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OUTSIDE? HOW ABOUT THIS ONE....

Outside is a concept album first released September 26, 1995 by David Bowie on Virgin Records. Outside introduced the characters of one of Bowie's short stories; a "non-linear gothic drama hyper cycle" called the "Diaries of Nathan Adler". The album pamphlet outlined the story of a somewhat cyberpunk version of the year 1999, in which the government had created a new bureau to investigate the phenomenon of Art Crime. In this future, murder and mutilation of bodies had become a new underground art craze. The main character, Nathan Adler, was in the business of deciding what of this was legally acceptable as art and what was, in a word, trash. The album is filled with references to characters and their lives as he investigates the complicated events leading up to the murder of a fourteen-year-old girl. So there....

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the bit an editor would write if we'd ever had one.

Sometimes I don't know why we do it to ourselves. Not content with busting our asses to get Gallery produced every month, this month we've planned a fashion and beauty show and launched a new magazine title too. It's been great and, by the time you're reading this, it will all be in the past and we'll be mid cycle again, working towards our next deadline... it never stops.

I'm going to make a tentative association here, as it's just popped into my head. This month's theme is 'outdoors'. We immediately had grand plans of staging a well thought out and crafted outdoor fashion shoot that would woo and wow you, our excellent readers. Mother Nature had other ideas; it tipped down. We therefore ended up doing our shoot (pages 60 to 66) in the Jersey Hospice aircraft-hanger-of-a-shop in St Ouen. What a place. To be honest, that much 'stuff' in one place blows me away but it's well worth an afternoon of browsing though, examining what people have grown tired and weary of, outgrown and discarded. From porcelain dolls to ciné cameras, paintings to postcards. All conceived and created with the future in mind... was this the fate they foresaw? And that's the element that just jumped at me. The disposal, the cycle.

All of us work towards things, build things, create. But what endures? Life's pretty cyclical really. Is it enough just to be content with your static production and creation cycle as an individual or is it important to strive beyond, to hyperbole and slingshot out of the norm? I guess it takes a certain type of person and a perfect set of situational variables. It's pretty difficult to be different and create difference these days, save for in a few distinct sectors, but that shouldn't put you off.

It's all relative, but I think the important thing is to be aware of your cycle and continuing to make your trajectory wider with every orbit. I'm not suggesting that you break completely but just that if you're not pushing the boundaries of your cycle; be it daily, weekly, monthly, annually then you need to sit down and think about your direction. Widen your curve, or go down the plughole.

Wow, these new Nespresso coffees must be stronger than I thought*. Balls. Back to green tea next month. It could be worse, Russ is seeing things.

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Jersey Opera House / Adults £15, children, students & senior citizens £13 / Family Ticket £48 (2 adults & 2 children or 1 adult & 3 children)

JERSEY WOMEN'S REFUGE

A holistic Ladies' day at Reg's Garden. This wonderful event will offer all sorts of therapies to try for a minimum donation - reflexology, Indian head massage, facials ect. Entertainment and refreshments will also be on offer. Women only.

If you think you'd enjoy involvement with this event please contact Julie at juliemadden@uk2.net

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10-12

JERSEY GREEN ROOM CLUB'S CENTENARY GALA 100 YEARS OF SHOWSTOPPERS

Tracing the history of the J.G.R.C. from its inauguration in 1909, through the early years, two world wars, and onward to the present day and beyond. Featuring your favourite artistes from then and now and re-living some very memorable theatrical moments in words, song dance and music. Book early!

Jersey Opera House / From £14 / 7.45pm

JUNE IN BLOOM FLORAL FESTIVAL

Enjoy a week of Jersey's parks, guided walks and talks and some local music followed by afternoon tea. the event is island wide and promises to open your eyes up to the wonders Jersey harbours.

For more information on this and other events contact Jersey Tourism on 448800.

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JERSEY AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS FESTIVAL

The exhibition will consist of pictures from the Battlespace project and from Richard Wainwright's recent assignment in Mongolia. Battlespace contains the images of Iraq & Afghanistan the media wouldn't publish and governments don't want you to see. Battlespace reveals the unseen cost to civilians and soldiers.

Berni Gallery, Jersey Arts Centre / 5.30pm to 7pm / Free admission / 7.30pm to 8.30pm / illustrated talk by Battlespace photojournalists / £6.00

JERSEY ELECTRONIC AGAINST THE GRAIN: AN ARTIST'S SURVIVAL GUIDE TO PERU

Their stirring artwork documents years of terrorism, corruption and the hard-line government of ex-president Alberto Fujimori.

7.30pm / £6.00 / £5.10 JAC members / Jersey Arts Centre

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16 FILM MAKING WORKSHOP WITH ANN KANEKO

Documentary film making workshop with director of film 'Against the Grain', Ann Kaneko. Suitable for 18 years plus. this workshop is a special chance to work with Ann Kaneko, the director of 'Against the Grain', an artist's survival guide to Peru, and will give participants a taste for documentary filmmaking. The workshop will focus on the process of documentary filmmaking, discussing, and viewing clips.

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LOVE SNATCHED, FOLLOWED BY FORCED TO MARRY

Love Snatched: Forced Marriage and Multiculturalism - This documentary tells the stories of several young people's fight for freedom.

Forced To Marry, a BBC documentary, follows the work of the British High Commission's Assistance Unit in the cases of forced marriages in Pakistan.

7.30pm / £6.00 / £5.10 JAC members / Jersey Arts Centre

TAXI TO THE DARK SIDE

Introduced by Moazzam Begg (British former Guantanamo Bay prisoner), who is featured in the film, and Ahmed Ghappour, Staff Attorney from Reprieve.

Awarded Best Documentary Feature at the 2008 Oscars, Taxi To The Dark Side is a gripping investigation into the shocking mistreatment of United States' prisoners of war held in Afghanistan, Iraq and Guantanamo Bay.

7.30pm / £6.00 / £5.10 JAC members / Jersey Arts Centre

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KISS ME, KATE DIRECTED BY CHRISTOPHER TALBOT

A must-see spectacular! One of the very best musicals of all time! Enjoy the fabulous music and lyrics of the legendary Cole Porter in this dazzling musical which was revised in 1999 for Broadway and the West End, and has won 17 Tony awards. 'Kiss Me, Kate' is sexy and sassy, and showcases a full 18-piece orchestra. With dazzling dancing, and an exciting set and costumes, this show is not to be missed.

Jersey Opera House / From £14.50 / 2.30pm and 8pm

JERSEY AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS FESTIVAL POETRY WORKSHOPS WITH CHUMA NWOKOLO

12PM - 2PM

Armed Voices; Writing Effective Poetry for Peace, poetry workshop with Chuma Nwokolo. Suitable for 18 years plus. Participants should have an interest in writing on war and peace. The workshop will be led by Nigerian, Chuma Nwokolo, a lawyer and writer; the author of Diaries of a Dead African and publisher of the African Writing Literary Magazine. Please bring: a written sample of your poetry (on any subject), as well as an image – can be a photograph, or magazine photo, on war.

£10.00 / £9.50 JAC members.

6PM - 7PM

Suitable for 18 years plus. From Mount Kilimanjaro to war memorials, an evening of poems and anecdotes – humorous and serious in turn – from former writer-in-residence of the Ashmolean Museum, Chuma Nwokolo, on encounters with garrulous artefacts and the real life.

£10.00 / £9.50 JAC members.

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THE 6TH ANNUAL DANCE WORLD CUP & ELIZABETH BARBIER ART EXHIBITION

There will be 1000 dance competitors aged from 5 to 28 from 19 countries. Gala tickets are now on sale at £15 each. Demand is high so please book your tickets as soon as possible. The box office number is 01534 449827. Please quote Dance World Cup when booking. As well as this International Artist Elizabeth Barbier will be exhibiting in Jersey for the first time.

Personal viewings with the artist can be arranged. For more information call Jane Jones 01534 766534

27-28

TUNIQUE SUMMER SHOPPING EVENT

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Jersey Opera House / From £17 / 8pm

29-30

The Outdoors Issue

Jersey always looks its best at this time of year, and whether your idea of a perfect outdoorsy summer is beaching it, barbecuing, or just bronzing, Gallery has some top suggestions to get you outdoors and enjoying the weather. So throw open the windows, step out into the sunshine and take a deep breath of warm air ... summer's here.



OUT AND OUT DECADENCE

Forget designer beach towels, or statement sunglasses – the way to make your fellow sunbathers really jealous is to turn up at the beach with your very own portable hammock. Unpack, stretch out, and enjoy the envious looks. We guarantee you'll be seeing quite a few of these on St Brelade's...

Kelsys portable hammock in blue or orange stripe. Folds into back pack (packed weight 10kg). £65 from Ransoms Garden Centre.



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Get ready for barbecue season with this exclusive silicone BBQ tool set from Jersey Pottery. Heat-resistant and completely non-stick, these tools won't damage your grill or burn your fingers – and they look the business...

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Get up close and personal with maverick chef Marco Pierre White as he answers questions about his incredible career, and what really happened behind the scenes on 'Hell's Kitchen'. Tickets include a lunch menu designed by Marco using the best of Jersey's local produce, and a signed copy of his new book, 'White Slave'.

'An afternoon with Marco Pierre White', Friday 12th June, Les Jardins de la Mer. Midday for 1pm. Tickets £95 per person. To book, contact Christine Holmes: 07797 725019 or email cholmes@profilepm.com. This event supports local charities in association with local fundraising organization, Le Tournai.



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TELL US A BIT ABOUT YOURSELF...

Born in Jersey, from school I was a dairy farmer by trade but following that took on a host of other jobs - cheffing, delivering booze, working at Fort Regent in the gym and pool before deciding to do something with my life instead of just having a job. I wanted to focus on enjoying life to the max and doing all the sports I can, especially skateboarding, windsurfing, snowboarding and waterskiing. I'm probably the oldest active skateboarder in Jersey!

WE'VE HEARD YOU'VE PICKED UP A FEW ACCOLADES...

I've competed for Jersey as a mountain-biker, I was a competitive runner in my twenties, and I'm a Jersey waterskiing champion.

Also, on a recent trip to Zagreb I decided to try and find the oldest skateboarder in Croatia and not only found him, but managed to be a year older than him too! They kindly let me spray my name on one of their ramps to leave my mark...

TELL US ALL ABOUT ACTIVE ISLAND SPORTS...

It was originally called St Brelade's Windsurfing School but taking a gamble in 1997 I decided to take it over. It was great to be a single man having fun, doing something I enjoy working for the season then going away in the winter to snowboard, cycle through the Himalayas, windsurf in Barbados and things like that.

Since taking the school on it's grown considerably and we now offer dinghy sailing, kayaking, surfing, bodyboarding, blo-karting, stand-up paddle boarding for adults and kids alike as well as summer beach camps aimed at 8-12 year olds to introduce them to the sports we offer whilst also teaching them about safety at sea.

WHO ARE YOUR GREATEST INFLUENCES AND IDOLS?

Definitely my friends, and Jersey skaters like Steve Harben. Other influences include skater Lance Mountain and surfer and windsurfer Laird Hamilton who's pretty big in stand-up paddling.

I also idolise my dad for being so sensible and my girlfriend for putting up with me!

WHAT WOULD YOU SAY IS YOUR GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT?

Managing to survive jumping from Bonne Nuit pier into about 3 foot of water was quite an achievement, as well as taking out a personal loan for £30k to fund a Porsche as a charity raffle prize when I had no money! All tickets were sold and the loan repaid, thankfully...

WHAT DO YOUR PLANS FOR THE FUTURE INVOLVE?

There are always plenty of places to go to but few that haven't been taken over by McDonalds - you can't even go to China or South America without seeing one now!

I plan to move more into teaching and am looking at developing a classroom facility at Ouaisne as part of the summer beach camps which will be great for teaching beach safety to both youths and adults as well as providing shelter from the rain on bad days!

FAST FACTS:

Favorite tippie: I'm a bit of a beer monster and substitute gaining weight for not eating (but never mix alcohol and sport!)

Favorite food:
Head on the beer

Favorite places in & outside of Jersey:
The beach, followed closely by a pub and South America

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Vicki Lucas

horse trainer

Describe yourself using three words?

Easy going, friendly and dedicated.

What exactly do you do?

I train 9 racehorses every day, seven days a week. I ride three horses a day including during the evenings and at weekends. It's a 24-hour job. I come in in the morning and muck out the stables and groom the horses. It's only the three of us working, myself, Lydia and Phillipa and my other half, Gordon Shenkin, who also rides out with us. Gordon does all the paperwork and deals with the racing and jockeys.

What is the first task of each day?

Feeding the horses, I give them their breakfast at 7am and then muck them out. I then ride out all morning and usually finish at about 12.30pm, going back again at about 4pm.

What is the best thing about your job?

It's lovely on a sunny, bright morning. It's not a job, it's a way of life and it's nice to do something that you actually enjoy and we have fun together. If you have happy staff you have happy horses.

What is the funniest thing that has ever happened to you whilst training or looking after the horses?

There was an incident up on the gallop (Paul Green's training centre St Martin's) where one of the sprinklers was on and the horses spooked and we both landed up in the sand next to each other! It's usually funny when someone falls off, providing we don't get hurt.

How did it all start?

I have been in racing for about 20 years in England and then moved to Jersey about 4 years ago. Gordon's dad owned some racehorses and then we got some more. Now we have 9 horses and have done well in the last couple of seasons. We have raced the horses in England and hopefully will have two going to St Brieuc. We have never had a winner in France but have had a few placings. The horses are mostly raced here in Jersey.

What were your ambitions as a child?

I always wanted to do something with horses. I came from a horsey family and grew up around horses.

How many horses do you have and do you have any favourites?

Nine horses and no favourites, they are all different and all have their different ways and characteristics.

Do you break the horses in yourself?

No, we just train them for horse racing.

You also work with Gordon Shenkin, how do you feel you work as a team?

Ever since we met we have always worked together in racing and we get on very well.

What is the most difficult part of your job?

There is no time off, no Sunday lie-ins.

If you could do any other job what would it be?

Be a lady of leisure.

What is your greatest achievement?

When you have a horse and think that it's not going to be good and then get it to win the race. When one of our horses wins we are jumping around like loony bins.

What advice would you give to someone wanting to be a trainer?

There is never a day off, it's hard work, spending evenings on the phone to owners and sorting jockeys out and you just don't get a break from it so you have to be 100% committed to want to do it.

What is the training routine and how long does it take?

All the horses are different and at different levels. It can take a good couple of months to get them up and running. They are like athletes and have to be built up until they are galloping and fit and ready to go. Like people, some take longer than others. I take them to different places to train, like the beach, but mostly up the gallop.

Do you train anybody else's horses?

Yes, there are syndicates and partnerships and space for some more.

Where is your favourite place to go horse riding?

Up the gallop which is particularly nice on a sunny day. It's next door to the stables and looks right out over Rozel and there are fantastic views of the coast.

Where did you learn to be a trainer?

I've just been in racing a long time, since I was 18 years old and worked with lots of different people and trainers. Then I came over here and because Gordon's dad had the horses we just did it ourselves and it started from there really.

What are your aspirations for the future?

To get the Trainers Title.

Vicki Lucas was born in Devon and grew up on her parents' farm. She was about two or three years old when she started horse riding. Vicki also enjoys running when she is not horse riding and completed a half marathon in May. She lives just outside St Helier and has a son called Jacob who is 8 years old and has his own pony.

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19 JULY
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MISCELLANEOUS: QUIRKY STORES FROM AROUND THE WORLD

GIRL, 2, BRIGHTER THAN VORDERMAN

A two-year-old girl has become the youngest member of Mensa.

Tests put the IQ of Elise Tan-Roberts at 156 - two points above Carol Vorderman, reports The Sun.

Elise started speaking at five months, walking at eight and running at ten.

By 14 months she could count to ten and can now recite the names of the world's capital cities.

Parents Louise and Edward, from Edmonton, North London, took her to specialist education psychologist Professor Joan Freeman.

She said she was "gifted" with a "superb memory" - and put her forward to Mensa.

Mr Tan-Roberts, 34, said: "We hope she can keep learning at an advanced pace. But she is still my baby. I just want her to be happy and enjoy herself."



Vorderman quits Countdown in shame.

PUDSEY BEAR REFUSED PASSPORT

A Welsh woman who changed her name to Pudsey Bear for a charity appeal has been refused a new passport.

Receptionist Eileen De Bont, 37, from Prestatyn, Denbighshire, raised £4,000 for Children in Need when she changed her name by deed poll.

Bank and credit cards say the divorced mother-of-two is 'Mrs P Bear' and that name is also on her driving licence. She is taxed as Pudsey Bear.

But Identity and Passport Service officials said the name change was "frivolous" and would bring them "into disrepute", reports the Daily Mirror.

Ms Bear said: "My passport expired and they told me they would issue me one only as Eileen De Bont.

"But that's not my name. I'm going to have trouble checking into hotels, hiring cars and changing money."

She asked locals in Prestatyn to suggest a new name to adopt as a fundraiser. Pudsey Bear came top, beating Vauxhall Frontera and Scunthorpe Travelodge.



Pudsey! So nice to see you - all I need to see is your passport and we're off..

DIMWIT DETECTIVE 'BUNGLES BANK RAID'

A detective was arrested for robbing a bank without a mask using his police issue pistol - and making his getaway in an unmarked patrol car.

CCTV of the raid led police straight to Juergen Richter, 55, who allegedly stole £8,000 from the bank in Baden-Wurttemberg, Germany.

Police spokesman Norbert Schaetzle said: "He said he had severe financial problems and wanted to solve them quickly.

"But there are other ways of dealing with financial problems

and he, of all people, should have known that crime really does not pay."

Another colleague said: "He may as well have just walked into the bank, told them his name and where the police could find him afterwards."

"It is hard to imagine a more inept robbery. When you think how many failed criminal plans he has dealt with over the years you would think he might have known better."

Richter faces charges of armed robbery.

FAIL

GOOD SAMARITAN GETS PARKING TICKET

A Good Samaritan was given a parking ticket - after he pulled over to help a heart attack victim in Germany.

First aider Steve Schiltewolf, 42, of Wolfratshausen, spotted the woman collapse in the street and pulled up to give her help.

"I could see something really bad had happened and did what I could to help. I knew the best thing was to just get her an ambulance and the last thing I was thinking about was where and how long I could park my car," he said.

"I waited with her for the ambulance to arrive but when I got back to my car I found a traffic warden writing a ticket. She could see what I'd stopped for and I tried to explain it but it didn't make any difference.

"I know traffic wardens have a reputation for being miserable and hard-hearted. It looks like it's true."



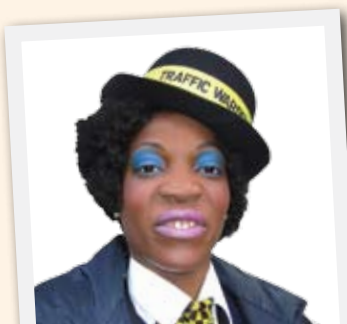
What's worse than ONE parking ticket...? Oh, YOU know..

goingup? goingdown?

What's going up or down this month in the world of Gallery? The weather seems neither here nor there and in truth we can only be sure of one thing...

Traffic wardens have dropped another notch. 3 tickets on one car this month, and only minutes overdue. At this rate we'll have to make a new scale to accommodate how rubbish they are!

Got any ideas for next month? Let us know: editorial@gallerymagazine.co.uk



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BREED:

Matt Messy haired human
Gunner Long haired boarder collie

AGE:

Matt 28!
Gunner 4

LIKES:

Matt Hanging out with mates, Eating, drinking, snapping and yomping
Gunner Hanging out with mates, maxing in my pad, eating great food, sniffing bums, the beach and wood walks

HATES:

Matt Nothing (dislikes grumpy people)
Gunner Nothing (I do dislike returning balls though!)

IF YOU COULD BE ANY HUMAN/ANIMAL WHAT WOULD YOU BE:

Matt A duck
Gunner A surf bum

WANTS:

Matt An amazing healthy life
Gunner Love and affection

FASCINATING FACTS:

Matt In the Second World War, during the Blitzkrieg campaign, German tanks were too fast and too powerful for Russian military. The Russians had the idea of training the dogs to carry bombs under the German tanks. The trainers would first starve the dogs, and then train them to find food under the tank. Unfortunately, the problem was that the dogs were trained under the Soviet tanks not the loud German diesel tanks. The plan backfired on the Soviets, but they did manage to disable a reported 300 German tanks.
Gunner I love cats

MOST IMPRESSIVE THING EVER DONE:

Matt Climbed Mount Everest in a pair of Speedos.
Gunner I once saved a school of poodles from a forest fire

IT'S TIME!...FOR CHANGE

This spring, Durrell Wildlife Conservation Trust & Jersey Dairy are launching the 'It's time!...for change' campaign, to encourage islanders to recycle their Durrell milk cartons, fill them with change and become part of a fundraising effort to save species from extinction during Durrell's 50th anniversary year.

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BOUTIQUE FESTIVALS

As the sun is getting warmer and the days are getting longer, for a lot us, that means... festival time!

For a few years now the rapid rise of the smaller boutique festivals are growing even more popular than giant events such as Glastonbury, Reading and Leeds. People have had enough of the endless marketing, tasteless burgers and nasty beer and want quirky alternative entertainment, real ales and organic nosh. The boutique events can provide just that and are building up their reputations by focusing on atmosphere and handpicked artists, all with a considerable nod towards green and ethical living. Here's a selection of the finest in the UK to help you make your mind up on where to go this year.

SECRET GARDEN PARTY

WHERE Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire
WHEN 23rd -26th July
WHO Music loving surrealists

Winner of 'Best Small Festival' award last year, The Secret Garden Party's theme this year is Babylon and Eden, adding more unusual and inspirational delights to this sumptuous and surreal event. Set in a ten acre landscaped garden bordering a river and lake, expect mud wrestling, bubble wrap popping, twilight maypole dancing, body painting as well as a great line up of musical entertainment including Jarvis Cocker, Rodrigo y Gabriela and Toots and the Maytals amongst many more.
www.secretgardenparty.com

PORT ELIOT

WHERE St Germans, Cornwall
WHEN 24th - 26th July
WHO Culture vultures

Now in its sixth year, and set in the grounds of the ancient and beautiful Port Eliot Estate in Cornwall, this literary festival is one of the most original, magical and

bohemian celebrations of words, music, imagination, laughter and fun. Expect One Minute Discos on the roof of a Landrover by the boathouse whilst Hardeep Singh Kholi cooks an Indian takeaway. Louis de Bernières plays his mandolin as Barbara Hulanicki of Biba fame brings your vintage back to life in the walled garden. Performances by Evan Dando, DJ sets by Bob Stanely (Saint Etienne) Poetry readings, Ashtanga Yoga, Art and Dance, this festival really has everything covered!
www.porteliotfestival.com

FIELD DAY

WHERE Victoria Park, London
WHEN 1st August
WHO Trendy indie kids

Described as a psychedelic village fete, Field Day offers all the delights of a festival without the camping. This one day festival goes against the grain, attempting to capture the laidback sunshine and cider vibe of a small, rural festival in London's Victoria Park in the heart of the East End. 2009's line-up includes Mogwai, The Horrors, Four Tet and Mystery Jets. Joining them will be a coconut shy, a tombola, sack racing and a welly throwing competition.
www.fielddayfestivals.com





GREEN MAN

WHERE Brecon Beacons, Wales
WHEN 21st-23rd August
WHO Bearded bears and floral fillies

Set in the amazing Glanusk Park within Brecon Beacons National Park, The Green Man Festival is a three-day event with over one hundred acts across five stages. Bon Iver, Wilco, Vetiver and Animal Collective are just a few of the great names that are on the bill this year. Also on offer at Green Man are film tents, poetry readings, art installations, science, comedy, a Nature and Nurture massage area, a daily dusk til dawn bonfire, impromptu jamming sessions and an array of quirky bars with a 24 hour drinks license. A new addition to this year's entertainment is 'Einstein's Garden' which will introduce thought provoking green issues in a fun, informative way.
www.greenmanfestival.co.uk

END OF THE ROAD

WHERE Larmer Tree Gardens, Dorset
WHEN 11th -13th September
WHO The whole family

Expect to see parrots and peacocks wandering amidst this family friendly festival set in the breathtaking Larmer Tree Gardens. This three-day soirée focuses on the music, giving acts longer sets and creative freedom as well as taking slots as DJs. Fleet Foxes, The Low Anthem, Peter Dinklage and the Boy Least Likely are just some of the acts that are playing this year. Clothes peg fairies are left to be discovered in the branches of surrounding trees whilst treasure hunts and drumming workshops take place as well as the old Viking game, Kubbe.
www.endoftheroadfestival.com



BRANCHAGE

WHERE Here!
WHEN 1st – 4th October
WHO Film buffs

The end of the summer sees the return of the Branchage Film Festival. To get your fix of culture you can stay right here on this very isle. Last year saw a spectacular programme of film and music events in some of Jersey's most weird and wonderful locations. One-off live soundtracks at the Jersey War Tunnels and Mont Orgeuil Castle, spectacular parties in the imported Spiegel tent, an art exhibition in the disused prison cells of the Old Magistrates Court all added to the success of the festival's debut year, paving the way for even bigger and better things to come this year.
www.branchagefestival.com

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THE (UN)HAPPY CAMPERS

'That's the last of it' shouts Claire as she rolls up the Ikea sheepskin rug and tosses it in the back of the Megane. Coffee-maker, check. Duvets and pillows, check. Jo Malone candles, check. After all, isn't glamping what everyone's doing these days?

