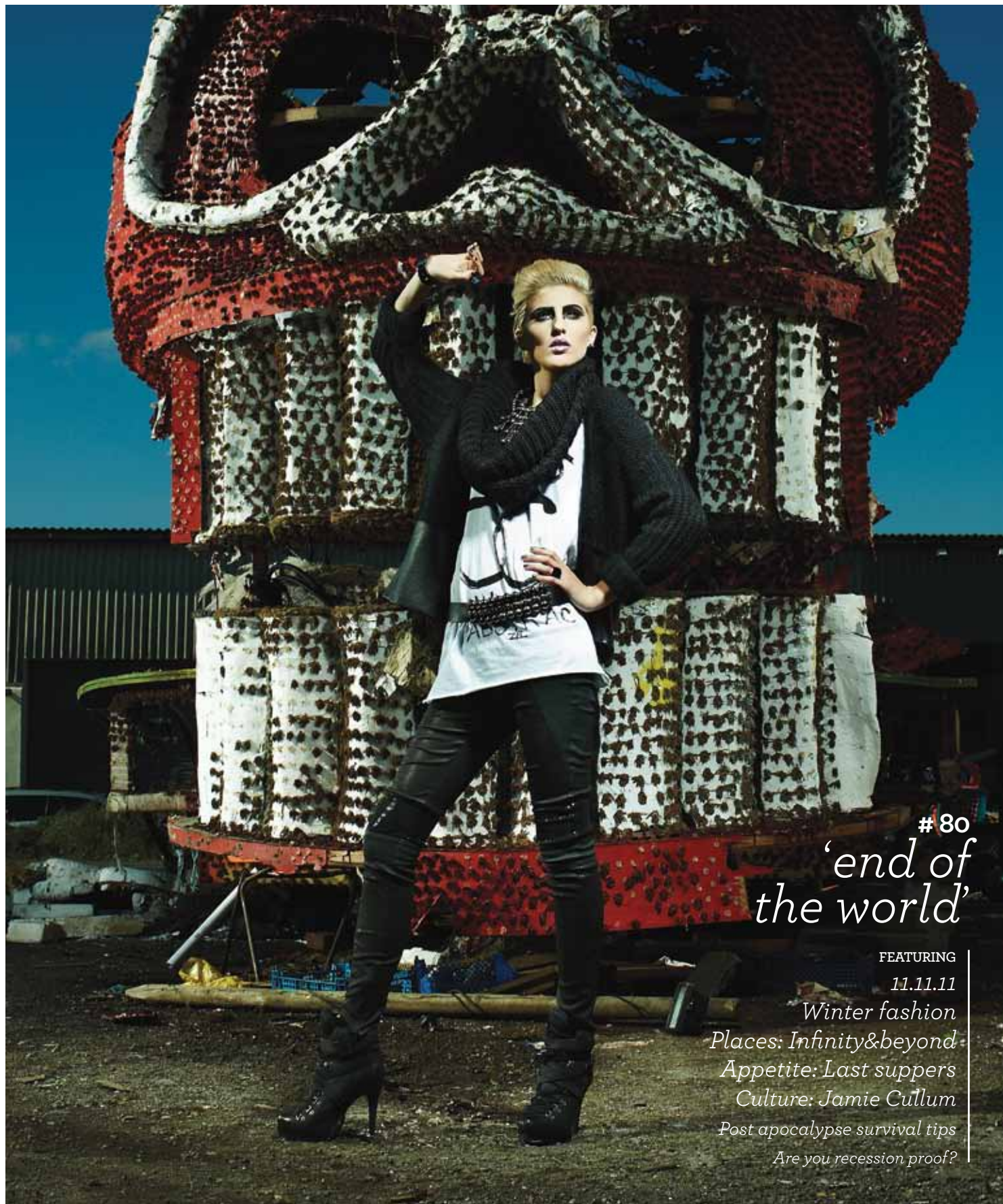


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**I**'ve been sitting here for two hours thinking about what to write. Perhaps it's the fact that I'm watching *Boardwalk Empire* back to back that's stopping me concentrating, perhaps it's that when you're considering 'The End of the World' there's not really a lot to write. The prospect of eternal nothingness will do that to a guy.

If the Mayans are to be believed we've got a little over a year until the apocalypse. It's so easy to get hung up on the everyday; mortgages, hangovers, work work work. If next year's end of the world were fact, not the riddles of prediction from an ancient civilisation that confusingly felt the need to run three simultaneous calendars, what would you do? Would you "Keep calm and carry on" as the ubiquitously pastiched posters declare? Would you sell everything and begin a thirteen month thrill ride? Would you go crazy, paint yourself red and shout at the sky? Would you get around to tidying your room?

This month we consider things we'd do if time were short. A desert island discs of an issue. Wendell's unique style of examination tackles 'post apocalypse survival tips'. We look at what people would grab from their desks if the time came; there are some famous last words in Misc, some last suppers for the Island's chefs in the Appetite section and a property profile that truly looks to infinity. For fashion we took our model up to the remnants of last year's Battle of Flowers for a truly wilted demise of civilisation look. Imagine that.... no more Battle of Flowers. Truly the end of the world eh?

It's been a busy month at Gallery as we settle into the hustle and bustle of urban life. After 7 years of resisting the lure of the big city we're now fully fledged townies. Drinks after work, sandwich shops mere metres away and lunchtime shopping for things you can marginally justify a need for, what's not to love? If you feel like dropping us cupcakes or need to borrow a cup of sugar we're conveniently here for you more than ever before. The kettle's on...

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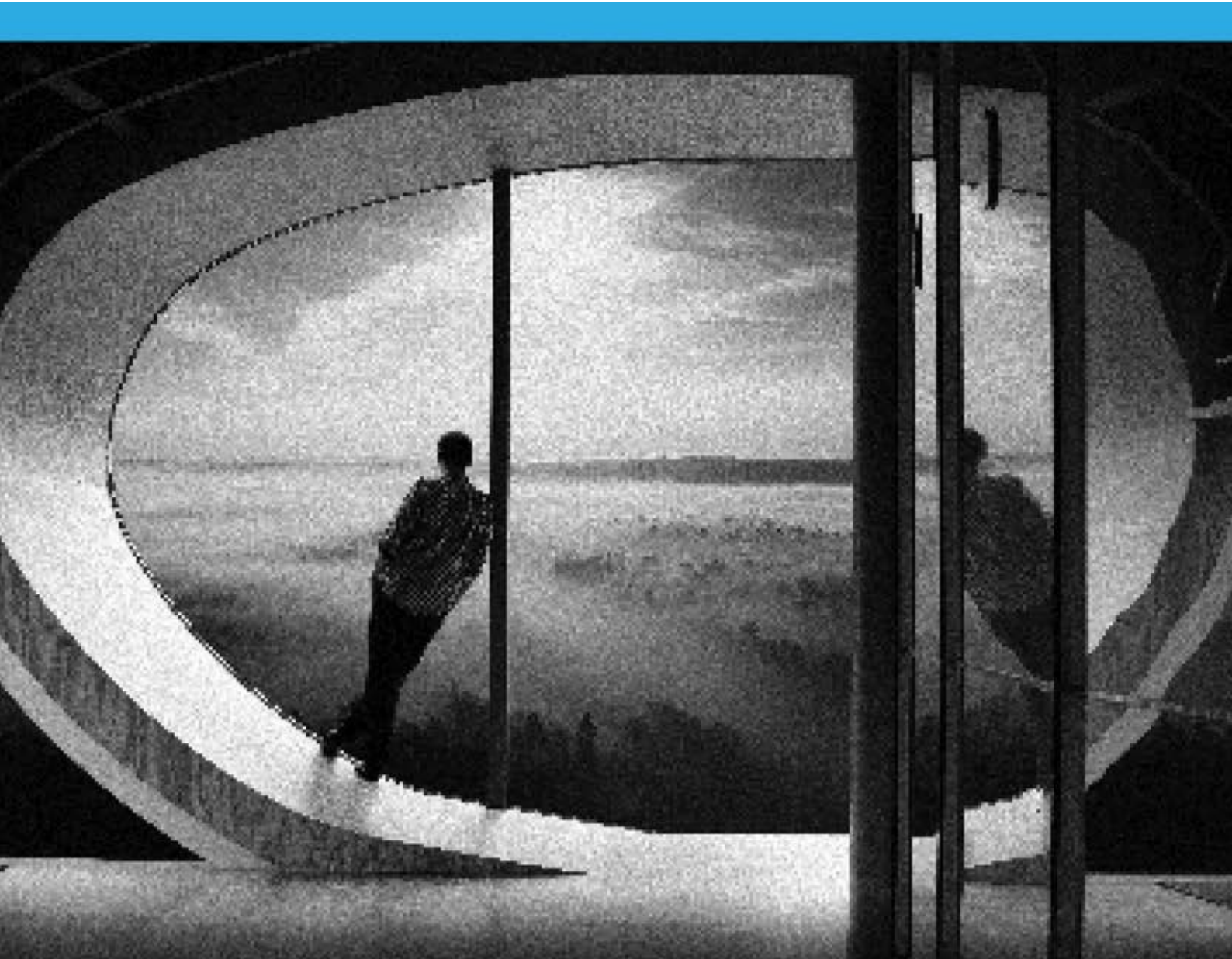
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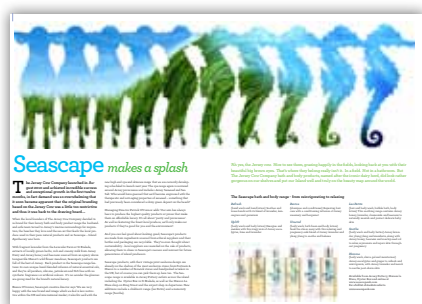
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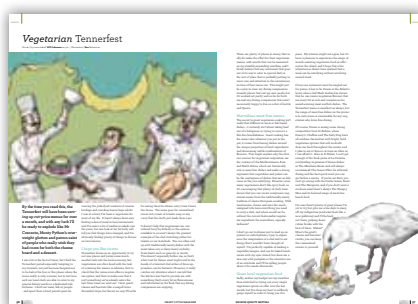
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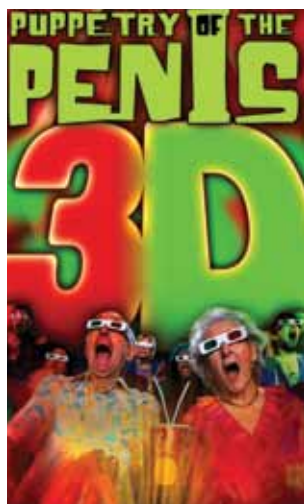
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## Post-apocalyptic survival tips

words | Wendell Stamps, atomic mutant

**'The end of the world? We're doomed!' was my immediate reaction when Gallery magazine contacted me this month. Unfortunately, by the time I realised they were talking about a theme for November's issue, rather than issuing a frantic warning about a plague of locusts or an imminent nuclear strike. I'd already sealed myself in my fallout bunker, shaved off all my body hair and eaten the intern they sent with the message.**

It's a pity that Johnny the intern had to sacrifice himself for the common good, but Gallery will ensure he hasn't died in vain by bringing you fine people on the outside the benefit of my status as Jersey's premiere expert on surviving the coming apocalypse. Some men know about motorbikes, some understand DIY - my field of expertise lies in anticipating the threats offered by giant asteroids, global warming and giant mutant cockroaches (from space). I also know what to do if they ever recommission Noel's House Party, but believe me when I tell you - the living will envy the dead.

You're probably thinking to yourself 'This is all common sense, but what's the chance of global warming, asteroids and Noel's House Party all happening at once?' and you'd be right to ask that question, because I'm forced to admit that I don't know the specific form that the apocalypse will take, merely that it is definitely coming at some point, much like the town park and high speed internet in St Ouen. I'm no super soldier, arrived from a dark future to warn you all about the rise of the machines - I don't like Windows 7 any more than you do, but I cannot 100% guarantee that printer driver compatibility issues will be the agent of humanity's destruction.

I exist in a constant state of pre-apocalyptic anxiety because although I'm certain we're doomed, I'm no surer that our civilisation will be wiped out by zombies than by a cataclysmic shift in the Earth's magnetic field; on most days I fear global financial meltdown every bit as much as the possibility of a malfunction at the Large Hadron Collider or the prophesied coming of Gozer the Destructor. However, I maintain that we must remain prepared and vigilant for whatever might occur, which is why I've hammered out a general purpose survival plan that should increase your chances in the event of all apocalyptic eventualities, be it the rise of the talking apes, a pandemic of bird-swine-spider flu or another 40-minute power cut. I'm not planning to get caught with my pants down, and I have a ten year supply of Andrex to make sure I can deal with it even if I do.

### Fortify your dwelling

An Englishman's home is his castle, and never is this truer than when St Helier has been destroyed by the Kraken and everything outside your four walls is a lawless wasteland peopled by starving, restless mobs who'd like nothing better to get their hands on your precious horde of AA batteries and Co-op Value baked beans. Well, think again starving mobs, because my home is harder to get into than Portelet car park on a bank holiday weekend. I've spent the last fifteen years flouting various planning regulations by extending my property straight down, and am now the proud owner of three boreholes, a private generator and more reinforced concrete than Noirmont Point. Some of you think that leylandii and chicken wire are enough to keep the neighbours out, whereas I believe in holding off the first wave of killer robots and/or alien abductors with electrified razor wire and infra-red triggered claymore mines. I also thought about putting up a sign that said 'no junk mail' until I realised that nothing short of a direct nuclear strike will stop the relentless bombardment of takeaway menus and adverts for hearing aids.

## Stockpile resources

I plan to outlast the worst that nature, space and the Mayans can throw at us by filling my basement with food and medicine. Try and imagine the difficulty of doing your weekly shop at 9:30 on Sunday evening and then multiply that by a thousand, and you'll have some idea about what horrors the future may bring. Spar selling out of Branston pickle and Honey Nut Cheerios will be the least of your worries when you've battled a giant scorpion for enough water to wash the radioactive ash from your clothes only to discover that pteroseagulls have stolen the roof of your shelter to line their nests.

I recommend a horde of essentials (such as toothpaste, diesel and Smash) and the means to protect them from those restless mobs I mentioned earlier. I'm aware that it might not technically be legal for me to own an anti-aircraft gun and enough shotgun ammo to hold off the entire population of St Mary's, but I've got round this by convincing the parish hall that I have a serious problem with pheasants - one that completely necessitates the need for enough weaponry to take on the Predator.

## Plan to rebuild society

Jersey isn't used to massive social upheaval, but you must appreciate the slim chance of our present system of government surviving the coming of Ragnarok and/or the Rapture. Things may be completely different by the time it's okay to emerge from your safety bunker, so don't be surprised if the States chamber has been replaced by a barbarous arena where all disputes are settled by gladiatorial battles between desperate survivors prepared to fight to the death over a stale packet of Coco Pops - we may even discover that 'two men enter; one man leaves' turns out to be an improvement on the current arrangement. That said, some things will never change whether we're ruled by psychic mutants, giant ants or glowing farmers with three heads, so expect complaints about zombies taking all the jobs and for your kids to swim to the mainland because they'll never afford a radioactive hovel of their own in a market dominated by buy-to-rent Morlocks and cunning estate mutants.

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## Prepare to entertain yourselves

Maintaining the last bastion of human culture isn't just about eating cold spaghetti hoops and drinking your own urine, it's also about holding onto those things that make us human in the first place. I'm talking about art and entertainment, and if you plan to spend the next 2 to 10 years co-existing with your family in a cramped bunker you'd better be aware that 'I spy with my little eye, something beginning with Z' might get a little boring after the first few months. You can't rely on TV or the internet to entertain you once the bomb has dropped, so I encourage you to round out your impregnable future fortress with books and board games, although you should consider leaving Monopoly to the zombies unless you want to end up falling out so badly that life in the poisonous wasteland starts to look tempting by comparison.

Don't forget the importance of arts and crafts - future civilisations will depend on your scribbled diaries, grim landscape paintings and knitted teapot covers in order to piece together exactly what went wrong. Every cloud has a silver lining, so I'm hoping that the total extinction of our species will at least result in cosmic archaeologists discovering a lead-lined time capsule full of Gallery back issues and giving me the appreciation I never received in life. I've also included some of my toenails, just in case they've discovered cloning by then.



**"I can't believe  
I managed to  
save almost  
£2,000"**

Anna met Gary from Manchester on holiday in Ibiza and wants to visit him as much as she can in the coming months. Her problem is how to meet the *costa* loving.

She's got credit card and store card debts and no overdraft facility, all on a limited income - so how can she free up enough cash to get on a plane and see her new love?

She phoned Close Finance and here's how we helped...



Debit Type	Balance	APR Rate (Typical)	Total Interest Repayable <sup>1</sup>
Credit Card 1	£1,500	26%	£1,200
Credit Card 2	£2,500	19.5%	£1,175
Storecard	£800	28%	£784
<b>Total Debt</b>	<b>£4,800</b>		<b>£3,159</b>
Close Finance Loan	£4,800	16.5%	£1,252 <sup>2</sup>
<b>SAVING £1,907 IN INTEREST CHARGES!</b>			

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RELATIVEVALUES

Same industry, different views. Our new feature gets people who do related jobs (or who are actually related) to tell us all about their favourite things. This month it's the turn of local photographers Natalie Mayer and Matt Porteous. Want to feature? Email [features@galleryje.com](mailto:features@galleryje.com).

Natalie Mayer | Matt Porteous

Favourite possession

My bike because I can get to places quickly on it, and it has a lovely basket. Unfortunately, I pile so much into my basket that I've had to have a special reinforcement fitted to hold it up. It looks totally uncool now, but I still love it.

My bag full of Canon camera gear, I couldn't live without it.

Favourite place in the world

Van camping in the south-west of Portugal, or Iceland in a tent. Both were magical.

Bali has always had a special place in my heart and Jersey with friends in the summer, you can't beat that.

Favourite colour

Dusty duck egg sort of reddish green colours.

Since working with The Observatory, orange. Everything has to be orange!

Favourite animal

My pet hamster when I was 12. RIP. I loved you so much.

Indian Runner Ducks, it's my dream to have a garden big enough to have my own runner ducks.

Favourite smell

Clean babies, freshly washed boyfriends and napalm in the morning.

Asian street food.



### ***Favourite way to spend the weekend***

Lazy, beery, sunny weekends camping in the van with Fred and Dave.

Early morning wake up, photo shoot, breakfast, surf/kitesurf, BBQ at the beach with friends, drinks, house party.

### ***Favourite Jersey beach***

St Ouen's. | St Ouen's, it has everything.

### ***Favourite food***

I like nice healthy food. And chocolate.

Thai wins every time.

### ***Favourite ice-cream flavour***

Mint Feasts. I was very happy when they made a comeback a few years ago.

Pistachio and toffee choc.

### ***Favourite restaurant***

The Dyke Shack on a warm evening with a high spring tide lapping around your feet is pretty special.

Any street food establishment, or European restaurant to watch the world go by.

### ***Favourite pastime***

I like surfing, snowboarding, and taking photographs. And I love dancing!

Taking photos.

### ***Favourite film***

La Vita e Bella (Life is Beautiful) gets me everytime. It's so sad but so happy too.

Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas

### ***Favourite book***

I loved Vladimir Nabokov's Lolita, and everything I've read by Charles Bukowski. And Iris Murdoch's The Sea, The Sea. I must read some more books soon.

I'm not a big reader, books need photos, so any M.I.L.K book.

### ***Favourite lyric***

'He finds a convenient street light, And he steps out of the shade, and he says something like, You and me babe... How about it?'

'There you are. Right in front of me. A brand new day, sunrise over sea, no longer, my cup half empty. 'Cause there you are, you and your mum in front of me. You're peaches & cream to me, you both are peaches & cream to me.' (John Butler Trio)

### ***Favourite person***

My little boy Fred of course. Even when I have to show him my cross face!

My Mum, the most beautiful person in the world.

### ***Favourite celebrity***

I think I like Joaquin Phoenix, although I don't know anything about him apart from that he looked really hot in the Johnny Cash film. And for some reason that man who is in Peep Show and who writes the column for the Guardian springs to mind. I like him too. Although in a different way to Joaquin.

Johnny Depp.

### ***Favourite thing to splurge on***

Flights to places far away. And nice dresses from Sweet Pea and Willow.

Camera gear and travel.

### ***Favourite memory***

Sitting on a ski lift with good friends, laughing our head off about something moronic, whilst on our way to do a photoshoot in the snow. I remember thinking how happy I was, and that I had the best job in the world, and made a mental note to remember how good I felt at that moment.

Each and every time I've landed in a new country. You can't beat travelling and the feeling it gives you, So many amazing memories.



# “Starting a family is so expensive... I needed all the help I could get”

Steve's over the moon about the new arrival in his family – but less so about the cost of everything, particularly with his girlfriend on extended maternity leave.

Spending on credit cards to keep their son in nappies, Steve knew he needed a solution to consolidate his debts and free up some cash every month – so he called Close Finance and here's how we helped...



**We saved  
£2,674**

Debit Type	Balance	APR Rate (Typical)	Total Interest Repayable <sup>1</sup>
Credit Card 1	£2,800	26%	£2,240
Credit Card 2	£3,400	21%	£1,802
Overdraft	£1,000	15%	£320
<b>Total Debt</b>	<b>£7,200</b>		<b>£4,362</b>
<b>Close Finance Loan</b>	<b>£7,200</b>	<b>14.93%</b>	<b>£1,688<sup>2</sup></b>
<b>SAVING £2,674 IN INTEREST CHARGES!</b>			

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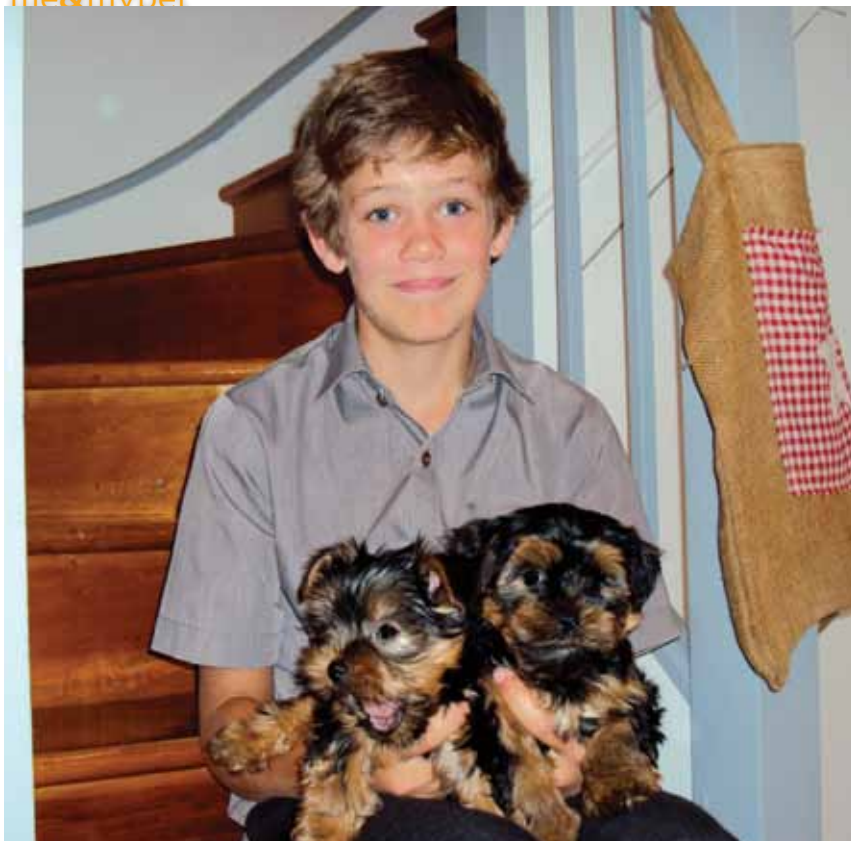
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## Rocco, Rupert & George

### Breed:

**George:** Human

**Rupert:** Yorkshire Terrier

**Rocco:** Yorkshire Terrier

### Age:

**George:** 11

**Rupert:** 10 weeks

**Rocco:** 10 weeks

### Likes:

**George:** Skateboarding and Snow Boarding and anything outside

**Rupert:** Digging and I can't wait until I am allowed outside so I can dig up the garden

**Rocco:** Play fighting is the best but being cuddled comes close in second

### Hates:

**George:** Unkindness

**Rupert:** Rain because that means I can't play

**Rocco:** X-Factor I don't understand why everyone raves about it so much!

*If human/animal you would be :*

**George:** A Penguin!

**Rupert:** I'd be Brad Pitt

**Rocco:** and I'd be Bradley Cooper

### Wants:

**George:** To be a professional snow boarder

**Rupert:** Treats all the time!

**Rocco:** A Christmas stocking full of toys!

### Interesting facts:

**George:** I'm predicted to be 6'4" when I grow up as a minimum

**Rupert:** Rocco and I are brothers and we have very different personalities I am quiet and loving.

**Rocco:** I was the smallest of my litter and I am very adventurous and mysterious.



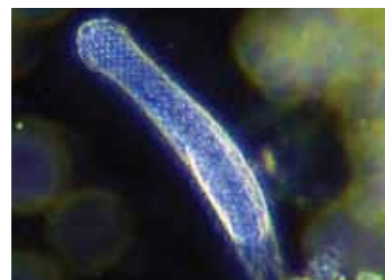
### It's alright for some.

