

Our Top Picks for October



ONLY FOOLS AND BOYCIE **An evening with John Challis**

SATURDAY 13 OCTOBER, 7.30PM

Enjoy an intimate evening with John Challis, one of the nation's greatest comedy actors, best known as Boycie in *Only Fools and Horses*. The national treasure, who also starred in ITV's *Benidorm* as loser-in-love Monty, will reveal secrets from the set with stories and anecdotes from his dazzling career. Mr Challis will meet fans after the show to sign autographs and pose for pictures, while signing copies of his autobiography, *Being Boycie*.

Tickets: £18.50

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EGG AND SPOON

SATURDAY 27 OCTOBER, 11.30AM & 2PM

An interactive romp through the seasons where you come in and out of our magic circle and open all the gifts of nature. Percy and April get you settled and introduce you to Birdy, still hiding in his glowing egg. We have to wait 'til Spring if we want to see him so it's time to begin our hands-on journey through the year. We'll run through the rain and the falling leaves and sleep under the snow 'till the sun wakes us up for the butterfly party. Approx 45 mins, suitable for under 5s. [Watch the trailer](#)

Tickets: £9 adults, £8 children

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Kelly Oliver

Fri 12 Oct, 8pm

Described as '*blending traditional folk with bold, indie-pop*' (The Times), Kelly Oliver has released two albums to critical acclaim and visits Cranleigh Arts to celebrate her third album, [Botany Bay](#). With numerous BBC Radio 2 plays and a performance on Sunday Morning Live she is becoming known as a '*vital voice in British folk*' (Bob Harris). [Listen here](#)

"An amazing young songwriter"
Mike Harding

"A fantastic new talent" Chris
Hawkins, BBC 6 Music

Tickets: £12

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His Way: The Frank Sinatra Story

Fri 26 Oct, 7.30pm

International award winning singer Robert Habermann returns to Cranleigh Arts to sing the songs and tell the remarkable story of Frank Sinatra - from band singer to 1940s pop idol; swinging his way through the 1950s; building his own record label "Reprise" and becoming a world famous icon with great Sinatra classics: Come Fly With Me, Fly Me To The Moon, Witchcraft, You Make Me Feel So Young, My Way, New York New York and many more.

Tickets: £15.50

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An Evening of Story and Music

Thurs 18 Oct, 7.30pm

Join Olga Jegunova and Matthew Crampton for a unique concert of storytelling and piano recital. Together, they have developed a remarkable way to tell stories with music. During the first half, Matthew will perform traditional tales like The Flaming Firebird while Olga improvises around classical themes. This is storytelling at its most imaginative and bold. In the second half, Olga returns to perform some striking pieces of solo piano.

Tickets: £14

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Community Drum Circle

Sat 13 Oct, 2pm - 3pm

We are delighted to welcome Ray Watters of *Drum With Us* back for another fun-packed community drum circle. This is a fun, noisy, family friendly event where people of all ages come together to share their musical spirit. It is open to everyone and anyone, no musical experience is necessary and all drums and percussion are provided. There are no wrong notes and no mistakes. It is all about taking part and having fun so come along, grab a drum, and have a go!

Tickets: £5

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Ben Law: The Craft of a Woodsman

Tues 23 Oct, 7.30pm

Join woodsman and author Ben Law as he takes you on a journey to 'Prickly Nut Wood', his home and place of work for the past 27 years. This illustrated talk takes you through the seasonal cycle of working wood and the range of traditional and modern crafts that Ben creates, along with the benefits this brings to biodiversity in the woodland. From the humble wooden spoon to Kevin McCloud's favourite Grand Design, the diversity of produce and way of life set a benchmark for future patterns of woodland management. Ben will be signing his latest book *Woodland Workshop* after the event.

Tickets: £7

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Perfectly Imperfect Woman (14+)

Fri 5 Oct, 8pm

Multi-award-winning storyteller Danyah Miller explores what drives us to want to live perfect lives as mothers, daughters, wives, sisters and bread-winners. What makes us want to be perfect? What is so bad about imperfection anyway? This is a theatrical storytelling show with a dash of 'stand-up' thrown in. It's universal yet personal, as Danyah searches for a richer understanding of what it means to accept imperfection in order to connect more deeply to her female line. [Watch the trailer](#)

*'Straight from the heart...
storytelling at it's finest'*

★★★★★ Broadway Baby

Tickets: £12

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