'Yes, we can't wait,' she's told her friends, 'sunsets, hot coffee from the stove, croissants and all that fresh air'. And of course she loves the outdoors – just take last summer when she spent all those lazy evenings on the terrace, soaking in the hot tub under the stars. Heaven. So what if it was a riad in Marrakech and not a camping overlooking St Malo, it's all the same isn't it? After all, it's not just her who's been priced out of that villa-share in Tuscany – even the Costa del Sol is going to Costa-too-much this year, what with the euro and the distinct lack of bonus. Most of Amelia's class have announced they're going camping as well this year, and you have to admit, there's something rather appealing about going back to nature. Claire has visions of her and James watching the sun set behind the campfire, curled up on a sheepskin rug with a glass of Shiraz while the children snooze blissfully in the tent after a day of Swallows and Amazons-style adventuring.

As they drive up the Condor ramp at St Malo, the car packed up with half of Millets, Claire feels terribly smug. This is it, she thinks to herself – they're living the boho-Boden dream, all ruddy-cheeked children and smiling honey-tanned mummies. James checks his copy of Cool Camping again, with its pictures of sweeping beaches and green meadows with single tents pitched in the middle, and finds their campsite – just outside St Malo and highly recommended for its picturesque cliff-top location. By the

time he's finished setting up the Vango, perfectly angled for prime sea views, supper's bubbling away on the stove, and the kids have collapsed onto the picnic blanket after an energetic game of Frisbee. Lazing outside the tent with a bowl of piping hot macaroni cheese and a 2 euro bottle of French wine, Claire breathes a deep sigh. So this is it, they're camping and it's idyllic. Claire feels at peace, she feels at one with nature, she feels... raindrops.

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When the rain starts falling heavily and they retreat inside their 3-room tent, they realize why they had their choice of cliff-top pitches. They're on a slope. And not just any old slope – it's a proper *colline*. James makes jokes about how he should have brought a mountaineering tent, and Amelia starts to cry as she slips off the blow-up mattress and spills hotpasta onto bare

legs. As the night goes on, the wind and rain get worse, and the children wail as the roof of the nylon tent flaps like a thundersheet in the wind. Everyone tries to lie still, terrified of rolling down the tent to end up in a heap at the bottom. Tempers are already frayed, and when Tom stands in the porta-potty Claire packed to save on middle of the night loo trips, tipping its contents all over the groundsheet, it's the last straw.

In retrospect, perhaps they should have tried to stick that first night out, but it was just so terrible, and James would keep going on about how she should have listened to the French forecast, when obviously it was all his fault for pitching so close to the cliff. With any luck, Claire thinks, they should be able to catch the morning sailing. She has a brief flash of memory of unhappy family camping holidays in muddy Wales, and vows to book Centreparks next year. And as for saving cash – well she can always leave James at home...



What sort of camper are you?	Cool camper	Glamorous glamper
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Your tent:	The latest Eurohike superlight dome tent	A Cath Kidston patterned one
You sleep on:	A roll mat with Arctic-standard sleeping bag	A blow-up mattress which gradually deflates, leaving you and your duvet from home on the cold ground
You're reading:	'Emergency' by Neil Strauss - the ultimate guide to surviving the end of civilization	The latest Dan Brown
Your supper:	Burnt Heinz baked beans and the end of a baguette	M&S tinned Chicken Korma with boil in the bag basmati

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Embrace the Outdoors!

Schools and businesses island-wide encouraged to travel greener.

School pupils and staff at businesses across Jersey are being encouraged to leave their cars at home and travel to school and the office in a more environmentally friendly way.

Friday 15th May was 'Green Travel Day', an ECO-ACTIVE initiative in partnership with HSBC Bank and Les Quennevais School. It formed part of the pilot scheme stage of the ECO-ACTIVE Schools Travel Plan Project.

A large part of the focus for the day was at Les Quennevais School, where more than usual of the 800 pupils and teachers travelled to school by bicycle, foot or bus. Staff volunteers from HSBC were on hand to welcome the pupils arriving at the school on the new Western Cycle Route from 8am, with goody bags and prizes for those making the most effort to get to school in an environmentally friendly way.

A number of steps were put in place to prepare pupils at Les Quennevais and other schools participating in the ECO-ACTIVE Schools Travel Plan Project for the Green Travel Day. These included a series of cycling training sessions, led by Philip Blake and volunteer HSBC staff who have recently qualified as road-safety cycle trainers.



Stuart Taylor, Managing Director, HSBC Private Bank, said:

'This is the third year that HSBC has held a day dedicated to encouraging more environmentally friendly travel in Jersey. Our involvement in the Schools Travel Plan provides us with an excellent platform on which to build on what has been achieved so far and extend the concept to the wider community. By inviting schools and businesses across the Island to join together, we can significantly help make Jersey's roads safer and greener.'

John Thorp, Head Teacher at Les Quennevais School, commented:

'We are delighted that so many students and staff are supporting the Green Travel Day and hope that as many as possible will find green ways to get to school. We hope that colleagues and pupils at other schools will join in and do the same, if not this year then maybe next.'

The ECO-ACTIVE Schools Travel Plan Project is a partnership between ECO-ACTIVE, HSBC and the Gerard Le Claire Environmental Trust and is also supported by a number of States of Jersey departments. The pilot scheme for the Project was launched in April and will continue throughout the summer term. Involving eleven schools across the Island, it will put a number of potential travel solutions to the test, including walking-buses, cycling and car sharing.



Olivia Copsey, from ECO-ACTIVE, added:

'The response to the ECO-ACTIVE Schools Travel Plan Project has been fantastic so far - demonstrating local commitment to making practical lifestyle changes for a greener and safer Island. The Green Travel Day is an excellent way to reinforce our message, maintain the momentum we have gained so far and prove that, by coming together, we can make a significant impact.'

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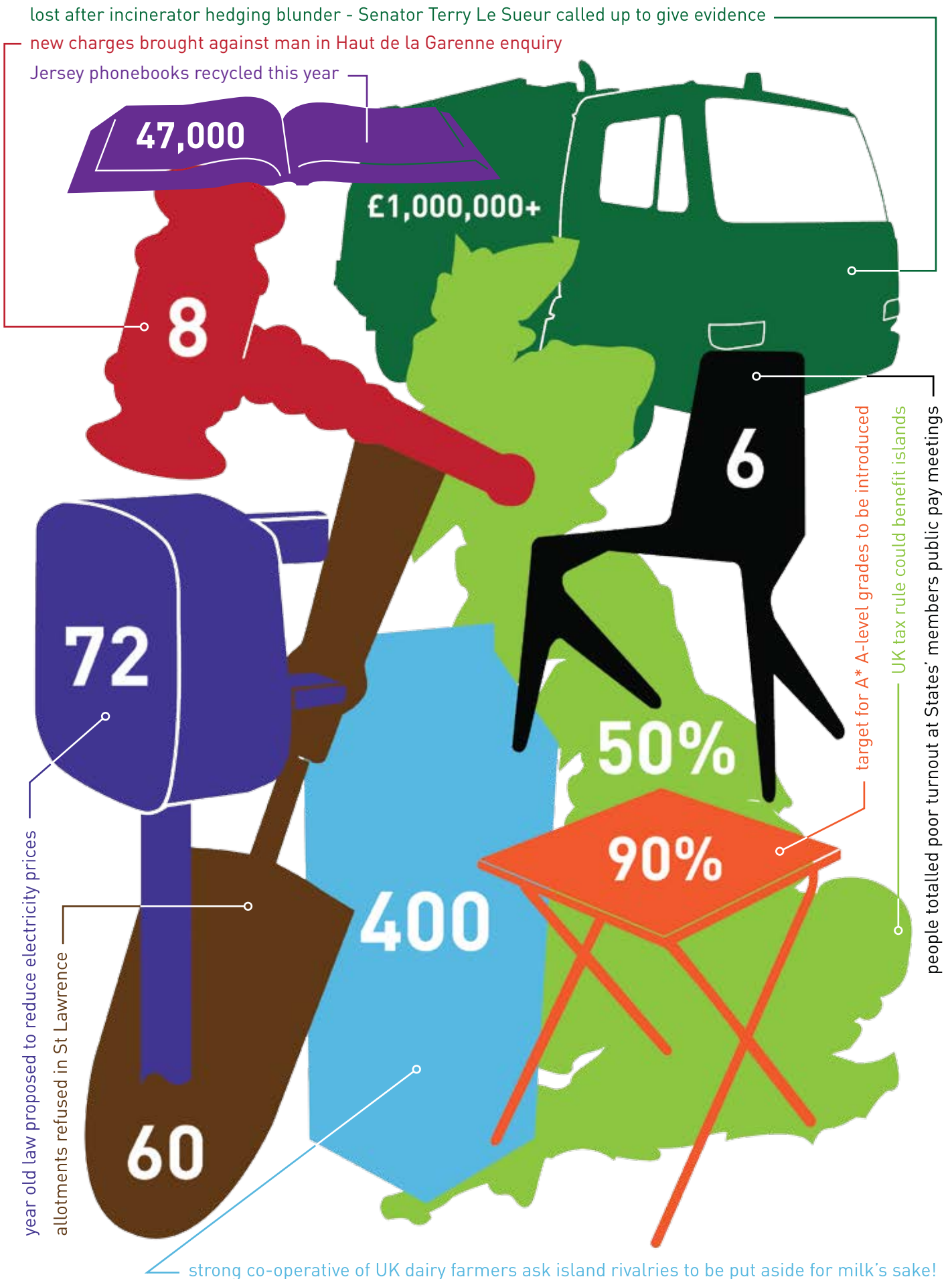
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CAN'T BUY ME LOVE

One of the things I'm really looking forward to is having children. Not only because I can't wait to put them through the traditional X family upbringing – generations of little Xs have been turned into well-rounded individuals by our unique 'first the beating, then the spoiling' approach – but also because my mother has taught me that one of the most enjoyable things about parenthood is having complete freedom to totally embarrass your offspring in front of the world in general.

Many was the time when a pimply, teenaged me was stunned into silence by my dear mama's insistence on telling every single girl I liked that, 'He was born a ginger, don't you know'. She even said it when the girl herself was of the strawberry blonde persuasion. Worse still, the girl in question would then always look at me in an appraising fashion before declaring that yes, on closer inspection, they could see that I might actually be a closet redhead (although this was hardly helped by the fact my cheeks would be burning). I would then be forced to point out the extensive photographic evidence to the contrary and the lack of a single auburn hair on my head (or face) – all to no avail.

Looking further back, (ie before we were able to meaningfully retaliate) my brother and I were forced to wear a series of atrocious matching outfits including the dreaded sailor suits (although all records of this have met with 'accidents') and a pair of hideous jumpers each showing a multicoloured scene which – when we were positioned appropriately – turned into one large day-glo landscape. When I mentioned this to my brother, he responded with a shudder as he recalled a time when, lying flat out on a rugby pitch, he was presented with a side-on view of spectators having to physically prevent our mother from running onto the pitch in order to give a referee or opposing prop forward a piece of her mind following an incident of foul play which resulted in him hitting the deck at high speed.

However, in hindsight, I suppose it could have been worse – particularly in light of a recent widely-reported case from Nottingham where a Polish chap had been arrested for kerb-crawling. This itself isn't particularly unusual, until you realise that he wasn't interested in the girl for himself – oh no. He was in fact trying to get some action lined up for his fourteen-year-old son, who was in the car with him. Using the magic of my imagination, I've decided to reproduce that the scene at their house that morning in all of its cringe-inducing awfulness (feel free to use a full-on Borat accent when reading):

Father:
My son. Is time for you to become man.

Son:
Yes, father. What is it you require of me?

Father:
I see your virginity weighs round your neck like lead lifejacket.

Son:
Err. No. I've done it with lots of girls. Honest.

Father:
DO NOT LIE TO YOUR FATHER OR YOU WILL FEEL THE FORCE OF HIS RAGE!

Son:
Ah. Well, I've just not found the right girl yet. And I'm only fourteen.

Father:
Hah! When I was fourteen I had already had plenty sex. With plenty women. In Gdansk. Now I will show you secret of success. *Drags son to car*

<one hour later>

"You have a duty of care to your son and that is to look after his moral welfare, not as you might think to break him in to the ways of sex through a prostitute," he said, possibly qualifying for next year's champions league of stating the obvious.

Father:
Now, my son. Which of these women do you desire? *Gestures at suspiciously underdressed women lining street*

Son:
But father, these are all prostitutes.
Father: Exactly. They will teach you the ways of the sex and then you will be STRONG LIKE BEAR.

Son:
But they probably have communicable diseases....

Father:
Ignores son and beckons over lady of negotiable virtue Woman! How much to relieve my son of the shame of his virginity?
Son tries to hide behind seatbelt

Hooker #1:
Eyes up son Ooh. About thirty quid.

Father:
THIEVING HUSSY! I would not pay thirty English pounds for your withered loins.

Hooker #1:
Suit yourself. *Wanders over to next car*

Father:
Drives further along Hah! How about this one?

Son:
Actually, she's not too bad. No visible warts or anything.

Father:
ENGLISH WHORE! Come here.

Hooker #2:
Hi there. What can I do for you boys?

Father:
My son needs to feel the tender touch of a woman. For the first time. *winks*

Hooker #2:
Twenty five quid. More if you're planning on watching.

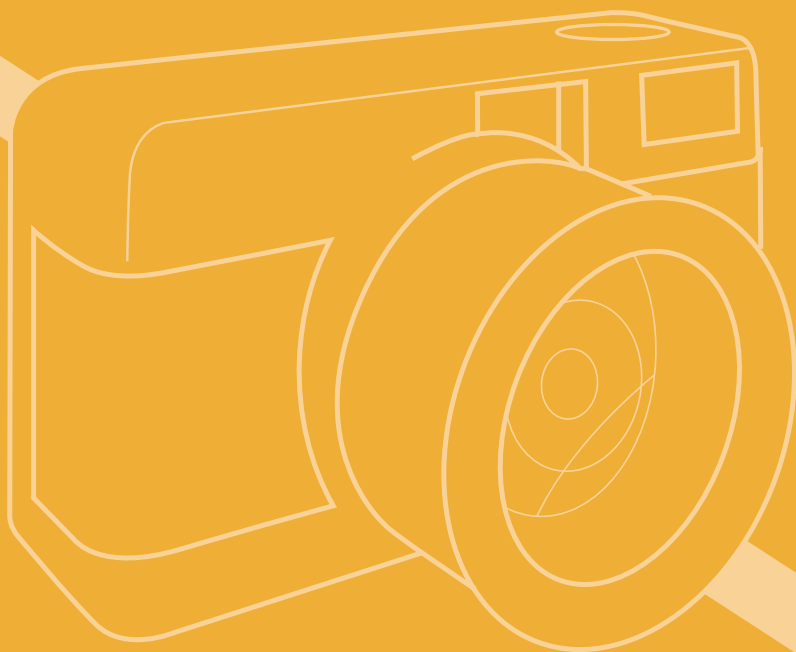
Father:
No need to watch! I have plenty porn. I will give you twenty pounds only.

Hooker #2:
Deal. By the way, you're under arrest.
Produces police badge

Son:
Oh, nooooooooooooo.... *curls up into foetal ball and tries to pretend that this isn't really happening*

A guilty plea soon followed, but Judge Jonathan Teare said he would spare the father jail because of his excellent character and that he believed he did not mean any harm to his son. "You have a duty of care to your son and that is to look after his moral welfare, not as you might think to break him in to the ways of sex through a prostitute," he said, possibly qualifying for next year's champions league of stating the obvious. The father was then given a suspended sentence of ten months, but was allowed to retain his anonymity for fear of the ridicule that the son would experience – a decision which has indirectly led to enormous suffering for all Nottingham-based fourteen year-olds with Polish surnames, each of whom is now no doubt being subjected to all of the inventive nicknames and abuse which their classmates are capable of producing.

So there we have it – no matter what awfulness I inflict on my progeny, at least I won't let the whole world know that I think that the only chance they've got of having sex is through a commercial transaction. Unless they do in fact turn out to be ginger – in which case, all bets are off...



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All That Glitters Colomberie : 30.04.09



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was an opportunity to see the new light and spacious store, with local DJ Suze Rosser taking to the decks and making for a lively store opening. Laura Rosser,

owner told me she is "excited about the new business and hopes to make this a unique bridal experience which is all about you!"

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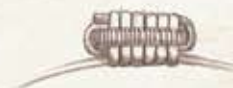


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Gallery Rally Launch Party The Royal Yacht : 14.05.09



The Gallery Rally Barcelona 2009 is a fantastic way to raise money for Jersey Hospice. The intrepid teams all met up to try and get tips off the old pros and

learn more about this year's rally. Each day competitors will be given a sheet of cryptic clues that they must solve to find out where they are going next! So

this event was a chance to see a few very cryptic clues and try and work them out, which got more difficult the more everyone drank!

The Jersey Boat Show St Helier Marina : 24.05.09



The second Jersey Boat Show was a huge success, with all the main attractions full to capacity! It was great fun to see inside the mega yachts and eat fantastic local food.

Jersey Harbours' Chief Executive, Howard Le Cornu, said: "This year we have stepped up to a new level. We have made it a more diverse show – a bigger window on the marine world. Everyone

came for a fun day out, but I think that many visitors also realised how much there is to do in marine leisure." See www.jerseyboatshow.com for more brilliant pics!

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Forecasters are threatening a hot summer so now is the time to begin planning that well earned break. Before heading off however it's important to make sure that your money matters and travel documents are in order. Here are some tips on things to look out for, particularly in the small print, before you go.

Hot Tips for a trouble free holiday



Medical cover

Medical travel insurance has become a big issue since the end of March when the UK Reciprocal Health Agreement ceased, meaning islanders are no longer covered for non-emergency medical treatment in the UK.

Jersey residents will still be treated at A&E without being charged, as well as immediate treatment given by a GP. However, the treatment on a hospital ward, operations, out-patient appointments and any other services will all be charged.

It is therefore important to ensure you have adequate medical insurance cover or can afford to pay for any treatment that might be needed when visiting the UK – just as you would for a visit to France or other countries with which Jersey has no reciprocal health agreement.

Travel insurance

There are an abundance of insurance policies on the market from single to annual multi-trip cover. What's important is to make sure you read the small print as some will not cover you if there are any problems or delays with your flight back to the islands for example.

When travelling inter-island, make sure you check for any policy restrictions as these can apply depending on how long your stay is on that particular island. Also it is important to check that your policy covers you from your starting point destination e.g. Jersey back to Jersey, as a lot of policies will only cover you when you reach mainland U.K.

Free insurance is offered on some bank accounts as a matter of course, although, the breadth of cover may vary. For example, winter sports cover may be an additional premium, so make sure you check the finer detail. Many policies include an age restriction only covering you up to the age of 75.

Sometimes when a booking is made with a credit card the customer receives automatic insurance, but be careful as this rarely replaces comprehensive travel insurance and it may be necessary to take out additional cover.

Money matters

It is certainly safer to use a debit or credit card for transactions and cash withdrawals when overseas. Many cards also come with services and incentives such as AirMiles and card protections.

Before you leave it is wise to make copies of all the documents you are taking with you such as your credit cards and your passport. A 24 hour cover service can be set up with your bank should these vital items be stolen and plans can also be put into place for their cancellation and/or replacement.

Travellers Cheques are still one of the safest ways to carry money. If lost or stolen they can normally be replaced within 24 hours.

Finally there are some good ways of planning for your holiday in advance with the help of regular savings – “Save the Change” for instance. By putting a little money aside on a monthly or even weekly basis rather than absorbing this into your everyday spend, it can soon mount up enough to go towards, or even pay for a large part of your holiday.

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Situated at the heart of the Irish Sea, approximately 70 miles off the Cumbrian coast, the Isle of Man is one of the best kept secrets in the British Isles. Stunningly beautiful, with a wide variety of wildlife and scenery, the island is a haven for visitors looking for a relaxing break which makes it the perfect location for travellers.

The island offers something for everyone and with locals welcoming everyone as a visitor and not a tourist you are sure to experience excellent Manx hospitality.

For those interested in the past there's 10,000 years of history to explore including two medieval castles - Peel and Castle Rushen. Both castles enable visitors to witness the craft and heritage of the era. Due to its location at the geographical centre of the British Isles, the Isle of Man has been invaded throughout the centuries and has

played host to plenty of invaders all of whom have left their marks on the island.

Rushen Abbey is one of the most important medieval religious sites in the Isle of Man. Dating from 1134, it was acquired by Manx National Heritage and re-opened to the public in 2000, complete with chanting monks and live links to archaeologists working on site, vividly evoking a sense of history. It's one of many heritage sites and centres operated by Manx National Heritage which also boasts the award-winning Manx Museum in Douglas and the House of Manannan interactive heritage centre in Peel.

Visitors should also take time to explore the island's charming villages and picturesque harbours - the ancient capital of Castletown, the capital Douglas with its high street shops or the simpler charms of Tynwald Mills Craft Centre, at St John's, the cathedral city Peel on the west coast and Ramsey in the north. The Island has 227 square miles to explore either on foot or

aboard the Victorian steam and electric railways and transport has always been important in the Island since the early pioneers established the TT - Tourist Trophy - which celebrated its centenary in 2007. The festival still attracts around 40,000 motorcycle fans early in June but it's just one event in a hectic calendar of motorsport which makes the Isle of Man the Road Racing capital of the world.

In addition to the TT races, the Manx Grand Prix and car rallies are held annually; there's a host of sporting, music and arts festivals filling up the calendar. Alternatively, various other interests are catered for including cycling, pony trekking, angling, and golf - nine courses - while the island has endless possibilities for walking and wildlife-watching across undulating hills, craggy coastlines or through a myriad of Manx national glens. Or if you are a foodie, experiencing the island's culinary specialities is a must - Manx cheese, kippers, queenies (succulent queen scallops) and home-brewed beer are widely available.

Must visit venues:



The House of Manannan

An award winning heritage centre at Peel on the Island's west coast. This £6 million centre operated by Manx National Heritage presents the Isle of Man's Celtic, Viking and maritime history using interactive technology. Allow at least 2 hours to see it all - excellent entertainment for a rainy day.