The starlings have the right idea; now that winter has come they are off to Bali to get hot chicks on the beach!

Durrell Wildlife Conservation Trust is delighted that seven of its Bali Starlings, which were bred at the park in Jersey, have now returned to their native island.

They were registered as an endangered bird species in 1970. Besides the destruction of its habitat, the major problem facing the bird's repopulation is poaching; its extraordinary beauty, its pure white plumage and blue streak across the eye, have made it irresistible to collectors.

Down to less than ten birds in the wild, attempts to reintroduce captive-bred birds to bolster the population have failed as poachers working for the illegal pet trade immediately target the new arrivals. It is hoped that increasing genetic diversity and undertaking new releases will, help increase the Bali starling population in the wild, so that the wild flocks can endure in their natural habitat.



## The end is near...

It really is the end of the world for some of our fellow planet dwellers. These two have the shortest life span that we know of.

### The Mayfly

These are aquatic insects. The lifespan of an adult mayfly can vary from just 30 minutes to one day depending on the species. The primary function of the adult mayfly is reproduction, and that they do because there is about 2500 species of mayfly known worldwide.

### The Gastrotrichs

These are a phylum of microscopic (0.06-3.0 mm) animals abundant in fresh water and marine environments. The average life span of a gastrotrich is about three days.

We'd like to thank them both for taking the time to pose for these pictures.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our sponsors:-

New Era Vets                      Ransoms  
Garden Centre                  The Pet Cabin  
Paws Pitstop                      ASL Recruitment.

I would also like to thank Louise Reynolds and Andrew Baudains for Judging the competition (it was very tough to decide!).

I am delighted to say that we raised £505.00 for 'Jersey Hospice Care' which is fantastic.

## Bats

Although bats have a scary reputation, they are very interesting creatures and they certainly won't fly into your hair - their echo-location navigation system is far too sensitive for that. Several species occur in Jersey but the two commonest are the tiny pipistrelle and the larger grey long-eared bat.

Bats are the only mammals capable of true flight. Their wings are membranes stretched between very elongated fingers, with the thumb reduced to a hook on top of the wing which they can use for crawling and clinging to vertical surfaces. Another membrane links the tail and hind legs.

Their echo-location navigation system is similar to the radar scanning used by ships and aircraft. They emit high-pitched sounds from their mouths which bounce off any obstacle including the insects they feed on, and are detected by their ears. The long-eared bats can actually tell the difference between an insect or caterpillar and the leaf it is sitting on.

Pipistrelles live in large colonies, sometimes up to 1000 living together behind weather boarding or shingles. Long-eared bats tend to live in woodland and roost in trees although they may breed in attics. The young of pipistrelles are born in June when the weather is warm, in nursery colonies separate from the males. They fly after about three weeks. Winter colonies contain both males and females and the bats hibernate from November to March as their insect food is scarce. Long-eared bats also hibernate but usually alone. When roosting or hibernating, both species hang upside down by their hind feet with their wings folded by their sides.



"After a roller coaster year, we're enjoying life again"

John's family were turned upside down when he was made redundant. After six months out of work, he's got a job again, but the family have spent on credit cards to compensate for the loss of a wage.

John and Lisa want to pay their debts off as soon as possible and get back to using their cards for treats like a foreign holiday with the kids. After what they've been through, they deserve it. Could Close Finance help them get their saving plans airborne?



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Credit Card 1	£6,000	26%	£4,800
Credit Card 2	£5,850	24%	£3,978
Credit Card 3	£2,700	19%	£1,188
Storecard	£600	28%	£588
Overdraft	£2,000	15%	£640
<b>Total Debt</b>	<b>£17,150</b>		<b>£11,194</b>
<b>Close Finance Loan</b>	<b>£17,150</b>	<b>12.68%</b>	<b>£4,573<sup>2</sup></b>
<b>SAVING £6,621 IN INTEREST CHARGES!</b>			

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## Famous *last words*



***‘Are you guys ready? Let’s roll.’***

Todd Beamer, passenger on United Flight 93, September 11, 2001.  
These are his last recorded words, coming at the end of a phone call before Beamer and others attempted to storm the airliner’s cockpit to retake it from hijackers who were part of the 9/11 terrorist attacks.



***‘Pee pee’***

Freddie Mercury, dying of AIDS,  
Asking to be helped to the restroom.



***‘Plaudite, amici, comedia finita est’***

*(Applaud, my friends, the comedy is finished; the formula traditionally used to end a performance of commedia dell’arte)*  
Ludwig van Beethoven



***‘Thank God. I’m tired of being the funniest person in the room’***

Del Close, improviser, teacher and comedian, died 1999



***‘Pardonnez-moi, monsieur. Je ne l’ai pas fait exprès.’*** *(Pardon me, sir. I did not do it on purpose)*

Marie Antoinette  
As she approached the guillotine, convicted of treason and about to be beheaded, she accidentally stepped on the foot of her executioner.



***‘One last drink, please’***

Jack Daniel



***‘Don’t worry, they usually don’t swim backwards’***

Steve Irwin A.K.A The Crocodile Hunter  
Said when he was examining a Stingray in the Great Barrier Reef. It did, however, swim backwards and the tail pierced his chest. He died of blood loss later.



***‘I’m so bored with it all’***

Winston Churchill  
Before slipping into a coma and dying nine days later.

## Looking for the End of the World

After doing some research we have discovered various places all called World’s End (nothing beats originality). From villages in the UK to national parks here are our favorites

### 1 Yamal Peninsula, Siberia

The Yamal Peninsula located in Yamal-Nenets autonomous district of Siberia, Russia, extends around 700km and is bordered by the Kara Sea, Baydaratskaya Bat and the Gulf of Ob. The language is Nenets, and in Nenets ‘Yamal’ means end of the world.

### 2 End of the World Turn, USA

This is a cliff structure which rises 1100 feet above a bend in the Elk river (West Virginia) 5 miles above Ivydale in Clay Country.

### 3 World’s End, Kensington & Chelsea, London

It’s a district of London’s Chelsea lying at the end of the Kings Road. World’s End and surrounding areas were often bombed during the blitz

### 4 The End of the World, Norway

Verdens Ends, ‘The End of the world’ is the southernmost tip of the island Tjøme and it is a panoramic scenic view towards Skagerrak

### 5 The World’s End Pub, Camden

The World’s End is a famous pub on Camden High Street in Camden Town.

## Video of the Month

Confession coming up. Until this month, we’d never actually typed the theme of the magazine into YouTube before. It brought up a funny video with good accents. Definitely one to watch...

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kCpjgl2baLs>



# *EVENTS*



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## MIMOSA, QUAYSIDE AND FOX & FIRKIN LAUNCH PARTY *Liberty Wharf : 29/09/11*



Mimosa has arrived! The whole venue was packed for their fantastic launch party. Luckily for them the owners' prayers were answered and it was an unseasonably hot day, so the full venue was showcased in all its glory

as guests enjoyed champagne on the terrace watching the sunset over the boats in the harbour. The girls loved the vast jaw-dropping crystal chandeliers and the guys seemed to gravitate towards the leather sofas under the

vintage rowing boat and antler lighting in the Fox & Firkin Bar. We can't wait to go again and try the Quayside restaurant for dinner and really test out their extensive drinks menu!

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## FASHION & BEAUTY EVENING *Voisins Department Store : 29/09/11*



Voisins and Deals in Heels held a F.A.B (fashion and beauty) evening in aid of Jersey Women's Refuge. The wild and

wonderful taster concoctions from Vom Fass got guests in the mood to party! And with 10% off lots of brands in store and talks

by top stylists and national make up artists everyone got into the swing of things and got some great shopping done!



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# "Our lives are about to change and we want to be ready"

Peter and Angela face a double financial challenge next year when their teenage son plans to go to university, and they have their own plans for a conservatory extension to their home.



**We saved  
£8,443**

They needed to consider the best way to fund those projects and clear their current debts. Can we cover all this in one monthly payment? So they called Close Finance and here's how we helped...

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Credit Card 1	£2,000	26%	£1,600
Credit Card 2	£1,800	24%	£1,224
University Fees	£9,000	19%	£3,960 <sup>2</sup>
Conservatory	£15,000	24%	£10,200 <sup>3</sup>
<b>Total Debt</b>	<b>£27,800</b>		<b>£16,984</b>
<b>Close Finance Loan</b>	<b>£27,800</b>	<b>11.57%</b>	<b>£8,551<sup>4</sup></b>
<b>SAVING £8,443 IN INTEREST CHARGES!</b>			

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<sup>2</sup> Based on the assumption fees are paid using a credit card

<sup>3</sup> Based on the assumption the conservatory is purchased using a credit card

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## BRANCHAGE VIEWING OF INSIDE JOB *Jersey Arts Centre : 23/09/11*



This great film was sponsored by the Jersey International Business School, Stephen Platt & Associates and KYC360. Dubbed as 'the film that cost over \$20,000,000,000,000

to make' and with rave reviews at the Cannes and New York Film Festivals every seat was booked weeks in advance. The lucky ones who were invited along were

treated to drinks and nibbles in the Berni Gallery beforehand, then there was an animated panel debate after the film.

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## THE LAUNCH OF THE DONNA ANNAND MELANOMA CHARITY *Radisson BLU: 24/09/11*



On Saturday 24th September the Radisson BLU Waterfront Hotel hosted a ball to mark the launch of the Donna Annand Melanoma Charity. The charity has been established in memory of Donna Annand (née Le Saint) who passed away in February 2011, aged 29

years, following a brave battle with malignant melanoma. The aims of the charity are to raise awareness about the dangers of melanoma and to promote the importance of protection against, and early detection of the disease. Throughout the course of 2012, with

the assistance of local doctors, the charity is planning to set up clinics where people can drop in and have their moles checked. The charity is kindly supported by Bedell and more information can be found on the charity's website: [www.damc.org.je](http://www.damc.org.je).

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## STANLEY GIBBONS *Stanley Gibbons new 18 Hill Street offices: 06/10/11*



Stanley Gibbons has had a revamp and its new Hill Street office was officially opened by the Lieutenant Governor unveiling a very shiny plaque. Not only was it a lovely evening with

yummy canapés but the occasion was especially significant, as General Sir John McColl pointed out, at a time when a major focus of the business side of the island is potential economic

diversification. Stanley Gibbons is famous for stamps but other exciting things on display included racy lingerie belonging to Baywatch babe Pamela Anderson herself.

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## VARIETY'S CHILD OF THE YEAR AWARDS *Hotel de France : 8/10/11*



Inspirational children were celebrated at a gala Variety Club awards lunch at the Hotel de France with Gladiators Doom and Enigma helping with the prize-giving. Awards are presented to children who show outstanding courage in the face of adversity or make an

outstanding contribution to the community. This year's winners included Calvin Haycock and 8 year-old Oliver Flavell. Polar bear victim Patrick Flinders was also given a special award for courage. Variety Club Chief Barker, Robyn Lapidus said: 'We really have some wonderful

children in Jersey. They're an inspiration to us all.' The event's organizer Sandra Auckland said: 'I got choked up so many times after those stories. It was a fantastic event and means so much to me.' (Photos courtesy of Ian Le Sueur at Kandidprints).

*Catherine Best*

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## SPA SIRENE'S LAUNCH OF AROMATHERAPY ASSOCIATES *The Royal Yacht : 05/10/11*



We popped along to the lovely Spa Sirene to find out more about their new brand Aromatherapy Associates. Caroline Lilley, Spa Manager, said: 'We're thrilled

to welcome Aromatherapy Associates to the Spa Sirène. Their experience and knowledge of aromatherapy is shown in each product and treatment and there

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## FUTURE GROUP DRINKS PARTY *Quayside Bar and Restaurant Liberty Wharf: 14/10/11*



The champagne was flowing on the balcony of Quayside Bar and Grill as Future Group celebrated two years of successful business. Over 100 people attended the event including staff, friends and clients.

The main reason for hosting the drinks party was to thank everyone who has helped support the company over the years. Denny Lane, Director, Future Group said 'it's the first of hopefully many celebrations,

Future Group has come on so far since its inception in 2009 and we are very grateful to everyone who has helped us achieve this.'



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## ELMINA HAIR STYLING COMPETITION *Elmina Salon King Street : 18/10/11*



The standard at this year's Elmina Salons Hair Styling Competition was incredible. Two of the judges were our own Gallery Beauty Editor, Ceri Milner and our

photographer Danny Evans who were both blown away by the innovative ideas and styles produced. Make sure you check out next month's beauty section where

we'll be showing you the winning hair styles from the evening.

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## ON TAPP SHOWROOM RELAUNCH *On Tapp Studio at Five Oaks : 24/09/11*



The On Tapp team were in the mood to celebrate, as their much anticipated stunning new showroom was finally ready to be admired by everyone! They had organised a fab cooking demonstration

which filled the place with delicious homely smells and there was also a great bike challenge going on outside in aid of Hospice. We couldn't resist putting in this pic of a gorgeous baby girl making

herself at home in the bathtub! If you haven't already, make sure you pop in and see the new showroom, their mini walk in cupboards are genius, and the display kitchens have that real wow-factor!



# Oh Santa Baby...

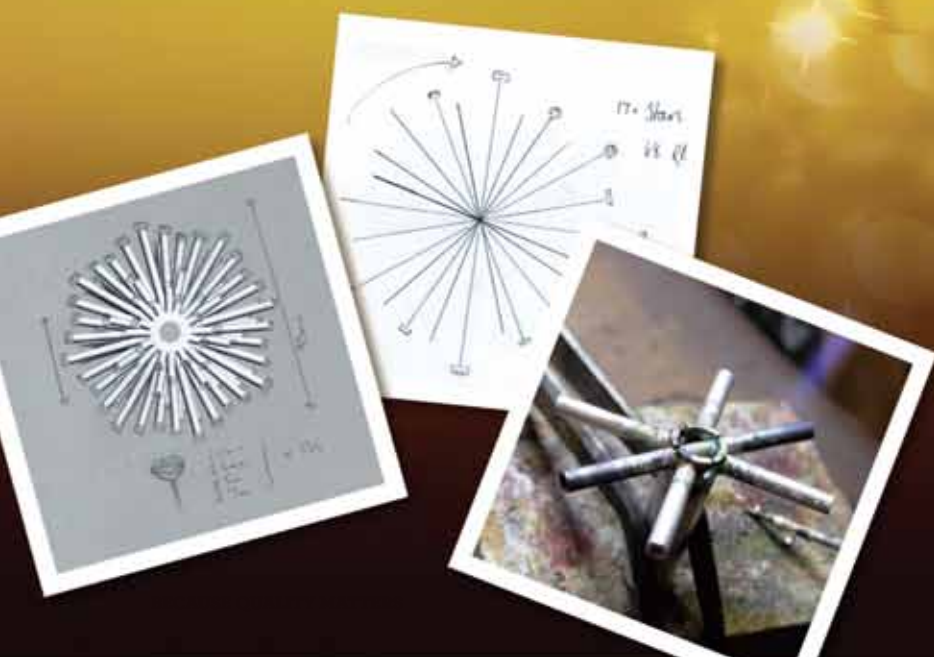
*It may be fair to say Jersey Goldsmiths have not always been seen as the creators of jewellery. In the last few years with their change of vision and their continuing love for jewellery that has inspired them to create, design and make their own collections. With so many artistic people now part of the team it was inevitable that those ingenious ideas would start to stand out from the rest of the crowd.*

*Their latest brainchild is Jersey's most spectacular Christmas tree decoration, 'La Sfera' a diamond bauble valued at over £15,000. 'La Sfera' is a remarkable rotating gold bauble made of 17 spinning stars. Each star is tipped with the most dazzling white and yellow brilliant diamonds hand picked especially for La Sfera by Diamondology.*

*This ultimate Christmas tree adornment is the collaboration of three local businesses Jersey Goldsmiths, The Bench and Diamondology and is being created by master jeweller Juan Perdomo from The Bench. It highlights the craftsmanship and new direction that Jersey Goldsmiths now represents.*

*On Sunday 13th November 'La Sfera' will be unveiled and given pride of place on the Jersey Goldsmiths Christmas tree by a member of the Jersey Hospice team. They'll be joined by textile artist Lisa Macdonald (recently been commissioned by Mary Portas for her 'Mollymac' collection). Dunnell's are offering cheese and wine tasting and there's children's bauble decorating, letters to Santa and home made Christmas menu from Café Delicia.*

*Please can I have it for my tree?*





## DONALD M. HESS ART AND WINE DINNER *The Atlantic Hotel : 19/10/11*



Swiss entrepreneur Donald Hess hosted an exclusive wine and art dinner at the luxurious Atlantic Hotel last month. After entertaining the 35 guests with his life

story and tales from his vineyards and museums around the world, the art collector organised a charity auction, led by Christie's International Auctioneer Hugh

Edmeades in aid of Durrell. Patrick Burke, the Atlantic's owner said 'We're thrilled that this unforgettable dinner raised well over £14,000 for Durrell'.

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## BEAULIEU SCHOOL CALENDAR LAUNCH *Waitrose café, Waitrose Red Houses : 18/10/11*



Beaulieu school celebrates its Diamond Jubilee this year, and to mark the occasion, Gallery helped their A-level photography students put together a 2012 calendar, featuring a range of their photographs, accompanied by

poems by Beaulieu students from year 7 and 8. The calendar was launched at Waitrose's Red Houses café - it'll be available to buy at all Waitrose stores, the Harbour Gallery and Beaulieu School, with sales proceeds going to

boost school funds. Beaulieu headmaster Chris Beirne said the project 'reflects the passion felt by both our staff and our girls to develop and showcase their talents to the full'.

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Mr&Mrs Reviews  
**LONGUEVILLE MANOR**

“Mr...

*Having just passed the halfway stage of a particularly hectic week, in which the stresses of moving house were combining with usual tribulations at work to terrific effect, the announcement from my other half that we had been booked in for a romantic dinner and one night stay at Jersey's luxurious Longueville Manor was not only welcome but superbly well timed.*

Feeling buoyed by the news, I attacked Thursday with a renewed vigour, adamant that things had taken a turn for the better. One late night at the office and two lunchtime furniture sorties later, however, and my natural positive demeanour unfortunately was back under scrutiny. Thankfully though, when the weekend did eventually arrive, our stay at Longueville Manor more than lived up both to my expectations and to its esteemed reputation.

After just about squeezing through the several hundred-year-old stone arch that forms the Manor's main entrance, we were relieved of our car, my overnight bag and her luggage (yes, luggage!?) and ushered through to check-in. Then followed a brief tour of the hotel's main amenities (kitchen garden, croquet lawn, the usual) on the way to our charming deluxe room.

At this point I discovered that my competitive better half (or in this case worse, but not by enough points to risk ruining the afternoon) had done some research before leaving the house and subsequently smuggled two tennis rackets into the car, giving us the opportunity to enjoy an ultimately successful hour on the hotel's apple tree-lined all-weather court.

Had it been a few weeks earlier we might also have made use of the heated pool. Instead, we opted for an activity more befitting the season. Having borrowed a couple of pairs of wellies (Hunters no less, in a range of sizes, available to guests on request) we headed off to explore the hotel's 16 or so acres of wooded and parkland grounds, with autumn leaves underfoot to complete the picture!

“Now, being the proprietor of a structurally sound but visibly indulged temple of a figure, dinner was always destined to be the highlight of the stay for yours truly.”

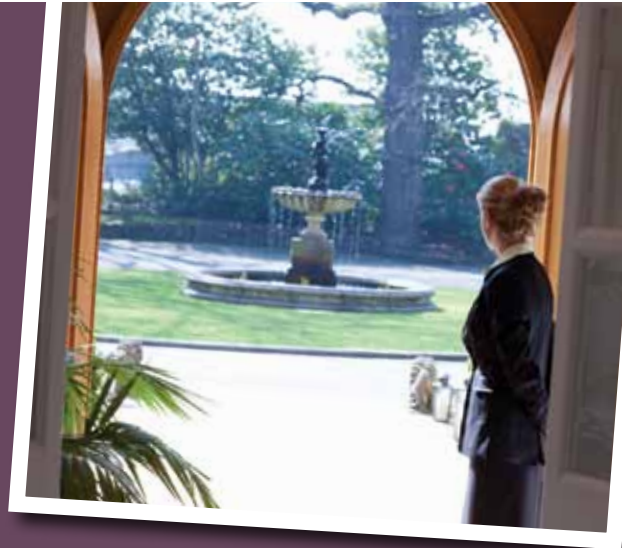
Looking freshly polished and presentable, we headed to the cocktail bar to peruse the menus over a gin and tonic. The seven-course Discovery Menu proved tempting but, intent on saving space for the cheese board, I went for the Bonbon of local chancre crab to start followed by the Gressingham duck with pumpkin jam, Savoy cabbage and Jerusalem artichoke main from the à la carte.

Cyrille Azemard, Longueville's sommelier kindly came over and gave his expert advice on suitable accompanying wines for my dinner. He suggested a Borthwick (2009) white for my starter and the red Château Val Joanis (2007) which is a little more spicy to complement my meaty main. Having the rare opportunity to chat to a top sommelier I probed him about his favourites from the menu and after some coaxing (apparently asking a sommelier to choose a favourite wine is like asking him to choose a favourite child) he said that if he was celebrating at this time of year he would usually opt for a bottle of the Meursault Premier Cru (2005).

We had been advised to reserve a table in the Oak Room, as its grand fireplace and dark wood panelled walls give a slightly more intimate setting. The quality of the food and service was fantastic, as you would expect, whilst the portions surprised on the upside! The array of cheeses leaves you spoilt for choice, yet my fondest memory is of the Pandora of dark chocolate. They present it as a gold shimmering chocolate sphere then pour warm custard over it to reveal banana ice cream nestled inside; it really must be seen (and tasted) to be believed!

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*Our lucky couple got to test out Longueville Manor's 'Night of Luxury' package. If you are thinking of popping there for dinner over the winter months then please let us know as we have five free overnight stay vouchers to give away, simply email us at [stay@gallery.je](mailto:stay@gallery.je) and let us know why you would like to stay.*





# “Mrs...

*Longueville Manor has an abundance of extraordinary little touches that make staying there quite magical.*

Incredible service is so rare that on the few occasions throughout life when you do experience it you feel passionately enthused to tell everybody about it, luckily, on this occasion, I have a media platform from which to do that.

As we were being shown around the grounds and our beautiful large room I was ecstatic (and I'm not exaggerating) to see that their complimentary cosmetic products were by Bamford (think Crème de la Mer but more exclusive), this really put the icing on an already very impressive cake!

Once our bags had been delivered to the room we got changed and headed straight to the tennis court, past a beautiful rose garden. I have been having a few tennis lessons, and I knew my partner hadn't seen a tennis ball since it had been compulsory for him at school, so I was feeling rather confident. However it turned out (as with all sporting activities it seems) that he was captain of the school tennis team and all I could do was quiver from behind my racket as he fired aces past me for an hour. I genuinely believe he is going to be one of those dads who wins every time against his young children.

After this macho display we headed off to explore the grounds, which were stunningly showcased in all their vivid autumnal beauty. It was great fun seeing around the Kitchen Garden that supplies their restaurant with fresh produce, they even have their own smoke house set in an ancient crypt.

Following our afternoon of activities we ordered some gin and tonics to the

room, chose a great old movie from their selection behind reception and played quite a heated game of Scrabble. For me it was true relaxation, and I think that's what sets Longueville Manor apart; they seem ready to cater to your every whim, so all you need to do is unwind.

Before dinner I had a seriously indulgent candlelit bath with Bamford natural sea salts combined with essential oils of geranium, lavender and peppermint.

“lying back, being careful not to knock over my chilled complimentary champagne, I thought ‘this is utter bliss.’”

We then headed down to have drinks before dinner. Whilst my partner put the sommelier through his paces I opted for something all together easier, a Singapore Sling! Now the last time I had one of these I was sitting in the Raffles Bar in Singapore where they were invented, so the bartender had quite a challenge to impress me. By the end of it I was convinced they were up to par, however I ordered a second one just to make sure.

Dinner was lovely, the service was unfaultable, not too fussy, but perfectly attentive. My mouthwatering red mullet main was served on black squid ink risotto, which looked very high impact as there aren't really many black foods about (unless you count my mother's 'blackies', basically a mistakenly burnt version of the traditional 'brownies').

Wallace and Gromit have nothing on my love of cheese, and the Longueville Manor cheese board is the stuff of legends; two tiers with over 30 to choose from. They have a bit of everything from a mild goat to a

terrific Jersey blue (now a new favourite of mine). The best part of the meal for me was listening to the affineur talk all about the different delicious varieties they had.

We headed up to bed happily full and ready for good night's sleep in the emperor size bed.

With a new lease of life following our wonderful stay we made our way down to breakfast in their light and airy Garden Room. Everywhere I went in the Manor I was struck by the elegant interiors, which are apparently, the artistic handiwork of Patricia Lewis who, together with her husband Malcolm, are the third generation of the Lewis family to run Longueville Manor.

Still full from the night before we couldn't take proper advantage of the vast array of goodies laid out for breakfast, not to mention their cooked options. I couldn't resist trying their leg of Serrano ham and then I tried their homemade jam on hot buttered toast. After the first bite I got one of the staff immediately over to find out if I could buy some, it was scrumptious! Luckily their homemade preserves are such a hit that they do keep some behind the front desk to sell.

We left Longueville Manor energised and ready to face the week ahead with new gusto.

