Guy Steddon
"The Hand of God" – Jill Etter

These three plays are taken from the second series of Alan Bennett's award-winning "Talking Heads" monologues. We meet three characters with their own story to relate. Dark, uncompromising and with increasing uneasiness, Britain's leading playwright leads us into sinister quarters, forcing us to face some of our deep-rooted fears.

**The Barn Theatre, Southwick Street
Southwick**

Tickets: £8.00

Information: 01273 597094

Public adjudication: Fri 14 September

The Southwick Players aim to promote the arts for all ages and perform four productions a year in the delightful Barn Theatre at Southwick Community Centre.

**WICK
THEATRE COMPANY**

Wed-Sat 10-13 October
7.45 pm

THE MEMORY OF WATER

by Shelagh Stephenson

Three sisters return to their crumbling childhood home on the eve of their mother's funeral. The sisters disagree on almost everything – including their memories of growing up together. Winner of the 2000 Olivier Award for Best Comedy, The Memory of Water is a roller coaster of a play, moving from the hilariously funny to the lyrical and moving.

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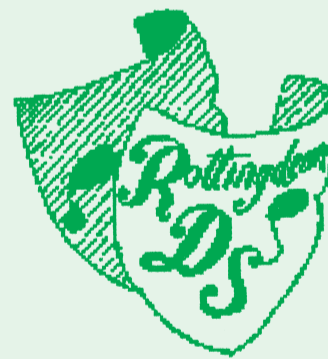
Tickets: £7.50 & £8.00

Information: 01273 597094

Public adjudication: Fri 12 October

The Wick was founded in 1948 and stages four major productions a year with a very wide age range of members at the Barn Theatre, Southwick.

**ROTTINGDEAN DRAMA
SOCIETY**



Thurs-Sun 18-21 October
Thurs-Sat 7.45 pm

Sat & Sun matinees at 2.00 pm

CHARLEY'S AUNT

by Brandon Thomas

This classic evergreen farce is set in Oxford in 1892. The imminent visit of Charles Wykeham's aunt from Brazil provides an excuse for Charles and Jack to invite their young ladies to meet her. When a telegram arrives postponing her visit, they persuade their amiable friend Babbs to impersonate the aunt. Here the fun begins.

**The Village Hall, Park Road
Rottingdean**

Tickets: £6.00 (£3.00 child)

Information: 01273 309113

Public adjudication: Fri 19 October

Rottingdean Drama Society was founded in 1949 and performs three plays and a pantomime each year in Rottingdean Village Hall.

NEW VENTURE THEATRE



Sat-Sat 10-17 November
7.45 pm

Information: 01273 746118

BOUNCERS

by John Godber

SHAKERS

by John Godber and Jane Thornton

"Bouncers and Shakers" is a parody of contemporary urban nightlife. Fast-paced and physical, these companion pieces are set in a nightclub and a cocktail lounge respectively. Performed to the beat of a contemporary soundtrack, eight actors portray multiple roles as they explore the inner and exterior worlds of friendships, hopes and dreams.

**New Venture Theatre, Bedford Place
Brighton**

Tickets: £7.00 (£6.00 Friends)
Tues £5.00 all tickets
Final Fri/Sat £8.50 (£7.50 Friends)

Private adjudication: Thurs 15 November

New Venture provides a varied season of 9 or 10 plays a year alongside classes and other events. The Club has a bar and public licence for their adaptable studio theatre seating about 60 and 80. The "praescenium arch" main house theatre is currently being developed.

**BRIGHTON & HOVE
ARTS COUNCIL**

The Arts Council was founded in 1974, and its objectives are to encourage and foster the "non profit making" arts in and around Brighton and Hove

Principal activities

- ★ publication of Arts Diary quarterly
- ★ an autumn drama competition
- ★ exhibitions for artists
- ★ exhibition/display screens available

Information: www.bh-arts.org.uk

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