Cregneash Village Folk Museum*

300 year old cottages nestling in a village in the scenic south of the island - the village was used as a location in the hit comedy Waking Ned. Operated as a folk museum since the 1930s, Cregneash is farmed according to traditional methods with horse ploughs as well as free range hens, pigs and sheep to be seen. There are also wood turners, a blacksmith, spinners and weavers at work on different days of the week. And the highlight of a visit is to sample the scrumptious cakes and cooking at the Cregneash tea rooms.

Laxey Wheel*

the 'Lady Isabella' is the largest working water wheel in the world with a diameter of 72 feet. It was built in 1854 to pump water from the village lead mines and visitors have been climbing to the viewing platform above the majestic red wheel ever since to take in views of the mountain and the sea.

The Sound Visitor Centre*

presents information about the history of this unique area, and describes the important work being carried out by wardens on the Calf of Man, the island nature reserve and bird observatory across the waters of The Sound. A visit to The Sound makes a trip to this popular beauty spot at the Island's southernmost tip even more enjoyable.

17 National Glens

are scattered around the Island. There are wooded walks with waterfalls where you can sense the fairies playing in shady glades and under bridges. Many lead down to a beach. Free admission all year round.

Trains and trams

Experience life at a different pace on board the 100 year old steam trains, electric trams and horse trams for which the island is famous. The Isle of



Flight & hotel Packages to the Isle of Man...



The Claremont 3* - 7 nights

Bed & Breakfast

The Claremont was extensively refurbished in 2004 and offers an individual style and luxury that ranks amongst the best offered on the island. The hotel has 56 rooms including a limited number of Platinum executive rooms with high specification interiors and amazing views across Douglas Bay.

From
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per person

The Rutland 3* - 7 nights

Bed & Breakfast

Behind the classic facade of The Rutland Hotel, lie 64 stylish and contemporary bedrooms. Located on the exclusive Queens Promenade in Douglas. The Rutland Hotel is only a short walk away from the town centre. Restaurant 'Twenty One' with a menu of American and European dishes.

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The Chesterhouse 3* - 7 nights

Bed & Breakfast

Ideally situated on the sea front in Douglas and features 67 guestrooms with a full range of modern facilities and in-room accessories. Douglas and all of its amenities are but a short walk away or try the Shiraz Restaurant conveniently located at the hotel. 3 nights from £249.

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The Sefton 4* - 7 nights

Bed & Breakfast

A Victorian style hotel overlooking the bay in the centre of Douglas. For those that appreciate high quality food, the Sefton Hotel has an award winning restaurant offering homemade cuisine using only the finest locally produced Manx produce.

From
£649
per person

The Mount Murray Golf & Country Club - 3 nights

Bed & Breakfast

This 4* hotel is perfectly set in 200 acres of beautiful countryside and ideally located between the airport and Douglas. This hotel, has 100 spacious bedrooms, a superb health and fitness club, indoor swimming pool and a championship 18 hole golf course with spectacular view across the island.

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Man has Britain's longest narrow gauge steam railway - over 17 miles - from Douglas to Port Erin.

National Sport Centre, Douglas

Excellent sports facilities can be found at the award-winning Quest accredited National Sports Centre in Douglas which has training and leisure pools, an indoor sports complex and outside track facilities.

Curraghs Wildlife Park

Here you can travel around the world in 80 minutes and visit some of the many animals it houses. The park's natural wetland environment is a haven for endangered wetland wildlife from around the world. There are more than 100 species of birds and animals, of which many rare species are part of international breeding programmes. Animals and birds are displayed in geographical walk-through enclosures so that you see them as you would in the wild. Other attractions include a nature trail and butterfly trail of Manx wildlife, the Rainforest Theatre and the Orchid Line miniature railway.

Silverdale

A charming glen near Ballasalla with a Victorian water-powered carousel for the children plus boating lake for pedalos and rowing boats. Great café and a wild glen for those who fancy a stroll up the Silverburn river.

*All Manx National Heritage attractions are open until the end of October, seven days a week, except the Manx Museum, Douglas (Monday to Saturday) and the House of Manannan (seven days) which are open all year. Enquiries: Tel Manx National Heritage 01624 648000. Website: www.gov.im/mnh NB English/Scottish Heritage and National Trust passes are accepted at all Manx National Heritage sites.



How to get there

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For more information

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Events

Food lovers will enjoy the **Isle of Man Food and Drink Festival** to be held on the **26th and 27th September 2009**. The Festival will be a celebration of the very best of Manx produce and the heart of it will be in the Villa Marina gardens. The Manx Food Live Theatre will feature cooking demonstrations by celebrity chefs, exhibitor marquees, farmers' market and more. Fringe events will also take place at other Island locations.

Isle of Man Adventure Week caters for the whole family and is an outdoor based festival which takes place from **Thursday 13 August to Monday 17 August**. This is an annually held, friendly and social weekend giving visitors the opportunity to try out different adventurous activities, including sea kayaking, coasteering, rock climbing, diving and sailing.

End to End Mountain Bike Challenge is a challenge from one end of the island to the other, taking in a variety of countryside. A fast and furious event covering 46 miles in total, the End to End attracts large amounts of cyclists every year who enjoy both the scenery and the competition. In 2008 no less than 626 competitors took part and the event was screened on Sky Television.

The Crown Green Bowling Festivals take place from **22-26 June and 7-11 September**. Since its first tournament back in 1921, the Isle of Man has been a popular destination for thousands of Crown Green Bowlers from all over the British Isles. It is now recognised as the best bowling festival and carries with it the highest prize money of any bowling festival.



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MIXED MEDIA

Not often does an artist of this kind come to exhibit in Jersey. With the organisation of one Jersey student, established contemporary artist Alison Black will be exhibiting at The Harbour Gallery this June.

Originally from Bristol, Alison uses a mixture of abstract, graffiti and Manhattan city scapes and has been hugely influenced by the movement of abstract expressionism which started in the mid 20th century at the time of the atomic era – an era defined by a mass dissemination of images through television and printed media unlike anything the planet has experienced ever before. Much of her work details large and vibrant images drawn from cultural references and urban iconography. She has been rated by some as second best to Banksy and Kate Moss is a big fan.

Joanne Makariou, a 2nd year Business degree student at Bristol UWE, has put on this exhibition as part of her course. Jo says, "I met Alison through a friend and really liked her paintings so I thought of the idea to hold an art exhibition in Jersey and I have not seen any paintings like Alison around, so it sounded like a good challenge to make this happen. Alison has been working on these for a long time now ready for the exhibition."

There will hopefully be around 10 – 15 paintings, one of a kind and fresh from the studio. There will also be prints available of her most famous paintings as she never paints the same one twice, as much as we would like her to!

For more information on Alison visit www.bocco.co.uk
19th – 27th June 2009 / The Harbour Gallery, St Aubin
10:30am – 5:30pm / Open 7 days a week / Tel: 743044



RETRACTION

Last month we wrongly printed information on the Hawk exhibition at The Harbour Gallery. The photographs by Simon Latour of the 2008 Air Display are available to view for free at The Gallery until the 3rd June so if you haven't yet had the chance you may still have a few days to pop down and see the fantastic display.

His inspiration came when Dr Fleming presented Simon with 3 photos of the first time the Vulcan got airborne. Whilst previously he had focused on other subjects, this rejuvenated his interest in photography. Simon says 'I hope the exhibition may do the same for anyone who has an interest in planes or photography young or mature who visits the gallery during the exhibition'. With the help of Mike Higgins and his insight into the event, this exhibition was able to happen.

Opened by special guest Dr Fleming who was famously responsible for the Vulcan refit and subsequent successful flights, the exhibition of photographic images from the 2008 Air Display hopes to raise awareness for the 2009 event and to promote applications for Friends of the Jersey Air Display. As an incentive during the exhibition for the first 100 applications to become Friends of the Jersey Air Display may be in with the chance of winning a model aircraft kit from the list available at the gallery made by Revell.

Only the private view from Vulcan To The Sky Trust Dr Robert Fleming CEO, which took place on the 15th May cost £10 with limited tickets. Sorry to all those who missed it and for the false information we printed in the May edition.

JERSEY OPERA HOUSE

showing this month

Horrid Henry – Live and Horrid!

Wednesday 3rd –

Saturday 6th June

For the first time ever on stage, Henry takes his rightful place in the spotlight! Along with Mum, Dad, Perfect Peter, Moody Margaret, Rude Ralph and all your favourite characters. Only they're not going to be in the spotlight, of course, not if Henry's got anything to do with it.



The Jersey Green Room Club's Centenary Gala

Wednesday 10th – Friday 12th June

Tracing the history of the J.G.R.C. from its inauguration in 1909, through the early years, two world wars, and onward to the present day and beyond. Featuring your favourite artistes from then and now and re-living some very memorable theatrical moments in words, song dance and music.

JADC presents Kiss Me Kate

Thursday 18th – Sunday 28th June

Kiss Me Kate is sexy and sassy, and showcases a full 18-piece orchestra. With dazzling dancing, and an exciting set and costumes, this show is not to be missed.



Shaolin Warriors: Legends of Kung-Fu

Monday 29th & Tuesday 30th June

This is a fully choreographed spectacular that features 22 professionally trained Kungfu Masters; audiences will be amazed and thrilled by their death defying Kung Fu disciplines such as qigong, animal imitation boxing, drunken boxing, and fighting with 18 kinds of dangerous traditional weapons.



The Orchestra

Sunday 5th & Monday 6th July

These five exceptional artists have performed to sell-out audiences from New York's Carnegie Hall to London's Royal Albert Hall and from Sydney to Siberia - in theatres, arenas and stadiums in over 50 countries.



Don't forget to check out the rest of our Summer season - call the Box Office on 01534 511115 or go to our website www.jerseyoperahouse.co.uk

My Name is *Christelle alias "Coulou"*

My job is *CA's assistant in a financial institution by day. Artist by Night!*

The best job in the world would be *having the freedom to paint 24/7 in my house down the French Riviera by the sea and taking the odd break to tend to my garden sipping a nice full bodied red. Sounds so good!*

My worst habit is *been Mary Poppins don't ask me but my friends. They just know*

If I could change one thing in my life it would be *to turn my 106 Peugeot into a cyclodelic Camper Van! Yeah baby Yeah*

If I had to only eat one kind of food for the rest of my life it would be *... the forbidden fruit an Apple!*

This is a self-portrait of myself:



Just Me
Someone
Happy



In bed I wear *myself out! LOL (ch... now)*

If I could be a celebrity for a day, it would be *GAANDHI*
"Freedom is not worth having if it does not include the freedom to make mistakes."

The best time of year is

↳ All year round. Live life and love life!!

All is fair in love and war. True or false?

So Not true don't get me started. Geer...

The best advice I've ever been given is

from my friend: "FREAK"; always carry wet ones!! Merci. (so true)

If I could have one question answered in the world it would be

Why? What is it all about?

The 3 most important things in life are *family, my true friends (Special ones just inspired me) and Hugs. Bisous Bisous xxx*

This is a picture of my dream house:



THE 5TH JERSEY AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS FESTIVAL

Amnesty International is a non-profit making worldwide movement of people who campaign for internationally recognized human rights for all. With over 2.2 million members and subscribers in more than 150 countries and regions, 140 of these reside in Jersey.

In celebration of its 5th anniversary, the hard working volunteers at Jersey's Amnesty International have created an ambitious festival this year with the generosity of their sponsors to rival any other. Not just showing films, this year they have diversified into poems, readings, workshops, a photographic exhibition and even comedy to make the week's events more interesting.

Having researched and found all the films and speakers themselves, the festival committee work incredibly hard to make sure we have the most knowledgeable and high profile guest speakers on various issues, which are equally as important as the films themselves. Most of the films will be like nothing you will have seen on mainstream television or documentaries. Photojournalist Richard Wainwright, who also founded the festival says, 'it is a fantastic opportunity to raise awareness in the island for these things which aren't provided for anywhere else'.

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**BUT LIKE MOST RIGHTS, FREEDOM IS TAKEN FOR
GRANTED BY MANY PEOPLE,
ESPECIALLY WHEN THEY ARE FREE"**

- MOAZZAM BEGG

One of the highlights of the festival comes in the midst of the Obama Administration having pledged to end the scandal that is Guantanamo Bay. Moazzam Begg, one of nine British citizens who were held at Camp X-Ray, will be attending to talk about his experiences. The photographic exhibition resumes this year with 'Battlespace' uncompromising images from Afghanistan and Iraq with talks by photojournalists Teru Kuwayama and Balazs Gardi; who are two of the best in their field. Jersey photojournalist Richard Wainwright also went on his own assignment to Mongolia, following the lives of the street children surviving in the coldest city in the world, which will also be on display throughout the festival. For full details on the week's programme please see our listings page or visit www.artscentre.je

Collette Crill, Chairman of the Amnesty International Jersey Group, said she 'hopes that you will return home better informed and with your pre-conceptions challenged but above all, with your hopes rekindled'.

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nudes, dancers, birds and nature



International artist Elisabeth Barbier will be having her first exhibition in Jersey at Fort Regent from June 24th to June 27th. The works will be mainly oil on canvas using the traditional brush techniques, with one or two chalk and pastel works. The categories are; nudes, dancers, birds and nature. The exhibition does not obey the traditional logic of a specific theme or type of display (either by genre or size). It is an overview of an artist who, after years of undisclosed and strained emotions, expresses newfound joy and happiness.

Where did your art work start?

I don't want it to sound like a Charles Dickens' story but my grandmother raised me in a strained environment, where communication, love and tenderness were scarce. So as a teen, I started to paint to escape my grey and depressing surroundings. I used bright and joyful colours in my work to create a world of light and happiness of my own.

Who has helped you form your work?

The Moroccan artist Lourak guided me until one morning he told me 'there is nothing left I can teach you'.

What triggers your creativity?

Emotions. Without any particular preconceived idea or objective. I love the quiet sound of the breeze ruffling the leaves of the trees in the morning and to watch the sun rise over the lake and mountains while the city below awakens.

Where is your favourite place?

My favourite place in the world is to be in the woods when the sunlight shines through the trees and no other sound but that of the forest may be heard.

Where do you paint?

I like to work alone so I lock myself up in my atelier where nobody except my cats are welcome! I generally start three to four paintings at once, often with totally unrelated topics, sometimes inspired by a magazine cover, by a picture, a story, or occasionally by my sole imagination.

EXHIBITION | FORT REGENT | 24TH - 27TH JUNE

Elisabeth's exhibition coincides with the 2009 World Dance Cup, which will be on at the same time, so make sure you check out both!

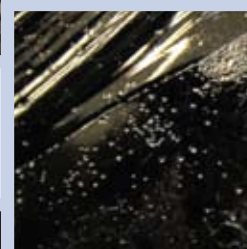
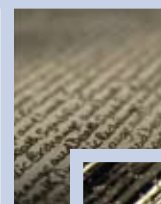
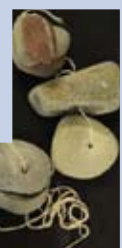
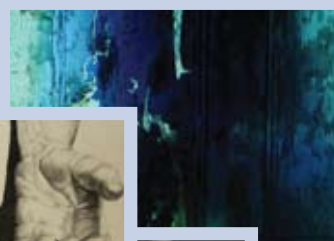
Jersey's First BA Hons Degree Show

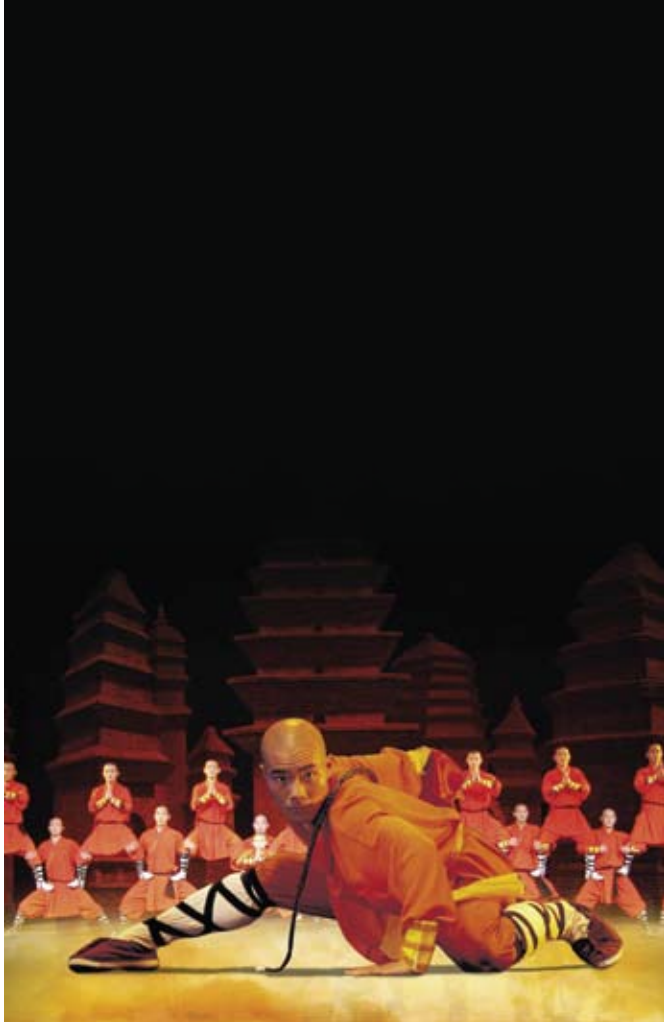
Seven artists bound together by their participation in the University of Plymouth BA Hons Fine Art program, facilitated through Highlands College, will present their final work to the public.

This exhibition is the result of resourceful enthusiasm. The students have addressed a range of issues which they bring to a point of resolution both technically and conceptually. The show promises to be quite different from any seen in Jersey to date.

Participating artists include Wayne Audrain, Francesca Blampied, Maria da Encarnacao, Debbie Jeal, Michelle le Cornu, Lisa MacDonald, Alison Richards

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The Shaolin Warriors are embarking on their first ever UK tour, with 2 shows in Jersey as part of the line-up.

Direct from China, their energetic show depicts the rarely-seen kung fu masters' Buddhist meditation and their martial arts training.

The Order of Shaolin Ch'an was founded in 520 CE by an Indian Monk called Ta Mo and is a branch of Ch'an (Zen) Buddhism. According to lore, Ta Mo meditated for nine consecutive years and created a routine of breathing exercises and other physical activities to help monks endure the strenuous days of meditative immobility, which become the focus of the monks' lives. They spend years training at the monastery in Henan, China, learning meditation, hand to hand, as well as weapon combat, and many other elements of physical control. They believe that by controlling their body through their spirit, they can live in physical and spiritual harmony and withstand the pains of daily exercise.

The agility, strength and skill of these masters during the showcase is an extravangaza in itself, along with the gorgeous scenery, enchanting music, beautiful lights and props; 22 kung fu masters will be displaying choreographed qigong, animal imitation boxing, drunken boxing, and fighting with 18 kinds of traditional instruments. Over 500,000 people have been wowed by their grace, precision and superb balance and now it's our turn.

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Exhibition: Elisabeth Barbier

Fort Regent, June 24th to June 27th

International Artist
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in Jersey for the
first time.



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THE MONTHLY UPLOAD

If you're a budding artist or photographer you may have noticed that now you can get your work featured on these very pages in Gallery each month. Better still, each month we choose one winner who gets £100.

All you have to do is email your entry with the subject 'upload' to : upload@gallerymagazine.co.uk and tell us a little about it. Make the files nice and big though, about 4mb is a good size to aim for as a guide. We print every photo but as we can't fit them ALL on the page full size, we print a selection of our favourites slightly bigger. What are you waiting for?!



Tobias Lazlo sent in a couple of hyper-real looking photographs taken in a relative's barn.

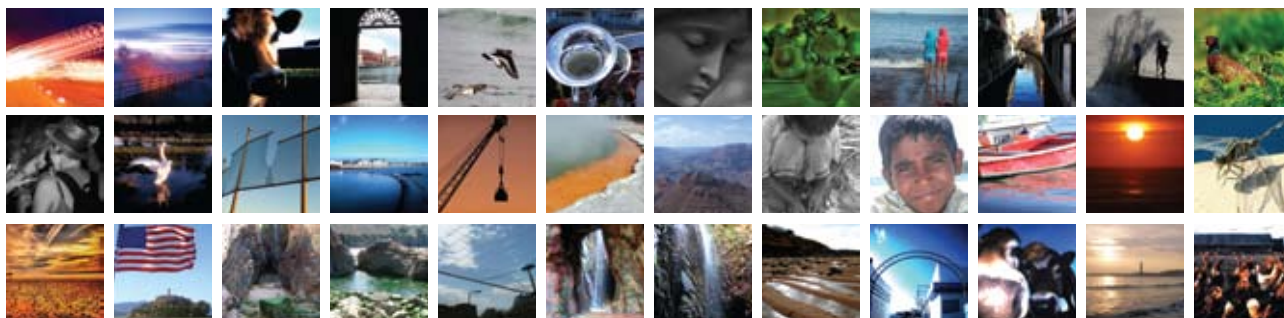
The detail in these images is staggering, the colours complimentary and the composition is very 'rule of thirds' so it works well.

Congratulations Tobias, you've bagged the £100 this month!



Celio Abreu has managed to get the light just right with this photograph of Venice - the lamps, the moon, shimmering reflections on the water. And just look at how soft the striped poles in the centre are. They remind me a bit of ice cream, but they probably don't taste anything like it unfortunately.

The good weather seems to be bringing the snappers out of the woodwork - decisions, decisions, decisions.. it's not easy!



Guy De Carteret has rocked the sepia look this month down at Gorey probably using a fairly wide lens as the castle isn't a blurry mess.

The contrast between the dark, overhanging leaves and the flower in the foreground sets off the soft gradient of the sky in the background just perfectly.



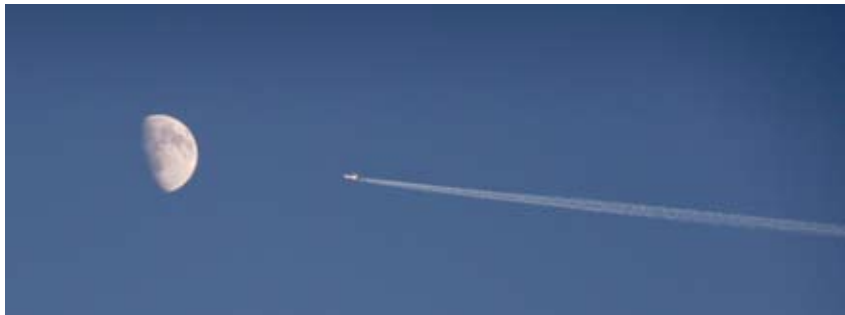
Janusz Sopinka never fails to impress with her nature photos and this one is definitely no exception.

Beautiful depth of field, perfect framing and managing to completely freeze the movement of the water in the air.

It was close this month, very close...