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# MangeTache



## Upload your Mo this Movember

Mange Tout is supporting the Movember initiative, which raises money for men's health, namely prostate cancer and other cancers which affect men. The fresh food café is rebranding as 'Mange Tache' for the month and asking people to upload photos of their moustaches (real if you're a guy or frothy latte and cappuccino top lip 'taches if you're a girl) to their Facebook page, Mange Tout Jersey during November.

As well as encouraging people to have fun by showing off their moustaches, Mange Tout will also be raising money for Movember charities by donating £1 from the sale of a special Movember sandwich, which has been designed specifically to support the initiative and will be available from all four Mange Tout cafes. Ten pence will also be donated every time a latte or cappuccino is sold during the month.

'Movember is great fun and we want to give it our full support so we thought it would be a great idea to rebrand as Mange Tache for the month and raise money by designing a Movember sandwich as well as donating money from every latte and cappuccino sold' said Andrew Hosegood of Mange Tout.



## Zulu Wars Fundraising Event

A Zulu Wars talk held earlier this month in the Great Hall of Victoria College has generated more than £5,000 in fundraising for Macmillan Cancer Support (Jersey). The funds raised will assist the charity in continuing to provide high quality information, support and practical advice to anyone in the island affected by cancer.

During the event, which was sponsored by Standard Bank, Zulu wars lecturer and expert Rob Caskie offered a vivid insight into the bravery of the Zulu army. Brian Frith, Chairman of Macmillan Cancer Support (Jersey), was delighted and very grateful to all involved: 'We were so lucky to have Rob Caskie here with us to talk about the fascinating history of the Zulu Wars and to share his expertise with us. The event was thoroughly enjoyed by around 260 people and to have raised over £5,000 from one event is absolutely marvelous.'



## Sensory room stimulates at Mont A L'Abbe School

Pupils at Mont A L'Abbe School have celebrated the official opening of the school's new sensory room. The room, which has been funded through a donation from the 2010 Barclays Wealth Community Awards, has been kitted out with state of the art equipment, which is designed to stimulate and motivate the youngsters. 'The sensory room is fantastic,' said head teacher, Sharon Eddie. 'The bubble wall, interactive floor, cinema wall, surround sound, UV lighting, fibre optic curtain and tactile wall panels are incredibly impressive and provide an ideal space for both learning and enjoyment for our pupils.' Paul Savery, managing director, Barclays Wealth Intermediaries and International Jersey, Guernsey and Isle of Man, said: 'I am delighted that our donation is making a significant difference to the lives of the pupils at Mont A L'Abbe. It is a pleasure to see the enjoyment this room brings and it is this enjoyment that embodies our thinking behind the Barclays Wealth Community Awards.'



## Earsay sails into first place

Local charity Earsay, renamed from the Jersey Society for Deaf Children and Young Adults recently beat seven crews to win the 2011 Le Tournoi Sailing Challenge and come runners up, by a single point in the European EUROSAT Championship.

The Earsay crew, a split of both novice and experienced sailors along with a split of hearing and hearing-impaired individuals proved formidable opposition by coming second in both of the initial races and then clocking up first places for the final three races, culminating in an overall win.

Mark Burby, Earsay Chairman said: 'We took this opportunity to take part in the sailing challenge to bring attention to our new identity but to also bring attention to the fact that hearing and hearing impaired individuals can work together to achieve the same challenging goals'.

## Drug detox centre given funding boost

Plans to introduce a residential detox centre for islanders with alcohol and drug problems are being advanced with the backing of continued funding from the Lloyds TSB Foundation. The Foundation has already supported the Weston Healthcare Foundation, a charity which supports sufferers of drug and alcohol dependency, together with their families, with £100,000 over the past two years. A building in New Street, St Helier is being converted into a residential detox unit. The unit will be able to accommodate up to five clients at a time and it is hoped that the new facility will open in early 2012. Weston Healthcare CEO Jason Wyse said: 'The grant provided by the Lloyds TSB Foundation has made it possible for us to go ahead with our plans to provide the island's only residential detoxification facility which is used for the specific purpose of detoxification. There is currently no facility in the island that provides this service exclusively.'



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## A to Z

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### investigating:

**I am often asked how to go about investigating a possible disciplinary matter or a grievance therefore I compiled the following.**

Plan your investigation before you begin - consider what information you need to gather. Before meeting with the employee and other witnesses, plan the questions you should ask.

Decide how best to conduct the investigation. This will depend on the complexity of the case. For example, you may decide, in some circumstances, a witness statement will suffice. In other circumstances, you may decide to meet with witnesses but ask them to produce a statement before the meeting. Or, you may choose to meet the witness/employee in person in the first instance.

Decide the order in which you will meet witnesses and the employee. You can meet with them more than once if necessary.

Plan where to hold investigation meetings, this must be in a private place that will be free from interruptions.

You should take notes of key points raised at the meetings. The notes do not need to be verbatim. You should give a copy of the notes to the employee/witness following the meeting and ask them whether anything needs to be added. Where the employee/witness provides alternative notes of the meeting both versions should be included in the evidence supporting your investigation report.

#### Meet the employee

Give the employee notice of the meeting so that they can prepare and when meeting with the employee against whom the allegations have been made, they should be reminded of their right to be accompanied by a trade union representative or work colleague. Ensure that the employee understands the allegations that have been made and ask for a response and supporting evidence to these allegations.

Use open questions to gain information, clarify the issues e.g. 'what happened then?' and to check your understanding of what has been said.

#### Meet witnesses

You may decide it is not necessary to interview every witness, and a written and dated statement will suffice. When you decide to meet with a witness, the following will apply:

- You may wish to ask witnesses to write a personal statement prior to meeting with them.
- Where appropriate you could ask them to respond to certain questions. Where a witness provides a written statement you need to be happy that you have got all the information that you require from them and that there are no unanswered questions. If

you are not satisfied you can re-interview the witness.

- Meet witnesses and ask them to explain what happened, or where you have asked for a written statement in advance, to gain clarification and/or further information about points that they have made. Use open questions to gain information/clarify the issues e.g. 'what happened then?' and to check your understanding of what has been said. Don't lead the witness, but do encourage them to concentrate on the main facts.
- Advise witnesses that their statements and responses to questions may be made available to the employee and to the management side if the investigation results in a disciplinary hearing.
- Witnesses also need to be made aware that they may be called to give evidence at a disciplinary hearing.

#### Gather other evidence

Ask for and seek supporting evidence to substantiate information provided by witnesses and/or the employee. Keep copies to use as supporting documentation.

You may even need to look at documents such as work rotas, attendance reports, shift/handover notes, incident reports, minutes of team meetings, one to one records, appraisal documentation, emails, letters, training records, development plans. Again, you will need to make copies, for supporting documentation.

Look at the employee's background and employment record as well as any special circumstances that need to be taken into account.

#### Preparing the investigation report

Once you have completed the investigation you will need to write a report which will be included in the documentation used at any subsequent disciplinary hearing.

The summary and recommendation section of your report should be given to management so that they can confirm whether the allegations should be heard at a disciplinary hearing. It is important that you do not discuss the full details of the case with as this could prevent them from hearing any subsequent appeal.

Your report should be clear, concise and presented in a logical format. It should outline the allegations, providing full supporting evidence.

Make sure you include all the relevant facts so that it would make sense to someone unfamiliar with

the case, including those facts favourable to the employee.

Contain a summary of events as evidenced by your investigation and refer to supporting evidence in the appendices as appropriate.

Make recommendations based on the findings of your investigation, you can in fact recommend that the case is dropped, handled informally or considered at a disciplinary hearing.

## What's New?

### Permanent Health Insurance - a benefit or a hindrance?

An employee unable to work in their normal occupation has an entitlement to the above payments usually after a deferred period of approximately 13 weeks. The payments are usually paid by the insurance company as a percentage of the employee's salary. This benefit ceases if an employee is dismissed.

### In a recent UK case *Aspden v Webbs Poultry & Meat Group (Holdings) Ltd*

The employee's contract had the usual term which allowed the employer to terminate a contract of employment if the employee became incapable of work due to prolonged absence as a result of ill health.

The employee was indeed claiming PHI payments. The employer did dismiss due to incapability on the grounds of prolonged ill health.

The employee issued proceedings in the Tribunal. The court reviewed the group policy and then implied a term into the employment contract that the provisions for dismissal would not be operated which would then in turn remove the employee's entitlement to benefits under the PHI scheme. The court viewed it as essential that the employee remain in employment in order to allow the PHI scheme to work.

This effectively means that the employer who has obtained this insurance policy as a benefit for his employees should they have a prolonged illness must not dismiss them. Whilst the employee's salary is indeed being met by the insurer the employee is still accruing contractual holidays for the period of absence that the employer must honour on the employee's return.

## Lindsay Edwards-Thatcher

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**Anna**

*Help! I can't get to see my new boyfriend in Manchester unless I can sort out my debts.*

I've got £4,000 spread across two credit cards and another £800 on a store card and at the moment I can only afford the minimum repayments. How can I save money on my cards so I can afford to visit him?

If you were to combine these balances into a personal loan then you'd pay a lot less.

We can clear your credit and store cards and advance you enough for a few flights to the UK – don't forget that if you pay for your flights online using your debit card as opposed to a credit card, you'll also be charged less in fees, so there's even more savings to be had.

I've heard that Manchester is a great place for shopping and going out. Take care though to avoid using those credit and store cards again – especially at the Trafford Centre!

used as a means for purchasing larger ticket items like flights or holidays.

Nevertheless we understand your situation and are keen to help. By taking out a consolidation loan we can help you clear your credit card balances and settle any other debts you may have like an overdraft or bank loan. With our solution, you'll pay less interest and with just one monthly repayment you'll also pay less each month, which should give you more disposable income to spend on whatever you like.

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*Hey Anna we understand your predicament and we'd be happy to try and help you sort out your finances so you can visit your boyfriend.*

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**Steve**

*My girlfriend and I have just had a baby and he's wonderful but I'm starting to worry about my finances.*

It's not the sleep disruption or changing nappies that's causing me grief, it's that this little man needs a lot of stuff and what with my girlfriend on maternity leave and not on full pay on, the debts are racking up on our credit cards. What can I do?



George - CloseFinance

A

*Hi Steve, congratulations on the birth of your son!*

As a mother with two young girls I understand that having a family is a huge change, not least on what and how you spend your wages.

You explain that you are using your credit cards on everyday expenses and no doubt frequent trips to Boots and Mothercare! Due to the high interest rates charged on most credit cards, they are more commonly

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**John and Lisa**

*My husband was made redundant earlier this year and it has hit our family's finances hard.*

We've had to buy everyday essentials on our credit cards, because we haven't had the money coming in. He's now back in work and we want to clear our various debts as soon as we can – how should we go about doing that?



Ben - CloseFinance

If you're making minimum repayments on your credit and store cards then your total interest charges are going to be pretty high.

# GET A GRIP ON YOUR FINANCES?

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*Well you've come to the right place*

*Lisa! We can*

*show you a way of repaying your debts far quicker than if you were to continue making the minimum repayments.*

I'm pleased to hear that your husband is back in employment, which I'm sure must make life a little easier. You're now in a great position to apply for a consolidation loan to transform all your credit card debts into one easy to afford personal loan.

Many people fall into the habit of making minimum monthly repayments on their credit cards when money's tight, but few realise that they are only reducing their balances by a fraction and as such will take many, many years to clear if they continue paying this way.

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knowledge and expertise, they'll create an affordable repayment plan that suits your individual needs.

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**Peter and Angela**

*Our teenage son hopes to go to university next year and we also have plans in hand to extend our home with a conservatory.*

What would be the best way for us to meet these expenses?

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*You'll probably be well aware that the landscape of university funding is changing and from 2012 UK and CI students could face a bill of up to £9,000 each year, depending on their chosen course and location.*

Together with cost of living expenses like rent and flights to and from the UK, helping your child through university is an expensive business.

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Matrimonial matters

Where to issue your divorce?

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*For those leading international lifestyles, another common issue when a marriage breaks down is where to issue divorce proceedings.*

The law stipulates you should file your divorce petition in the country where you have been ‘habitually resident’ for the previous year. Frequently, I have found wrongly filed petitions to be a result of confusion over just what this term means. Confusion, might I add, that leads to defended petitions and increased costs.

The UK Courts have now provided us with clarification over what it actually means to be ‘habitually resident’.

The case of *V v V* concerned a nomadic family where both husband and wife moved repeatedly throughout their lives and marriage (London, Milan, Brazil and the list goes on). When it came to filing for divorce, the wife had returned to London permanently and so issued proceedings there. The husband disputed jurisdiction on the basis that for a portion of the preceding year the family had resided in Switzerland and he believed this to be their permanent residence, meaning the wife did not meet the requirements to file for divorce in London.

The wife was able to prove to the Court that she had never permanently resided in Switzerland owing to certain lifestyle choices during that time. She regularly commuted to London to attend a course and their dogs were placed into kennels in London when brought along. Nor had they put their London belongings into storage which they usually did when relocating.

Based on the facts of this case, the UK Court re-defined the term ‘habitually resident’. It is marked by a permanent connection to the area and is required the date you apply for divorce. If this requirement is met, you need only prove that you have been ‘resident’ in that jurisdiction for the preceding year. As in the case of *V v V*, the smallest lifestyle choices can become of great significance when proving your residency. By showing she was not ‘habitually resident’ in Switzerland, the wife was able to prove that she was at least ‘resident’ in London for the required time.

Perhaps it is a sign of the times, when the Court decides that it is possible to be simultaneously resident in more than one country but this definition caters for the international lifestyles led by so many people now making it easier to apply for divorce where you want to.



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legal focus

Curatorships in Jersey

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*According to research more than 750,00 people in the UK suffer with dementia and it’s estimated that by 2021 this figure will increase to over 2 million.*

‘Dementia’ describes brain disorders such as Alzheimer’s, which result in a loss of brain function.

A dementia patient may reach a time when they cannot write and sign cheques, or even handle cash. Families often manage this among themselves but it’s important to bear in mind that once a doctor decides that the person is no longer able to manage their affairs, the court dictates that a curatorship must be put in place.

As the number of people suffering with dementia increases, so too will the requirement for curatorships. But what does this mean for a family member who requires one – and what might it mean for you if you are asked to perform that role?

Under the Mental Health (Jersey) Law 1969, the Royal Court will appoint a curator for a person who is incapable of managing and administering their own affairs by reason of a mental disorder or addiction. Curatorships are required for illnesses other than dementia, but this is the main cause.

The first stage of the curatorship process involves a medical assessment, signed off by two medical practitioners. The court will accept applications from family members to be appointed curator, but where there may be friction within the family, the court will seek to appoint an independent third party – perhaps the family lawyer.

Once the Solicitor General is satisfied with the information provided and happy that the proposed curator is suitable for the role, he or she will be summonsed to attend court and take the Oath of Curator, in which they undertake to manage and administer the person’s assets in accordance with the Mental Health (Jersey) Law 1969.

Evidence is put to the court regarding the person who is to be subject to the curatorship, usually as a written submission but in some cases in person.

It is important to remember that the curator is answerable to the court in relation to their management and administration of the person’s property and affairs. For example, within 90 days of the appointment, they must submit an inventory of all property, both movable and immovable and on the anniversary of the appointment, the curator must deliver a copy of the previous 12 months’ accounts. In some instances it may be necessary to apply to the court for permission to deal with the assets in a certain way.

There are four ways in which a curatorship can come to an end:

1. If the person is later deemed capable of managing their affairs, a successful application to bring the curatorship to an end may be possible
2. If the person moves permanently from Jersey and all of their assets are transferred to the new country of residence. In this case a new curator must be appointed in the new jurisdiction
3. A curator can resign, but the court will seek to appoint a new curator
4. A curator ceases to hold office on the person’s death.

The circumstances in which a curator is appointed can often be very difficult for family and friends. Please speak to Collas Crill’s team if you would like any information or advice.

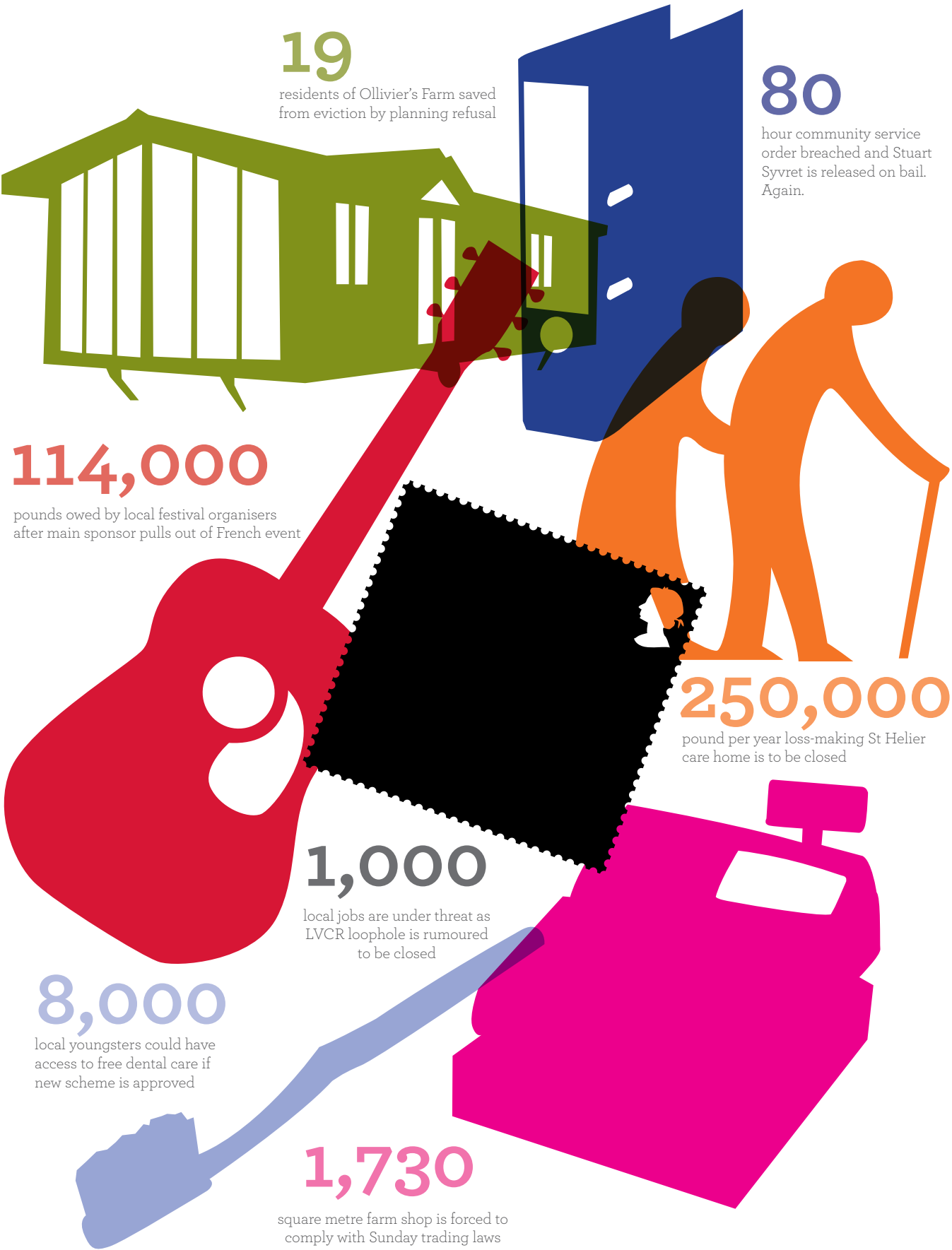


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## PARISHIONER IN PARIS

Owen Thomas aka Stanley Forbes

*Whilst visiting Paris this month, I caught up with Jersey born multi-instrumentalist, Owen Thomas aka Stanley Forbes. As well as his many adventures of musical discovery and living a bohemian life in Prague, we discussed his mind-altering experiences and how he has ended up living in Paris for the last three years.*



**So Owen, when did your interest in music begin?**

I don't remember ever not liking it, although my tastes have changed over the years. My first ambition, aged about five, was to be in a Wham tribute band. I started piano lessons at 8 years old, and

moved on to drums when I was 12. Playing in a teenage rock band, Dionysus (hell yeah what a name!), meant that my pals kept leaving their guitars at my house, so I taught myself to play songs by artists like The Velvet Underground and Leonard Cohen, and started writing my own, gut-poppingly awful songs at about 14. At 17, I joined a local jazz/latin/funk group called The Loneliest Monkfish, playing the bongoes, and used to record demos on a four track with a great unknown talent of Jersey, Robert Watkins, and Chris Wackrow from Velofax, who's now in an excellent group called The Oscillation.

**Did you go on to study music at University?**

I studied Enterprise Management, which wasn't Star Trek training, but was supposed to be management of the performing arts industry. I say 'supposed to be' because the course sucked harder than a Murray Mint addict, and I couldn't complete it because I ended up losing part of my brain on LSD and ecstasy playing bongoes in a drum 'n' bass club every week with the best DJs of the genre. I left after just one year of living in a haunted house with six evangelical Christians, and moved back to Jersey for about two years, before moving to Prague to take a TEFL course.

**How long did you live in Prague for and what did you get up to there?**

I arrived at the end of May 2001, and fell in love with Prague straight away, literally on the drive from the airport to the city. During the TEFL course I met a lot of great people, most of whom are socially awkward nincompoops I am honoured to still call my friends. Although I left in September of that year for a teach-



ing contract in Milan, I was back in Prague by January, and I stayed until August 2003, hanging out with some brilliant bluegrass musicians and playing in a group called Supercool with a thalidomide victim on bass, who plays with his feet and is one of the most inspirational characters I have ever met, and a soft porn-star on vocals. Prague is a beautiful place, with beautiful women, beautiful beer, and an incredible literary, musical and artistic history. I fell in love five times a day. I also recorded an album there with Robert Watkins in a £1.50-per-hour studio run by a massive speed freak called George. One day, I got religiously high (my dealer was called Moses) and became convinced my body was possessed by the ghost of a dead Russian pianist called Dmitri, who for about three months afterwards would channel beautiful piano concertos through my head. Dmitri had made a bad choice however. I couldn't actually write music down. So I decided to go to Bristol, become a famous musician, and employ someone to notate Dmitri's oeuvre, to worldwide acclaim. This is actually true.

**When was Stanley Forbes created?**

I managed to convince Robert to come with me to Bristol, but it didn't work out for him, so he decided to leave after about six months. I was musically alone for the first time, but still had the burning desire to play, so I started writing my own lyrics. I found that I could write silly songs pretty easily, but any attempt to write from the heart would descend rapidly into arsemilk. So I stuck with the silly songs. My first song with lyrics was called Hello Vera, about a crush I had on a 62 year-old beautician student of mine. After writing my next song, Everybody's At The Orgy, I realised that this music needed a name, and in drunken conversation on holiday in Jersey I settled on Stanley Forbes. I played my first solo gig in 2004 during the same trip, for Martin Coxshall's Monkey Mondays at The Blue Note, and I ended up winning a Golden Banana award for the performance of that year, which was very encouraging. Back in Bristol, I formed a band with some utterly fabulous musicians, including a 67 year-old Hells Angel called Doctor Doom (who's almost died three times in his life due to his former job as an intravenous amphetamine tester) on banjo.

We were either called The Cocks Of Steel or The Goats Of Fury, or something else, and we played many festivals, burlesque shows, poetry

nights, and 'normal' gigs. I also started a radio show, The Anti-Sobriety Variety Show, which invited fantastic Bristol bands and poets to perform live. I lived professionally as a musician for a couple of years with The Cocks Of Steel and we became well-known in Bristol and London's burlesque scene.

**And now you're in Paris, how did you end up here?**

Well, every expat everywhere ran away for a reason, and mine was a broken heart. In Bristol I fell in love with a concert pianist called Rossanne Hamilton, who was also the first president of Bristol University's pole-dancing society, but ultimately she broke my heart, so in April 2008 I was lost, blown apart, and needed a change. In June, Tony Wrafter asked me to play a gig with him in a chateau in Cognac. This was definitely the most decadent gig of my life. There was free wine and cognac, a cacophony of illicit substances, most of which I'd never even heard of, and we had the mother of all parties for two weeks. There was a constant movement of people, with a minimum of twenty at any one point, but the main event was one Saturday night, where everyone from the nearest villages came (about 300), and the birthday girl Marie arrived in a helicopter. Now she's in prison for dealing ecstasy. Don't sell drugs, kids! At the chateau I met Mivsam Noiman, an exquisitely talented violinist, and her astrophysicist partner Jeremy, who offered me a place to stay if ever I considered moving to Paris. I thought, why not, and so in October 2008 I moved here and found a job teaching English. I've also continued music in Paris, producing an extremely lo-fi YouTube series of songs from my room, imaginatively entitled 'Stanley Forbes - Songs From My Room', which includes a song detailing the entire 10,000-year history of Jersey in nine verses. I've also produced the soundtracks to four films with totally different themes: Auschwitz, LSD, dead dogs, and holidays, one of which apparently won a prize at an International Film Festival. This year I have also produced some horrid, hackneyed tunes that no one's ever gonna care about, and put them up on Myspace under my own name. Paris has been great, but I've sort of had enough now. Paris is like the most beautiful girl at school - everyone wants to be near her, even though she has no idea how to be nice to people.