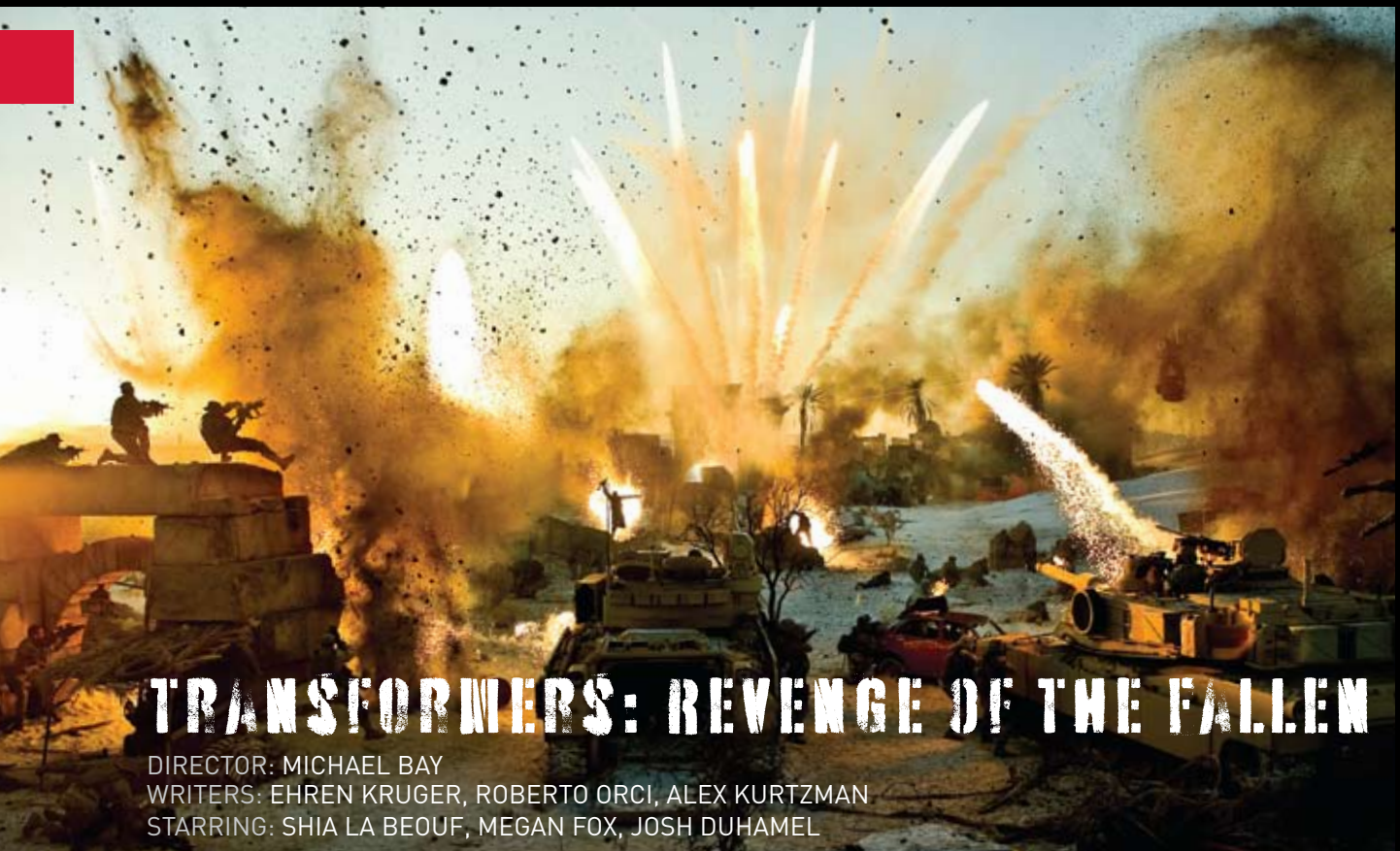
Steven Duffy spotted this composition whilst he was out taking photos and couldn't resist snapping it. Here's the best bit though - it's entitled 'Fly me to the moon'. Brilliant!



Simon Pingree with a classic fish-eye snap looking bang on down the middle of the scene at Havre des Pas.

We've not seen any fish-eye in a while and this one just looked good - if you're rushing out with your fish-eye camera after reading this don't forget to make it a bit off the wall, go crazy!





DIRECTOR: MICHAEL BAY

WRITERS: EHREN KRUGER, ROBERTO ORCI, ALEX KURTZMAN

STARRING: SHIA LA BEOUF, MEGAN FOX, JOSH DUHAMEL

Critics have scoffed at the 1984 Transformers: The Movie animated film. It has been referred to as nothing more than an hour and a half long advert, a cynical attempt to sell a new line of toys to naïve children. Even its soundtrack has been mocked for its overly sincere 80s power ballads from the likes of Stan Bush and Van Halen.

Of course these so called critics are idiots. For young men of a certain age this film is a sacred text. I don't know about you but I can say for sure that it taught me much more about morals and responsibility than my parents and teachers ever did. I'll still argue that the Death of Optimus Prime (Even if he was to return just a couple of months later) and the subsequent passing of the leadership of the Autobots is one of the most moving scenes in cinema history. As you might imagine my expectations for the 2007 live action film were pretty high.

With Michael Bay (Bad Boys, Armageddon, The Rock) at the helm I never had any doubts that the film would deliver both the action and eye popping visuals that movie goers would expect from a film about cars that transform into giant robots and beat the crap out of each other. What I feared was that this would be the entire thrust of the movie. Though Bay never fails to bring the explosions, it's fair to say that his characters are often secondary to the stunts and special effects. Still, the studio had an ace up their sleeve; an ace with 3 Oscars and a reputation as the director of some of cinema's most beloved motion pictures. Steven Spielberg may only be Executive Producer but the film has his fingerprints all over it. The theme of an alien culture coming into contact with a very American humanity is one peppered throughout Spielberg's work from Close Encounters to Jurassic Park to War of the Worlds. More than a couple of parallels can be drawn between Transformers' Bumblebee with his stunted method of communication and close friendship with a human 'child' and E.T. Whether he is responsible or not, the film mirrors the best of Spielberg's cannon by keeping the relationships between the characters central to the narrative. The end

battle might be the most visually arresting section of the film but my personal favourite scene is the one in which the robots creep around outside Sam's house. Rarely will you see a scene choreographed to milk so much drama and comedy out of a situation.

My expectations for the first film were high. If anything they're even higher for this second instalment. Introductions are out the way and from the look of the trailers, things have been

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amped up considerably. Storytelling conventions demanded that the Transformers remain off screen for large portions of the first film. Second time around this won't be the case. Both Autobots and Decepticons have picked up reinforcements including some designs moving on beyond the cars and into heavier forms of artillery. The film is subtitled 'Revenge of The Fallen' and can only refer to Megatron returning to continue his personal war with Optimus Prime. However, it seems at first glance that human characters haven't been sacrificed to give the robots in disguise more screen time. Shia La Beouf's Sam, his scene stealing parents and the smoking hot Megan Fox feature prominently in trailers indicating that they remain in place to anchor the plot and give the audience someone to relate to.

There are more than a few different plates for Bay to keep spinning. He has to deliver a film that trumps the almost surprising success of the first outing whilst leaving somewhere to go for the already announced third film. He also has to balance a demand for more robots whilst keeping the human characters at the heart of the story. It is a matter of showing he can produce a film with both style and substance in equal measure. Michael Bay has to show that as a director there is more to him than meets the eye.

TERMINATOR: SALVATION

June is the definitely the month for robot laden franchise blockbusters with this fourth offering from The Terminator franchise joining Transformers in cinemas. Sadly James Cameron has not returned behind the camera with his place being taken by the man known as McG. Take heart though, this doesn't look like a film shot by the director behind the abominable Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle. After the relative disappointment of the third film this new offering takes place in the middle of the humans against machines war, hinted and teased throughout the first three films. The trailer promises huge set pieces and a gritty visual style more reminiscent of a war

film than a popcorn blockbuster. There have also been hints dropped about a Blade Runner style scenario where the lines between man and machine have been blurred to add a further tension to the conflict. McG's mistakes might be high profile but it's often ignored that he is in part responsible for a couple the critically acclaimed comedy-drama Chuck. I think he might take a few people by surprise here.

YEAR ONE

Jack Black and Michael Cera star as two hunter-gatherers who end up on the first ever road trip after being kicked out of their tribe. Liberties are taken with history as the duo meet Cain

& Abel (played by Paul Rudd and David 'Tobias Funke' Cross) as well as ending up as slaves for what appears to be the Roman Empire. However, these inaccuracies will be forgiven as long as the filmmakers can deliver belly laughs. On the basis of the trailer alone I don't think they'll struggle. Cera and Black appear to have a winning chemistry and the supporting cast includes some of the biggest names in modern comedy with the central duo joined by the aforementioned Rudd and Cross as well as Hank Azaria, Christopher Mintz-Plasse (aka Mclovin) and director Harold Ramis as Adam the first man. Interestingly the writing team behind this film have been signed up for the new Ghostbusters 3 so this might prove a test of their comedic mettle.

ANOTHER FILM, ANOTHER PLANET

Sometimes Hollywood studios make decisions that, to you or I, don't appear to make a whole lot of sense. For example, this month McG director of the Charlie's Angels films takes the reins of the fourth film in The Terminator franchise. With some justification this appointment has been met with some derision. Yet, I think there's something to be said for this type of outside the box thinking. There are more than a few absolute turkeys that I would be willing to take a look at if there was someone else behind the camera. In another universe maybe I would have been raving about these films rather than scoffing at them:

KEVIN SMITH'S SEX & THE CITY

FROM THE WRITER / DIRECTOR OF CLERKS, DOGMA AND JAY & SILENT BOB STRIKE BACK...

Carrie, Miranda, Charlotte and Samantha are four sassy shoe saleswomen who spend their days sitting around talking about life, love and relationships in the lewdest terms possible. They ridicule the rich and successful New York women who make up their clientele whilst wishing they could live like them. Over the course of the film the four over analyse their lot in life but do nothing to change it. For some reason the film climaxes with the character Samantha knowingly having sex with a dead man in the store toilets. Smith & Jason Mewes star as Jay & Silent Bob, the girls' gay best friends who sell weed in front of the shop.


ELI ROTH'S CHARLIE'S ANGELS: FULL THROTTLE
 FROM THE TWISTED IMAGINATION OF THE DIRECTOR OF CABIN FEVER AND HOSTEL...

The sexy angels are sent on a secret mission to infiltrate a hedonistic Eastern European hostel. Even with their spy training the girls soon find themselves trapped in an elaborate series of torture porn scenarios orchestrated by the gravel voiced Charlie and his deranged assistant Bosley. Can these sassy independent women escape bloodied chainsaws and rusty shackles? Soundtrack includes a collaboration between Destiny's Child and Slayer.

CHARLIE KAUFMAN'S THE NUTTY PROFESSOR

FROM THE WRITER OF BEING JOHN MALKOVICH, ADAPTATION AND ETERNAL SUNSHINE OF THE SPOTLESS MIND...

Eddie Murphy plays a balding, overweight, insecure but brilliant geneticist who uses his scientific genius to create a potion that allows him to become a more confident and attractive version of himself. Yet, even with this new outer shell inside he remains crippled by the same self doubts. Unable to come to terms with the fact the people in his life may prefer this new version of him, he is forced to confront issues of morality, memory and the responsibility of the creator in the development of their creation.

**CINeworld COMPETITION**

We have 3 pairs of Cineworld tickets to give away to 3 lucky readers this month. For your chance to win, just answer this question:

ON WHICH ANNIVERSARY OF THE TRANSFORMERS WAS THIS FILM SET FOR RELEASE?

Email your answer and contact details by the 21st June to: competitions@gallerymagazine.co.uk





CONVERSATIONS WITH...

You may have seen these crazy little characters dotted about town, so we'd thought we'd introduce you to the official Jersey Live crew, courtesy of Jersey Telecom. They've got a lot to talk about though, so we'll let them just get on with it...

MASHUP MARETT

Hey Ho! Fancy a FREE weekend ticket for Jersey Live?? All you gotta do is sign up for a £15.99 contract with Jersey Telecom and it's yours! Head down to the JT store on the 20th June and they'll sort you right out! For more info visit the JT website on www.jerseytelecom.com/jerseylive or just pop in and ask us!

Volunteers Wanted:

Fancy being a volunteer at Jersey Live? Check out the Jersey Live website for more info! www.jerseylive.org.uk

ROCKY LE RUEZ

How'd you like to Camp with a Character and win 2 VIP passes and a backstage tour at Jersey Live?!

Jersey Telecom is offering you the chance to be right in the middle of the Jersey Live action, a premiere place in the VIP area... and you get to hang out in the VIP Spiegeltent and rub shoulders with the artists for a bit! Cool, huh?!

All you have to do to is take the wackiest photo of you and a JL character having fun around Jersey and post it up on www.jerseytelecom.com/jerseylive/photocomp. Just visit this link, download our character faces and get snapping!

There are a few golden rules ... BE SAFE, BE LEGAL AND DON'T BE TOO RUDE! We'll be posting your pics up for others to see, so make sure you're happy!

HIPPY LE HOUZE

If you didn't make it to the JT Shop to get your Jersey Live tickets, you'll have missed the JTJL Rag Mag packed with special offers, Jersey Live updates and a 'Bean Scene' guide to Jersey this summer. Luckily I pinched a page for you, titled 'URBAN CAMPING DICTIONARY' according to...' On it, JT have asked the winners of the Battle of the Bands 2009 to come up with their own definitions of some apparently 'common happy camper lingo'... here are the best bits...

Scree: (n) orange residue left plastered across the porcelain following one's first post-festival visit to the lavatory. (The Dirty Aces)

Feeding the Trees: Eating one too many bean crock pasties, playing the famous 'spin around in circles' game and then chundering through the perimeter fence onto the immaculate greenery surrounding. (Marvel)

To see the full version of the URBAN CAMPING DICTIONARY, visit www.jerseytelecom.com/jerseylive and look for the Rag Mag link where you can download JT's unofficial guide to Jersey and Jersey Live, absolutely free!

BRAP BAILACHE

You've already heard about Basement Jaxx, The Kooks, Andy C and zManyDJs, and there are plenty more to come (watch this space) but what about the others? The Jersey Live team have been busy booking some top acts and the list just keeps getting better... Here's the lowdown so far...

SATURDAY'S MAIN STAGE SUPPORTING ACTS...

CASIOKIDS

<http://www.myspace.com/casiokids>

Casiokids, the nomads from Norway are known for mixing their 'poppy' digital keyboard sounds with none other than....puppet theatre!

SPINNERRETTE

<http://www.myspace.com/spinnerettemusic>

All the way from the US of A, Spinnerette is a punk rock band made up of Brody Dalle, Tony Bevilacqua (both former members of The Distillers), Alain Johannes (Queens of the Stone Age, Eleven) and Jack Irons (Red Hot Chili Peppers, Pearl Jam, Eleven). Formed in 2007, Spinnerette have produced a 'Mashup' of material combining solid rock with awesome female vocals, their full album is released in the UK this summer.

GOLDEN SILVERS

<http://www.myspace.com/thegoldensilvers>

Described by XL Magazine as having 'watertight barbershop harmonies spooned onto layers of intricately arranged organ' Golden Silvers' sound dabbles with the essence of the 80s whilst twisting the influences of bands including The Love Below, Blonde on Blonde and Leadbelly.

FRANK TURNER

<http://www.myspace.com/frankturner>

Frank Turner, the English folk singer-songwriter was originally the vocalist of punk band Million Dead... remember them? Described as a young Billy Bragg, his 2008 single "Reasons Not to Be an Idiot" became the iTunes Single of the Week back in January, setting him up for his worldwide tour in 2009.



ESSER

<http://www.myspace.com/esserhq>

A person not a band, Esser has built his rep through his take on the indie music scene with his bedroom beats; fans agree that he is one of the best live artists out there. Once a drummer for 'Ladyfuzz', Esser now has a number of singles, including Headlock and Satisfied on Transgressive.

PASSION PIT

<http://www.myspace.com/passionpitjams>

Described by BBC's Sound of 2009 as 'colourful and cerebral electronica, combining layers of sunny vocals, warped samples, glitchy beats and euphoric effects with a sturdy rhythmic backbone', Passion Pit is a new rave electro band formed in Massachusetts.

SATURDAY'S DANCE TENT SUPPORTING ACTS...

LONDON ELEKTRICITY & MC WREC

<http://www.myspace.com/londonelektricity>

London Elektricity are a fabulously soul influenced yet culturally eclectic DnB band formed in 1996 by Tony Colman and Chris Goss.

BEARDYMAN

<http://www.myspace.com/beardyman>

Beardyman, world famous for his eclectic combo of beat boxing and live synth action, uses no pre-recorded material and is renowned for getting his audiences going crazy. Playing in some top venues he's supported artists like Groove Armada and Fat Boy Slim and will have your sides splitting...



DAN LE SAC & SCROOBIUS PIP

<http://www.myspace.com/lesacvspip>

Who and what are Dan and Scroobius Pip? A leading UK newspaper summed it up by saying 'If Pip is the ringmaster in this enterprise, the wordsmith, then Le Sac is the acrobat, flipping tricks around him, layering hip-hop beats and electro bleeps and fizz around Pip's Essex patois.' Unique music, often like poetry, these guys are constantly updating themselves.



ANNIE NIGHTINGALE

<http://www.myspace.com/djannienightingale>

Presented with the John Peel award for outstanding contribution to music radio by the Radio academy in 2008.

TERMINAL STATE

<http://www.myspace.com/terminalstatehc>

Terminal State have been mixing up the CI's DnB scene for the past 8 years, mixing some of the worlds biggest DnB, DJ's, M.C's and acts.

DJ SPIM

<http://www.myspace.com/thedjspim>

DJ Spim has been on the Jersey DnB scene as part of Subfactory ever since its arrival in the CI back in 2007.

SUNDAY'S LINEUP THIS WAY

DOVES

<http://www.myspace.com/dovesmyspace>

Legendary Mancunian rock band Doves offer a unique alternative rock sound similar to that of Elbow, but arguably better; and have just released their fourth album, Kingdom of Rust.

You may know them from their single 'Black and White Town' but their new album is described by lead singer Jez Williams as "schizophrenic, but... also strangely cohesive." Having supported bands including Oasis, U2 and Coldplay, Doves are heading their way to Jersey this summer.



JACK PEÑATE

<http://www.myspace.com/jackpenate>

AKA Jack Fabian Cassius Bethany Louise Peñate (phew!) recently released his single 'Tonight's Today' which has earned him brownie points all over the place.

As NME recently noted 'In 2007 Jack Peñate became the bum-faced whipping boy for everyone tired of South London's cliquey and clichéd indie scene. Now he's back, surprisingly, with the first great single of 2009. He used to sound like the past, now he sounds like the future.' Set to release his next single 'Be the One' later this month, you'll be hearing more of him before he hits the JL stage in September.



SUNDAY'S MAIN STAGE SUPPORTING ACTS...

THE BOXER REBELLION

<http://www.myspace.com/theboxerrebellion>

Quoted by The Fly Magazine as performing 'flawless melodic escapism that plunges so deep it should come equipped with a bungee rope.'

TEMPER TRAP

www.myspace.com/thetempertrap

All the way from Australia, they recently had their song 'Science of Fear' remixed and mashed up by the DnB hero Mistabishi. Noted for their atmospheric sound using grand guitars set to 'pulsating rhythms' they were labeled by the BBC on its top 15 Sounds of 2009.

TWISTED WHEEL

<http://www.myspace.com/thetwistedwheel>

Twisted Wheel, named after a Manchester nightclub, have been described as having an old school gritty rock 'n' roll sound, reminiscent of the Clash and Arctic Monkeys. They released their debut album Twisted Wheel in April and Liam Gallagher has referred to their sound as 'a breath of fresh air'...

FIGHT LIKE APES

<http://www.myspace.com/fightlikeapesmusic>

Fight Like Apes are an Irish band formed in Dublin 2006, recently getting airtime on shows including BBC presenters Zane Lowe, Marc Riley, Jonathon Ross and Steve Lamacq shows.

SUNDAY'S DANCE TENT SUPPORTING ACTS...

BIRDY NAM NAM

<http://www.myspace.com/birdynamnam>

Birdy Nam Nam, so named after a line in the 1968 Peter Sellers film 'The Party', is made up of a French DJ Crew with a whole host of 'kooky' names. 'Crazy-B' 'DJ Pone' 'DJ Need' and 'Little Mike. Birdy' are all members of the award winning act which has self appointed a mission of using turntables as actual musical instruments...

NAÏVE NEW BEATERS

<http://www.myspace.com/naivenewbeaters>

Originally from France the Naïve New Beaters have been (and still are) busy touring all over Europe throughout 2009 and will be heading our way for JL. The Jersey Live guys spotted this talent at the Printemps festival in France and think they kick ass!

DJ YODA

<http://www.myspace.com/djyodauk>

Known for his genius comedy alchemy with music as we know it, DJ Yoda has been throwing down styles as diverse as funk, hip-hop, Baltimore club, DnB, dubstep and even country classics. Voted as 'One of the Top Three DJs in the World' in Hip-Hop Connection magazine.

CASIOKIDS LIVE

<http://www.myspace.com/casiokids>

If you didn't get enough of them on the main stage on Saturday, you can see them play live in the Dance Tent on Sunday...

FUZZ BOX

<http://www.myspace.com/fuzzboxjsy>

Fuzzbox Inc have described themselves as 'the new kids on the block carving a fresh edge into all that's funky'. Made up of DJs Joe Pope and Colin Moore, you may have heard them on the Jersey club scene doing their thing. Fuzzbox made their debut at Fabric in November last year, Snowbombing 2008 and Jersey Live...

LISTEN TO JL 2009 ONLINE: You can now listen to a preview of the Jersey Live line up on LastFM... just visit www.lastfm.com and search for the Jersey Live Festival under 'events'.



LITTLE MUD REVISITS

Mud Morganfield, the eldest son of blues legend Muddy Waters, will make a triumphant return to Jersey at the beginning of July when he will fly in to be the opening act of Jersey's brand new live music venue Thelma's Lounge.

The 200-person capacity music venue, situated on the newly converted upper level of the Town House pub on New Street will present the finest in live music from local bands and artists from across the world and also offer musical workshops for adults and children, band rehearsal space and dance classes.

Mud, who recorded his debut live album in Jersey in front of a 350-strong crowd in 2008 with local band The Dirty Aces, has been touring the world to high acclaim and large audiences since his last highly popular visit to the island. He is looking forward to his return to the island; 'Jersey will always hold a special place in my heart and I'm counting the days until I return. I've been taking my live CD around the world with me and it's got an amazing response.' Concert organiser Giles Robson who has himself just returned from Chicago after sharing a stage with Mud and blues superstar Buddy Guy says, 'The shows in Jersey last year were all sold out and since then people have been asking me again and again when Mud is coming back. He's been a busy man travelling from Copenhagen to Brazil, Switzerland to Australia. We've finally been able to find a place in his hectic calendar! Mud is riding on the crest of a wave of tremendous popularity and it's going to be thrilling to see him back in Jersey. We've specially added a family show this year as parents said they would have liked their kids to see Mud last

time.'

Thelma's lounge will present three concerts on Thursday 2nd, Friday 3rd and Sunday 5th of July. Thursday's show will include a sit down Cajun meal prepared by a top local guest chef with tickets priced at £30. Food will be served at 7pm with the concert following at 9pm. Friday will be the music only show with tickets priced at £15 - doors open at 7.30pm. Sunday's show will be at 3pm and is a special family show in which parents can bring their children to watch Mud perform. Tickets are priced at £15 for adults, £7.50 for children. Tickets will be available at the Townhouse and iQ the Apple shop from the 10th of June. Mud will be backed on all dates by top local blues band The Dirty Aces.

The concerts are being proudly sponsored by iQ the Apple shop on Burrard Street. The company also sponsored Mud's live album and will be offering a chance to meet Mud in person at midday on Saturday July 4th for an hour long record signing session. For more information on the album and to hear tracks visit the exclusive album MySpace page: www.myspace.com/mudandthedirtyaces. To see video footage of The Dirty Aces front man Giles Robson performing with Mud and Buddy Guy at Buddy Guy's Legends in Chicago please visit www.youtube.com/thedirtyaces

THE BUS

Words | Caroline Bertrand



Whether for you that ill timed bus rattling down the road is your regular mode of transport or a last ditch attempt to venture from the five mile radius around your home; the journey generally has the same tired, over-rehearsed act that was performed the last time you caught it. However, what is never quite the same is that rather 'individual' person sitting a few seats in front.

As I settle myself tightly up against the cold window, I scan the packed bus. Resembling bubbles attempting to be released from a shaken up fizzy drink, it isn't hard to find the least amused of all commuters. This consequently decides today's victim: the middle aged business man is looking down onto all those lucky enough to find a seat, his knuckles white as he clutches the flaking pole. His black hair is flecked with threatening streaks of grey and as he distractedly looks out to the overcast April afternoon, he adjusts his police sunglasses. I have decided his name is Arthur.

So why does Arthur lower himself to levels such as these public buses? Well that's simple, while his accountancy job is making exceedingly good money; people have to consider this fragile environment that surrounds us. The Porsche, the Range Rover and the

Mercedes can surely survive a few days in the well kept garage every so often. For if David Cameron cycles why shouldn't he make some effort? At least Arthur's bus wouldn't be stolen unlike the MP's bike...

The bus steadies itself, as the sound of strained brakes ceases, which had been caused by the suicidal pheasant that had bounded across the road. Just as bemused as the other occupants, Arthur redeems his more dignified posture and decides to pull his barely used iPod from his coat pocket. A glint of a smile threatens his face as the screen flashes to life and he quickly looks around to see if anyone had witnessed this genius. He barely seems to notice as people attempt to brush past him to get to the welcoming doors but as the bus springs once again to life a slightly tenser expression dawns on his face. Like a rabbit his head jerks up from the iPod to the blurred scenery outside, then down, then up again to see if it had possibly changed. And without warning Arthur made a dart for the door, throwing away all dignity he could have possible made for himself during the journey. "Wooah! Stop.. STOP!"

The driver, confused by the interruption during Radio 2's 'Drive Time', looks up into the mirror above the wheel as he continues to speed along the inner road. Succeeding to push to the front of the crowd, Arthur tries again.

"That was MY stop!"

With this the bus reluctantly grinds to a halt, though this was now at the next bus stop, possibly a mile from the last.

Looking harassed, Arthur yet again straightens his stance, methodically puts the ear pieces from the iPod into his ears and strides off the bus.



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And we love you too Odd Molly. Nautilus is stocking the latest collection from this quirky brand. Look out for the gorgeous embroidered dresses and flowing tops, with lots of colour for this season. The pieces help create a feminine look that you can tone down if you like your style more edgy.



ASH @ HI HEELS & HANDBAGS

The brand may already be familiar to some but it is brand new to Hi Heels and Handbags. These stylish Ash wedges are ideal for those of you who have to wear heels at all times. If you are brave enough these make a glamorous replacement for gladiator sandals. Check out the flat studded sandals too!

ALL SAINTS SWIMWEAR @ VOISINS

If you are bored of your usual styles of swimwear, All Saints now have a great range of cut out costumes and bikini with prints that are oh so fashionable at the moment. We love this tie dye number until the stomach is ready to be shown.



WEBSITE OF THE MONTH WWW.EMILIAGOWNS.CO.UK

Local business Emilia Gowns launched earlier this year, selling exclusive, top quality prom, evening and cocktail dresses as well as wedding dresses and accessories at reasonable prices. They wanted to provide beautiful quality dresses with a second to none service. As well as holding dresses in stock there is also a catalogue with those which can be sourced. So you can have the dresses to delivered to your door to try on at home with your friends and even organise a viewing party with all your friends. The hostess may be able to claim up to 50% OFF the purchase price of their dress! By appointment only - you can also visit their entire stock.

Brands include GINO CERUTTI GOWNS, SCALA, SHERRI HILL, BG HAUTE, SCARLETT EVENINGS & PRECIOUS FORMALS - Tel: 491088

TUNIQUE SUMMER SHOPPING EVENT

Following the success of last years shopping parties, Tunique is holding a weekend shopping event at The Grand on Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th June. Don't miss this opportunity to buy unique and handmade fashion and home accessories.

For more information contact elizabeth@tunique.co.uk



SPARKLE WITH RIVOLI JEWELLERS

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Prices for the collection start from £35.95. For further information, please call Rivoli on 601930 or visit them at 41/43 King Street, St Helier.

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Patrick Mavros has created an incredible silver jewellery collection, all inspired by the wildlife environment that surrounds his home in the hills outside Harare in Zimbabwe. There is a story behind each of his creations which includes elephants, crocodiles, hippos, tribal hakata and the African ndoro mollusc. The three strand elephant hair bangle with sliding knot is inspired by the bangles worn by tribes centuries ago – traditionally given as gifts of love, brotherhood, good luck, virility and wisdom.



things to make & do...

Jersey Silver Studio, at the Harbour Gallery in St Aubin, is a specialist Art Clay studio where courses of all types are held and people fly in from all over the world to learn how to use this magical product.

Believe it or not, you can even get a ACWUK qualification which is recognised worldwide enabling you to make all the jewellery you want at home.

I spent a morning at Jersey Silver Studio at the Harbour Gallery making a pair of earrings and this is how easy it was. I found a plastic starfish (it can be whatever you want) and took it to the Jersey Silver Studio with a design in mind. I then made a mould of my starfish out of a moulding material, similar to a dentist's moulding material which I pushed my starfish into while the material was still soft. I had to be quick here because the material sets within 5 minutes.

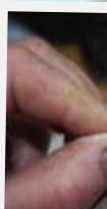
Using the mould I had made with the plastic starfish taken out, the Art Clay was pushed into the shape, making sure it filled all the space.



The Art Clay then needs drying, either with a hair dryer or hot plate until it's hard enough to get out.

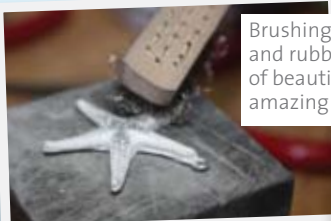


Carefully removing the clay shape from the mould, it then has to be sanded down taking away all the rough edges and excess but without removing any important detail.



I then attached the earring fixings with Art Clay paste and smoothed them down with a water pen to make them invisible.

With the Art Clay in its dried clay state, using a blow torch or gas ring, heat is applied to remove the the binding agent, leaving me with the silver starfish. It didn't look silver at this stage - just white.



Brushing the earrings with a stainless steel brush and rubbing with a burnisher revealed a pair of beautiful silver shiny starfish. the detail was amazing and the earring wires were attached.



Hey presto - a beautiful pair of silver earrings!

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festival fashion

The festival season has well and truly begun and if you are going to get outdoors and enjoy it then you are going to need a capsule festival wardrobe to take you through the next few months. Think of it as your festival uniform and packing should no longer be a problem.

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QUESTION TIME

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I think it's fair to say the whole metrosexual thing has now come and gone. We've dipped in and out of the feminisation of men and seen a rebellion against all things soft and cuddly with a return to masculinity. Where does that leave the idea of men having treatments and looking after themselves? Does it mean we are meant to shelve that and concentrate on smashing up rocks and banging wood to keep ourselves well? Hell no. And here's why; it's fantastic. Why would anyone not want to be pampered, massaged, oiled and stroked?

I must admit, I was a little apprehensive. I think there is an overwhelming feeling that the domain of treatments and pampering is firmly governed and populated by the fairer sex. Despite spending more than a healthy amount of time at the Royal Yacht, this was the first time I've ventured down the stairs to Spa Sirène. Being a bit of a Westie (geographical rather than canine variety) I don't get to town for leisure that much.

The spa is excellent, I expected no less. I was welcomed, completed a short registration card and given a guided tour of the facilities. The spa is a true oasis. The subterranean pool is cavernous, but in a good way, giving the impression of having escaped from the real world rather than being underground. The pool is a good size and is surrounded by a variety of

facilities to soothe and calm; a sauna, steam room, aromatherapy steam room, heated stone loungers in a relaxation room and ergonomic jacuzzi. There's also a cold bucket shower if you're getting too hot.

My beauty therapist, Bex, showed me to the changing room so I could change into my robe and slippers. There's a certain amount of decadence to wandering around in hotel or spa robes. It was a little tricky in the one-size-for-everyone slippers. I felt a little bit like a geisha as I shuffled to my treatment room. Bex outlined my treatment, amusingly titled 'Play it Cool', and left me to get settled in the serenity of the spa (cheesy I know, but it really is the right way to describe it).

The treatment started with a back massage and application of thermal sea mud to the spine. It's a strange sensation as you lie down and it almost effervesces away underneath you, warming and soothing. Bex then turned to my face, applying a detox cleansing gel. I always thought that having someone massage your face was a bit of a weird concept but it really is incredible, other worldly even. I could definitely feel the stresses of my life waning as I relaxed and my breathing slowed. I defy anyone to be stressed in this environment.

Following the cleanse, Bex applied an oxygenating mask, designed to exfoliate (tricky with my considerable facial hair) and revitalise the skin. I think if I were to go again I'd shave beforehand to maximise the effect

of the treatment. At several stages throughout the treatment I definitely drifted off. By the time Bex had finished I felt as if I was under some sort of relaxation spell. Bex removed the thermal sea mud, and I was left to get myself together ready for my 'Come on in' Seawater bath.

I was led to a private room, which had an enormous Jacuzzi style seawater bath. It's big enough for two, three even, but it felt pretty damn decadent on my own. The Star Trek style Jacuzzi control panel allowed me to vary speed, intensity, even the coloured light spectrum in the room. I lay there, contemplating the stresses of my world but feeling one step removed from it. Unfortunately I couldn't justify spending all day there as I had prior arrangements but I would definitely go back when I have more time.

If you're a man (that's 50% of you) then get over the social stigma of feeling guilty spending time looking after yourself. Someone wise once told me to 'take time and smell the flowers' in life. I think I'd rather take time, smell the flowers, then get a face massage. I mean....why not!?

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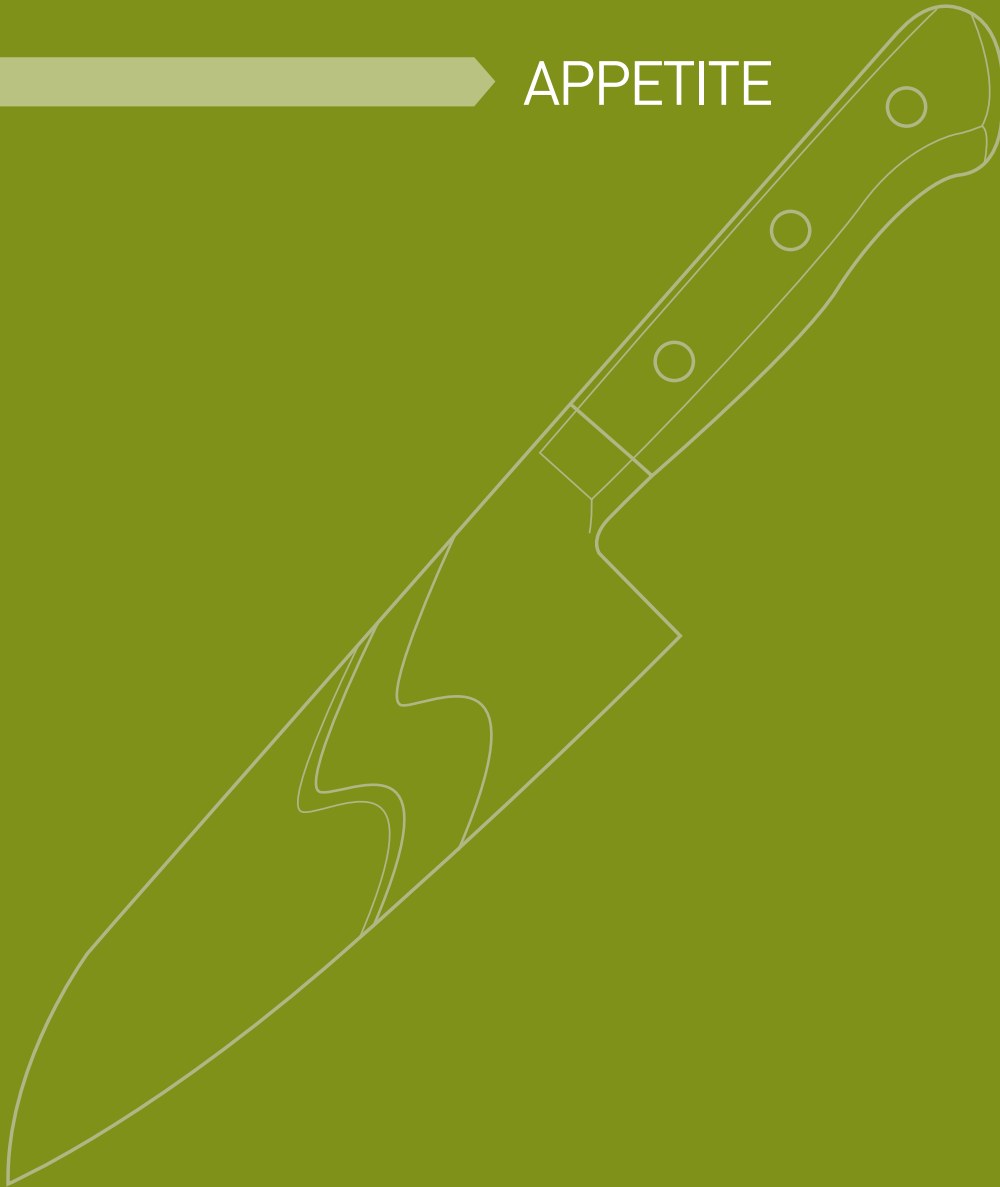
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For a sophisticated take on delicious local food, try the Royal Yacht's restaurant Sirocco. It aims to take the formality out of fine dining by giving customers the chance to mix and match dishes from two different menus. Its 'Simply Sirocco' menu is a pared down version of classic tastes, focusing heavily on local produce and simple cooking techniques. It's nostalgic, welcoming, and most importantly, uncomplicated. And if you're feeling more high-maintenance, there's the 'Signature Sirocco' menu, which takes local ingredients and whips them up into intricate taste sensations, like the cider braised belly of local pork, and the Jersey lobster with smoked potato ravioli. Perfect for the fickle among us - try simple for your starter and get more complex for your main course or the other way around, none of the staff at Restaurant Sirocco will bat an eyelid. Aas executive chef Fred Tobin explains, "we cater for every mood, as the 'Simply Sirocco' and 'Signature Sirocco' menus work perfectly side

by side so you can have a mix of both, whatever your pleasure".

"She turned up with a gorgeous tan, a size zero figure and a new-found intolerance to dairy and eggs, thanks to too much reading of 'Skinny Bitch'. This'll put Sirocco's kitchen to the test, I thought to myself"

I took the decidedly high-maintenance Liza, just back from LA where she was working on a fly on the wall documentary about a well known celeb and his struggles with rehab – I'd love to tell you who, but it's very hush hush and embargoed until September. Sorry. She turned up with a gorgeous tan, a size zero figure and a new-found intolerance to dairy and eggs, thanks to too much reading of 'Skinny Bitch'. This'll put

Sirocco's kitchen to the test, I thought to myself, but the 'Simply Sirocco' menu is all about simplifying recipes to focus on the fresh local produce, so she found it easy to find a dish to suit her. The smoked salmon starter couldn't have been more perfect, carved tableside, it's served Scandinavian-style with a whole choice of different accompaniments; salted capers, chopped red onion, anchovies, finely diced hard-boiled egg, sea salt and a generous sprinkling of parsley. Think tapas, Nordic-style. It was a beautiful starter, made into an event by the whole ritual of carving, and choosing the accompaniments. I was torn between the avocado, peaches and pancetta salad on the Simply Sirocco menu, and the Jersey crab beignet with soft quail eggs and a caper and shallot dressing on the Signature menu. The salad won out in the end – with its delicious hit of sweet and salty from the peach and pancetta pairing, but I still want to try the crab beignet. Guess I'll have to come back...



Who says she's high maintenance? Zara takes it easy with the fresh approach to fine dining at the Royal Yacht's Restaurant Sirocco.

On the Simply Sirocco main course menu, there's a mouthwatering mix of classic dishes – from local beef and oyster pie to Jersey lobster served with a whole choice of butters and sauces. Our choices were the local turbot with Jersey royals and salad, and the honey glazed rack of lamb. Liza's turbot was beautifully presented –the tasty firm fish with its fresh meaty flavours set off by tart capers and Jersey royals. It was simple, but perfectly cooked. My rack of lamb was absolutely delicious, sweet and juicy with a rich gravy, creamy potatoes, al-dente beans and some burst-in-the-mouth oven roasted cherry tomatoes. Definitely my favourite of the night.

The sommelier suggested Liza try a glass of their Chablis (the Albert Bichot, 2007) instead of her usual Pinot Grigio. She was glad she did – honeyed and rich, this was a classic dry Chablis and worth a try for yourself, a bottle comes in at £25.50. Then a delicious pre-

dessert of tempura strawberries and onto our desserts, a selection of four delicious sorbets for Liza and a trio of raspberry-themed mini desserts for me, a raspberry macaroon, white chocolate delicé and a raspberry sorbet.

The restaurant changes character as the sun sets, going from a contemporary light dining room in the day to a sophisticated space full of low-lit chocolate tones and rich textures after dark, all set off by the sparkling harbour lights. It's chic, but not too formal – the tables are far enough apart to not worry about eavesdroppers, and there's a steady buzz of conversation. And with the new informal approach to eating out, you get all the best bits of fine dining: the choice of breads, those clever little amuse-bouches, beautiful table settings and five-star service, along with a relaxed choice of menus – uncomplicated or something a bit more special. All you have to do is sit back on their comfortable chairs and enjoy.

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Breakfast on the pier

The Hungry Man at Rozel has to be the perfect setting for a late brekkie, a light lunch or even an afternoon burger by the boats! All seating is outside and the take away stand is set at the end of the harbour offering brilliant views of Rozel Bay. Enjoy the view with a breakfast bap, a summer sarnie or choose from an array of delicious options, all without breaking the bank but with a priceless view in the summer sun.

Pub grub

La Fontaine is a good location for a cold pint and a plate of good old pub grub. With a recently refurbished outdoor area it serves traditional favourites, so it is great place for a summer lunch or dinner relaxing in their beer garden. They serve sandwiches or you can enjoy a slap up meal and a nice drink without the price tag getting the better of your guilty conscience. Busy all year round, friendly staff and jolly locals make it a good all-rounder!

Eastern delights

Thai Dicq Shack - What more could you want than delicious Thai food, cooked fresh, on the beach...?! All we're really missing is the tropical climate, but apparently we're in for a scorcher this year in Jersey. The Thai Dicq shack serves real Thai food and has been a favourite in the island for years. Grab a bottle from your wine rack, head down there with some friends, nab a table on the sand and enjoy everything from red snapper, pad thai, stir fries, curries or for the less adventurous, a bacon sarnie....but be careful with the curries, and if you dare, order it suicidal hot. Believe me you will be running to cool down in the sea!

Other places to bag a bargain

The Günsite Cafe or enjoy pancakes at the little van at St Ouen's.

Lazy brunches and lunches

Big Vern's is always a winner. Good to take visiting friends and family to, because of the excellent location. Who could complain with views over the endless stretch of rural beach at St. Ouen's while tucking into one of their enormous breakfasts? Loads of choice, from the full works, to baps, packed sandwiches and delicious seafood salads. Open till the evenings in the summer, so if you don't make it for lunch, try the specials in the late evening sun, the sea bass is always a favourite with a chilled glass of Chardonnay.

Northern sunshine

Head out north for a hidden little gem, The North Point Bistro, with a lovely little courtyard setting, which traps the sun and heat in. It's perfect at any time of the day, and serves a lovely breakfast, simple lunches and seasonal dinners. Enjoy some great moules, or for the more hungry try their tasty risottos, it's lovely for a summer's evening away from the BBQ. Sticking to a small menu, it works so well and with the addition of a selection of homemade pizzas, it serves all taste buds!

Gastropub grub

Castle Green has proved to be a very successful gastropub serving simple yet, interesting food. Its decked terrace is a lovely sun trap for some alfresco dining, and even when the sun disappears they provide you with shawls to wrap up in. On the menu - light summer dishes from sushi and salmon to homemade burgers and delicious steaks. It ticks all the right boxes for a Saturday afternoon in the sun.

Other suggestions...

Cafe Zephyr, the Wayside or Waves by the Sea for more sun traps.

Brunch with the boats

Danny's at the Harbour View has really fallen on its feet with such a gorgeous harbour location. Serving everything from ingenious breakfasts dreamed up by Danny to brunch and lunches ranging from very original sandwiches and salad combinations that Danny has again put his style to, and the bigger plates show his imagination coming through in every dish. Perfect for any occasion, Danny's offers a lovely location for a Sunday lunch with a slight twist. Perfect for lazy afternoons with the clanking of the boat masts.

Seaside sun

Green Island is the most southerly restaurant in the British Isles, and sits literally on top of the beach. With a small terrace outside you have to be quick to bag a table outside on weekend lunchtimes and evenings due to the popularity of the food and location. The restaurant relies heavily on fresh seasonal food, so there are constant changing tempting specials, and an equally delicious sounding a la carte menu. A dream for seafood fans, but it also offers a great choice of meaty dishes. The team there are great at offering advice on dishes and wines. A real gem for alfresco dining.

Sumas

Enjoy food on Suma's cosy terrace with brilliant views of Gorey Castle and the sea. The menu mirrors the location and delivers lovely seafood alongside side other offerings such as venison, beef and duck. They have a lunch and early supper menu which sun-seekers can take advantage of and even the early risers can enjoy breakfast here. It is a brilliant location, offering local and seasonal produce alfresco style.

Or even try...

Village Bistro, the Atlantique or the Salty Dog in search of some more outdoor dining!

TONGS AT THE READY..!

Summer is finally here and we want to spend as much time as we can outdoors. We move from the bar stool to the beer garden, from dining table to the garden furniture, and we swap the cooker for the BBQ.

What more of an excuse do we need to rally the troops up for a good summer feast outdoors? No TV to get distracted by, the summer sun is out and there are plenty of outdoor games to entertain the kids - as a whole there is every reason to get the tongs out and get the grill smoking.

We need to get past the carcinogenic chicken lumps that dad used to burn to a crisp back in the day, and rejuvenate the barbecue to a stylish and delicious meal time. It doesn't need to be completely focused on the meat as there is so much more to cooking on the coals, think in season mackerel, think aubergines and corn on the cobs, monkfish kebabs and delicious king prawns, there is an abundance of choice and it doesn't need to break the bank.

Mackerel is inexpensive, and is brilliant grilled on the barbecue, fish kebabs always get gobbled up quickly, and monkfish is a brilliant sweet and juicy fish that is transformed by being char-grilled. Bring a piece of Oz to the British outdoor cooking, by 'chucking another shrimp on the barbie' and pouring yourself a beer, as apparently we're in for a sun-packed summer.

Even the meat can move up a whole new level. Forget picking up readymade burgers from the supermarket, create some flavoursome ones of your own - blitz up some minced beef with onions, garlic, Tabasco, Worcestershire sauce and mustard, or swap the mustard for sweet chilli. Try lamb with some Indian spices or chicken with ginger, lemongrass and Thai red curry paste, even pork mince can be transformed with some crushed peanuts and honey. Mince is cheap and goes a long way to feed a crowd.

Take the focus away from the heat and dish up some light and tasty salads. No need for stress as these can be prepared hours ahead and can be dished up in a cool fashion. Simple and cost effective ingredients such as cannellini beans can be mixed with tuna, capers and spring onion as a substantial salad. Traditional tomato, mozzarella and basil salad makes good use of seasonal ingredients, and a crisp green salad with exotic leaves matches the tasty burgers.

Us Brits are always so tempted to stick to the norm when it comes to outdoor cooking. Sales of burgers and sausages shoot up a mile in the summer. But what's wrong with a nice piece of lamb steak, flatted slightly with meat cleaver or rolling pin, seasoned with some toasted and crushed cumin and coriander and grilled over the coals? Complement the meat with a lovely Moroccan chickpea cous cous salad mixed with some chopped

apricots or sultanas - bring the Middle East to a very British garden event!

Good old tomato ketchup is never far from the garden dining table (or the sausages for that fact!) - but for some new flavours, take a trip to one of our local farm shops and choose from their selection of rich, tasty and moorish chutneys and relishes, they are perfect for any barbeque occasion and can add exciting and new flavours to any dish...but chances are the traditional ketchup won't make it far away!