**So, where in the world next?**

Who knows? I thought I was going to China until only three days ago, but that's fallen through at the last minute. In two weeks' time I'll have nowhere to live and no job. I'm not too concerned, though, because if there's one thing the world needs, it's musical satirists from small islands. Oh sorry, I mean English as a Foreign Language teachers.

**You can find out more from Owen Thomas at [myspace.com/stanleyforbes](http://myspace.com/stanleyforbes), [myspace.com/owenthomassongs](http://myspace.com/owenthomassongs), or search 'Stanley Forbes - songs from my room' on YouTube.**



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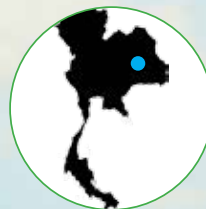
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 SYLVIA CORLEY (née Le Ruez)  
 Words | Viv Pallot



# ALTRUISM IN THE LAND OF SMILES

**People often return from exotic holidays thinking ‘Now, THAT’S where I want to end up when I retire!’ For Sylvia and Ken Corley, Thailand was such a location. They fell in love with the country and its people on their very first visit in 1986.**

And after numerous return trips to the country dubbed ‘The Land of Smiles’, they finally moved there permanently in 2001 – a decision spurred by Ken’s ill health and consequent early retirement. Sadly, his condition deteriorated over time and he passed away in August 2010, leaving Sylvia a young widow in her early fifties, far from her island roots. Many would have upped sticks and returned home in this situation, but to Sylvia’s credit she has carved a niche for herself in Thailand and her presence there is both appreciated and needed... by the locals in particular.

Travellers to Thailand generally aim for the frenzied hub of Bangkok, or the nightlife and beaches of Pattaya just two hours away. Others head to the islands whose stunning scenery was featured in the Bond movies, or more recently, The Beach. Backpackers are drawn like moths to a lantern to infamous Full Moon parties and a few might venture inland to the cooler hill country at Chiang Mai. But it is unusual for anyone to brave areas where they’d be the only foreigner, let alone where hardly anyone speaks any English.

Yet it is here at Roi Et, in Thailand’s north-east rice basin nearing the Laos border – without a tourist in sight – that Sylvia bases herself for part of the year and where she admits ‘it’s like going backwards in time’. Her other home is nine hours’ drive away at the well-trodden Pattaya coast and the two places are worlds apart in terms of character. The common link is her closest friend and former housekeeper, Wanida, who hails from the countryside at Roi Et and whose family have accepted Sylvia as one of their own and vice versa.

Ten years in Thailand have given Sylvia time to assimilate into a rather different lifestyle to that on the family farm back in St Peter’s where her mother still lives. Yet this farming background most likely honed her current appreciation for her rural environment where she says she happily ‘wanders around the fields seeing how crops are cultivated’, visiting the rice factory, and taking an interest in the local cows, buffalo, and pigs and where chickens roam freely. Gates are never locked and there is a lack of boundary between the rural homes, typically built upon stilts. The local supermarket? It’s 30 km away...

What other cultural differences has she faced? ‘Everyone greets you with ‘Where are you going?’ which we regarded as an invasion of privacy at first’ she laughs, ‘And people always ask your age as one of the first questions’. She has learned never to raise her voice or get angry as you ‘lose face with the locals and get no attention’. They soon discovered that it was preferable to let the locals do their shopping as ‘having a white skin automatically meant that items were more expensive’. For the first few years, Sylvia was the only white woman on their

security-guarded estate on the outskirts of Pattaya, although she notes there’s more of an international mix now; European men have moved there with their Thai wives as well as several Russian families, all taking advantage of the low cost of living, slow pace of life and year-round warm weather.

There are just three seasons in Thailand, with one thing in common: heat. Winter, hot season and rainy season blend seamlessly into each other with the wet season running from July to November. April and May’s hot season ‘really took some getting used to’, Sylvia confesses. The monsoon in the rice-growing area is more extreme and the winter evenings cooler. When the couple designed their second home there four years ago Sylvia acknowledges that lessons had been learned along the way, ‘A patio can never be too big and a roof should always be lined with foil to keep the heat out!’

The pace of life in this predominantly Buddhist country is slow. Sylvia says that arriving late is considered normal and requires no explanation. Time itself is measured on a six-hour clock (9 pm being ‘3 o’clock evening’) which she found confusing at first. Her day tends to start early and like the locals she rides a bicycle or hops on a motorbike taxi to shop daily for fresh food.

Although Sylvia has no children of her own, she has helped numerous youngsters through selfless hours devoted to charity work. Sparked primarily by the plight of those affected by the Asian Tsunami in 2006, Sylvia has continued to immerse herself in helping those less privileged. Reassuringly, she concedes that the expats do an excellent job in fundraising for the Pattaya Orphanage and nearby charities





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*Surf Denim*

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but it is perhaps in Roi Et where Sylvia has really made a difference. Having witnessed the appalling conditions at the local school, she felt compelled to intervene. Amongst other problems, there was no covered area for the students to sit outside, and the ground turned to mud during monsoon season. The 'sports equipment' transpired to be a sheet of old metal – used as a ping pong table. The loos she described as 'very depressing'. Students wear hand-me-down uniforms, often without shoes... Above all, she found herself deeply moved by 'these happy faces that needed so much help'.

With her altruistic streak reignited, Sylvia sought the assistance of a Jersey friend, intrepid swimmer Neil Faudemer, to help raise sufficient funds to improve the school's conditions dramatically. Her public Facebook page attests to that success, with before-and-after photos for all to view. Still, the charity work remains ongoing because Government funding in Thailand is limited and parents pay just 10p a week for a nursery place. Schools are heavily reliant upon generous donations in order to survive and the locals help by 'paying merit' – a Buddhist tradition whereby giving away on one's birthday is revered more than receiving.

Does she miss Jersey at all? Sylvia says that Thailand's New Year's Eve celebrations remind her of our Bonfire Night, complete with fireworks, singing and dancing. She misses Bean Crock, Jersey Royals, daffodils in bloom and our long summer evenings – in Thailand it gets dark before 7 pm.

On a rare but recent trip to Jersey she says she was dismayed by the Waterfront developments, and the proliferation of luxury apartments leaves her fearing unaffordable accommodation for our future generations. She agrees that the coastline is as beautiful as ever and that our island remains clean.

So, would she return? Only if the Thai Government changes its tolerant policy towards expats, she explains. She confesses she'd have a hard time adapting to our stringent 'health and safety rules' having lived so long in a place where these are quite lax. Perhaps we in turn could learn a few lessons from that laid-back attitude in Thailand...

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In bed I wear ..that is for me, my self & I to now.....  
 If I could be a celebrity for a day, it would be ..Audrey Hepburn.....  
 The best time of year is ..love autumn color & falling glitter leaves.....  
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 The best advice I've ever been given is brush teeth twice a day. No fillings yet  
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 The 3 most important things in life are productivity, good sleep, loving laughter.  
 This is a picture of my dream house:





## On form

Appreciate the abstract? Catch the strong lines and bold colours of the latest work from Paul John Kilshaw at his exhibition at the Link Gallery at Jersey Museum, which runs until the 13th November.

'Emotional form - structure mood' is a diary in canvas form for the local abstract artist who has used oil paint to explore his emotions and moods. 'I produce a series of images and explore their creative possibilities. It's still a voyage of discovery'. Paintings are built up layer by layer with washes of oil and collage, overpainted and scraped back to give the surface of the picture rhythm and texture. 'I love underpainting, but once I start, I have to paint the whole canvas! The time it takes me to complete a painting varies, sometimes I'll finish one in 6 months, but they have been known to go on for years until I'm happy with them.' Also available at the exhibition will be a series of limited edition books from Paul John Kilshaw, all signed by the artist.

Emotional form - structure mood, a new exhibition by Paul John Kilshaw  
Link Gallery, Jersey Museum, Weighbridge  
10-5pm until 13th November. Free admission



## A DESPERATE JOURNEY

Heart-rending images of migrants fleeing poverty and risking everything to for the American dream is the theme of one of the Jersey Amnesty International Human Rights Festival's photography exhibitions. A compilation of photographs from renowned photojournalist Antonio Olmos, who is known for work focusing on human rights, conflict and the environment, this is a raw glimpse of life at its most desperate.

A Desperate Journey, Antonio Olmos  
Monday 14th - Saturday 26th November  
Jersey Arts Centre



## No Man's Land

The Google Streetview car catches everything, and a painstaking sift through 2,500 Street View images has resulted in this poignant and thought-provoking exhibition, also part of the Human Rights Festival, capturing haunting images of what appears to be women soliciting sex.

No Man's Land, Jersey Arts Centre  
Mon 28th November - Sat 10th December  
Preview: Monday 28th November, 5.30-7pm  
Illustrated talk by Mishka Henner, 7pm Maria Ritchie Room.  
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## Experience X2

A major collection of paintings and sculpture from French father-and-daughter duo Michel and Christine Lariviere arrives at the Harbour Gallery this November. Influenced by Bacon and Henry Moore, Christine explains her clay sculptures as 'bodies writhing in ecstasy in an energy controlled by doubt. Couples struggle, the people respond'.

X2 - Michel & Christine Lariviere  
Thursday 3rd - Tuesday 22nd November  
The Harbour Gallery, St Aubin  
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## Tackle twister

Eye-watering origami of the genital variety is all on the menu as penis puppeteers Fitchy and Rich take what some men do for fun, and put it out there. Right out there. Once you get past the initial awkwardness of two guys in their birthday suits creating shapes ranging from the 'hamburger' to the 'boomerang' live and in glorious 3D, you'll see why Puppetry of the Penis has been a smash hit since Australians Simon Morley and David Friend first unleashed their dick trick repertoire more than a decade ago. More up close and personal than ever before, you even get 3D glasses to wear...

Got questions? Sure you have. Fitchy and Rich give you the lowdown on their frequently asked questions.

**What inspires you to create a new dick trick and how do you go about it?**

Sometimes you see something and think 'I can do that!' and then again sometimes you'll be shopping and think to yourself 'hang on! What does this look like!?' The chicken and the egg really.

**Who do you feel your material is aimed at?**

It's for everybody! Half of us have one, the other half is rather curious about them.

**Did you ever think you'd make a career out of doing it?**

Oh no! Who could ever dream of this! Mind you, think a lot of men dream of traveling the world, getting their penises out for an hour a night, and getting paid for it!

**Why do you think men have such a fascination with their penises?**

It's our power source. We keep it hidden, but can't wait to share it. With it we share some of our most memorable and joyous moments. It's just always been there for us.

**Have you ever had any strange requests from fans?**

Too many to mention! No, I will not sign your testicle!

**How do you prepare for your shows?**

Relax and think of my Nanna.

**Which is the hardest trick to get right / the easiest to get wrong?**

Hardest - Sea Anemone. Easiest to get wrong - The Hamburger. Got to balance those buns!

**Have you ever injured yourselves?**

Not from performing the tricks, but an old lady did drop me on my head one night.

Puppetry of the Penis 3D

Jersey Opera House

8pm, Thurs 24th – Sat 26th November

From £17.50

Warning: Puppetry of the Penis is a non-sexual show featuring full-frontal nudity (as if you hadn't guessed). Not suitable for children under 16 years of age.



## Quick off the Mark

Growing up, he wanted to be an author or a football commentator. Growing cynical, Mark Watson soon realised it was quicker to write jokes than books, and commenting on life was more his bag than the big game. Apart from his trademark frantic wit, ramblings and emotional neediness, the Bristolian standup is probably best known for regular appearances on *Mock the Week* and *Radio 5 Live's Fighting Talk*. A comedian whose idea of a marriage proposal is signing off his notorious improvised 24 hour shows, Mark is an endearing, disheveled, fast-talking, skinny comic with low self-esteem. He picked his 2011 tour destinations by asking for fans' suggestions on his blog. Clearly Jersey was a safe bet on the circuit once he'd sieved out places like Gaza, allegedly posted by people seeking to trap and kill him...

Mark Watson - Request Stops tour

Friday 16th December, 8pm, £15

[www.jerseyoperahouse.co.uk](http://www.jerseyoperahouse.co.uk)

Tel: 511115

## Christmas Crooners

All your Christmas favourites wrapped up in one fantastic show! A tribute to Bing Crosby, Nat King Cole and Frank Sinatra, enjoy some swinging Christmas cheer with songs including *White Christmas*, *Deck the Halls* and *Silent Night*.

Wednesday 30th November

£16-£22 (Concessions £2 off)

Jersey Opera House

Tel: 511115

## turn over a new leaf

While we couldn't be without our iPads, we're still fans of proper page-turners here at Gallery, especially when they've been penned by local authors. Welcome to our new book corner.



Back in November last year, local writer Stefan Rossi started to jot down a few lines of a story. One year on, two books down and 163,000 words later, Stefan is now ploughing through the third part of his saga – The Personal Chaos Trilogy. It's a three part story involving psychology, murder, depression, black comedy, politics and even Ninjutsu which all blend together to form an unusual story line. The main protagonist is Arlington Schafer, a scheming private investigator who uses deception and manipulation in both his career and his private life. Stefan says: 'Through Arlington, I can attempt to explain my opinions on the world and the multitude of false social games one must play daily especially when living with a neurological disorder like Autism.'

Intrigued? Find out more about the misadventures of quirky autistic Arlington in the second book of Stefan Rossi's Personal Chaos Trilogy, 'Nurse You Back to Death'. It's gripping and there's even a murder... right here in Jersey.

Mix cocktails with your culture at the party to launch 'Nurse You Back to Death', it's being held at Blush, 7pm on November 18th. Tickets are £20 a head which includes a buffet, a copy of the book and a donation to the Teenage Cancer Trust.



'Booty-grinding for Beginners' proves a hit with the Full Monty cast

## The Full Monty

Fancy seeing something different at the Arts Centre this autumn? The Green Room Club have gamely stepped up to the bar and are bringing The Full Monty to life, full-frontals and all.

'It's been a challenge to get six guys not only to sing, dance and act, but also to the realization that they're going to take their clothes off in front of an audience' says director Ian de Gruchy, who along with choreographer Agnetta Nerac and musical director Tim Evans plans a rip-roaring foot-tapping musical version of the steelworkers-to-strip-pers story. 'It's a bit of a departure for the Green Room Club but at the end of the day, we're doing it for a bit of fun, and part of the proceeds will go to charity.' See it (all) for yourself.

The Full Monty,  
Jersey Arts Centre  
8pm, 2nd–12th November  
£15 adults, £13 concessions, £10 opening night only. Suitable for ages 16+  
Tel: 700444  
Photo: Christa Roberts

## Crafty Christmas

Struggling for gift ideas? Stock up on some unique art and craft creations from local artists and designers at the Genuine Jersey Christmas event at the Harbour Gallery. There'll be art and craft stalls, Christmas workshops, produce markets and lots of lovely home-made cakes from the Gallery Cafe. The event opens with a Thursday 'late-night shopping' party from 6.30-8.30pm with a dinner at the Gallery Cafe featuring local produce, live music and plenty of stalls selling everything from soaps to seaside art. Book your table now!

A Genuine Jersey Christmas  
The Harbour Gallery, St Aubin  
Thursday 24th - Sunday 27th November  
Free entry, for more info see  
[www.mnig.com/art](http://www.mnig.com/art)



## JERSEY OPERA HOUSE showing this month

The Met: Live in HD Screening  
**Satyagraha (Glass)**

Wed 23rd November (6pm)

"A profound and beautiful work of theatre", this visually extravagant opera tells the life of Ghandi. An encore screening, Richard Croft once again stars as the father of the Indian nation.  
£17.50 Concessions £15

## Puppetry of the Penis

Thurs 24th – Sat 26th  
November (8pm)

It's been a 'dickade' since two strapping Australian puppeteers started manipulating their genitals live on stage. The show is back, but this time in 3D, so they're bigger and better than ever!

£17.50-£19.50



NT Live Screening

## The Collaborators

Thurs 1st December (7pm)

If you enjoyed The Beach, Trainspotting and Shallow Grave, you're bound to like Director John Hodge's latest play. The Collaborators is another chance for islanders to benefit from productions screened live from London's National Theatre.

£12.50 Concessions £11



## Essence of Ireland

Fri 2nd & Sat 3rd December (8pm)

Everyone loves a good jig. Described as better than Riverdance, this latest gem from the Emerald Isle is a breathtaking combination of dance routines and toe-tapping music.

£14-£24

## Ed Byrne

Tues 6th & Wed 7th December (8pm)

Crowd Pleaser is his latest tour and he doesn't disappoint. Ed Byrne, crowned the master of observational comedy, incites "deafening cheers and foot stomping" from audiences whether he's grumbling about his cat, cake or religion.

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# Calling all artists

Tired of being a struggling artist? Catch one of the series of professional development workshops run by UK artist Trudie Stephenson, and you could find a array of new ways to turn your art into a living. Covering subjects such as setting up an exhibition to finding sponsorship and understanding copyright and IP, Trudie's workshops can give you a step in the right direction. Trudie Stephenson has more than 20 years' experience in the art world and is now one of the most respected names in the business. She's directed major international exhibitions as well as working directly with many well-known artists. We asked her what advice she'd give to artists looking to branch out.



## *How hard is it to start out in the art business?*

It can be difficult. There are so many galleries and sales outlets out there you need to pitch to the right outlet, and find the right level for your work as well.

## *What are the major challenges?*

With the recession, people want to buy things at lower prices and it's a challenge to set the right price level. If you go into the market with work that's priced too low, people don't think your art is worth it, and if you set it too high, people think you're overpriced. The key is to build up contacts, find the right people and network. Lots of people hide behind their work - they can be brilliant, but we don't know they're out there.

## *What opportunities are out there for creatives?*

Lots actually. Many galleries have online galleries as well as physical spaces which means you can market your work worldwide. But it's worth bearing in mind that the gallery's markup is 100%.

## *What advice would you give to artists*

Find out where you fit in the market. You can sell any piece of artwork as long as you find the right route and the right market, you just have to go through the right gallery or the right space. There are far more opportunities out there than just putting your pieces into the standard 'white cube' gallery space.

Thursday 24th - Friday 25th November, Jersey Arts Centre Workshops are two hours long, and there are limited places, so book now.

Course titles: Creating Activity and Income Streams for Artists, Funding and sponsorship, How to Sell Yourself, Understanding Copyright and IP. Course fee: £30

For more information email [info@arts.je](mailto:info@arts.je) or tel 617521

## Terry O'Neill Photography Exhibition launch, Liberty Wharf : 10/10/11



Artists and art lovers gathered for the champagne launch of a brand new photography exhibition which featured famous faces from stage and screen all captured by the lens of famous photographer Terry O'Neill. The industrial setting of the Liberty Wharf exhibition unit was a perfect setting for the striking, black and white images of 60s celebrities. Sponsored by Santander Private Banking, the exhibition was brought over by Rebecca Poynton Design. Rebecca said: 'Terry brought a bit of 60s soul to the party making it a great success. The room was buzzing and it was clearly an evening that was enjoyed by all - hopefully it'll be the first of many!'

## Just Jamie

If you haven't heard of Jamie Cullum, you really should have. One of the most gifted musicians of recent years, this small but perfectly formed pianist has time and again showcased his idiosyncratic style with both his own original music and quirky covers.

For evidence of this, one to YouTube is his marvellous mash up of Rihanna's Umbrella and classic tune Singin' in the Rain performed live at Music Matters 2009 - a combo he put together long before the cast of Glee and Gwyneth decided to give it a go.

The joy of Jamie is that he literally has music pumping through his veins - you can see this in the way he just can't stop himself from humming along, providing his own percussive beat and gently moving to the groove. His music ranges from the peaced out to the uplifting but in all of them you can really feel, cheesy though it is to say it, his genuine passion for what he does.

These days there is a range of popular music, it's true, with chart-tastic teens (Bieber anyone?), the mighty Beyoncé and unstoppable Rihanna, the ubiquitous Adele and the kinds of dulcet tones produced by Bruno Mars, Jason DeRulo et al. But if you're up for something a bit different, a bit unexpected and a bit more interesting then Mr Cullum is exactly what you're looking for.

As a result it's no surprise that tickets are selling speedily for his appearance on the island on 8th December at an event organized by Just Jersey. This is one of a series of concerts put on by Just Jersey which organises performances by exceptional artists at the Hotel de France to raise money for a broad range of charities while giving 'the discerning Jersey resident' an unparalleled evening's entertainment. The first Just Jersey event of this kind was a complete sell-out, so get in there now for Jamie Cullum's appearance on Jersey before all the places are snapped up.

**Jamie will be performing at Hotel de France on Thursday 8th December. Tickets start at £125 including drinks reception and three course dinner with wine. Visit [justjersey.com](http://justjersey.com) for more information and to book your tickets.**



## 10 things about Jamie Cullum that you might not know....

Married to model and food writer Sophie Dahl (the granddaughter of Roald). They were married in Westminster Abbey and have a daughter called Lyra.

Managed to produce his first album Jamie Cullum - Trio with only £48 of which 500 copies were made. Due to the rarity, originals have been going for as much as £600 on Ebay.

In April 2003 he signed a 3 album deal worth £1,000,000 with Universal who beat Sony in a bidding war.

At the end of 2003 he became the UK's biggest selling jazz artist of all time.

He has belonged to several bands; from banging drums in a hip hop group to playing guitar in rock bands such as Raw Sausage and The Mystery Machine.

Ben Cullum his older brother is his biggest musical influence and the two continue to collaborate extensively.

His paternal grandmother was a Jewish refugee from Prussia who sang in Berlin nightclubs.

His mother Yvonne is of Anglo-Burmese origin.

He enjoys beatboxing.

He has performed with many world class acts including Kylie Minogue, Sugababes, Will.i.am. and even Mr Burt Bacharach!



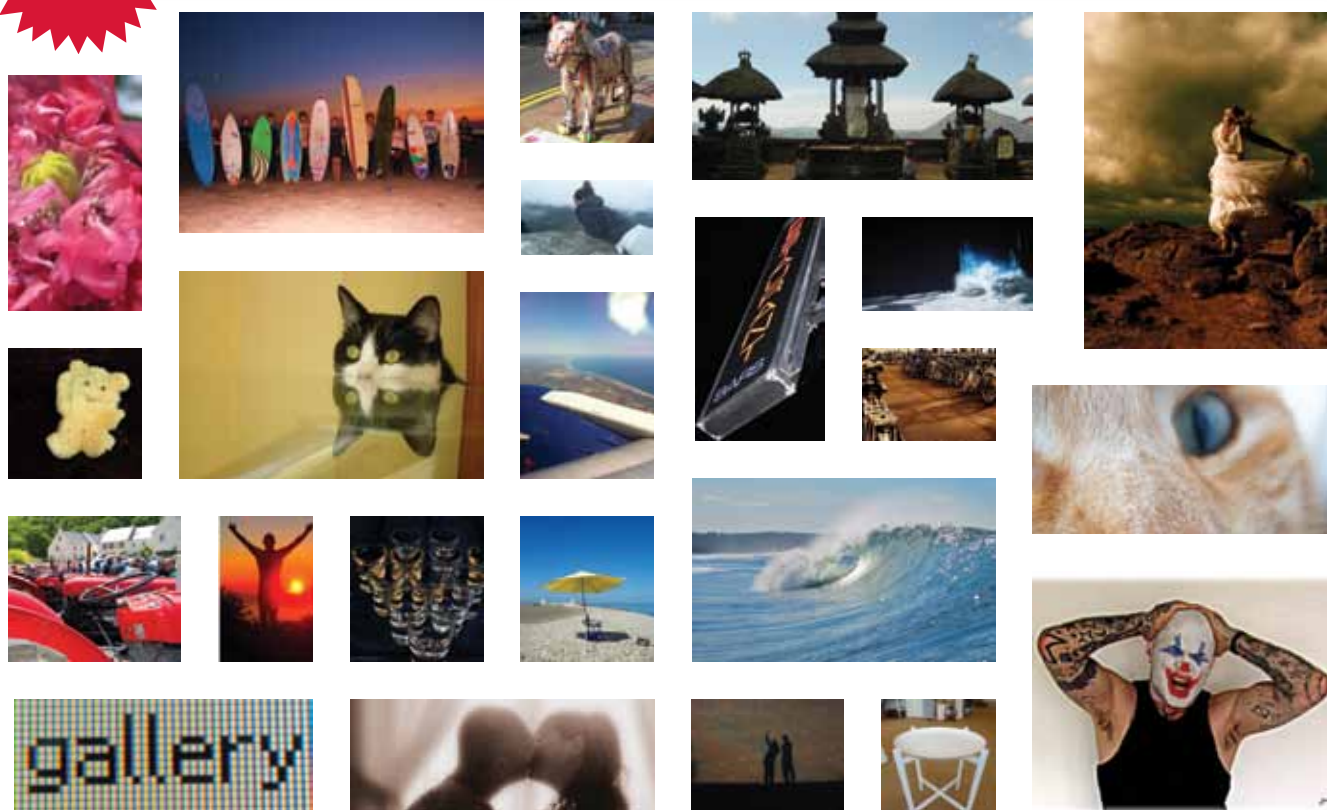
## The Monthly *Upload*

Want to win £100? All you have to do is email your entry with the subject 'upload' to: [upload@gallerymagazine.co.uk](mailto:upload@gallerymagazine.co.uk) before the deadline of 20th November, and you'll be in with a chance.

Make the files nice and big though, about 4MB is the right size to aim for as a guide. We print every photo but we can't get them ALL on the page full size unfortunately - they just wouldn't fit!



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Well done to all our uploaders who took this month's challenge on board and sent in lots of different perspectives of our 'End of the World' theme. Top prize goes to Jodie's gas masks on an acid-yellow backdrop. Next month our theme is 'Billionaire', we look forward to seeing what you come up with!



# PIRANHA 3DD

DIRECTOR: JOHNGULAGER  
WRITERS: MARCUS DUSTAN & PATRICK MELTON  
STARRING: DANIELLE PANABAKER, KATRINA BOWDEN, VING RHAMES

**A**s far as I'm concerned the primary objective of any film is to entertain. Sure I can appreciate the visual poetry of Terrence Malick or Lars von Trier but there are times when I just want to see sexy teens fall victim to hungry prehistoric fish.

For my money Piranha 3D was one of the most joyous film going experiences of 2010. Lifted above other remakes by inspired casting (Elizabeth Shue, Adam Scott, Christopher Lloyd), buckets of blood (Eli Roth's death is a high point) and inventive use of 3D (Kelly Brook's boobs and a decapitated penis) it is one of few films I've seen where the audience have actually been moved to cheer along with the action on screen. Whilst so many creature films promise much and deliver very little (Snakes On A Plane I'm looking at you) Piranha genuinely surpassed expectations. Can the sequel do the same?

Casting wise give the sequel a massive tick. The bloody events of the first film mean it's unrealistic to expect much of the cast to return but in terms of balancing high profile cameos with genuine comedic talents they have again gone for an interesting mix. On the one hand there's the likes of Katrina Bowden (30 Rock / Esquire's World's Sexiest Woman), Danielle Panabaker (The Crazies) and David Koechner (Anchorman, The Office) who you would expect to carry much of the plot. On the other hand there's the sheer insanity of the returning Christopher Lloyd, Gary Busey and David Hasselhoff playing

himself. Even more confusing is a return for Ving Rhames who definitely died in an extremely brutal manner in the first film. Resurrection, flashback or twin brother - I'm excited to find out.

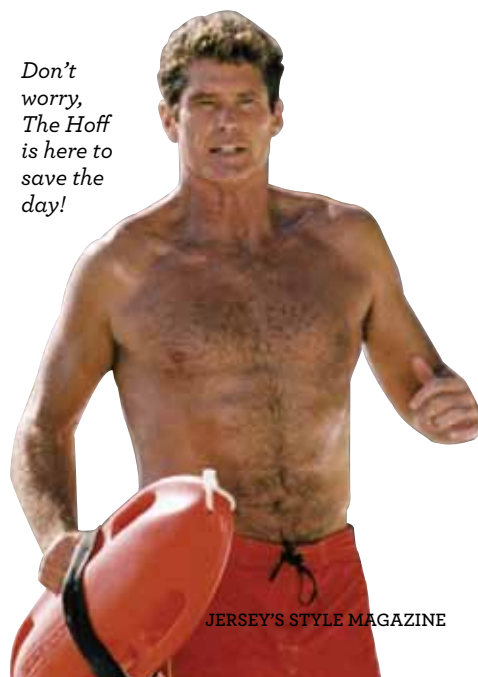
There's not much in the way of pre-released footage or information about the plot of the film. The producers know that the name (excellent pun that it is) is enough to sell the film. What has been announced is that this will follow on from the first film and take the action to a water-park. In my opinion this is a clever move. It keeps things fresh, has the required number of sexy teens crammed in a small place to keep the gore quotient high and provides a few more interesting set-ups to prevent piranhas tearing humans apart from getting boring.

It hasn't been long since Piranha 3D but even then there have been a huge number of imitators and competitors. From the likes of Mega Shark vs. Giant Piranha coming up with great names and failing to match the content and last month's Shark Night 3D (What's a Shark Night?) these films have rarely managed to capture the anarchic spirit which made this remake so much fun. Don't let the bad imitations grind you down. The big daddy of 3D water dwelling creature horror remakes is back and he's brought Gary Busey with him.

The fine people at the 2011 Teen Choice Awards have included Piranha 3DD amongst their nominations for Best Horror Film without even seeing it. If such a renowned institution has that much faith shouldn't you?

“one of few films I've seen where the audience have actually been moved to cheer along with the action on screen”

Don't worry, The Hoff is here to save the day!

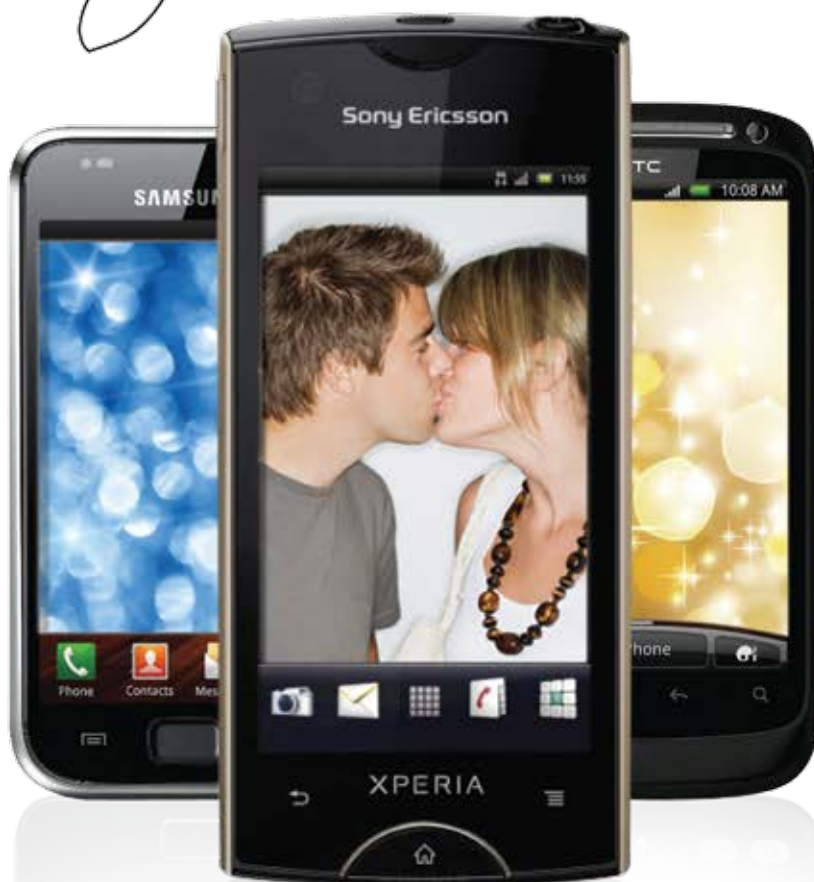
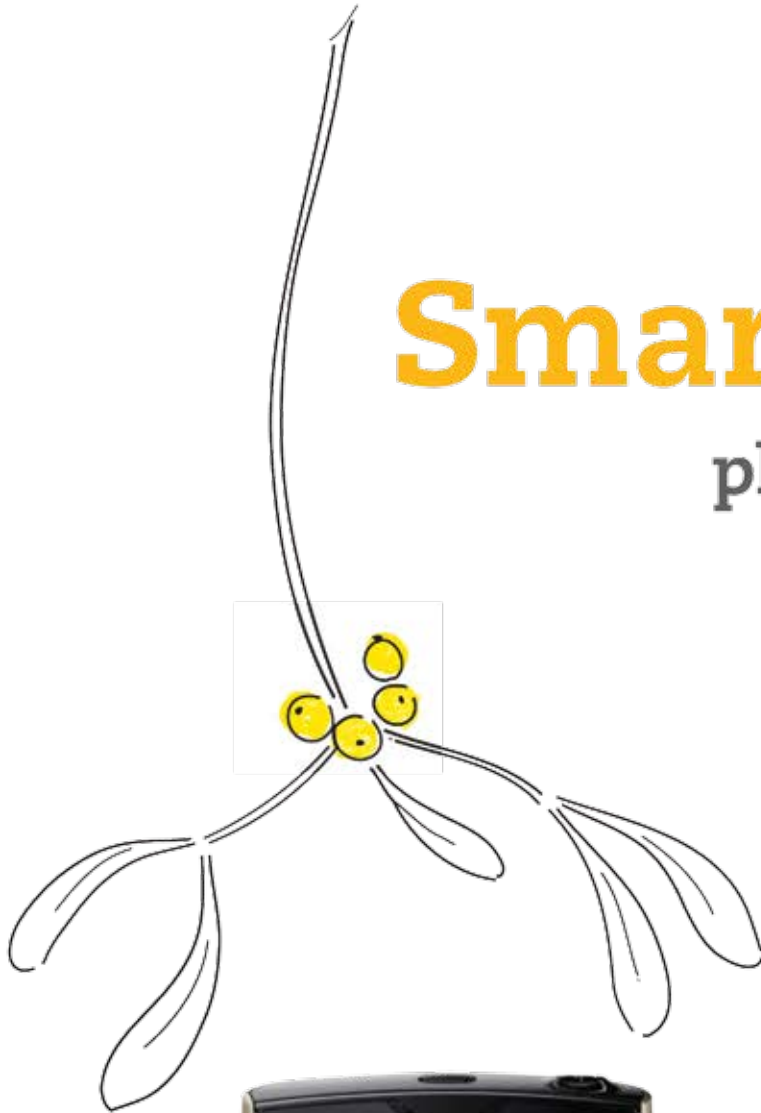


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### Also Show...

#### Moneyball

If you're going to see one film based on a book about the importance of statistics in baseball this year then it should be this one. It might be baffling to some that a film based on this kind of source material should attach Brad Pitt, a script from Aaron Sorkin and Bennett Miller (Capote) in the Director's chair. I can assure you that these people have not read the book. This is the underdog story of Billy Beane and the Oakland A's - A team who overcame their financial disadvantage by going against every preconceived notion and old adage and reinventing the rules of how to put a baseball team together using cold hard facts.

#### Tower Heist

I've spent much of my time in this column criticising Eddie Murphy whilst still insisting that I'm actually a big fan of his. With the release of this month's Tower Heist I think my tough love approach has finally worked. There's no fat suits, no pandering to kids and no racially insensitive multiple performances. Instead this story of unlucky workers who team up with a noted crook to rob the rich businessman who ripped them off in a Ponzi scheme harkens back to the tone of the 80s action comedy classics that made Murphy an international star. Director Brett Ratner probably has a record as spotty as Murphy's (Well not quite) but if he can recapture the fun of his early hit Rush Hour we could be in for a real treat.

#### In Time

New Zealand born writer-director Andrew Nicol isn't the most prolific filmmaker but when he does get to work the results tend to be intelligent and entertaining. As well as writing and directing Gattaca and the underrated Lord of War, Nicol was also responsible for the script for The Truman Show. The plot revolves around a future world where people stop ageing when they're 25 and must work in order to buy more time. Justin Timberlake is the main protagonist a man framed for a murder and pursued by corrupt authorities as he attempts to give time back to the masses and wrestle control from those who control them.

#### Twilight: Breaking Dawn

**SPOILER ALERT!** - My girlfriend informs me that at some point in this film a werewolf falls in love with a half-human half-vampire baby. Is it weird that this makes me want to see the film more?

## Film for thought

Social conscience? Make a date for the 7th Jersey Amnesty International Human Rights Festival and their inspirational series of some of the world's best award-winning documentary films. Throughout the week, speakers and discussion panels will feature after film screenings. Keep an eye on [jerseyhumanrightsfestival.org](http://jerseyhumanrightsfestival.org) to see who they've got in store.



#### Mon 14th, 8pm, *Life, Above All* (Oliver Schmitz)

Based on the award-winning novel Chanda's Secrets this deeply affecting drama captures the enduring strength of loyalty and courage.



#### Tues 15th, 8pm, *Budrus* (Julia Bacha)

Thought-provoking documentary about a Palestinian who unites the community in an unarmed movement to save his village from destruction.



#### Thurs 17th, 8pm, *The Day My God Died* (Andrew Levine)

Filmed in Nepal and India, this documentary presents the stories of young girls whose lives have been shattered by the child sex slave trade.



#### Fri 18th, 8pm, *Last Train Home* (Lixin Fan)

The poignant story of a factory-working Chinese couple's annual journey home to see their children, left behind in their rural village.



#### Sat 19th, 2pm *In This World* (Michael Winterbottom)

This award-winning film tells the story of two young Afghan refugees who undertake a dangerous and illegal journey in the hope of finding a better life in London.



#### Sat 19th, 5pm *Man Push Cart* (Ramin Bahrani)

Early every morning, Ahmad, a Pakistani immigrant pushes his coffee and bagel cart through the streets of New York until a chance encounter seems to promise a better future.

## Don't have the time to see them all?

You're busy. We know the score. But if you've got a couple of evenings free, book yourselves in to see these two films - Gallery predicts they'll be the festival highlights. Tickets cost £6 (£5 for students and £5.10 for JAC members), and you can watch trailers and get more information on all the film screenings at [jerseyhumanrightsfestival.org](http://jerseyhumanrightsfestival.org).



#### Wed 16th, 8pm *Incendies* (Denis Villeneuve)

A powerful and moving tale of two young adults' voyage to the core of deep-rooted hatred, this award winning film is based on Wajdi Mouawad's acclaimed play, 'Incendies'.



#### Sat 19th, 8pm *Sin Nombre* (Cary Joji Fukunaga)

An unflinching tale of gang warfare, loyalty and redemption from this film which won the directing award at the 2009 Sundance Film Festival.

*FASHION*



# Brand new

A guide to what's new in Jersey this winter



## Coming up from down under

As seen on Jessica Alba, Megan Fox and Audrina Patridge the celebrity favourite boot brand, Australia Luxe, is now available in Jersey at Eclectic in Liberty Wharf. These high fashion statement boots are also wonderfully comfortable and will keep your tootsies as snug as a bug in a rug this winter.

Now in store at Eclectic.

## Children's Classics

Voisins has some fantastic new brands of children's wear in this season. We melted when we saw the Barbour range for kid and the new Paul Smith and Hugo Boss kids collections are hip and fun for the little trendsetter in your life.

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## New Brand Alert!

Although new to de Gruchy, the Hauber Fashion Brand has long endured, dating back as far as 1870. Current Hauber fashion is versatile with a perfect sophisticated edge. Mix-and-match top quality jackets, pull-overs, blouses, skirts and trousers, in up to the minute colours, which all perfectly coordinate together. Seeing the new Hauber collection is like looking at how a capsule wardrobe should be!

Available at deGruchy



## Covered in luxury

The basic idea behind the up and coming Danish brand Soaked In Luxury's autumn collection is 'to give women a feeling of being well-dressed anywhere any time. It's all about feeling comfortable and feminine' explains their Design Manager, Eva-Maria Johansson.

The colour palette of the A/W collection reflects where the international fashion scene is heading; the basis consists especially of black, grey and midnight blue shades that can be combined for a sophisticated, cool business look, while deep, berry red shades and dusty pink give a feminine contrast without becoming too girly. This is what we have been looking for and Soaked In Luxury is delivering it.

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## Stocking fillers

When we popped into Adorne last month we were shocked and delighted to see that Aubade's latest lingerie collection has hit the nail right on the head. They've managed to achieve just the right amount of glamorous and feminine, yet incredibly sexy!

We also loved Adorne's fabulous selection of gorgeous negligees, with sweet little pink numbers by Verde Veronica and stunning delicate laces

ones by the Cotton Club. There is something for everyone to look beautiful in as they get their beauty sleep! All you need to do is strategically leave this out so that your partner, or Santa, will know exactly what you'd like this year (a casual post-it with your bra and knicker size wouldn't go amiss either!)

All available from Adorne.

## Bold is Beautiful

With all the sleek dark colours about this winter, jewellery is going to be a great way to inject some colour into your ensembles. These vibrant hinged bangles come in four delicious colours and are one of many bangle designs now in stock on the fashion jewellery counter up at Jersey Goldsmiths. A perfect accessory to your autumn and winter wardrobe.

£39.38 each from Jersey Goldsmiths at The Lion Park.



## Hot off the press!

One jewellery brand has got it so right this season.

The latest romantic, mysterious and wonderfully dark collection by Norwegian designer, Bjorg has the ideal mix of pretty and edgy which is what we've been seeing on and off the catwalks this winter.



The beautifully crafted pieces are playful and oh-so-cool. Bjorg combines traditional craftsmanship and folklore with more modern and urban concepts. Secret words and messages can be found as cut out letters, embossed types and engraved poetry create a magical collection that tells stories from the past and of the future. It's also nice that many of the pieces in the collection work as unisex pieces.

Bjorg will be available in Rivoli from mid-November.



## Totes darling!

Easy to wear, practical and on trend! We thought it would never happen. However this season's 'it bag' is the simple black tote. You can wear it over your shoulder for when you've got your hands full or hooped over your arm for easy access to your purse when shopping. These lovely examples are all medium size so there is enough room to fill them with all your essentials but they won't break your back.

Michael Kors Hamilton Tote, Voisins, £270.00

All Saints Bay Tote, Voisins, £250.00

Mulberry Tillie Tote, £805.50

## Trend Setter of the month

Florence Welch (the one with a machine) just keeps going from strength to strength in the fashion stakes. It's good to see a British girl doing well, especially now that Alexa Chung seems to have hung up her (probably Philip Treacy) hat.



We were impressed when Gucci were falling over themselves to design her wardrobe for her summer tour, however her highest accolade to date was closing the recent fantastic Chanel show at Paris Fashion Week by leading Karl Lagerfeld on the catwalk!





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4. LAURA WEARS: Jeans, Roxy, **SDS Womens**, £69.99 \* Knitted Pink Hat, Roxy, **SDS Womens**, £17.99 \* Knitted Pink Mittens, Roxy, **SDS Womens**, £16.99 \* White Sunglasses, Oakley, **Earth Wind Water**, £77.00 \* Aztec Grey Hoodie, Roxy, **SDS Womens**, £94.99 \* Navy Blue Scarf, Lightning Bolt, **Little Joe's**, £24.99 \* Shoes Ariani, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £175.00



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5. JOE WEARS: Denim Jeans, Ben Sherman, **Jeff's**, £49.99 \* Trapper Hat, Ben Sherman, **Jeff's**, £37.99 \* Plaid Green Shirt, Quiksilver, **SDS Mens**, £69.99 \* Grey Super Soft Tee, Lightning Bolt, **Little Joe's**, £25.50 \* Green Bomber Jacket, Quiksilver, **SDS Mens**, £149.99 \* Brown Leather Boots Stoneman, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £189.00

7. JOE WEARS: Blue Salopettes, Bonfire, **Earth Wind Water**, £114.95 \* Blue/White Checked Ski Jacket, O'Neill, **Earth Wind Water**, £142.95 \* Tee Shirt Brandman, Oakley, **Earth Wind Water**, £19.95 \* Checkered Blue Shirt, Alpine Stars, **Earth Wind Water**, £41.95 \* Black Boots Beacon, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £175.00 \* Black Sunglasses, Oakley, **Earth Wind Water**, £84.00 \* Beanie, Pull-in, **Little Joe's**, £22.50

6. JOE WEARS: Perfect Faded/Worn Looking Blue Jeans, Wrangler, **Jeff's**, £49.99 \* Knitted Jumper Grey And Black With Toggle Detail On High Neck, Lightning Bolt, **Little Joe's**, £80.00 \* Grey Super Soft T-Shirt With Lightning Bolt Logo on chest, Lightning Bolt, **Little Joe's**, £25.00 \* Guys Black Boots, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £175.00

8. JOE WEARS: Fur Hat, Roxy, **SDS Womens**, £31.50 \* Jumper, Weird Fish, **Jeff's**, £62.99 \* Hooded Gilet, Quiksilver, **SDS Mens**, £84.99 \* Scarf, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £55.00 \* Sunglasses Black Oakley, **Earth Wind Water**, £121.50 \* Brown Gloves, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £85.00 \* Jeans, DCD, **SDS Mens**, £54.99 \* Belt, Lightning Bolt, **Little Joe's**, £30.00 \* Boots Rockville, UGG Australia, **Little Joe's**, £200





# A Renaissance

**W**e nipped into the new and very beautiful Renaissance fashion store to take a look at their exquisite shop fit and find out more from the girls in the know about what brands are going to be big this season.

Lesley Wickings, shop owner, said: 'The reason we have moved is basically to have everything under one roof; this is a huge step up for us. It feels like this is something I have been working to achieve all my life. To have two shops in one building as lovely as this is a dream. Everything is new and special, there is a great atmosphere. To be able to give people the time and our years of experience in such a perfect setting is ideal. The old and new work so well together, we're bringing something different to Jersey and our valued customers.'

## 1. Svetlana | Assistant Manageress

**Mini Brigitte Dress, Alice by Temperley, £219**

'I love it because it's young, cheeky and lots of fun! Alice by Temperley always does really well with us, their little feminine dresses are really covetable and this new collection has plenty of new innovative designs.'

## 2. Angela | Part Time Assistant

**Black Dress With Gold Zips, Moschino Cheap And Chic, £699**

'This is my favourite brand, I love every single thing they do, for every collection. Every season I buy the whole collection! This dress is very up to the minute high fashion. It can easily take you from day to night. Moschino Cheap and Chic do great unusual pieces which I can't get enough of!'

## 3. Liz | Part Time Assistant

**Black Pencil Skirt, Philosophy, £365**

'This season pencil skirts are so in; they're feminine, sexy and the height of fashion. Philosophy clothing has the most amazing cut, their pieces are just so flattering.'

## 4. Bex | Manager

**Bronze Dress, La Petite Salope, £525**

'This dress is great, I picked it out the moment it arrived in store. La Petite Salope is a new collection for us. It's bang on trend with an asymmetric fitted look that has been on all the catwalks this season.'

## 5. Lesley | Shop Owner (& Queen Bee)

**Animal Pointelle Dress, Temperley London, £499**

'Every print this brand makes is just fabulous. I love the fact Alice Temperley is a great British designer and her collections just keep getting better and better!'



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# StyleStalker

words | **Anne Winter**



**Gabby. 17, Student**

'I am really inspired by the equestrian-esque trends at the moment.'

*Style Stalker: This trend is big at the moment, a quilted jacket and tight trousers look perfect with her black boots from the Shoe Studio. We are also loving the classic Wayfarer Ray Bans.*



**Laura. 23, Beauty Therapist**

'I'm dressed for winter but wanted to add some autumnal colours so I added fur, sage green and leopard print.'

*Style Stalker: The scarf could not be more on trend and we love the accents of colour here and there making it a perfect season-interchaining outfit.*



**Darren. 24, Assistant Manager**

'The brand G-Star keep putting really good outfits together, and they are really influencing my style at the moment.'

*Style Stalker: A excellently dressed male in our opinion. The colours work well together along with the trousers rolled up at the ankles, ensuring he is stepping ahead in the latest trends.*



**Cherish. 21, Brand Manager**

'Oh this? It's my rolled-out-of-bed look!'

*Style Stalker: Love the clash of prints from the scarf, dress and tights. The Wolford dotty tights make a real change from plain black any day!*



**Kevin. 33, Manager**

'I really wanted to wear my white shoes today, so I thought I would dress from the feet up.'

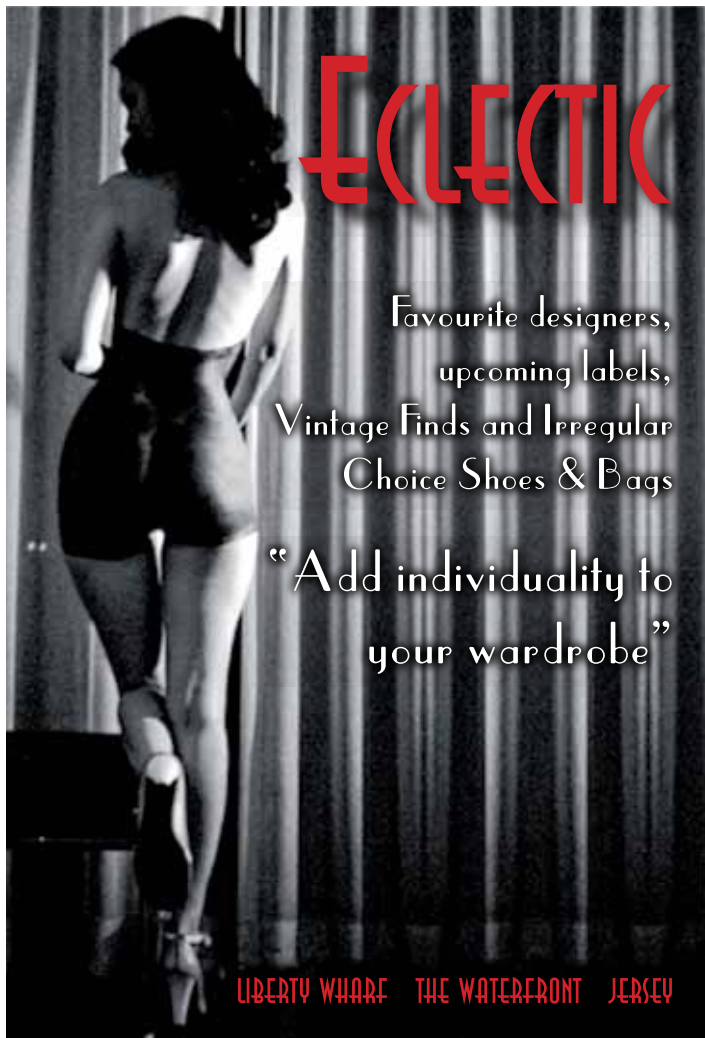
*Style Stalker: A simple casual look with a twist (there is a orange trim to his shirt which matches the soles of his shoes).*



**Struan. 16, Student**

'I saw this Barbour in Edinburgh and knew they were on trend so bought it.'