Instead of white baps, pick up some ciabatta, bake until crisp and serve your burgers in these for added crunch - also perfect dipped in balsamic vinegar and oil. For nibbles prior to the main event, grab some tasty olives or whip up some dips to go with some homemade tortilla crisps. Mash up some avocado and make your own guacamole with lime and coriander, or even chop up some tomatoes, mix again with coriander, red onion and tabasco and create a fresh and spicy salsa. Sometimes the nibbles can be just as exciting as what follows!

So with the temperature hotting up, the white pasty legs coming out and the late summer evenings, now is the time to get the fridge stocked up and ready for the barbeque season. Forget the unhealthy label that has attached itself to cooking outdoors, as it can be a light, tasty and very seasonal meal. Even with the credit crunch upon us, get each person to bring a dish and before you know it, you have a banquet at no cost at all. But be prepared, if the man of the house is behind the grill, get the fire extinguishers out as you never know what could happen!



L'Horizon's new Terrace menu

Summer must be well on its way as L'Horizon has just launched its new terrace menu. With such a gorgeous location, it is a stunning place to enjoy a few drinks or cocktails with a light summer meal. Choices on the menu include chilled out food such as galettes, light bites, baguettes and burgers. There is a good choice of fresh sea food such as oysters and crab or there is the option to splash out on a deliciously decadent fruits de mer.

Alongside there is an a la carte menu with an array of tempting choices to enjoy in the stunning St Brelade's sunshine. Traditional starters such as Caesar salad, gazpacho, or salmon rillettes can whet the appetite, and the larger plates include lobster, sea bass, various roast meats or fish of the day.

Brilliant for a girlie lunch, a romantic lunch, or a summer's evening supper with friends - enjoying L'Horizon Terrace's out of town location is a must on those hazy summer nights.

Soldiering on

Blaggers' Banquet goes to Jersey Live

If you haven't caught 'Blaggers' Banquet', showing on Mondays at 8pm on ITV1, then set your Sky+ to catch the last two episodes of the series, which shows you what was really going on behind the scenes at last year's Jersey Live.

The series, a Channel Islands-based amalgam of 'Faking It' and 'Hell's Kitchen', pairs maverick Guernsey chef, Dean Hodgkinson with a team of kitchen novices and teaches them how to blag it as top chefs in just three days. Not only do they have to cook a top-quality meal for 12 VIP guests, but they have to source the ingredients themselves, all for a budget of £1.50 a head...

The final two episodes follows Dean training up a team of 'chefs' from Jersey's Salvation Army hall to cook a intimate rock star-themed banquet for twelve music industry bigwigs, backstage at Jersey Live. With most of them over fifty, the closest these four have come to heavy metal is marching with their Salvation Army tubas, and Dean's worried about how his God-fearing team will cope at Jersey Live. "There's going to be lots of drinking, lots of smoking, lots of screaming and lots of swearing, and these are men of the cloth, so I'm a bit concerned".

Dean should be more concerned about whether they can cook or not, after all on the big day, his team of blaggers have to do all of the cooking themselves. Dean soon finds out exactly what he's up against when he sets the team twenty minutes to create and cook a dish using five ingredients. It's a disaster – inedible, and in some cases, still raw – and most of the attempts end up in the bin. 'I thought working with children was hard, but the elderly are even harder', groans Dean.

Used to collecting for charity, they're slightly better when it comes to blagging free produce. A tour of Jersey's market and farm shops yields meat, fish and orange peel for free, and the non-smoking and teetotal Sally Army chaps even manage to find a cigar and some rum for Dean's rock star feast. They gamely spend an evening partying at Jersey Live, on lemonade of course, then a full day in the kitchens, under Dean's watchful eye, preparing the Bacchanalian banquet while Dean's wife Armelle, manages to set up a kitchen and decadent Moroccan-style dining room backstage at the festival.

Of course, it's all going too smoothly, the sun comes out, the white-haired Salvation Army chefs soldier on and finish all of the preparation without throwing any tantrums, and for once Dean can't complain. It looks like it's going to be a breeze. The director must have had a headache, wondering how to introduce some 'mild peril' before the ad break – maybe an exploding blender, or Dean suddenly losing his voice, but then a real disaster strikes just hours before the banquet and for the first time in the series, it looks like the whole thing will have to be called off.

No spoilers from us, you'll have to watch it to find out what happens, and of course to see if you can spot yourself in the Jersey Live crowd shots.

Blaggers' Banquet – Jersey Live

8pm on ITV1, Monday 15th and 22nd June





GOING UP ▲

Last month saw the opening of the latest phase of De Gruchy's re-development, in the form of a brand spanking new cafe.

Appropriately named 'Upstairs at De Gruchy', the coffee shop is located on the first floor near the stairs to the hair and beauty salon. Many will remember the café that used to sit where the lingerie department is currently, so this is a welcome return for those that have missed having a coffee shop on the first floor.

Taking a completely opposite style to the downstairs counterpart brasserie, the café is modern, spacious, light and fresh just like the menu. One of the things that makes the café stand out is the outstanding bakery. Everything is baked fresh that day by chef Kate Whatuira who has come from Spriggs at the Lavender Farm. Many of the recipes are her own and manager Paul tells me 'you won't find a better chocolate brownie anywhere else'. There is also plenty of lunchtime snacks available including soup made using Jersey vegetables, wraps, sandwiches, foccacias, panninis and not forgetting the salad bar with a selection of cold meats.

And no coffee shop would be complete without the best coffee. Manager Paul spent a lot of time at Cooper's researching coffee until they found a blend that was right for the café. Bruzzi from Brazil became the coffee of choice, freshly roasted regularly in Jersey, Paul told me this is the type of the coffee that needs someone good on the machine to get the your coffee tasting just right.

A lot of thought and attention to detail has gone into Upstairs at De Gruchy, which is already a huge success, taking bookings and is full at lunchtimes. Adding another element to your shopping experience, it's the perfect place to come and relax whilst shopping or leave your partner with the bags whilst you have a look around.



Paul recommends

Best panini: Brie & four cheese
Wrap: Chicken and bacon
Cake: Strawberry gateau
Sweet: Chocolate brownie

SEASONAL RECIPE

Seasonal summer salad

4 pre-roasted beetroots
1 summer squash - diced
A dozen asparagus spears
A handful purple headed broccoli shoots
A handful of pine nuts
12 cherry tomatoes
Balsamic vinegar
Spinach and/or rocket leaves

Pre heat oven to a high heat – approx 200 degrees.

The beetroot should have been pre-roasted in an oven for 2-3 hours, or boiled for an hour. Beetroot can occasionally be bought pre-roasted from supermarkets when in season.

Place the squash, diced into small cubes onto a pre-heated oven dish, toss with some oil, season and roast until soft (roughly 30 minutes). Whilst the squash is roasting, place the cherry tomatoes in a small oven dish and drizzle over some balsamic vinegar, and season. Place in the oven for 15 – 20 minutes.

Whilst the squash and tomatoes are roasting, blanch the asparagus for 2 minutes and then add the broccoli for an additional minute, drain and run under cool water to cool. Put to one side.

Once the squash and tomatoes are cooked, remove from the oven and leave to cool slightly. Heat a grill pan, and place the asparagus on until lightly charred.

On a plate scatter some spinach and /or rocket leaves, chop the beetroot into cubes and scatter on top. Place the cooled broccoli, asparagus, warm squash and tomatoes on top and scattered some pine nuts on top (these can be lightly toasted if desired). Drizzle some additional balsamic vinegar and some olive oil over the salad and enjoy. Alternatively this salad can be enjoyed alongside some char-grilled chicken, or an accompaniment to a bean salad. Also good on the table at a BBQ.

IN SEASON

Peaches

Sweet, juicy and fragrant, they are the perfect fruit. They match savoury flavours, great to suppress a sugar craving, and lovely roasted as a dessert – a perfect all-rounder! When ripe, they should have a subtle aroma and should yield slightly when pressed, but should not be eaten when hard. Match as a starter with some tasty Parma ham, add to salads with some warm chicken, or roast on the BBQ and drizzle with some sweet marsala wine for a light pudding. Kids will love them chopped up as they are deliciously sweet and juicy. Low in calories and high in iron and potassium.

Beetroot

Forget the sugar-packed, vinegary jarred type and pick yourself up some fresh beets from the market - wash them, but don't peel, wrap in foil and roast for 2-3 hours, or alternatively prepare and boil for an hour. Lovely chopped up with some summer squash in a salad (see Recipe alongside). They have a lovely earthy flavour, and are great for picnics, as they add a juicy subtle flavour - try jazzing up some cous cous with beets and some sultanas. A great detoxifier and packed full of good nutrients. Careful when handling as you could end up with pink finger tips!

Fennel

Holds a strong sweet aniseed flavour when eaten raw, and a more subtle, mellow flavour when cooked. Brilliant sliced into salad raw to add that additional flavour. It complements fish very well - try baking sea bass and roasting some fennel and baby shallots with it. It is very versatile as it can be roasted, poached, boiled or braised, all producing a lovely aromatic flavour. The bulbs should be white with no blemishes, and the feathery green tops shouldn't show any yellowing. Apparently, it aids digestion and can help to ease stomach cramps – Fennel tea is good for any tummy problems

Mackerel

A rich and flavour packed fish and full of goodness. A lovely fish to roast on the BBQ, but it has to be complimented with the right flavours as it doesn't lend itself to the simple lemon and herb treatment or rich cream sauces. Try cumin and other strong spices as well as citrus flavours - it's delicious with a Moroccan cous cous salad and some simple green veg. Good for the credit crunch as it is an inexpensive fish, in great abundance and very healthy. Use it smoked and flaked into salads. When buying look for shiny bodies, bright eyes and a rigid body.

Kiwi Fruits

They don't get much press in the summer, as the spotlight tends to shine on the berries in season, but kiwi fruits are in a league of their own. With more vitamin C than an orange and as much potassium as a banana, they are a perfect fruit and brilliant to have before your breakfast for a 'get up and go' start to the day. Adds colour to a fruit salad and lovely in a summer smoothie. Make sure they are slightly soft and ripe as it may become a slight battle to scoop out the lovely lime green flesh – hard unripe kiwis can be very tart on the palette.

Aubergines

Part of a huge family and available in all sorts of colours and shapes. Mediterranean flavours lend themselves well to aubergines. They figure strongly in Spanish, Italian and middle-eastern cooking. Baba ganoush is a lovely dip made out of pureeing roasted aubergine with garlic. They're delicious roasted with other vegetables, in a Greek moussaka, or cold on a meze. Aubergines work very well in both Thai and Indian curries as they are a good meaty veg. For a new trick on the BBQ try slicing and chargrilling for a smoky flavour. They should be firm with glossy and smooth skins.



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Palmeira



The large property (4,000 sq. feet) was built around 30 years ago and is home to John and Linda, their daughter Kirstie, who is currently at university and their dog, Pickle.

The family moved into the house around four years ago and have since refurbished and adapted it into a luxurious family home, perfect for parties. "When we moved in there was no working shower, the door leading into the entrance hall had horrible orange glass around it, the garden had a picket fence and vegetable patch, and there was dark brickwork on parts of the outside of the property", said Linda.

The driveway to the house is set off the lane and the couple have added electric wooden gates and replaced the tarmac drive with paving and pretty gardens either side. There is plenty of space in front of the house for parking and also a double garage with a new electric door. The front door leads into the porch where you can take a seat on the bench to take your shoes off and hang your coat up before going into the entrance hall. "I replaced the horrible orange glass around the door to the entrance hall with new glass which has a floral pattern and that was made by someone

who works on church windows."

The entrance hall is very spacious, with a high ceiling and balcony on the first floor. Immediately to your left is the study, with fitted units and a sliding door cloaks cupboard. "This room would be ideal as another bedroom for an older person who couldn't make the stairs because the bedroom directly above is exactly the same size and has an ensuite, so all the plumbing is already there to make this room another ensuite."

As you leave the study and walk ahead, you approach the open plan lounge and dining room. The lounge has a functional granite fireplace, although there is a gas fire at present, and both the lounge and dining room are a generous size and have double doors leading to the back of the house where large hedges and shrubbery enclose an inviting garden, pool and decked area. Once outside you can take a swim in the deep and unusually shaped pool, relax on the decked area whilst enjoying the surrounding manicured garden (which includes wisteria, roses, a palm tree, a pear tree and charming umbrella tree), or you can unwind in the enclosed Arctic six seat spa complete with music system.

A feature of this house that is particularly interesting and fun is the attached outhouse. The outhouse has a seating area (TV fittings already in place) which could also be a gym, there is a shower, WC, dishwasher and sink, and another smaller room with a fridge freezer and separate entrance to avoid going through the main part of the house. It is ideal as a changing room when having parties. "We had lots of parties here and the house we are moving to is also a party house."

All the carpets in the house were replaced and are a light mocha colour and the walls have been decorated in magnolia and pecan. There is also travertine flooring which runs from the porch through the entrance hall, kitchen and into the utility rooms and this is consistent with the natural flow of the house. "We knew we wouldn't always live here so we decorated the house in muted colours so that it could be suitable for anyone."

The first floor contains a large study (which could be another bedroom); Kirstie's bedroom, an airy and fresh space with fitted wardrobes; a house bathroom outside Kirstie's room which has a sauna for one, heated towel rack and Pastella flooring; the master bedroom with walk in wardrobes



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and an ensuite (includes an all in one Jacuzzi bath/steam room/foot spa and shower and twin sink); a spare bedroom (ensuite and fitted wardrobes); and an airing cupboard. All the rooms have views of the garden and pool area except the spare room, which looks out onto the front of the property. It is also possible to see the sea from the master bedroom. The bathrooms have under floor heating and there is a huge loft that runs the length of the house.

All the windows and doors in the house were changed (the windows

are now large double glazed tilt and turn). "The old windows and doors were aluminium and were sent to Romania which meant they could be recycled." The radiators in the house were also replaced and the electrics upgraded. The dark brickwork on the outside of the house was substituted with cladding and the whole house repainted. "It took about 18 months in total to do the refurbishment and now it's a lovely light house."

"We are only moving because our daughter is at university and it's too large

for just the two of us. We have found a place in St Peter which is a smaller version of this house. We will miss it as we have been here for four years and have spent a lot of time, energy and thought in re-vamping it. It's definitely a party house but it is also light and bright and one of the few houses where all the rooms are a good size."

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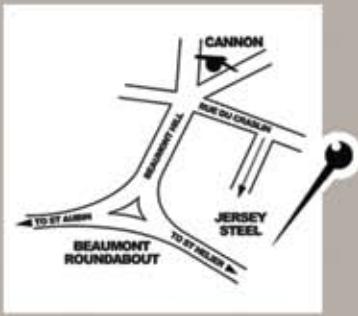
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- Many character features
- Separate study
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- Close to beach

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- Potential to extend
- Possible rental income
- Double garage and ample forecourt parking

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- Immaculate granite mews cottage
- Quiet country lane location
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- Large eat in kitchen

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- Driveway approach
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- Spacious townhouse
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- Secure patio garden.
- Close to Schools.


St Helier £465,000



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St Saviour £515,000



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St Saviour £525,000



3 1 CAT A-J

- Detached family home.
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St Helier £569,000



3 1 CAT A-J

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- Detached.


St Saviour £595,000



4 2 CAT A-J

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- Close to the beach.
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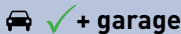


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Commanding Position, St Helier

£POA

4 4 CAT A-K



This property enjoys a superb location with commanding views over St Aubin's Bay and Elizabeth Castle, to the main port of St Helier. The main house offers 4 bedrooms en-suite, and 4 receptions with a large open plan kitchen opening to the conservatory, situated to take maximum advantage of the views. There is an excellent indoor swimming pool and the beautifully manicured gardens and patio areas provide excellent outdoor entertainments space. In addition to the main house there is a large 1 bedroom staff flat over the 5 car garage.

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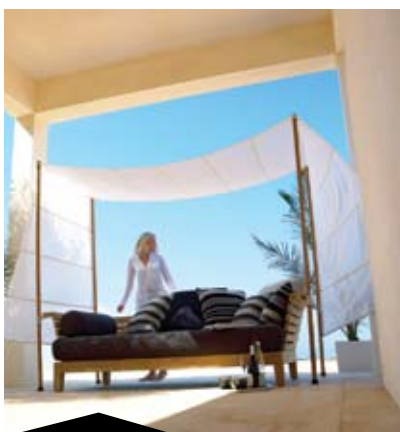
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(well, the opinion of our very own ceri milner)

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COAL

- > You can show off that you have mastered the art of starting a BBQ.
- > The glowing coals look great.
- > Portability. If you've got a little one (cue guffaw), just pick it up and head down the beach.
- > Appeals to the primeval person in us all!
- > You may get covered in soot, but improvise and make it look intentional with black warrior marks on your cheeks.
- > You can get nifty gadgets to get your coals piping hot.
- > We don't care about the taste tests, charcoal does taste better. Fact.

GAS

- > Click and start. No waiting.
- > Blind tests show that people can't taste the difference between gas and charcoal-grilled food.
- > Having a huge majestic beast of a BBQ on your patio looks good, and macho (even if you're a girl).
- > You have complete control over the temperature.
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We say: get both!

Have your gas BBQ at home to make big feasts for parties, or for just whipping on quickly to make chocolate bananas! Then keep a compact coal BBQ in your car for spontaneous beach BBQ-ing.



Shine some light on the matter

The summer is here (well almost, but what is wrong with positive thinking?). We will have longer days lounging about after work - absorbing every last inch of sunshine. Then when you head home make sure you have some easy-summer mood lighting to keep the long summer evening vibe running

Right: Lamps now in at Morton & Morton - lots of stunning and unusual lights to help create the right atmosphere in your home.
60cm shade Lucas lamp | Lui's Collection £255 | Morton & Morton

Left: Beaumont Home Centre's BoConcept items continue to impress
BoConcept Salon Lamp | £390 | Beaumont Home Centre



Is Green Going out of Fashion?

Words: Miguel Francisco | AJA Council Secretary

Is eco-design or sustainable architecture (whichever buzzword is going at the time) going out of fashion in the current economic climate? Are people more focused on the present global downturn and forgetting the long-term real effect of climate change? The recession will end and it is reversible unlike climate change. If the motor industry, which is currently suffering the worst financial dip for decades, is still able to produce more energy-efficient cars, then so too should the building industry.

Image: Ivystill by Naish Waddington architects

Over the past few years 'going green' has become fashionable particularly in terms of bolting eco-bling accessories such as solar panels, wind turbines and rainwater harvestors onto new buildings. But now even the politicians, who once championed green design, have gone quiet. Green design should not be about fashion but should be about our responsibility for sustaining the future of the environment. Sustainable architecture is more than just slapping solar panels on a roof, it's about good design principles that make the most of what we have, often not costing any extra.

Good sustainable design extends beyond just the building; it starts with the people who are involved in the design and construction and finishes with the people that will use it. Local designers and builders together with locally sourced materials reduce the carbon footprint of the building and financially sustain our local economy. When the building is finished it should be able to sustain itself passively and influence our lifestyle so that subconsciously, we use less natural

resources.

Architects now more than ever have a social responsibility to deliver sustainable lifestyles.

Architects have the creative skill that can make design influence our daily

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Architects now more than ever have a social responsibility to deliver sustainable lifestyles.”

lives in such a way that encourages sustainability as a natural routine. Much like the inevitable gift shop at the end of a guided tour, 'Eco-banks' could be positioned at the entrance of small housing estates that include recycling bins, communal post-boxes, bus shelter and secure electric-bicycle racks which will encourage people to think and be sustainable as part of their daily life.

However, new buildings and

developments are only the tip of the iceberg compared to the existing housing stock of 11.5 million in the UK that is more than 50 years old. If we are ever to tackle the overall carbon emissions in the built environment then it's these existing houses that need to be addressed. But the idea of adding loft insulation or draught sealing windows isn't very exciting and unlikely to turn any heads in the street, even though this is probably the most cost-effective method of reducing carbon emissions. So if looks aren't an incentive, then money is always set to draw attention. What if the States combined with specialist manufacturers took a leaf out of the motor industry's book and offered cash incentives for replacing old boilers for new more energy efficient types or gave credit towards alternative energy systems for the demolition of an ugly duckling, fuel guzzling building to be replaced with a new zero carbon model?

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SHELLEY KENDRICK

Director and founder of Kendrick Rose



So, tell us what inspired you to get this off the ground?

I have set up now because I felt there was a gap in the market for the type of services that Kendrick Rose can offer. Having been 'the client' for many years, I felt that I could eliminate some of the frustrations I used to feel when dealing with poor service providers. We have the advantage of being able to advise our clients and candidates with expert advice - they can then benefit from our industry knowledge.

What did you do prior to starting this business?

I was Head of Group Recruitment at Mourant and had a great career there which spanned 11 years. I gained experience across all areas of the business sectors, working in generalist HR management positions before moving into the Group role.

Did that teach you any lessons that helped you succeed?

All of my jobs have helped me to grow and shaped my view of 'what success looks like'. I have been fortunate in that I've worked with modern, forward thinking international organisations and I think it's really important to maintain that approach in today's world. It's vital to keep up to date with industry knowledge and trends. I've also gained huge insight into the behaviours of people and learnt a lot about negotiating with different personality types across all levels.

What's the hardest lesson you've learnt since starting Kendrick Rose?

Watching out for the hidden costs of setting up a business despite having a robust business plan. It's easy to get carried away purchasing equipment that you may not necessarily need at the outset; leasing or renting can release some cash-flow. No compromise on the John Rocha vase though!

Any funny stories that you have about the business starting out?!

Not really - everything seemed to go quite smoothly (surprisingly!)



VITAL STATISTICS

Name: Shelley Kendrick

Born: Ages ago in Manchester

Marital status: Divorced with one daughter, Olivia Rose

School: Stockport Convent High School

Uni: I didn't go to university but studied for a post graduate equivalent qualification in Human Resources Management.

First Job: I started out as a management trainee with Next.

Car: Little Mercedes.... aspiring to be a big Mercedes.

Book: The Secret by Rhonda Byrne, if nothing else it's inspired me to think positively every day.

Music: I'm a true soul fiend and love all the Old Skool stuff as well as newcomers like Bryn Christopher.

Film: Those of you with kids will understand that 'High School Musical' rules the roost!

Gadget: I'm not very good with gadgets, although my 'magic whiteboard' as seen on Dragon's Den' might count?

Last Holiday: New Year at the Ritz Carlton in Egypt because I knew I wouldn't get another holiday this year.

What do you like to do in your downtime? I love to just spend some quality time with my six-year-old daughter Olivia. She makes me laugh a lot, she's funny and kind, has been incredibly supportive and she's really my best friend.

What are your plans for the future?

I have ambitious plans for Kendrick Rose. In the next few months we will be designing and delivering some HR events aimed at small /medium businesses who do not have HR support in-house and we'll be developing our services to include specialist legal recruitment consultancy. We also want to play our part in supporting the local community.

What advice would you give to would be entrepreneurs?

Be very clear in the vision for your business and have absolute focus; don't promise things that you can't deliver.



ABOUT THE COMPANY:

Kendrick Rose is a new recruitment, resourcing and HR solutions company set up by Shelley Kendrick. The company combines strategic industry experience with professionalism, efficiency and accessibility to achieve organisational goals for its clients. Kendrick Rose meticulously selects candidates by matching an individual's competency and aspirations with an organisation's culture and ethos and is dedicated to resourcing excellence. Learn more at www.kendrickrose.com

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LOCAL CONSTRUCTION RECRUITMENT AGENCY EXPANDS

Grafters, Jersey's only construction-focused recruitment agency, is expanding locally and in the UK. Grafters, which is owned by Hugh Jones and James Baker, recent winner of the Entrepreneur of the Year award at the Jersey Enterprise Awards, has expanded its local operation to include a commercial section. This new department will focus on recruiting individuals for non-construction posts in the commercial industries such as hospitality, fulfillment, IT and retail. Grafters is also continuing to expand its UK operation, Grafters Construction Services, with the appointment of Senior Consultant, **Hugo Morel**. Hugo, who has an advertising and recruitment background has previously worked for the Daily Telegraph before spending five years as an Account Director in one of the UK's largest recruitment advertising agencies. More recently he spent six years as a recruiter in a rival UK agency. Like both Hugh and James, Hugo has a military background having graduated from Royal Military Academy Sandhurst.