*Style Stalker: Guys that actually follow trends are what we like to see. This Barbour jacket takes the look from office chic to perfect street style.*



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This month we met with the creative force behind Aurum's latest collection, as well as finding out where the up and comers get their inspiration from and we've also included a helpful guide from Monica Vinader on precious stone meanings.



We popped upstairs at Aurum to see their fantastic traditional jewellery workshop and meet the talent behind their latest bespoke handmade collection 'Glamour'.

## Alexa Blampied

*Jewellery designer at Aurum of Jersey*

*How many collections have you created for Aurum?*

The Glamour Collection is the 7th annual collection, inspired by the shapes, colours and dynamism of the Art Deco period and the golden age of Hollywood glamour.

*Favourite pieces?*

**'Sheherazade'**, a marquise diamond pendant employing a typical Art Deco sunburst motif.

**'Gatsby'**, a pair of cinnamon brilliant cut diamonds set as drop earrings.

**'Ava'**, pendant featuring stunning boulder opal centre with wrap over diamond setting.

**'City'**, a vibrant pink tourmaline and diamond ring inspired by Manhattan skyscrapers

**'Le Ritz'**, earrings with sparkling scattered natural coloured brilliant cut diamonds.

**'Seeker of the Sun'** cuff set with brilliant cut white diamonds in water drop inspired motifs.

*What 6 words sum up your influences for this collection?*

My choices each represent one of six main influences I worked on in this collection. Therefore my key words are: Ballets Russes, Jazz, Icon, Metropolis, Parisienne, and Biarritz.

*Fantasy model for piece of jewellery?*

Modern icon Kate Middleton, the Duchess of Cambridge, wearing the Icon-inspired pendant 'Ava' at a gala event. Its crossover styling perfectly fits her 'classic with a modern twist' look.

The Glamour collection has pieces starting from £2,800. However Aurum also really do have something for everybody, you can pick up a brilliant Christmas present such as mother of pearl earrings from £30, all wrapped up in the covetable Aurum packaging, so it is well worth popping in and chatting to one of their staff who will show you all the items they have to suit your budget.

## Know about the rocks that you've got...

When you're buying a piece of jewellery it can be great to give your chosen piece more meaning by understanding the potential powers of different stones. Whether you take it all with a pinch of salt, or love to believe in the magic your jewellery holds, it's nice to know what all the pretty colours mean. So here we have a Monica Vinader guide to the semi precious and precious stones she uses in her jewellery that is available from Thaddeus Jewellers.



**Cornflower Chalcedony** - Used during the renaissance as a magic amulet to promote health and safety.



**Amethyst** - A stone of spirituality, will bestow the wearer with clarity and purity of mind.



**Rose Quartz** - Known as the 'lovestone' this will bring gentleness, forgiveness, compassion, kindness and tolerance.



**Smoky Quartz** - Can induce deep meditation, this stone represents relaxation and lovingness.



**Black Onyx** - Used to fortify self confidence and responsibility.



**Moonstone** - This can bring good emotions to the user and is a great protection stone.



**Green Gold Quartz** - Can encourage positive thinking and protect from depression.



**Labradorite** - Symbolises the moon and the sun and is auspicious at times of new beginnings.



**Carnelian** - It's belived to protect the wearer from negative emotions.



## Winner!

To celebrate their 25th anniversary Jersey Goldsmiths threw a brilliant party, and one of the highlights of the night was when Julia Williams, the Manager Director, surprised Naomi Du Feu, a Foundation Studies in Art and Design at the Arts University College Bournemouth, by proclaiming her as the winner of their 'design a piece of jewellery competition'. They then presented a thrilled Naomi with the actual bracelet she had designed, that they had secretly created as a one off piece especially for her! We caught up with Naomi to find out more about her winning design:

### 1) What was your main inspiration for the jewellery?

The inspiration started with the Jersey coastline, and developed into simple wave shapes. I had taken some photos on a stormy day at St Ouen's beach and I liked the way they gave a different representation of Jersey rather than just the usual peaceful shore lines. I really wanted to represent the beauty of the storm. So once I'd chosen the final design I had to re-adapt it slightly to try and bring in more of the roughness of the storm.

### 2) Had you designed lots of jewellery before, or even made some?

I had never designed or even created jewellery before this experience unless beading friendship bracelets from when I was nine counts! It was just something I sort of threw myself into unknowingly and I ended up very much enjoying the whole process.

### 3) Did you run your ideas past friends and family?

I hadn't run any of the designs past anyone as I was very involved in what I was doing and sort of kept it to myself. The only person who saw parts of the designs and probably the most important parts were my mum and dad. They were very proud of my designs and had a lot of faith in me.

### 4) How did you feel when you saw the jewellery?

I was absolutely stunned when I first saw the piece. I felt as though it was perfectly produced with an exact likeness of how I had imagined it! The Jersey Goldsmiths team are incredibly skillful.

### 5) Are you going to do any more jewellery designing?

I did really enjoy the experience. I would definitely like to carry it on. I would like to try and incorporate it into a few of my projects for the coming school year and to see how it goes.

(Naomi is pictured on the night wearing the bracelet she designed!)



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# after the battle

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Photography & Styling: Danny Evans

Styling Assistant: Emma Long

Model: Georgie

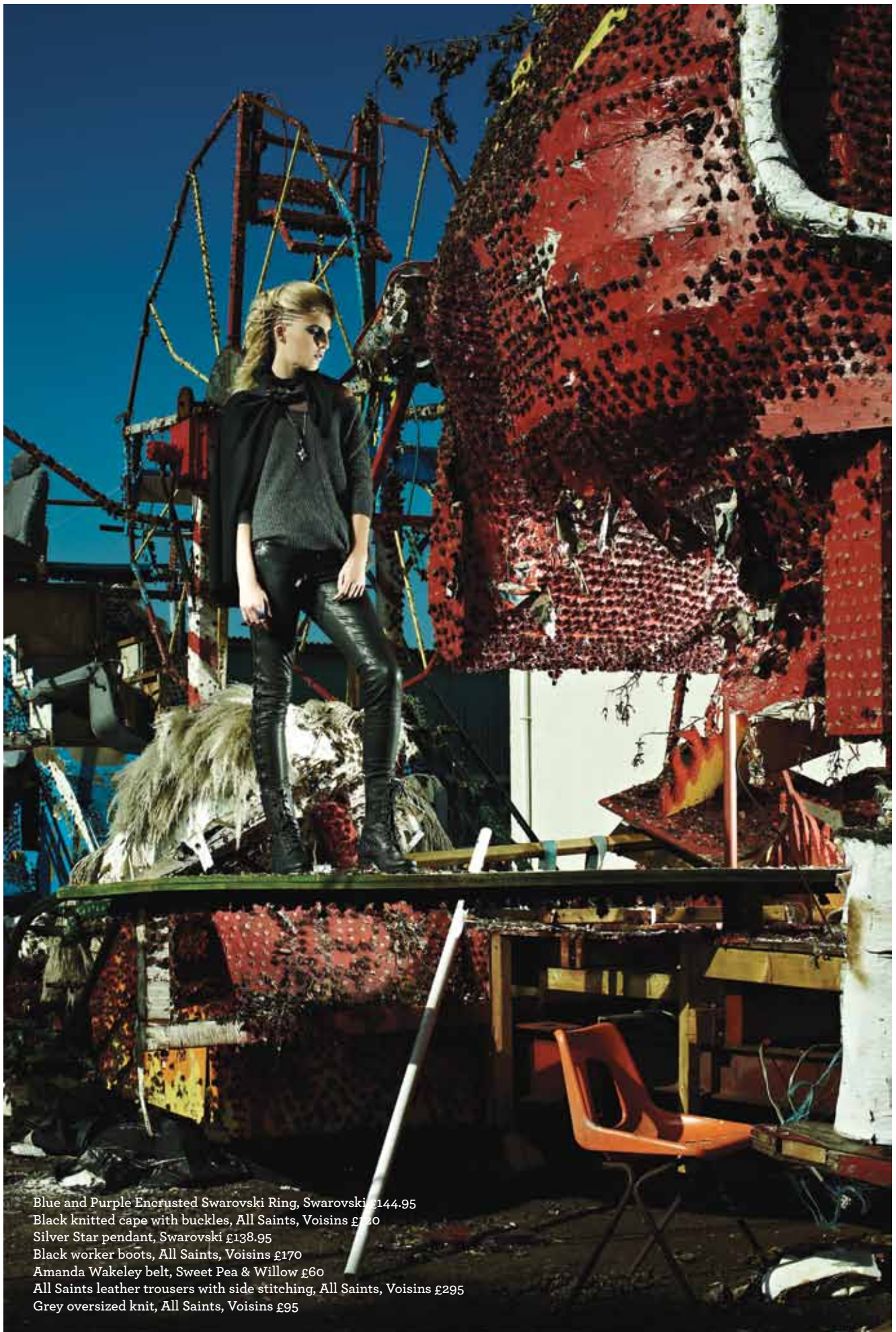
Hair: Sophie-Lea at Hatleys

Assistant Hair: & Imogen at Hatleys

Make Up: Chantal Quiniou using M.A.C

With thanks to the Jersey Young Farmers Club





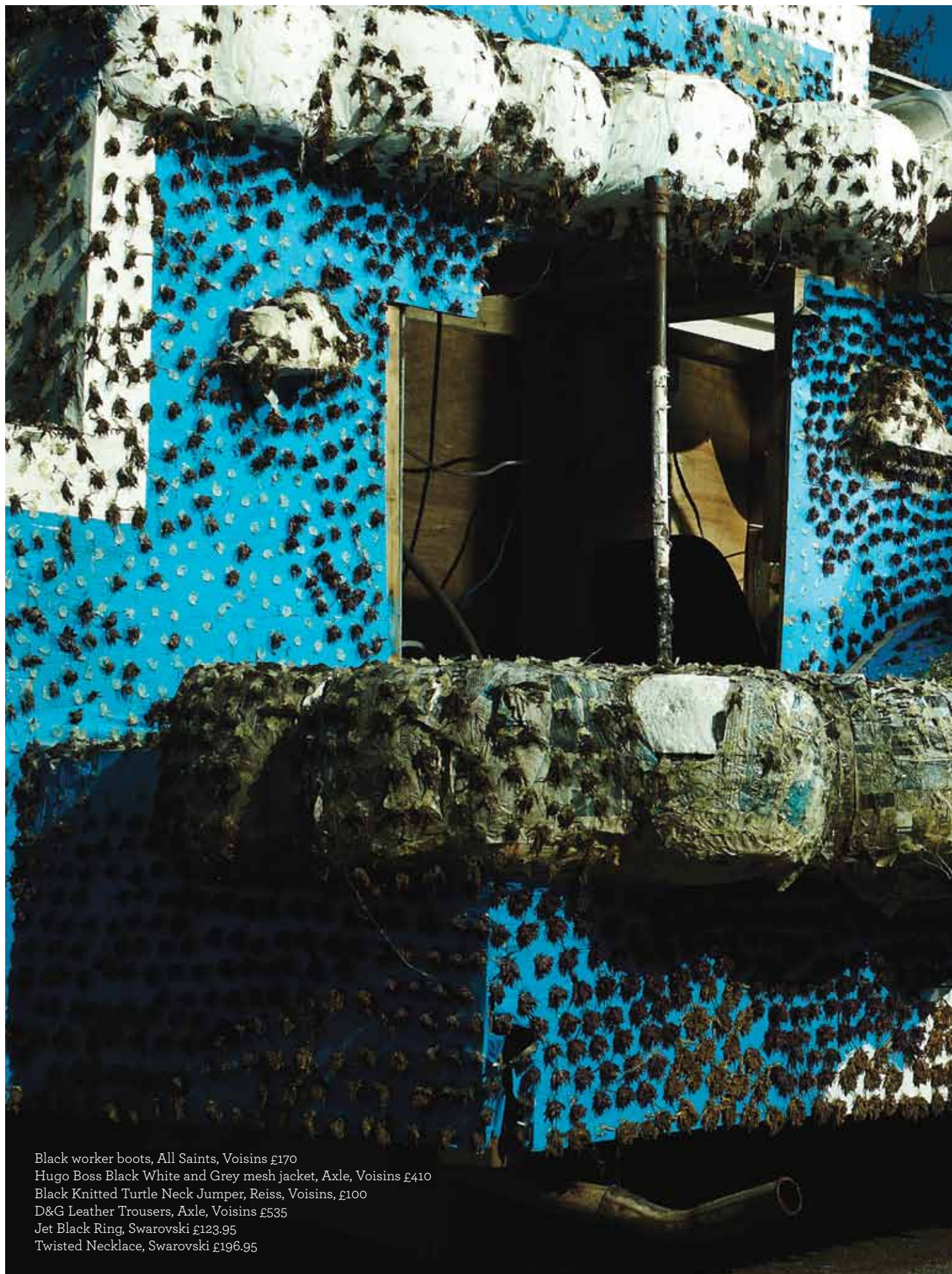
Blue and Purple Encrusted Swarovski Ring, Swarovski £144.95  
Black knitted cape with buckles, All Saints, Voisins £120  
Silver Star pendant, Swarovski £138.95  
Black worker boots, All Saints, Voisins £170  
Amanda Wakeley belt, Sweet Pea & Willow £60  
All Saints leather trousers with side stitching, All Saints, Voisins £295  
Grey oversized knit, All Saints, Voisins £95





Leather Trousers, Marc Cain £839  
 DTLM Grey Cardigan, Marc Cain £285  
 Miss KG Daisy Shoes, Voisins £75  
 Philosophy Wrap, Marc Cain £175  
 Jet Black Ring, Swarovski £123.95  
 Twisted Necklace, Swarovski £196.95





Black worker boots, All Saints, Voisins £170  
Hugo Boss Black White and Grey mesh jacket, Axle, Voisins £410  
Black Knitted Turtle Neck Jumper, Reiss, Voisins, £100  
D&G Leather Trousers, Axle, Voisins £535  
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Gestuz Black Leather Trousers, Roulette £159  
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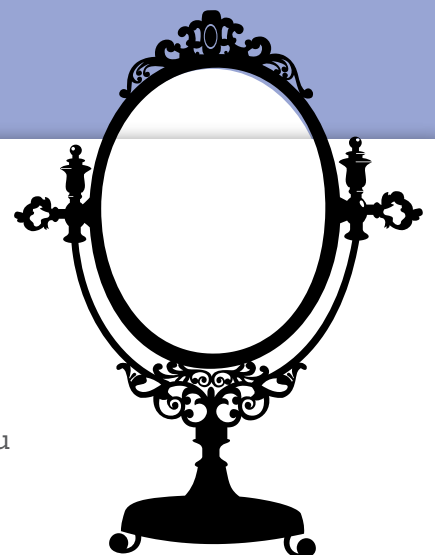
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## Streets ahead

*What's going to be big with hair this winter?*

Tania Moyse of Avalon Hair & Beauty was honoured to be chosen as the only representative from the UK to attend the Sassoon launch in Germany of their 2011 Autumn/Winter collection 'Minimum'.

Tania was amongst six other European hairdressing experts from selected countries, where she was asked to re-create a style from the new collection.

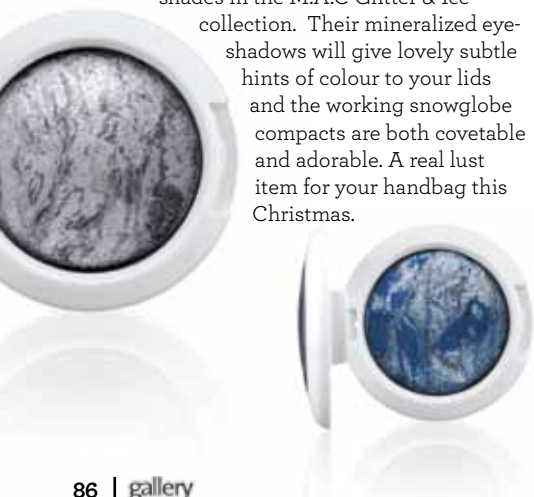
The looks in this collection show the breadth of the creative process, presenting the possibility of the techniques and how they are translated through different textures and lengths. A perfect pitch has been struck between simplicity and artistry with 'Minimum'.

As in all collections, the purpose is not just to colour hair, it's colouring shape through tone and contrast in the same way the colour-field painters gave minimalism a bolder geometry.

## Winter Wonderland

*New M.A.C collection exclusively at Voisins*

You can glide by all the other girls this winter with the new showstopping frosty shades in the M.A.C Glitter & Ice collection. Their mineralized eye-shadows will give lovely subtle hints of colour to your lids and the working snowglobe compacts are both covetable and adorable. A real lust item for your handbag this Christmas.



## I Hate Perfume

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His scents have fabulous names such as Beautiful Laundrette, Soaked Earth, North Atlantic and Old Leather. It is as much fun buying them as it is wearing them. Hours could go by as you test each one out getting lost in Christopher's wild and wonderful world of smells.

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## Plantcription

*Origins anti-aging eye treatment*

Is it time to take on your wrinkles? Apparently Kate Moss started using anti-aging products at 21, so there doesn't seem to be anything wrong with getting a head start in the battle against lines. Your eyes will be the first place to get wrinkles so this is a good place to start the war.

The new Origins stand in Voisins has been seeing their Plantcription anti-aging eye treatment flying off the shelves. Maybe it's all the squinting we've been doing in the summer sun? This healing cream will help minimise crow's feet, under eye cross hatching, crepey lids and sagginess.

Available from Voisins.

## Up, up, up and away!



*The Japanese Cosmo Lifting facial at Venus & Vero Health and Wellbeing will tighten your skin up and banish wrinkles away.*

We popped to the lovely Venus & Vero Clinic in the Lido Medical Centre to test out this new wild and wonderful treatment which we've been hearing so much about in the British media.

It uses the Sorensensistem created by Lone Sorensen who has been developing facial reflexology and face lifting techniques for over 25 years. The treatment was actually voted number one holistic facelift massage in the Natural Health Magazine. So we needed to see if it would get the Gallery Magazine top rating too!

Pegged as a natural, non-surgical, face-lifting treatment it works on the muscle tone and underlying tissue to help fight the effects of aging. During the facial 24 neuro-vascular points are stimulated which helps to trigger the release of endorphins and serotonin.

Not only did it feel incredible as my lovely therapist massaged all the different parts of my face, but her technique encouraged the oxygenation of my skin tissues to stimulate my production of collagen and elastin which are vital ingredients to younger looking, plumper skin.

During the treatment the therapist used an organic white clay face mask, 100% pure rose mosqueta oil (which smells divine) and natural salt balls which contain lots of skin boosting minerals. Afterwards I was instructed to drink lots of water to aid the elimination of toxins and handed a mirror to survey the effects of the treatment for myself; and I was genuinely impressed, the little lines around my mouth which always catch my eye normally had been wiped away. I moved my mouth about to try and get them back but they had actually gone! And my crow's feet had been downgraded to gentle smile lines.

As the effects of one treatment will last a few days this is perfect for special occasions. However for longer lasting results you need to book in for a course, which is currently on offer as three for two! You can also get two treatments for the price of one via JT's Love Wednesday campaign - simply text 'love' to shortcode 241, for more details visit [www.lovedwednesdays.com](http://www.lovedwednesdays.com) or call Venus & Vero Health and Wellbeing on 767331. One session is £65.00

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# Celeb led

Oh to be a part of the glitzy and out-of-this-world fabulousness that surrounds the 'chosen ones' in Celebville. We constantly wonder what the magical ingredients are that actually go into making the gorgeous people look incredible. Sure it helps with their bottomless bank accounts and harem of people buzzing around them to follow their bidding, but every so often a big mouth makeup artist or a close confidant will let slip what the actual products are that certain celebs can't live without (and not the ones they are paid to endorse)!

## Product of the month



**Mama Mio, O Mega Body Cream, As used by Sienna Miller**

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**Zoya, Carmen Nail Varnish, As used by Emma Watson**

A classic pillar box red nail polish. Sophisticated and just a little bit sexy! **[£11.00]**



**St Tropez, Shimmer Stick, As used by Rihanna**

This luxury body shimmer is ideal for enhancing your fake, or real tan. Also great for running along your collarbones and shins to make you look slimmer. **[£15.32]**



**Sanctuary, Revive Energy-Zing Shower Drench, As used by Billie and Sam Faires**

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## Who nose best?

*Everyone loves getting perfume at Christmas, so we popped into the Feelunique beauty emporium in town to find out what are the favourite scents of the girls in the know.*

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'I love this perfume, it is very different. It really stands out to me, I find it very sensual. I've also noticed that a lot of people comment on it when I wear it! It's a sort of floral oriental fragrance; perfect for winter evenings.'

Hayley Bisson, Assistant Manager

Nasmatto, Silver Musk **[£85, 30ml]**  
'This has such a unique smell. It's fresh, like clean sheets! It's great that not many people have it, so that makes it very special. It's unisex and also a pure perfume so it will last all day.'

Rebecca Phillips, Beauty Consultant

Caroline Herrera, 212 VIP **[£32.20, 50ml]**

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**T**he Jersey Cow Company launched in August 2010 and achieved incredible success and exceptional growth in the first twelve months, in fact demand was so overwhelming that it soon became apparent that the original branding based on the Jersey Cow was a little too restrictive and thus it was back to the drawing board....

When the local founders of The Jersey Cow Company decided to re-brand for their luxury bath and body product range the husband-and-wife team turned to Jersey's marine surroundings for inspiration; the beaches they love and the sea air that feeds the local produce used in their pure natural products and so Seascape – Island Apothecary was born.

With fragrant lavender from the Lavender Farm at St Brelade, extracts of locally grown herbs, rich and creamy milk from Jersey Dairy and Jersey honey and beeswax sourced from an apiary above Longueville Manor's wild flower meadows, Seascape's products are full of the best of Jersey. Each product in the Seascape range features its own unique hand-blended infusion of natural essential oils, and they're all paraben, silicone, petroleum and SLS free with no synthetic fragrances or artificial colours. It's no wonder the glossies are going mad for the brand's natural luxury.

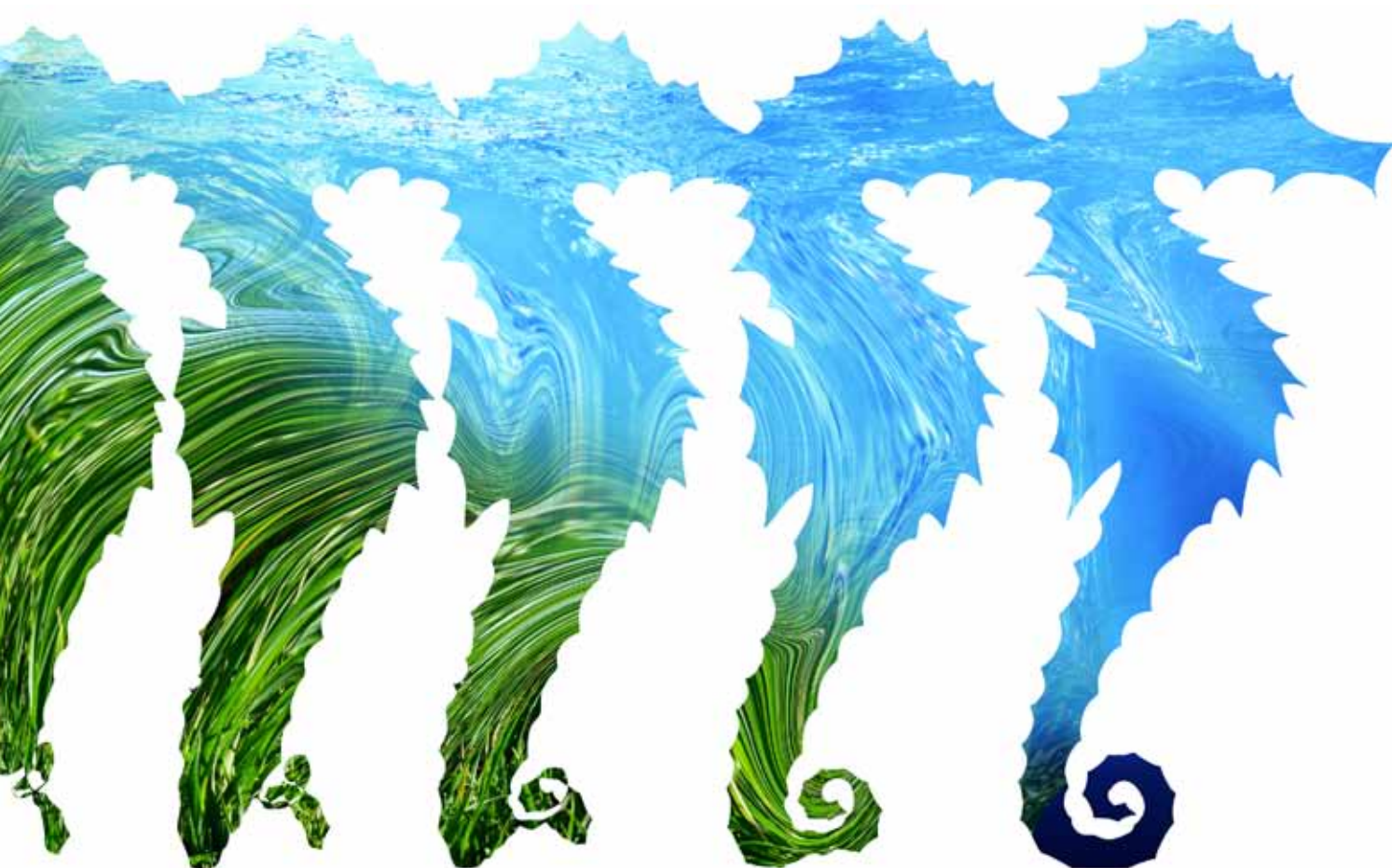
Bianca O'Connor, Seascape's creative director says 'We are very happy with the new brand and image which we feel is less restrictive within the UK and international market, it also fits well with the

new high end spa and skincare range that we are currently developing scheduled to launch next year. The spa range again is centered around Jersey provenance and includes Jersey Seaweed and Sea Salt. Who would have guessed that we'd become engrossed with the therapeutic and anti-aging properties of seaweed – something that had previously been considered a slimy green deposit on the beach!'

Managing Director Patrick O'Connor adds 'Our aim has always been to produce the highest quality products at prices that make them an affordable luxury. It's all about 'purity and provenance'. As well as featuring the finest local produce, we'll only make our products if they're good for you and the environment'.

And you can feel good about looking good; Seascape's products are made from ingredients sourced from ethical suppliers and their bottles and packaging are recyclable. They've even thought about sustainability - local suppliers are rewarded on the sale of products, allowing them to share in Seascape's success and reinvest for future generations of island producers.

Seascape products, with their vintage print seahorse design are already on the shelves of the most exclusive stores from Fortnum & Mason to a number of Fenwick stores and handpicked retailers in the UK, but of course you can pick them up here too. The Seascape range is available in Jersey Pottery outlets across the island including the Oyster Box in St Brelade, as well as the Maison La Mare shop on King Street and the airport shop in departures. New additions include a children's range (les Petits) and a maternity range (Soothe).



‘Ah yes, the Jersey cow. Nice to see them, grazing happily in the fields, looking back at you with their beautiful big brown eyes. That’s where they belong really isn’t it. In a field. Not in a bathroom. But The Jersey Cow Company bath and body products, named after the iconic dairy herd, did look rather gorgeous on our shelves and put our Island well and truly on the beauty map around the world.

## The Seascape bath and body range - from reinvigorating to relaxing

### *Refresh*

(hand wash and hand lotion) Soothes and tones hands with its blend of lavender, lemongrass and geranium

### *Uplift*

(body wash and body lotion) Energise and awaken with this zingy mix of Jersey eucalyptus, lime and lavender

### *Revive*

(shampoo and conditioner) Repairing hair care with a conditioning infusion of Jersey rosemary and bergamot

### *Unwind*

(body wash, bath foam and body lotion) Soak the stress away with this relaxing and pregnancy-safe blend of Jersey lavender and ylang ylang to soothe and balance

### *Les Petits*

(hair and body wash, bubble bath, body lotion) This soothing range contains Jersey honey, lavender, chamomile and beeswax to naturally nourish and protect delicate baby skin

### *Soothe*

(body wash and body butter) Jersey lavender, ylang ylang and mandarin, along with Jersey honey, beeswax and rosehip seed oil to relax, rejuvenate and repair skin throughout pregnancy

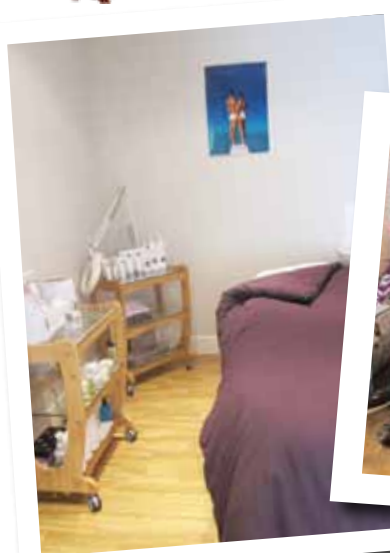
### *Homme*

(body wash, shave gel and moisturiser) Jersey eucalyptus and ginger to refresh and reinvigorate, with Jersey lavender and neroli to soothe post-shave skin



Available from Jersey Pottery, Maison la Mare, Oyster Box and online at [www.seascapeuk.com](http://www.seascapeuk.com)  
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### Ask the expert.

Penny Downes | Pennyfeathers  
Salon Owner & Skin Care Therapist

#### What are your top 3 beauty tips to care for skin in the winter months?

1. Moisturise twice a day to keep skin hydrated, protected, plump and it helps make your make-up sit better! I would recommend MD Formulations as they provide solutions for every dermatological issue and skin complaint through their extensive range of skincare treatments, offering products for oily, dry, sensitive, aging and acne-prone skin.

2. Wear a sunscreen every day - even though the sun isn't out you still get environmental damage. Using sunscreen helps to protect against wind burn and keeps skin protected in harsh weather. Plus it's one of the best anti-aging products you can use.

3. Exfoliate. It will remove dead, dry, dull wintry skin to reveal a brighter younger and fresher skin each time... however don't do it more than twice a week!

#### What is your favourite new product?

The new and much awaited BareMinerals Skin Care Transformation Night Treatment would have to be my favourite at the moment. This night treatment is the most exciting product on the skin care market. It is a powder base which you wear at night to give you a flawless complexion. Each morning I use it I wake up with skin that glows because it contains Active Soil Complex in its strongest form which just makes skin look bright and healthy from within. I also find that my skin is softer and it reduces blackheads and breakouts, plus it helps fight the aging process! So it is an all round winner, a wonder product for us all! I noticed a difference in 5 nights.

*bareMinerals Pure Transformation Night Treatment, £45 from Pennyfeathers.*



## The Pennyfeathers Experience

**P**ennyfeathers Experience is our Signature treatment marrying a bespoke facial and massage together to give a full 90-minute pamper treatment which cares for the body and relaxes the soul. A decadent Swedish back, neck and shoulder massage followed by an MD Formulations facial tailored specifically for your skin's needs.'

I was excited to go to my treatment at Pennyfeathers because I hadn't had a chance to pop in and see their newly refurbished beauty salon on the coast road in St Clement.

As I entered I was really impressed by how luxurious they had made their lovely boutique salon; the black and deep purple palette they had chosen was a great backdrop for all their gorgeous bareMinerals, Jessica Natural Nail Care, St Tropez and MD Formulations products which they stock there.

Before my treatment started, my Skin Care Therapist, Penny, took me through a questionnaire and went over what treats lay ahead, starting with a facial and head massage followed by a back, neck and shoulder massage!

She then led me to the treatment room and I couldn't wait to get under their lovely soft blanket on the massage bed. Every treatment is tailored to the client after a full skin analysis and consultation to ensure you get the best results.

I was looking forward to the MD Formulations facial as I've been a fan of the range for ages. It is a glycolic skin care range that has been combining science with beauty for over 20 years. They create unique formulas that deliver increased levels of active ingredients in precisely the right pH level, making them highly effective and non-irritating to the skin. I've found that they are one of a very rare range of products which actually deliver what they say on the packaging.

The facial included cleansing, exfoliating, a lovely cooling mask and moisturising. It felt divine as my muscles were awoken and stimulated. It seems weird because everyone thinks of the standard 'back massage' when they want to relax but this facial massage was so incredibly, deeply relaxing; it blasted away all my stress. Then just when I was mentally giving this treatment full 100% marks Penny started the scalp massage... and oh what a scalp massage it was; truly utter bliss.

After the facial part of the treatment I turned onto my front and Penny gave me a 30 minute back, neck and shoulder massage expertly working all the tension out of my frazzled muscles.

I was so impressed by the whole experience that before I left I bought a voucher of the treatment for my mum's birthday! So I think that sums up quite how impressed I was...

**The Pennyfeathers Experience £70**  
See their advert this month for 10% discount on the treatment.

Call 867172 to book or visit [www.pennyfeathers.co.uk](http://www.pennyfeathers.co.uk) for more information.

*APPETITE*



## NOVEMBER'S **FOOD NEWS**

To celebrate our 'End of the World' issue, we've gone all hedonistic and brought you news of more Michelin-starred restaurants to live it up in, the island's tastiest comfort food, and quite possibly the world's most luxurious hampers...



### Wine not?

**L**iven up your winter evenings with the Spanish and Italian Dunell's Wine Nights planned at the Salty Dog. Brand new dishes promise ethnic, rich and authentic flavours of Spanish and Italian rural cuisine, all complemented by a specially chosen selection of new wines from Dunell's Wine Merchants.

*Dunell's Wine Nights at the Salty Dog*  
Spanish - 10th November,  
Italian - 24th November  
[saltydogbistro.com](http://saltydogbistro.com)  
Tel: 742760



### Catch a star (or three)

**L**ucky us. Not one, not two, but three restaurants were awarded a Michelin Star in the 2012 guide, making Jersey the go-to island for gourmet fine diners. Ocean Restaurant at The Atlantic and Bohemia both retained their Michelin stars for another year, and the latest local restaurant to impress those Michelin men was the gorgeous Tassili at Grand Jersey headed by Richard Allen (pictured above) who said he was 'over the moon'.



### Feast from the East

**T**he East India Company is famous the world over for their incredible luxury hampers. They make the most ideal Christmas gifts, and they are hassle-free, all you have to do is visit them online [eicfinefoods.com/gallery](http://eicfinefoods.com/gallery) or buy direct by phone 0203 205 3394. They are also organising local tastings at Hotel De France, where we will be with bells on after sampling their scrumptious ginger nut biscuits and delightful teas - our favourites so far are the peppermint infusion and Russian Caravan, but there are 120 to choose from.

The East India Company products are sold in their own Mayfair store, Harrods and Selfridges. In fact their biscuits are in the £5,000 Harrods Ultimate Hamper. You can either buy individual products such as their mamalade which contains real gold for that one person in your life who has everything, or they have a wide range of hampers:

#### *Homeward Bound - £75*

A selection of traditional British tastes - a dedication to the flavours from home with favourites like Staunton Earl Grey Tea, Directors Blend Black Tea, Traditional English Digestive biscuits, Cheddar Cheese thin filled biscuits, Mrs Clements English Mustard, Apple & Mint Chutney and their traditional English chocolates ...all presented in a luxury gift box.

#### *Chest of Riches - £215*

A luxurious Leather Chest filled with exquisite treasures. The crème de la crème of teas, biscuits, chocolates and fine wines. The chest includes Admiral's Reserve Cheese Biscuits, English Stilton Cheese Biscuits, Cheddar Cheese Biscuits, Chocolate Enrobed Coffee Beans, Silver Cloud White Tea, Darjeeling First Flush Tea, Chocolate Nut Selection Gift Box, Directors Blend Coffee Tin, Red Wine, White Wine - all presented in a Leather Chest.

#### *Gift Trunks - £500 to £10,000*

For the person who has everything, or for extra special events The East India Company offers gift trunks filled with exquisite delicacies, ranging from £500 to £10,000. A truly bespoke gift, each trunk can be filled with the treasures of your choice.

Visit [eicfinefoods.com/gallery](http://eicfinefoods.com/gallery) for more information.



### Ravenous for ramen

**W**arm up your winter lunch menu with the new ramen dishes on the Blush menu. What's ramen? It's a Japanese dish served in a cast iron cauldron that features meat, fish or vegetables in a dashi and miso broth with soba noodles. Try their new smoked haddock ramen with soft boiled hen's egg, tofu and sweet potato ramen and the delicious chilli beef ramen with sweet soy broth, chilli, beansprouts, red onion and lime.... Is your mouth watering yet?

*Ramen dishes, £8.95 at Blush, King Street*  
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### Calling all coffee shop owners...

Is your coffee the best out there? Get involved in Appetite's 'Best Barista' competition and give your customers the chance to vote for your cafe's espresso expert. If you'd like to take part, give us a call on 811100 before the 10th November.



## Journey to Ocean... and escape to a special place

With breathtaking views over St Ouen's Bay, the Michelin-starred Ocean Restaurant is a sublime blend of classic and contemporary, the perfect backdrop for the innovative modern cuisine of Executive Head Chef Mark Jordan, featuring the very best of Jersey's world class produce.

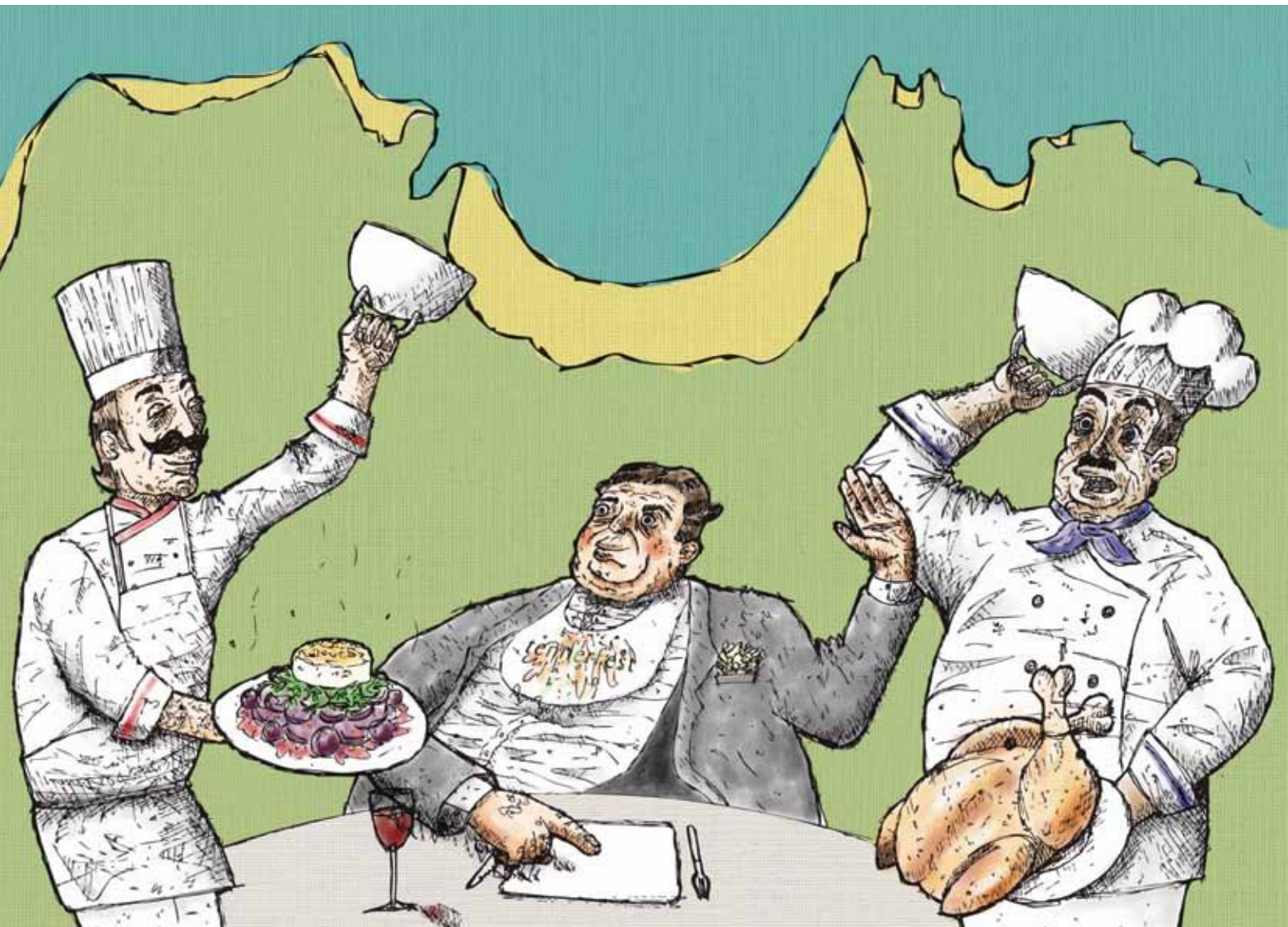
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# Vegetarian Tennerfest

Words | by twice-baked **Will Lakeman** au jus | Illustration | **Ben Robertson**



By the time you read this, the Tennerfest will have been serving up cut-price menus for over a month, and with any luck I'll be ready to explode like Mr Creosote, Monty Python's overweight glutton and patron saint of people who really wish they had room for both the cheese board and a dessert.

I eat a lot at the best of times, but I find the Tennerfest period especially tempting to my stomach, not just because bargains are to be had at the four or five places where the menu really is only a tenner, but to test how well our local chefs are able to cater to my special dietary needs as a dedicated tofu botherer. I don't eat meat, fish or people - and apart from a brief period spent de-

vouring the pink-dyed contents of cinema hotdogs and overdone bacon baps whilst I was at school, I've been a vegetarian for most of my life. It hasn't always been easy finding a decent meal in local restaurants and I've eaten a lot of mediocre salads over the years, but one look at my fat belly will tell you that things have changed, and I'm obviously finding plenty of things to devour on local menus.

## I hope you like risotto

Tennerfest shines as an opportunity to try out new places and pump some much-needed cash into the local economy, but vegetarians are often faced with the task of scanning the menus in advance, first to check that the venue even offers a vegetarian option, and then to make sure that it isn't something we've already eaten the last three times we went out. I love goat's cheese and beetroot like a seagull loves discarded chips, but there's no way I'll settle

for eating them for dinner every time I leave the house. The same goes for caramelised onion tart, cream of tomato soup or any curry that the chef's just made from a jar.

It doesn't help that vegetarians are considered fussy by default, so the options available to us aren't always the greatest example of the chef stretching either his talents or our tastebuds. You can often end up with traditionally meaty dishes with the meat taken out, or dairy-heavy carbohydrate feasts such as gnocchi or risotto. This doesn't especially bother me, as that's what I eat for dinner most nights and in the hands of a talented chef either of those approaches can be fantastic. However, it really catches my attention when I can tell that the kitchen has tried to provide me with something that's every bit as flavoursome and substantial as the flesh that my dining companions are enjoying.

There are plenty of places in Jersey that really do make the effort for their vegetarian menus, with results that can be measured on my steadily-expanding waistline, and I firmly believe that any restaurant that goes out of its way to cater to special diets is the sort of place that is probably putting in more care and attention to the carnivorous section of their menu too. This might just be a ploy to steer my dining companions towards places that suit my own needs, but it's worked out pretty well so far for both me and any dining companions that aren't necessarily happy to live on a diet of lentils and Quorn.

### Marvellous meat-free menus

The secret to great vegetarian cooking isn't really that different to meat or fish based dishes - it certainly isn't about taking beef out of a bolognese or trying to concoct a fish-free bouillabaisse. Good cooking has the same rules whatever you put in the pot, it comes from basing dishes around the unique properties of fresh ingredients and showcasing subtle combinations of flavours. This might explain why the obvious sources for vegetarian inspiration are the cuisines of the Mediterranean, Asia and North Africa, which are historically rich in meat-free dishes and make a strong argument that vegetables and pulses can be the centrepiece of dishes that are as delicious as they are satisfying. However, even many vegetarians don't like spicy food, so it's encouraging that plenty of chefs have shown that you can create sumptuous vegetarian mains from the traditionally-meaty tradition of classic European cooking. Wild mushrooms, cheese and even the much-maligned tofu have everything you need to carry a dish, and where would we be without the current fashionable vegetarian ingredient, the marvellous, squeaky halloumi?

I don't go out to dinner just to load up on protein or carbohydrates, I pay to experience the imagination of a chef and to eat things that I wouldn't have thought of myself. I'm perfectly capable of making a vegetable lasagne, and can do baked mushrooms with my eyes closed, but show me a new way with pumpkin or the inventive use of an artichoke and I'll be telling people about it for weeks afterwards.

### Great local vegetarian food

Sadly, neither my budget nor my waistline have stretched to trying out every single vegetarian option on offer over the last month, but I've done my best to selflessly gorge myself in order to bring you this

piece. My arteries might not agree, but it's been a pleasure to experience the range of mouth-watering vegetarian food on offer across the island, and I hope that a few adventurous diners have realised that a meal can be satisfying without revolving around meat.

If any one restaurant must be singled out for praise, it has to be Ocean at the Atlantic hotel, where chef Mark Jordan has shown that he can create vegetarian flavours that are every bit as rich and complex as his award-winning meat and fish dishes. The Tennerfest menu is excellent as always, but the range of meat-free dishes on the pricier à la carte menu is unmissable for any vegetarian who loves fine dining.

Of course, Ocean is seeing some strong competition from St Aubins, where Danny's, Cheffins and The Salty Dog have all outdone themselves with bright, bold vegetarian options that will no doubt draw me back throughout the winter, and I plan to eat at Sirocco in town as often as I can afford it. Also in St Helier, I can't get enough of the fresh pasta at La Cantina, outstanding vegetarian Chinese dishes at The Mandarin Room and will always recommend The Green Olive for informal dining and the best quick meal you can get before a movie. If you're out East, you can't go wrong with the Castle Green, Feast and The Navigator, and if you don't want a sit-down meal there's always The Hungry Man and its beloved range of meat-free beach food.

I'm sure there's plenty of great places I've yet to try, but give me a few days to sleep off my indigestion (and what feels like a new gallstone) and I'll be back out there, gulping down crème brûlée with the best of them. Waiter? Mine's the goat's cheese and beetroot risotto, you can keep the caramelised onions to yourself.





# Blush

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E-Mail: blush@randalls.ie

## Christmas Dining

3 course £21.95

### Starters

**Crab parcel & crevette bisque**  
Pike parcel crab parcel served with a shells cream French cream bisque,  
crusty bread & Jersey butter

**Warm Asian mushroom salad**  
Sautéed mushrooms with a salad of napa cabbage, quail egg,  
garlic croutons & parmesan

**Foie gras parfait**  
Foie gras & chicken liver parfait with sweet soy, blood orange jelly,  
affineo onions & roast chestnuts

### Main Courses

**Thyme & garlic roast turkey**  
Traditional roast turkey, chipolatas, stuffing, roast potatoes & gravy

**Local seafood hotpot**  
Scallops & prawns, locally sourced local seafood, onion mounds,  
pumpkin & baby vegetables

**Braised oxtail & beef cheek**  
Red wine braised oxtail & beef cheek with baby lentils,  
roasted winter vegetables & parmesan sauce

### Desserts

**Packed pear & blackberry bakewell tart**  
With Jersey vanilla ice cream

**Dark chocolate fondant**  
Sautéed cream & plum sauce

**Selection of goats cheese**  
With roasted potatoes, tomato & quince chutney

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# LAST SUPPER

Those of you that have picked up our 2011 Edition of Appetite will have noticed our annual chef feature. As the theme of this issue is 'End of the World' we thought we'd share their last suppers!



**Richard's last supper:** Rib Eye Steak, Fried Duck Egg and Triple Cooked Chips



**Andrew's last supper:** A selection of cheeses from Longueville's legendary cheese trolley; Stilton, Campbell Town Cheddar Vacherin Mont d'Ot, St Nectare, Green Thunder, Black Stick Blue and Shorrock Strong Bomb and a glass of his favourite red wine, Pauillac.

## Richard Allen 36

Executive Head Chef at Tassili, Grand Jersey

With an upbringing that centred around food - Richard's father owned a chain of bakeries in Dorset, and his mother worked for Mary Ford as a cake decorator, it's not surprising Richard soon decided he wanted to be a chef. From working with master chef Chueng Lu in Australia to a stint at Le Gavroche, Richard arrived at Tassili, where he's 'over the moon' to have just been awarded a Michelin star in the new Michelin Guide.

### I'd share my last supper with...

Thomas Keller (chef at the landmark French Laundry restaurant in the US).

### When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...

a Royal Marine.

### My fantasy dinner party guests would be...

The cast from the Goonies.

### The strangest ingredient I've ever used is...

Whale.

### Weirdest off-menu request...

Was someone who couldn't eat chives.

### Chicken or fish?

Fish.

### Heston or Hugh?

Hugh.

### My poison is...

Lager (Stella Artois)

### I don't eat...

Tripe. Yuck.

### The next big thing is...

Tapas. Little and often.

## Andrew Baird 45

Executive Chef, Longueville Manor

Sheffield-born Andrew Baird first started work at Longueville Manor when he was 23. Over twenty years later, and with several awards under his belt, he couldn't imagine being anywhere else. A keen proponent of local produce, Andrew's also a keen diver, and likes nothing more than diving for scallops himself.

### I'd share my last supper with...

My wife Eilish and our two boys - Luke and Charlie.

### When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...

A silversmith in my home town of Sheffield.

### My fantasy dinner party guest would be...

Jesus - it's a great story and I would like to hear it from the man himself!

### The strangest ingredient I've ever used was...

Lava bread.

### Weirdest off-menu request...

Sheep's testicles and eyes and pigs ears.

### Chicken or fish?

Sustainable fish - line or diver-caught.

### Heston or Hugh?

Heston.

### My poison...

Good red wine

### I don't eat...

Whelks, winkles, bugs and grubs.

### The next big thing is...

Uncomplicated. Making the best use of expensive ingredients as costs keep going up.