ICONCONSULT GROWS

iConsult has recently added two more qualified IT professionals to its ranks. **Richard Moore** and **Rafal Pienkowski** have completed the Microsoft Certified System Administrators (MCSA) qualification through the Jersey Business School and University Centre at Highlands College.

This follows the launch of iConsult's training division in 2008 and highlights their plans to encourage the market to support staff development through the current economic climate. Richard 22, works at iConsult as a IT Engineer and is responsible for the implementation and administration of multiple customer projects. After having studied computer science at St Andrews University, he joined iConsult in 2007. Richard is also studying for his Cisco (CCNA) qualification. In explaining the qualification and its significance Richard commented, "Being recognised

for your technical ability helps boost your confidence when dealing with clients. It's great to be able to study and take these exams locally and as they are based on what we do here day to day, the course content is very relevant".

Rafal, 26, also an IT Engineer, is responsible for network design, implementation and IT Support. Rafal has worked at iConsult for two and a half years having previously worked as an Event Manager in Warsaw. He has a BSc degree in Computer Science and hopes to continue expanding his professional knowledge into other areas including Cisco certification and business development.

Rafal said "I joined the company because of their training ethos and have enjoyed doing my MSCA. It's nice to be able to back up hands on experience with an official qualification".



MOURANT STRENGTHENS

Mourant International Finance Administration has strengthened its client service capabilities at its Jersey operation with the appointment of **François Chesnay** as a Director in its Corporate Services team.

François, who will focus primarily on client relationship management, has 10 years' experience in capital markets. He joins Mourant from Ogier where he spent nearly four years administering structured finance vehicles. Before moving to Jersey in 2005, François worked as an economics researcher at the Bank of France and then at KPMG specialising in providing consultancy services to investment banks. A qualified chartered accountant (ACA), François has an economics and finance degree from Paris-Dauphine University and a post-graduate degree in accounting and finance from the London School of Economics.

NEW CHAIRMAN FOR JERSEY TELECOM GROUP

Jersey Telecom Group has today announced that **John Boothman** will succeed John Henwood who stands down as Chairman of the Group at the end of June after completing six years as its inaugural chairman following incorporation in 2003.

Nigel Horne, chairman of the JTG Nomination Committee said, "In recognition of our corporate governance obligations we held a rigorous recruitment competition and I am pleased to announce that John Boothman has accepted the offer made by the Board to take up the position of Chairman when John Henwood steps down."

John Boothman said, "I am delighted to be taking over from John Henwood and to be following on from the excellent job he has done. He led the organisation through the incorporation process and has overseen an incredible amount of change over the past six years. The company now operates in highly competitive markets in Jersey and Guernsey and we have exciting ambitions to grow the business outside of our traditional geographical area. I am looking forward to the challenge of leading the company through an era of unprecedented technological change and to working with my Board colleagues and our employees to continue delivering excellent service to our customers and shareholder value to the States of Jersey."



CULTURE OF TRAINING CONTINUES TO ENSURE EXCELLENCE AT HETTICH

Hettich is delighted to announce the successful completion by another one of its staff of the Diploma of National Association of Goldsmiths. **Patricia Fortunato** completed the Diploma in December, which means that six of Hettich's eight full-time staff now hold the coveted qualification. The two remaining staff are enrolled on the course and engaged in their first and second years of study respectively. As well as being qualified or on course to be qualified to the National Association of Goldsmiths Diploma level, all staff benefit from vocational training with Hettich's portfolio of watch manufacturers.

"We are committed to maintaining the culture of training which has been laid down by four generations. In the current climate, we benefit hugely from the expertise of our staff in creating and maintaining invaluable customer relationships through recognised quality of service and knowledge excellence. This continues to give us a valuable competitive advantage," says Jeffrey Chinn, Managing Director of Hettich. "Many of our customers come to us to make a significant investment, so being able to deliver the overall experience that customers expect from us, coupled with a high level of in-house expertise is paramount," he adds.

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I'm sweating. Really sweating. Not as in 'gently glowing' or whatever the feck us ladies are supposed to do, but SWEATING, great big globules of water pouring down in rivers down my spine. And I don't know what to do. YES, YES I know it's probably fight or bloody flight syndrome but I haven't got my boxing gloves handy and I sure as hell can't see any nifty Top Gun-esque planes nearby. I'm just gonna have to grimace and bear it! Or wing it. (I can't believe I'm still making bad jokes, whilst hyperventilating.) I hope no one notices. The fear. The cold clammy hand of fear.

In fact I'm sure I can actually now feel all four fingers (and one thumb) of said hand curling around my rapidly beating... to the point of OHMYGOD I'm going to actually have a heart attack. It's pressing down on my heart until I want to scream. I'm actually going to drop dead, here. My Mum will never forgive me for not wearing a matching pants and bra set, that's how I'm gonna be remembered, the girl who couldn't accessorize. As well as being a failure of a daughter for not nabbing a stockbroker husband, complete with set of matching dimpled apple cheeked children. I'll never get to marry Brad Pitt now.... or dance with Leroy from Fame.....and there's only one thing I want to know.... Where are the fecking Hob Nobs when you need them?!

It all started because I have this morbid inability to pipe up. Oh yeah, I'm fine and dandy being a gobby mare when it's 'which cream cake would you like in the Birthday run, or offering to go get the bacon sarnies on a Friday morning from the hygienically challenged (but perkily decorated in a beat-the-Monday-blues kind of way) café on the corner but my Achilles heel always kicks in when I'm faced with Someone Important. A reasonably intelligent lady, usually pretty streetwise and

rather savvy when it comes to most things but put me in front of a CEO to 'take a brief' (not nearly as exciting as it sounds, trust me. I've made THAT mistake before....) whilst he is 'filling me in' (steady!) I seem to lose all ability to comprehend joined up sentences and instead of hearing "*integrated strategy*" and "*synergistic corporate branding*" I seem to drift off..... to a lovely place where beautiful birdies soar majestically through the air, and the smell of honeysuckle pervades the warm meadow, and a tinkling brook babbles nearby... making me feel ever so sleepy.....so sleepy....and....WTF?! I've been jolted back to reality by a piece of paper being shoved under my nose. A diary note, for a presentation in the boardroom this afternoon. Oh, that doesn't seem too bad. I can always have a kip in the back of the room (it's usually lovely and dark, which I always think is jolly considerate of them), plan my outfit for my date next weekend, ooh and I must remember to nip to Marksies to pick up some wine...

The sudden bang on the table makes me jump. Jesus! some people are noisy. For feck's sake, have a little consideration. Some of us are trying to plan a date here. I realize I am still sat in the CEO's office and I am still *taking a brief*. Surely he must be just about wrapping it up by now. Geez, the man has been talking for the last half hour about babbling brooks and tweetie birds. Surely he must be gasping for a cuppa by now?

So I leap up from my chair in an attempt to look efficient and business like. I grab my piece of paper and head back to my desk to look more busy and important, stopping by at Angry Angela's desk on the way to nick a custard cream. I am rewarded with a scowl and a growl, in equal ferocity. God, that woman is a narky cow, a narky cow with an unhealthy obsession about biscuits. Any kinds of biscuits, which she guards with her life. I would like to be generous and say that she was something of a beauty in her youth and is now 'softly maturing' in her latter years but I'd be lying. I think she was born in 1953. As in BC. The woman is a bitter old harridan. And loves nothing more than to sit and bitch the day away whingeing about how other people *don't do their job* and how, as the CEO's PA (no jokes please), she *runs the company*. To be fair this is, in fact, true. She does run the company. She runs to Nora to moan about how we are all *squandering company money on non expenditure related items*, and she runs to the CEO complaining that the girls in the office are wearing offensive attire for the workplace, which I think is a bit off. I mean – I don't go complaining that the stuff she wears is unsuitable, do I? As in unsuitable for anyone who lived beyond the Dickensian era. I find her choice of shoes rather offensive too, a Hush Puppy always brings me out in a cold sweat.

Anyway. I digress. After I'd demolished the custard cream and fuffed about for a couple of hours on Outlook putting in my hair, waxing and dental appointments, then checked my (rapidly deteriorating) balance on Internet banking, I looked up to see Angry towering over me. And she's quite scary. For an old bird. I think it's the tartan shoes. And she is telling me, with an evil glint in her eye, that she is looking forward to my presentation. As she's a huge fan of Powerpoint.

And while I'm staring at hermusing how she really could do with a highly effective cut and blow dry.....and maybe a spot of electrolysis.....it hits me. Presentation? Board room? Half an hour? Me? Feck.



business profile

365 tickets

When it comes to the internet, it's hard to exactly be in the 'right place at the right time' but 365 Tickets were ahead of the curve when they saw the growth in purchase of tickets to events and attractions online. Home-grown in Jersey, 365 Tickets is now a leader in the field. We caught up with Pete Flambard and Michael Norman to learn more.



So, how did this business get started? Originally, whilst developing a reservation system for a large international attraction ticket company to distribute through the travel trade, the obvious benefits of using the flexibility of the internet to reach directly to the consumer became apparent. The pre-existing relationships with the suppliers coupled with the internet as a low cost direct distribution network seemed a perfect match.

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Charity Challenges Ernst & Young staff raise money for children

Ernst & Young decided to help out local charity Care and Relief for the Young (CRY) during one of their corporate responsibility weeks (11th to 15th May). The firm had organised lots of fun activities for the staff to be involved in during the week such as sponsored pool and Nintendo Wii tournaments and selling homemade lunches daily. "By Tuesday we had made around £200 just from the lunches", explained Sandra Jardim of Ernst & Young. The final day of the week consisted of a day-long running, cycling and rowing challenge with John Shenton, Nick Clarke and Freddie Howell kicking off the challenge to complete 120km in total. The trio commenced the event at 8am wearing dresses bought from the CRY shop, where Brian Whittaker is the shop manager and works with Jane Allchin, CRY Administrator. "It's great that they are supporting us", said Jane who has been working for the charity for 2 years.

Ernst & Young undertake two to three corporate responsibility weeks during the year and the staff on this occasion decided to support CRY, a charity that helps children around the world and have this year focused on supporting Home of Hope, a centre for homeless children in Albania. The treadmill for the final event was kindly donated by Good Health and the rowing machine and bicycle donated by Fort Regent. The staff raised close to £450 that was then matched by the firm, bringing the total amount to approximately £900.

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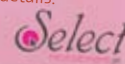
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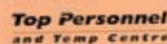
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Okay, so at the time of writing this it is only the beginning of May and so not exactly the most opportune time of year to crack out the sunglasses and roll around in a drop top but I've managed to justify having done exactly that in not one, but *two* ways; this month's theme is 'The Outdoors' and Audi are preparing to launch this, the brand spanking new, hot off the panel-press Audi A5 cabriolet.

The A5 seems to have arrived under the cover of darkness a bit like a company of moles. You have absolutely no idea they're on their way until one morning then *bam!* you suddenly start noticing them around all the time. Unlike a mole though there's no denying it's very good looking with its boldly creased side panels, lengthy rear wings and *those* lights. If you've not noticed what the Audi design team have been doing with their exterior lighting recently then you should ask your minders to have your curfew lifted because LEDs have never looked so beautifully awe-inspiring.

The A5 we tested is the launch model with S-line interior trim and comfortably figure-hugging all electrically adjusted and inflatable lumbar supporting leather seats as well as the 2 litre TFSI 4 cylinder engine featuring a stop-start system for all of you style driven eco-warriors. When launched it will also be available with a choice of Audi's 3 litre V6 TDI engine for those of you who enjoy a mountain of torque with your fuel efficiency or their 3.2 litre V6 FSI coupled to either a 'multitronic' or 'S tronic' gearbox (that's twin-clutch to you or I) if you're a bit of a hooligan. Two hundred and forty versus two hundred and sixty-five standardised German horsepower respectively, no less.

Don't be fooled into thinking that this car is as big as it looks – once behind the wheel it feels no larger to manoeuvre than an A3, yet there's still plenty of space both front and rear as well as – surprisingly for a cabriolet – in the boot. It doesn't look overly large on first inspection but it seems to go forward into the cabin for about three and a half light years. Well, 3 and a half feet at least. This will be partly down to the fabric roof taking up less space when down and whilst it may seem strange that they haven't opted to install a retractable hard top, Audi have their reasons – their heritage and prettier lines with the roof up being two of them but I'm sure weight comes into it too. Well if it's good enough for uncle Bentley...

I'm told that the colour of the particular car we tested doesn't do it complete justice but I'd be inclined to disagree – it's good to see car manufacturers getting a bit adventurous with their colour palettes of late by including high gloss pastel colours as well as greys and with Lamborghini offering matt black as an option it may only be a matter of time before this filters down into the brochures of other Volkswagen-Audi Group manufacturers. If nothing else it could serve to make the 'old favourites' like fire-engine red and gloss black stand out even more and that can't be a bad thing. What *is* a bad thing though (granted, it is a matter of personal taste) are the chrome mirrors that have been creeping onto Audi 'S' models for a while now so I was surprised to find the chrome windscreen surround such an attractive part of this car – it just, works.

Inside there were plenty of toys to play with if you wanted to, like the electronic parking brake which is great once you get the hang of it (don't forget to put your foot on the brake pedal if you're on a downward slope or it won't disengage, as I discovered! The onboard computer was telling me this all along though, but being male I must have subconsciously wanted to figure it out myself even if it did take a while) and the HDD Satellite Navigation system controlled by an iDrive-esque turning knob but with illuminated mode buttons that let you know what you're about to alter with no messing about.

One of the most novel things about the Sat Nav is the topographic view of the road ahead, showing the contours of the land ahead as well as prominent features, such as the Eiffel Tower if you're in Paris, for example. Unfortunately I didn't manage to see any giant toad sculptures, squillion-pound incinerator plant visualisations or long-forgotten expensive steam clocks which I'd say is a bit short-sighted on Audi's behalf. I did, however manage to see a fair few petrol stations marked out but red and yellow shells – maybe someone should tell Audi about the multi-million euro French bulk liquid distribution company Rubis so they can make special little graphics for Channel Islanders. If that wasn't good enough there's also 10GB of space for you to upload your own music and save a multitude of scratched CDs sliding around in the glovebox, although there is a CD & DVD player to complement the very clear 7" colour TFT display too.

As with any car, it's the little details that are often the most important and one of my favourites was the knurled 'barrel' that controls the ICE with the roll of your thumb over the steering wheel as opposed to a conventional button – it's just feels far more natural to me.

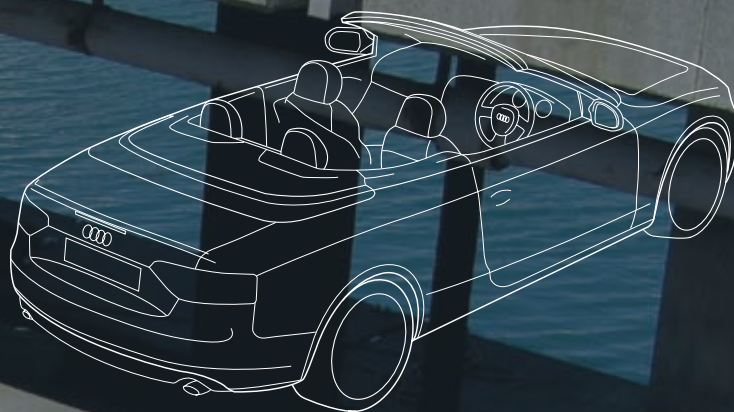
Another is the button just behind the one that lowers and raises the roof (in an impressive 17 seconds and with the push of only the one button and up to speeds of 31mph) that raises and lowers all of the windows at once so you don't have to jar your hand trying to press four buttons at the same time because let's face it, when the roof is down it's going to be all or nothing.

Of course, I need not really mention the build quality as being German you can be assured that it'll be more than solid and the A5 is no exception. What I will mention though is the admiring gaze the A5 attracted from a gentleman proudly driving in the opposite direction in his nearly-new A4 cabriolet. I'm sure he'll get a good trade in once this one is released....

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As a result, they've come up with this - the PPI RAZOR GTR. It's probably not great for shaving anyone's face, legs or any other body part for that matter but what it does seem good at is driving really, really fast.

The back kind of reminds me of a Lotus Exige and the front a bit of the new Nissan Skyline but bear with me... They've managed to not only make it quicker by adding more oomph thanks to a 'specially engineered supercharger' but have also

made it handle better by wide-tracking it and disguising this fact using 'extremely light and high strength formula 1 and aerospace-proven carbon fibre' as opposed to the stuff you can buy at Halfords or Lucas House, presumably. This also happens to make it 250kg lighter than your average, two a penny run-of-the-mill R8.

It does do 206mph though, which isn't to be sniffed at. Price? The press release we received doesn't say, but I'd estimate that it will definitely cost more than a Vauxhall Corsa VXR. Probably not as good for nipping down the shops in though, unless you live somewhere along the Nordschleife and are desperate to get another pint of milk before the next Overhauled starts...



AHOY!

If you've got a bit of a thing for the Audi R8 but haven't the space in your garage, why not put one on your mooring instead?

Probably because that kind of crackpot idea could only possibly come from within the cranium of an Arab petrochemical squillionaire and there probably aren't any in Jersey.

If you do fit the bill though, Swedish company Vizualtech are proposing production of a V10-powered, 320hp boat based on the design of the R8. Unfortunately it'll top out at a mere 110mph. Scoff.



BIG BOYS' TOYS

I can't claim to have an extensive knowledge of tractors and farm equipment aside from that they invariably use oil-burning engines and are pretty good at negotiating tracks, muddy fields and possibly even small streams.

What I do know, however, is that they seem to be getting bigger, almost too big at times and as a child trapped in an adult's body that can no longer successfully manoeuvre my blue 'Big John' pedal tractor (complete with front loader, no less) around the garden due to the affliction of my actual physical age I find myself naturally curious. The investigation began...

If you feel the same way then you'll probably share the sense of relief that I felt when reading that Will Carter, a farmer from Berkshire likes the 'spacious cab and the well laid-out controls' of the Massey Ferguson MF6499 as well as noting that it is 'surprisingly quiet'.

So here's my top three, completely unbiased all-terrain agricultural pulling and shunting machines based mostly on power output (where else could you possibly start?), their similarly large, but not overly gargantuan size and after that loosely on features noted in their brochure.

In the blue corner we've got the New Holland T7060, packing a 6.7 litre 6 cylinder powerplant. The inspiration behind that choice of term was that it probably weighs as much as a fossil-fuel burning powerstation and creates 213 horse power. 'Is that it?' you might cry. Then clean your eyes out in anticipation of the colossal torque figure of 984Nm - at only 1600RPM, although it is redlined at a whopping 2200.

The most intriguing feature of the T7060 is the '5 electronic remotes with armrest joystick control'. Presumably that's so you can further help relieve your childhood under the guise of work. We all know there ain't no substitute for cubic inches though,



John Deere 7930
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New Holland T7060
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and the Massey MF6499 is hiding (not too conspicuously, mind you) a 7.4 litre lump under its nose and those extra 700 cubic centimetres get you a staggering power increase of 2HP. If that's not enough for you, Massey Ferguson describe their Dyna-6 Eco transmission 'simply *the* best mechanical transmission' and with 24 speeds in both forward *and* reverse I'd say that's a fair boast, engineering wise.

But the local farmers' favourite according to a recent survey I had the time to carry out whilst trundling along behind a number of decidedly green tractors on the roads recently, desperately looking for opportunities to overtake without upsetting anyone, is up there in the green corner (it's a triangular shaped 'farming ring' we're dealing with here). Behold, the mighty John Deere 7930.

John Deere say that when it comes to tyres, 'bigger are better' and with bold statements like that it's no wonder the 7930 turns out 1025Nm of torque at 1600RPM. Add to that the techno-tastic 'JDLink' system that lets you manage your fleet remotely from the comfort of your office and I think we've got a winner.

Now then, which button do you press to make it go forward?

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Audi A5 Cabriolet

The new Audi A5 cabriolet is now open for ordering. Available with an optional S tronic 7-speed dual-clutch transmission, gear changes are not only completed within just a few milliseconds but efficiency is improved too. The soft-top can be operated at speeds of up to 31mph and takes a mere 15 seconds to come down - perfect for showing off its Bang & Olufsen sound system this summer!



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EVERY OTHER MOBILE CUSTOMER STILL IN THE DARK

The latest research on MNP has revealed that around 50% of customers are still in the dark when it comes to knowing they can retain their mobile number.

Mobile Number Portability (MNP), the ability to move your number when you change mobile provider, was introduced across the Channel Islands back in December 2008.

But recent market research undertaken by an independent company on behalf of Sure has shown that around half of those customers surveyed still don't know that they can take their mobile number with them if they decide to change their network provider. Hundreds of customers have moved to Sure since mobile number portability was introduced.

So why would you want to switch your corporate account from one operator to another? MNP allows you to choose your provider without the hassle of having business cards re-printed or advise client bases of a change of contact. You can choose your provider based on your own priorities whether they be value for money, quality of network, experience of the operator or the level of customer service offered or in fact all of these.

ARNIE'S BACK!

STAND-UP PADDLING

You might have noticed the movie trailers for a new Terminator film lately and wondered why they didn't ask me to take the starring role, again.

Well Jersey, the big film directors were begging with me to come back but I had to let them down. Not because of my work Governing California, that is going as well as ever but mainly because I've missed all of the investigating - sorry Hollywood, but Arnie has bigger bratwurst to fry.

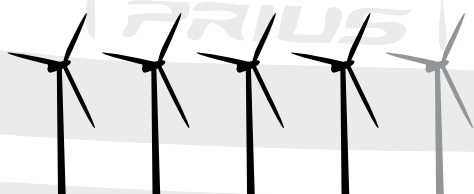
The first is stand-up paddling - I wanted to know what the deal was and so Active Island Sports in St Brelade's Bay were my first port of call. You know, since being busted for driving my gas-guzzling Bentley drop top to church even a lengthy confession with the Father couldn't alleviate the embarrassment and guilt. This has made me focus more than ever on renewable energy so why not enjoy exploring the sea and coastline without the need for any horrible polluting engines?

Just look at those boards - they're even bigger than my arms were in 1987! Life jackets and leash on (safety first, people) and into the water you're supposed to start off from a kneel, but one of our group decided to jump straight on standing, upping the bar for Arnie. Soon we were all up and not having to concentrate too hard on balancing, apart from when the Condor Vitesse decided to kick up a few small waves to try and catch us out.

It was only a matter of time before the challenges and one-upmanship escalated; standing one one leg (which is far harder than it sounds), turning around on the board, 'walking the plank' (nigh on impossible for the novice to do with any grace whatsoever) and even jumping up and clicking your heels. A few near misses and Gallery team members dunked, proved stand-up paddling far more exciting than first anticipated.

As well as for trying to develop and perfect core stability, and strength when using the paddle, these boards are being used worldwide to catch ridiculous waves, using the paddle as a rudder and to accelerate into the wave but also serve as a great way to get some time in actually standing up on a board instead of just floating around getting cold down at Secrets!

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Optimism knows no boundaries for Optimus cricket team.

Optimus Recruitment has taken over the sponsorship of Romerils' cricket team and is applying the same principles to its investment in the club as it does to its core business – excellence and succession.

James Caunt, one of the directors of Optimus, an original member of the team and a veritable powerhouse of energy and passion commented – "This isn't just about corporate sponsorship for me, it's about regenerating the community spirit I remember from playing for my local village cricket team. We want to encourage families to come and watch the game, have fun and be part of what we are developing here."

He continued - "We're also determined to make sure that we have enough Junior players coming through the ranks to keep the Optimus teams in the picture for generations to come. Through our association with Le Rocquier School's Under 13's and Under 16's teams we have pioneered a Colts team to assist in the progression from School through to Club and hopefully, Island cricket. The Colts team will be made up of seven or eight Under 16's who will play in the Third Division of the Evening League alongside senior club players. Given this level of valuable experience and support in their development of cricket we envisage players joining the club in their teens and twenty years later playing with their children - if they can still catch a ball of course!"

Chris Minty, Jersey's director of cricket said: "I am delighted that Optimus CC has had the vision to run a Colts team in the NatWest Evening League. The young players involved can only benefit from the experience of playing cricket alongside experienced mentors and this initiative can only be of long term benefit to Optimus CC and Jersey Cricket. I hope other clubs take note."



The Ashes Experience

in conjunction with local charity fundraising organisation Le Tournoi.

This is a pre-test series dinner at Les Jardins de la Mer, hosted by John Inverdale and attended by twenty former International Cricketers on the 11th June. You can sit down, re-live the rivalry and listen to live debate with the likes of Graham Thorpe, Geoff Boycott, Jeff Thomson, Nasser Hussain and Darren Gough.

Tickets are £125 per person or £1250 per table of ten & VIP Tickets are £195 per person or £1950 per table of ten. For more information call Christine Holmes on 07797725019 or email cholmes@profilepm.com



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There are a lot of good reasons to run a marathon. You can enter online for the Marathon and the Relay Race now at www.jersey-marathon.com.

**The fee for the Marathon is £30
Relay Race teams of 5 are £150 (up until 31st July)
The 3k Fun Run provides fun for all the family, at just £7 for adults and £5 for children.**



Young Jersey Golfer Set For New Heights This Year

Promising Jersey golfer, Sam Crenan, has received a boost to his prospects after KPMG Channel Islands have agreed to be his main sponsor. The talented youngster, who is celebrating his 18th birthday this week, has just returned from the Fairhaven Trophy, a world-ranking event. He also recently gained entry to the Faldo Series, which will take place in September 2009.

Sam has excelled in his sport on a local level. He has been a dedicated member of the Royal Jersey Golf Club, playing since the age of six. He has competed as part of the CI men's team, been selected for the Island Games 2009, was chosen for the Hampshire boy's team, and won the Channel Island Junior Championships. He is currently Junior Club Captain and looks forward to a successful year.

Sam admits that golf can be an expensive sport to pursue without funding. He says, 'To enable me to really progress in my sport it is necessary for me to travel a lot and compete on a higher level outside the Channel Islands. In these economic times I know other sports people have struggled to find sponsorship so I'm really grateful to KPMG for coming forward, it will really make all the difference. I am looking forward to my challenges this year with the Island Games and the Faldo Series and I hope I can make my sponsors and my Island proud.' Sam currently holds the lowest junior handicap in the Channel Islands at handicap 1. He has been practising for four or five hours a day with the support of his father, Peter Crenan, and his top coach, James Evans.

Sam also receives funding support from the Vardon Trust, which many local golfers have contributed to over the years. The Trust was formed 25 years ago to help junior golfers with their coaching and travel expenses and Sam has benefited from this since the age of 13.



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The First Brazilian Cultural Festival -

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Saturday 4th July - Sunday 5th July
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Capoeira is an Afro-Brazilian Martial Art comprising fight, dance, acrobatics and music.

in an event organised by Instructora Corujinha, Master Guimba from Danca da Liberdade will be coming over to Jersey to grade capoeiristas on Saturday 4th July. The ceremony will take place at Communicare from midday to 4pm where masters and instructors will initiate students into the world of Capoeira, presenting them with their belt and possibly give them an alias "apelido"!

This is open to the public for a fee of £5 which will allow you access to the after party in the evening at the Airport social club where there will be a Brazilian band playing.

Or why not try a beginners' Samba and Capoeira workshop on the Sunday for £15 (includes free entry to the party the night before!)

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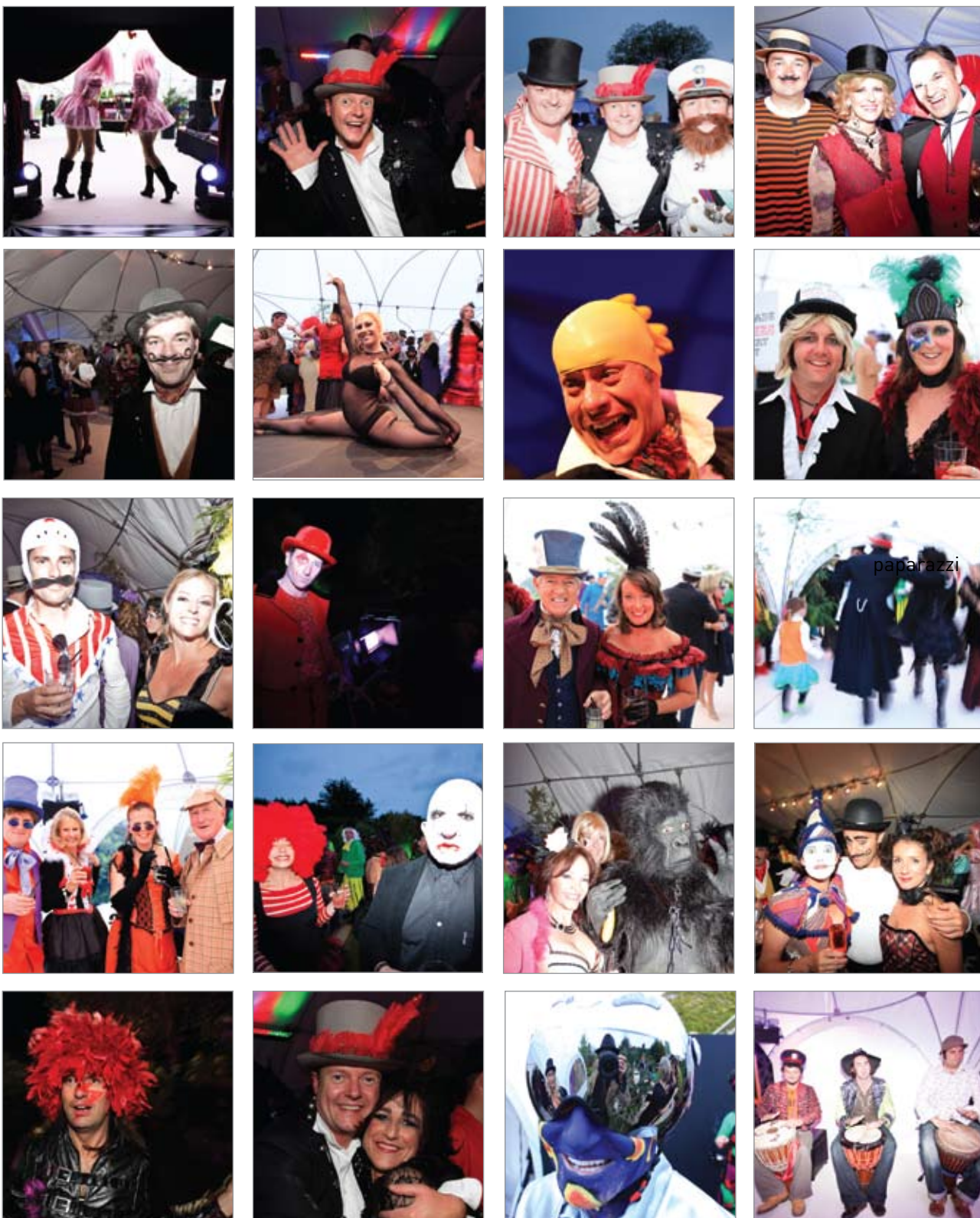


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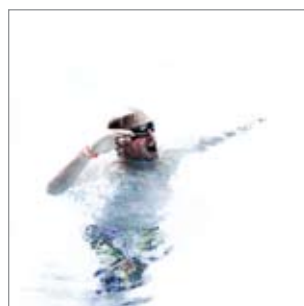
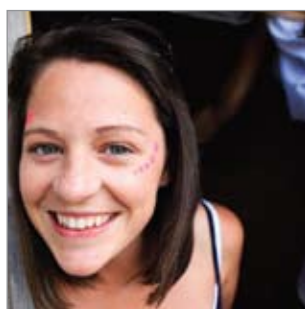


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We know; the Summer has only just begun and we are already planning the best way to end it. We're going to Ibiza. Heading off in September to enjoy the famous closing parties and catch the last of the summer sun is the only way we could think to go out in style.

Gallery have teamed up with Travelmaker to give you an absolutely fantastic week-long holiday in Ibiza in one of its newest and coolest hotels for only £564. We will be heading off to the white isle to celebrate the end of what's set to be another great summer. Most famous for its incredible nightlife, Ibiza also boasts some beautiful beaches and quaint villages if you feel like getting away from it all.

We will be staying at The Ibiza Rocks Hotel in the heart of San Antonio. The name may be ringing bells as it hosted Snowbombing and the Radio 1 August Weekender in 2008. With a beach just just 300m away and sunset bar you shouldn't want much more on your holiday.

This isn't your average hotel either. It has all the facilities you could need including 2 outdoor pools, 4 bars, X-Box gaming room, gym and an on site supermarket but the thing that sets it apart from the rest is the Ibiza Rocks stage, graced by some of the best live acts throughout the summer months. And it's right in your hotel.

We will be there in time to see new rave kings Klaxons perform on the Ibiza Rocks Stage. You know the guys responsible for the Grace "It's not over" cover, and Gravity's Rainbow? If you want you can even upgrade to the pool and stage view rooms from £7 per person per night, which means you and your friends can enjoy the Tuesday night live shows from the comfort and privacy of your very own balcony.

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Claudio's Column



Meet me at 5...
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Melon and Kiwi Sangria

Claudio has chosen this cocktail because it's The Royal Yacht's very own take on the traditional sangria. Chardonnay, Midori, Cointreau, lemonade and fresh kiwi and melon make this a vibrant and fun cocktail, characterised by its bright green colour and invigorating taste.

What's so good about this is that it is served as a pitcher so you and your friends can all sit round and enjoy its great flavours together. Claudio says, 'Melon and Kiwi Sangria is so good that you may want the whole pitcher to yourself!'

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Nightlife listings



05.06.09

BOOGALOO RESIDENTS

Boogaloo and Pure resident Keith Robinson teams up with Ray Grant for a Friday night of upfront club cuts. Expect chunky and funky house right through to tech house and techno..... you just never know what you might get.

TICKETS: £4 OTD

WHERE: PURE



05.06.09

ASYLUM AT THE LIVE LOUNGE

Mark Doyle is the main man behind Fierce Angel Records - the compiler of the CDs, A&R for the record label and headline DJ at the events across the world. His phenomenal career all started back in 1999 when he created Hed Kandi and developed the brand as a lifestyle concept, incorporating a record label, a radio show and international club nights. In addition, he developed a career as a radio DJ, creating the weekly Hed Kandi Radio Show broadcast on Jazz FM/Smooth FM and the Galaxy network in the UK and through syndications around the world. Support from Keith Robinson & Paul Shoer, the Fuzzbox DJ's, Sasha Le Monnier and Sarah Audrain complete the line up.

TICKETS: £5

WHERE: LIVE LOUNGE



06.06.09

NWA 2ND BIRTHDAY

NWB move into their second year with a hug line up for Pure. Ctrl Z are a breakbeat production duo hailing from London. They are one of the hottest acts in the breakbeat circuit and they have become pioneers and trendsetters of harder edged breakbeat. Supporting them is Breakfastaz, another London breakbeat outfit with their signature phat beats. Ken Mac completes the line up with local boys Schema warming the room. In room two the Merkaba Tribe supply the trance with room 3 occupied by Shakti Dread and his Higher Heart Dub sound system.

WHERE: PURE



06.06.09

REMINISCENCE WLS 4 HOUR SET

Warren Le Sueur takes you on another 4 hour masterclass set with tunes from 1988 to 2000. As with previous sets you will hear tracks from famous Jersey club's such as Inn On The Park, The Bloc, Legends and The Venue.

WHERE: ENVY

TICKETS: £5 OTD



13.06.09

HYSTERIA PRESENT THE HACIENDA WORLD TOUR

The most infamous and talked about club night in history, The Hacienda comes to Jersey as part of their official world tour with original resident Jon Da Silva and very special guests, the legendary 808 STATE. Support from Adam Cain (Rocksteady) in the main room. In room 2 the Terminal State and Schema boys keep the DnB flowing.

TICKETS: £10 OTD

WHERE: LIQUID



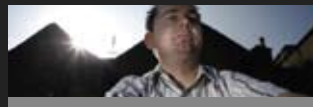
13.06.09

FUZZBOX PRESENT THE BASSHEADS

Fuzzbox present the Bassheads. Desha from Bassheads was born in Birkenhead on the Wirral, he ran his own club nights on Merseyside called 'THE DEFHOUSE' and 'THE BASSMENT'. As an artist he recorded under the name 'BASSHEADS' and wrote and produced the enduring club classic anthem 'IS THERE ANYBODY OUT THERE' for De-Construction / EMI Records. He has re-mixed artists such as Visage, Bjork and Harry 'Choo Choo' Romero. Support from the Fuzzbox residents Colin Moore and Joe Pope, with room 2 taken over by Suze Rosser from Hustle with a 3 hour set planned..

TICKETS: £6 OTD

WHERE: PURE



19.06.09

INSOLE WITH CUT LE ROC

Insole step up for another monthly installment of dirty breaks and chunky house. This time round with Lee Potter aka "Cut Le Roc" of Skint records fame, also founder and vision for Rocstar Recordings. Crowd-thrilling scratch tricks and a unique DJing technique remain Cut La Roc's speciality when he's playing out and his DJ sets combine the best of party hip hop/breaks/house...whatever! No stranger to the big time, Cut had already appeared on Top Of The Pops as the late Wildchild's DJ on the top ten hit 'Renegade Master'. Support from Insole residents Andy M, Rich E and Nick R.

TICKETS: £6 OTD

WHERE: PURE



20.06.09

BOOGALOO TOOLROOM KNIGHTS

Kim Fai burst out of Birmingham's club scene a year ago and instantly seized the attention and support of big-leaguers Mark Knight and Funkagenda. Showering the scene with an arsenal of twisted techy bangers, he built himself a quick reputation as a genuine 'one to watch'! Coming-of-age last December with his mammoth re-rub of Funkagenda's Toolroom Trax smash 'What The F*ck', which tore up the Beatport Tech House chart, Kim cemented his position as one of the foremost young producers in the scene. In support the Boogaloo residents Keith Robinson and Paul Shoer....Room two to be confirmed.

TICKETS: £6 OTD

WHERE: PURE



26.06.09

RESIDENT ELEMENTZ

The Elementz crew keep the consistency tight with their regular meet at Pure each month. Terminal State, Archetype, J-Breakz, Pranksta, L-Duffy & MCs Sample & Alias will be showcasing not only the latest in DnB sounds, you will be able to sample some of the locally produced music as well.

TICKETS: £3 BEFORE 11PM, £4 AFTER

WHERE: PURE



27.06.09

CLIQUEISM 4 HOURS

Cliquism edge into the months of summer with a 4-hour set from its resident and creator, Pete De Momme. Fresh from a trip to the infamous electronic festival Sonar, to check out some of his musical inspirations, such as Dubfire, Sven Vath and Richie Hawtin. Later this year sees Pete play in London, Birmingham and Manchester. This set will be recorded live for inclusion on the music.je Cliquism podcast.

TICKETS: £5 OTD

WHERE: PURE



27.06.09

THEORY PRESENT DARREN EMERSON

Darren Emerson is one of the most influential figures in dance music - after a career spanning more than 17 years and counting... As well as producing club cuts for Underwater under his H2O moniker Darren has begun work on his eagerly anticipated debut album. Scheduled for a 2009 release the album is shaping up to be something quite special. The 9th Feb 2009 will also see the release of Darren's third Global Underground mix CD recorded in Bogota. Plans for the coming year include more club tracks and a world wide tour to promote the compilation. Support from Warren Le Sueur and Simon Gasston in the main room with Envy and the Balcony Bar bands to be confirmed.

TICKETS: £10 IN ADVANCE

WHERE: LIQUID

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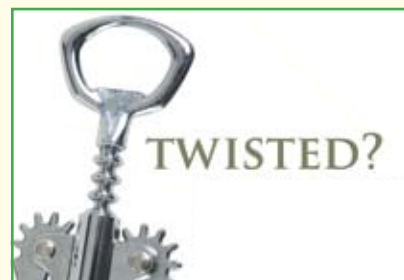


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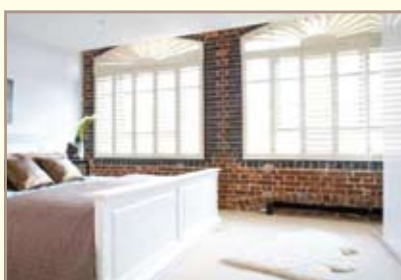


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Explore Jersey's beautiful coastline by sit-on-top kayak. Our tours and courses are suitable for all ages and abilities, including novices. Discover caves, remote beaches and observe wild life. Individual and group bookings are welcome. All equipment - including wetsuits - supplied.

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30% bigger,
probably about
68%* better:
the new
directory

It may be our smallest
advertising space, but that
doesn't mean we haven't
given it the care and loving
attention that it deserves.

So what goes into a
directory advertisement?
Here's the lowdown:

THE BACK

Like the mortar, this seemingly boring white square keeps it all together

YOUR LOGO

Great for brand consistency

YOUR CONTACTS

Peek-a-boo, they've found you!



Gallery Magazine
La Route De La Haute
811100

gallery

Gallery Magazine Directory
BANG! Here's an exploded version of our directory. This is where you get to put around 40 words explaining what it is you do, why you do it and how you do it so that people know you're the right people for the job. There's also a large image up top and your logo and contact details down below, always there when they're needed. It's a great value tool!

THE IMAGE

Grab potential customers' attention with a nice picture - we've made these 30% bigger than before

SECTION TAB

Ever noticed how Gallery is themed and sectioned? We like to keep everything in a relevant place!

THE BLURB

40 or so words promoting your business or product with your company name as a heading

hey beautiful!

Brand stockists



BENEFIT

Voisins 837100
de Gruchy 818818

BURBERRY

Voisins 837100

CLARINS

de Gruchy 818818
Voisins 837100

CLINIQUE

de Gruchy 818818
Voisins 837100

DECLEOR

Experience 507859
Bliss 789911

DERMALOGICA

Rio Hair and Beauty 734458

LA PRAIRIE

de Gruchy 818818

LANCÔME

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Voisins 837100

M.A.C

Voisins 837100

OLE HENRIKSEN

Bliss 789911

PHYTOMER

Spa Sirene 615425

VICHY

Boots 730432

JOOP

Boots 730432

KING OF SHAVES

Boots 730432

NIKEL

Boots 730432

ESTÉE LAUDER

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Voisins 837100

FAKE BAKE

Beautique Salon 671100

FADE OUT

Boots 730432

ORIGINS

www.origins.co.uk

RIMMEL

www.rimmellondon.com

THIS WORKS

www.bootsbotique.com

TOO FACED

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tell them you saw them in Gallery!

blackbook

Useful numbers



CI ENGRAVERS

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For any number you could ever wish for.

THE ROYAL YACHT 720511

Jersey's new hot spot

PIZZA EXPRESS 733291

Pizzzzza mmmmm

POLICE 612612

Hello Police?

THE CLUB HOTEL AND SPA 876500

And.....relax...

DANNY'S AT THE HARBOUR VIEW 747306

Tasty food with a view

ROJO 729904

Book a table for dinner and drinks

GOING PLACES TRAVEL AGENTS 507990

Top up your tan!

HOME JAMES 630700

Collects you and your car

JERSEY TOURISM 448800

They know everything

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS 726681

When it gets too much

BROOK CENTRE 0800 735 0222

For all you horny little monkeys

FITNESS FIRST 752400

Become 'really really really good looking'

JERSEY SURF SCHOOL 484005

Get to know your Mal from your Fish

EMILIA GOWNS 491088

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Grassroots Beach Clean Campaign launches 08/06/09

appetite

Restaurant directory



ASIAN

Mandarin Room 638010
Café Spice 737377
Noble House 878181

BEACH CAFE / LUNCH STOPS

Murrays 747963
Plemont Cafe 482005

BEACH CAFE / LUNCH STOPS

Waves 280161

CAFE STYLE

Café Jac 879482

ENTERTAINMENT

La Cala 877225

EUROPEAN

The Olive Branch 615993

RESTAURANTS

Ad Lib 615639
Bistro Soleil 720249
Radisson 671100
Signature 510096

FINE DINING

Bentleys 615141
Bohemia 880588
Ocean 744101
Tassili 722301

SEAFOOD

Bass and Lobster 859590
Navigator 861444

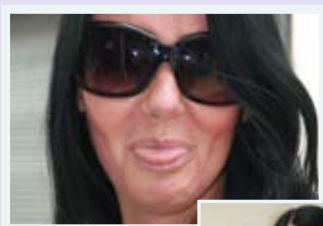
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FAULKNER
NATTY PEPPER
PETE MURRAY
BEN HOWARD
LLOYD YATES
CHARLOTTE O'CONNOR

1/8/09 VAL DE LA MARE
RESERVOIR

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MARINE

3questions

1. What's your opinion on socks and sandals?
2. What are your favourite outdoor hobbies?
3. Beach or park?



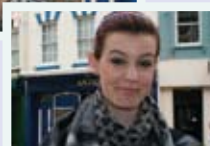
Sam
37, manager

1. Should be made illegal
2. Alfresco wth friends
3. Beach



Pat
proprietor

1. Uncool
2. Sailing
3. Beach



Lindsey
17, student

1. Goonie tourists
2. Beach parties
3. Beach

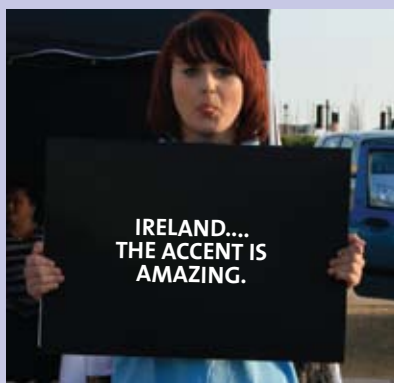
boardom

Scores on the board for the following question:

If you could be any country in the world, what would you be?



Lydia, 25, trust administrator



Cliona, 15, student



Steven, 42, civil works



Joan, teacher



Luke, 16, student



Steph, assistant manager



Room to grow. Room to develop

An imposing detached Victorian residence set in extensive grounds in the heart of St Brelade's Bay.



nearby beach

The property has a driveway approach a garage block that would be suitable for further development (subject to the necessary consents), gardens and extensive cotil woodland of over 7 verges.

There are sea views from the upper floors bedrooms and the beach is just a short stroll along a leafy track and across a secondary road. The property would suit a growing family where the children can explore and let their imagination run wild in the grounds or, an avid gardener who would be able to create something quite spectacular in this microclimate location, being a few degrees warmer, sheltered, sloping and south facing. One can easily escape life's hustle and bustle by taking a stroll up through your own secret woodland and perch yourself quietly above the bay and take advantage of the breathtaking view. If you would like to live in one of Jersey's finest bays and be able to enjoy both nature and beach walks in a beautiful environment, together with owning a substantial 'piece of Jersey', then this property should be given serious consideration.

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A man and a woman are featured in a modern, glass-walled interior at night. The man, on the left, is wearing a dark suit and looking towards the camera. The woman, on the right, is wearing a grey textured blazer and skirt set, black tights, and black heels, and is looking towards the camera. The background shows a view of a city at night through the glass walls.

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