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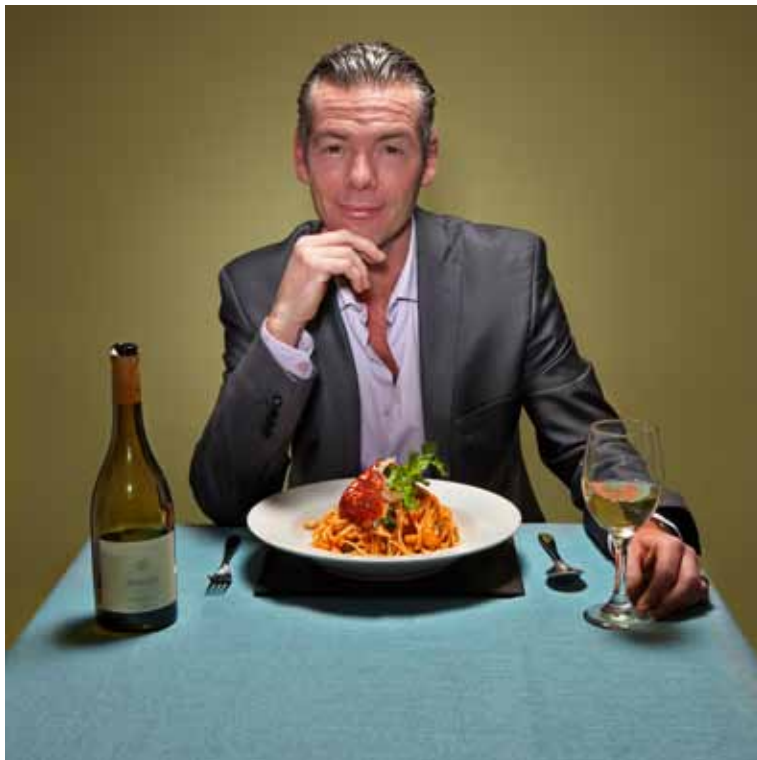
**Marcus Calvani's last supper:**  
Martinis, shots, top quality champagne, the finest wines, lobster, a great cognac and a cigar.



**Paul Dufty's last supper:**  
Roast beef, veg and a jug of gravy with 'a nice bottle of red and some vodka to wash it all down'.



**David Cameron's last supper:**  
A bowl of noodles

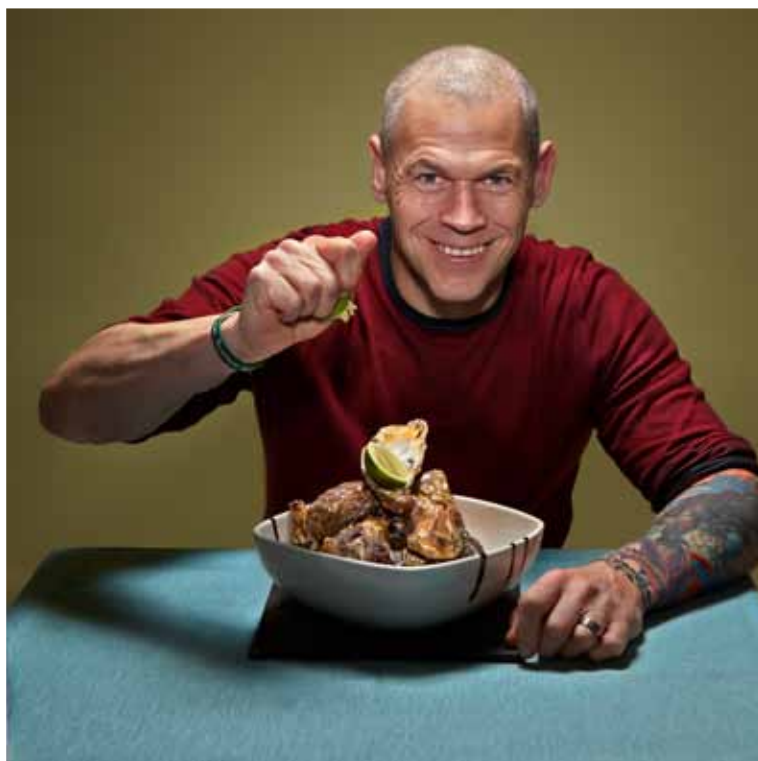


**Damon Duffy's last supper:**  
Lobster Linguine

**Mark Jordan's last supper:**  
Heinz Baked Beans



**Murray Norton's last supper:**  
A selection of fabulous desserts from Murray's: lemon and ginger layers, tiramisu and a strawberry bruschetta



**Danny Moisan's last supper:**  
12 oysters and a big squeeze of lime 'I really don't want to spend my last day on earth cooking and I would like to take some hornyness into the next life!'



**Steve Walker's last supper:**  
Fillet steak Rossini



## Marcus Calvani 30

La Cantina

Jersey-born Marcus began his catering career pushing the dessert trolley at his father's restaurant 'La Buca'. After boarding school at Oxford, and a four year degree at the Ivy League Cornell Hotel School in New York, Marcus embarked on a career developing and designing restaurants and resorts, before returning to Jersey with his wife Ana to run La Cantina, the family business.

### I'd share my last supper with...

*My wife Ana, family and best friends.*

### When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...

*James Herriot.*

### My fantasy dinner party guests would be...

*Mark Knopfler, legendary French chef Auguste Escoffier, Gandhi, the Queen, Marilyn Monroe, my wife, Pavarotti and Sophia Loren.*

### The strangest ingredient I've ever eaten was...

*Squirrel.*

### Weirdest off-menu request...

*I did once have a guy ask me to 'redistribute the seafood more evenly' on the top of his pizza....! You can imagine my response.*

### Chicken or fish?

*Fish. Of course. Unless it's a blue-foot chicken.*

### Heston or Hugh?

*Hugh.*

### My poison...

*Which one? They all come in bottles! At the moment – Palinka (a Romanian home brew double-distilled plum eau de vie.*

### I don't eat...

*Tofu. It's the food of Satan.*

### The next big thing is...

*Back to local, sustainable food with a low carbon footprint, and living off the land. Self sufficient-ish I like to call it.*

## David Cameron 48

Executive Head Chef, The Boat House Group

David dreamed of being a chef from the age of 6. He's been in Jersey for more than 20 years – first at the Granite Corner in Rozel, then Jersey Pottery, followed by the Village Bistro. He spent a while in Spain before returning to Jersey for a spell at the Wayside Café before joining the Boat House Group.

### I'd share my last supper with...

*My fiancé. As I have such a busy working life, it would be only fair to spend my last supper with her.*

### When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...

*A chef. It's been my dream since I was six. I feel really lucky to have fulfilled my childhood dream... and for it to have turned out to be as much fun as I imagined.*

### My fantasy dinner guests would be...

*Anyone – as long as they all got on! I would want a maple-sprung dance floor, a range of DJs and a good bar for the after party though. After all, I spend all my time thinking about food, so I just want to have a good time.*

### Strangest ingredient I've ever used...

*Ormers.*

### Chicken or fish?

*Fish. Always fish.*

### Heston or Hugh?

*They're both committed and brilliant at what they do. I can't choose.*

### My poison?

*Jägerbombs.*

### I don't eat...

*Cashew nuts.*

### The next big thing is...

*Vietnamese cuisine with its fantastic flavours and textures.*

## Paul Dufty 30

Sumas

Having grown up at Longueville Manor, it was Paul's destiny to follow the family tradition and enter the hospitality industry himself. After university, Paul worked for Starwood Hotels in London, then opened the Crowne Plaza in Shoreditch for Intercontinental Hotels and worked in Toronto to be closer to his girlfriend Tara. They both moved back to Jersey last year to take over the running of Sumas.

### I'd share my last supper with...

*My girlfriend Tara and my family and best friends.*

### When I was a kid I thought I was going to be...

*A racing driver. I loved the speed, adrenalin and the thought of travelling round the world would be amazing. Instead I travelled working in hotels (not quite as glamorous).*

### My fantasy dinner party would be...

*Cooked by Ferran Adrià from El Bulli and I would want to have the most amount of fun and a lot of laughs. so I would invite the best stand up comedians - the late Richard Prior, Eddy Izzard, Ricky Gervais, Eddy Murphy, Billy Connolly, and Chris Rock.*

### Weirdest off menu request...

*When I worked in Canada we had a very regular guest who used to bring her own food to the restaurant and have it plated and cooked for her. She would explain to the chef how it needed to be cooked and then he would do it for her.*

### Chicken or fish?

*Definitely fish, there is so much variety to choose from and such a diverse range of textures and flavours, you could never get bored of eating it.*

### Heston or Hugh?

*Heston, I can still remember what I ate when I went to the Fat Duck in 2004.*

### My poison...

*Wine.*

### I don't really like...

*Anchovies or marzipan, apart from that I'll eat anything.*

### The next big thing is...

*Sustainable fish, with a massive amount of media attention recently about the discarding of fish, I think we will start to see a more diverse range of fish on restaurant menus.*

## Damon Duffy 44

Chef Director, The Salty Dog Bar & Bistro and El Tico

Originally from Belfast, Damon had a whirlwind few years in Jersey in the 80s and 90s, working in many of the best known island restaurants before falling head over heels in love with Natalie and together launching their own business, the Salty Dog in 1998. After joining his brother-in-law Andrew Hosegood to take over El Tico Beach Cantina, Damon now runs two highly motivated kitchen teams headed by Paul Fletcher at Salty Dog Bar & Bistro and James Boon and Chris Lister at El Tico Beach Cantina.

### I'd share my last supper with...

*My gorgeous wife Natalie and daughters Leonah and Olivia-Rose.*

### When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...

*A chef! My first job was as a chef at the age of 15 with Ma' Murphy in Co Wicklow – it was my destiny!*

### My fantasy dinner guests would be...

*Bob Geldof, Elvis, the Dalai Lama and Jane Fonda (as Barbarella).*

### Strangest ingredient I've ever used is...

*Thai fish paste – smells absolutely horrible but the flavour is quintessential in Thai cooking.*

### Weirdest off-menu request...

*A 'back to front' menu starting with port, cheese, desserts, main courses and then starters (table of 6, loads of wine, £100 a head!) It was a good night out.*

### Chicken or fish?

*Both.*

### Heston or Hugh?

*Hugh – always!*

### My poison?

*Guinness & fantastic Italian wine.*

### I don't eat...

*Rich creamy sauces.*

### The next big thing...

*Authentic Indian and Malaysian cuisine... and we're already on it!*

## Mark Jordan 40

Ocean Restaurant | The Atlantic Hotel

After starting out in the kitchen at the tender age of 15, Mark went on to train under some of the country's best known chefs including the late, great Keith Floyd and Jean-Christophe Novelli, the Roux brothers and Steven Saunders. From the main kitchen to the pastry section and ultimately to Head Chef, all at the finest establishments – and now rewarded with a much-coveted Michelin star for Ocean Restaurant at The Atlantic Hotel.

**I'd share my last supper with...**  
my wife Magda, my children Mattie and Mia and my family.

**When I was a kid I thought I was going to be...**  
A rally driver.

**My fantasy dinner guests would be...**  
Keith Floyd as I'd love him to see what I've achieved in my career thanks to him, then Valentino Rossi, John Bishop for entertainment value and Pollyanna Woodward from the Gadget Show as I'm a big fan of gadgets... and she's a bit of a stunner.

**Strangest ingredient I've ever used...**  
Duck gizzard – it's the muscle in a duck's throat that allows it to swallow.

**The weirdest off-menu request...**  
Was an omelette made with just quail's egg whites.

**Chicken or fish?**  
Pot roasted maize fed chicken with some beautiful steamed asparagus and a truffle foam. Lavish I know, but simply stunning.

**Heston or Hugh?**  
A tough choice as I appreciate what they have both done for food in the UK. On balance I think that as I've met Heston quite a few times and he's a great guy, I would have to go with him.

**My poison?**  
Tysky and palushky, a Polish beer and a Polish sausage that is eaten with it. Gorgeous.

**I don't eat...**  
Veal or suckling pig and I never will.

**The next big thing is...**  
A trip to Noma in Copenhagen recently confirmed my philosophy that cooking food simply and without fuss is still the way to go. Food trends and fashions will come and go, but consistently well cooked ingredients with simple flavours will always be at the forefront of good cooking.

## Danny Moisan 48

Danny's

Cooking professionally since he was asked to leave school at 14, Danny has run many of Jersey's finest restaurants including Zest and Cyrano's. Three years ago he opened his own restaurant with his wife Janie and business partner David Haynes and serves an eclectic blend of food based on his travels, with plenty of 'wow' flavours as he calls it.

**I'd share my last supper with...**  
The Dalai-Lama to ask for some divine answers to the many questions I have, but if he was too busy then obviously my lovely wife Janie.

**When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...**  
A professional footballer.

**My fantasy dinner party guests would be...**  
Chef Auguste Escoffier, Pele & George Best, Christian Blackman my first head chef, Heston of course and Blondie singing live in the background with Hendrix on guitar and Cozy Powel on drums!

**The strangest ingredient I've ever used was...**  
Edible red army ants! I cooked them in a chilli salsa on a retro menu whilst at Zest.

**The weirdest off menu request...**  
Came from a conference of Vegan white witches who wanted a different menu with choices for seven nights! It was a real brain ache, but they loved it and never put any spells on me, so it was a success!

**Heston or Hugh?**  
Definitely Heston, I have eaten at his restaurant and it was awesome.

**My poison?**  
Double espresso.

**I don't eat...**  
McDonald's or KFC, it's sh\*t!

**The next big thing is...**  
My book of course. It's out in the spring and will be a cook book like no other, I promise.

## Murray Norton 52

Murray's

From radio DJ and TV presenter to star of stage and screen – in the media world Murray's done most things. He's the busiest compere in Jersey and an expert in charity fundraising, as well as being a writer and a chef. His passion though is Murray's and most of the time he's in his restaurant, chatting to his customers and enjoying the pasta.

**I'd share my last supper with...**  
My girlfriend, my daughter, my dad and the small circle of close friends who know who they are.

**When I was a kid I thought I'd grow up to be...**  
Weirdly enough, a DJ on the radio. Then it was a footballer.

**My fantasy dinner party guests would be...**  
Lennon & McCartney with guitars, Sir Bob Geldof, Gandhi, Audrey Hepburn, Diana, Princess of Wales, broadcasters Ray Moore & John Dunn, Louis Armstrong, Frank Sinatra, Sammy Davis Jnr, Bob Monkhouse, Harry Vardon, Doris Day, Otis Redding and my mum, because she'd be in her element with that lot.

**Weirdest off-menu request...**  
Apart from the indecent rude ones, the usual nonsense like "a milky black coffee", "a double espresso - but not too strong" and even "a cappuccino but with no froth please".

**Chicken or fish?**  
I don't mind... you choose one and I'll choose the other and we can share. Ok, ok... fish then!

**Heston or Hugh?**  
Heston.

**My poison?**  
Balvenie 12 year old please... and leave the bottle on the table.

**I don't eat...**  
Whole oranges, tripe, whale, endangered species, oh, and small portions - unfortunately.

**Next big thing is...**  
For me, less faff and more honest home cooked food. Nostalgic but contemporary re-creations of the classics of comfort food maybe. But then what the heck do I know? The idea that you think I'm a chef is weird enough, without me pretending to know anything.

## Steve Walker 38

Head Chef, Sirocco, Royal Yacht Hotel

Steve became a chef after his mother talked him into it – to try and avoid him joining the army. It turned out that his cheffing career took him around the world instead, working in the buzzing Sydney Opera House restaurant Bennelong, where he'd escape to the roof during his breaks and soak up the stunning views of Sydney Harbour. After spending six years here, he's still blown away by the wealth of local produce available in Jersey.

**I'd share my last supper with...**  
My girlfriend Maggie.

**When I was a kid, I thought I'd grow up to be...**  
A Royal Marine. I always believed I was going to join the Royal Marines as Portsmouth, where I grew up, is the heart of the Navy and Marines.

**My fantasy dinner party guests would be...**  
God, Nico Landenis, my mum and dad, Johnny Wilkinson, Harry Redknapp, Donald Trump, Karl Heinz Nagler and Megan Fox.

**The strangest ingredient I've ever used...**  
Jersey ormers – and they were beautiful.

**Weirdest off-menu request...**  
Black and blue for steaks – horrible.

**Chicken or fish?**  
Fish, fish, fish.

**Heston or Hugh?**  
Hugh. I don't like Heston's approach – too scientific, too much is done by machine and not by the chef. Food is personal.

**My poison?**  
Lager or red wine.

**I don't eat...**  
Raisins and currants.

**The next big thing is...**  
Marcus Wareing.



# No way José

**T**he busy London-based celebrity chef took a break from opening his new tapas restaurant Pizarro and flew over to Jersey to help students of the Academy of Culinary Arts at Highlands launch their brand new student-run tapas bar. It was an initiative organized by Santander Private Banking, and with his passion about using fresh, good quality seasonal produce and simple recipes, José's infectious enthusiasm couldn't have come at a better time for the budding chefs. Gallery caught up with the tapas star to talk last suppers, food heroes and razor clam recipes.

***Why's tapas so popular?***

It brings the life back into eating out. You have someone in front of you, chatting, you try different food, it's lively. And if you're there with boring people and you don't know what to talk about, you can always talk about the food... 'lovely prawns!'

***What's the future of cooking?***

It's returning to its roots. It's coming back to the traditional home-cooked food of 40 years ago. I remember my grandmother preparing partridge, and spending 14 hours to get the flavour right, and caramelizing onions for four hours to get them sweet enough for a potato omelette. It's all about time. People need to spend more time.

***Is it important to learn from the professionals when you're starting out?***

Definitely. When you're in the first stages, you need to learn and listen. It's not like before when people tried to keep everything secret, now you share it. And these new chefs, they're like a sponge. They need to learn about seasonality and using seasonal produce - they're the future chefs so they can make a difference.

***Who would you most like to cook for?***

I just love to cook for my friends and my clients, because they're my friends too. When you're looking out of the kitchen and you see people smiling, and having a good time, it makes your day.

***What would your last supper be?***

Sitting in San Sebastian with nice piece of fish on the grill, a nice glass of wine with my friends around.

***What's your favourite flavour?***

Pomelo (an Asian citrus fruit), it's sweet, bitter and acidic all at the same time. Mix it with some salt and you have the four main flavours.

***Who's your food hero?***

Juan Mari and Elena Arzak, a father and daughter team. They're stars but they're so down to earth.

***What's your favourite dish on your tapas menu?***

Razor clams. They're in season now. Delicious.

***Did you know you can catch razor clams here?***

Really? You must try them with chorizo, mint and olive oil and you will be in heaven.

***Local produce is everything to you isn't it?***

I grew up on my family's farm, picking tomatoes and carrots, washing them in spring water. These things are still in my memory and then you know what a proper carrot tastes like. You've already tried the best ever, and the flavour, the smell is still there.

***What's your main characteristic?***

Adrenalin! I need to live in adrenalin. If I don't worry, I worry because I'm not worrying!





## José Pizarro's Potato Omelette

- \* 7 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
- \* 2 medium white Spanish onions, thinly sliced
- \* Fine salt and freshly ground black pepper
- \* 5 medium floury potatoes (Maris Piper are good)
- \* 6 large free-range eggs, beaten

Heat 6 tablespoons of olive oil in a large non-stick frying pan or wok. Add the onions, season with salt, and fry gently for 20 minutes or so until soft and brown, but not burnt.

Peel and halve the potatoes then slice finely. Add the potatoes to the onions and fry for 30 minutes over a low heat until they are completely cooked. Remove any excess oil with a spoon and season. Whilst the mixture is still warm, add the beaten eggs and stir everything well.

Heat a clean, medium (22cm is ideal) non stick frying pan with the remaining tablespoon of olive oil, then add the potato mixture. Stir for 1 minute then smooth the mixture down, and let it fry gently for at least 10 minutes, until there's a brown crust underneath.

Once the tortilla is cooked on the frying pan side, take a flat lid or place and place it over the pan. Clamp the pan and lid together and turn them both over so that the tortilla is now on the lid. Return the pan to the heat and slide the tortilla back into the pan. It's a bit scary to begin with, but practice makes perfect and it's very easy to get the hang of the technique!

Let the tortilla cool to room temperature before serving. Ideally, leave it for a day before cutting into wedges.

## Win the COOKBOOK

Tempted to try some more tapas? We've got one signed copy of José's cookbook 'Seasonal Spanish Food' to give away! Just email [win@galleryje](mailto:win@galleryje) and tell us what your favourite tapas dish is and who you'd like to share it with, and we'll pick a winner!



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# Spot the difference

Think you know your fusilli from your fettuccine? See if you can spot the gluten-free pasta in these pictures. Difficult? Gluten-free pasta doesn't just look the same as wheat flour pasta, it can taste pretty much identical too. So whether you're gluten-intolerant, or just wheat-free for a while, you can enjoy all your favourite pastas without having to worry about the pasta pot-belly afterwards.

Forget the dried stuff you buy in the supermarket, fresh gluten-free pasta is a work of art. Marcus Calvani from La Cantina who makes the restaurant's own gluten-free pasta fresh every day says, 'We've worked on getting the combinations just right for over 6 months and we've come up with the perfect blend of rice flour, potato flour, tapioca starch and xanthan gum with local egg yolks. The key is the finest products available and not allowing any moisture to escape. We import our own flour from Italy and pair it with the darkest local free-range egg yolks. We're also the first restaurant over here to produce a Genuine Jersey product with all our pasta and gnocchi products.' There's also homemade fresh gluten-free pizza dough, so you can have your favourite garlic bread & pizzas without the pain. The gluten-free pizza dough is made using the same natural 'lievito madre' yeast method as their rustic white & wholewheat pizzas, creating an authentic Italian taste from local ingredients. It'll make an ideal place to head for a work Christmas party - keeping all the team happy whether they're wheat-free or not.

Marcus says: 'A friend of mine was diagnosed as a coeliac and said it was a shame he couldn't enjoy our pizza and pasta any more. I'd already created wholewheat for the health-conscious, and I thought it was time to create fresh pizza and pasta for those who can't enjoy what the rest of us can. It took six months of research, recipe testing, consulting with a university friend in California, importing and testing flours until we got it right. The proof finally came when I carried out a blind testing on some regular customers and they could not tell the difference! For me it's all about staying ahead of the curve and keeping up with the times, it's about being able to deliver the same quality experience to everyone and not alienate someone because they have a food intolerance.'

## Gluten-free: the science bit

The key to a good gluten-free fresh pasta is the rest of the ingredients, top quality gluten-free flours, local golden-yolked free-range eggs, and pure water. The high quality of the island's local ingredients and La Cantina's pasta-making methods means that their Genuine Jersey gluten-free fresh pasta tastes just good as the real thing.



## Stay in for supper

Fancy a night in with your other half but don't fancy fighting about who's going to cook? Waitrose have come to the rescue with a nifty little food deal that'll get you a main course for two, side salad, a pair of yummy Gü desserts and a bottle of wine for just £10. All you'll have to decide is who has to do the washing up... *Waitrose's £10 meal deal is so popular, they only announce it on the day, so look out for it next time you're in store.*

## Longueville tops the luxury list

Longueville Manor Hotel has retained its prestigious five AA red star rating, the only Channel Island Hotel to receive such an accolade. The hotel has also retained its 3 Rosettes for food excellence. The hotel is celebrating 62 years as one of Jersey's most luxurious hotels this year.

Malcolm Lewis said: "This is a fantastic accolade, not only for the hotel and all we stand for, but for all the team who work so hard to contribute to our success. Throughout this period of economic uncertainty, we have continued to maintain a level of absolute excellence, with a sustained programme of investment in our product and in the customer service we provide to our valued guests."

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# End of the world cocktails

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## **Radisson Blu** Passport to Hell | £3.95

Recipe...

10ml Whisky • 10ml Brandy • 10ml Cointreau • Teaspoon of brown sugar

'When the end of the world is coming there's no time to lose which is why I chose a shot cocktail. Quick, neat, flashy, the flames spark as your life flashes before your eyes and the warm liquid brings out the devil in you. This fiery little cocktail is the perfect way to go out with a bang, in all senses and opens the gates with your Passport to Hell!'

**Christian Moscalu, Bar Supervisor at Radisson Blu**



## **Rojo** Rainbow Road | £6.50

Recipe...

Made to Rojo's secret recipe...

If you're looking for a surreal way to step over to the other side, the cocktail baristas at Rojo think you wouldn't go wrong with their technicolour Rainbow Road, glo-sticks, astrobelt and all. It doesn't have to be the end of the world for you to enjoy a Rainbow Road, they're on the menu at Rojo's for you to try anytime. 'Go out in style with our Rainbow Road. After all, what else would you expect from Jersey's hippest underground cocktail bar!'

**Brett Wheeler, Cocktail expert at Rojo**



## **Grand Jersey** After Life | £350,000

Recipe...

75 ml Henri IV Dudognon Heritage • (costs around £2m a bottle) • 45 ml Homemade Elderflower Cordial • Sidr Honey (around \$200 a kilo) • Densuke Watermelon (\$4,000 each) • Saffron • Ice sourced from a 10,000 year • old Alaskan glacier

'When you know that the world is going to end, you probably think about things you would never do like climb Mount Everest or try wing suits in New Zealand or even pilot a F16. As I'm passionate about cocktails I would create a drink from the most rare and extraordinary ingredients in the world, and then enjoy my last drink!'

**Rafal Smolak, Grand Jersey's Cocktail Specialist**



## **Wildfire** Jesus is on Fire | £6

Recipe...

1.5 shots Fireball cinnamon • whiskey • 0.5 shot of Sour Rhubarb de kuyper • Juice of 1/2 lime • 2 shots apple juice • Dash of vanilla syrup • 2 drops of Tabasco • Garnished with pressed lime and flaming sugar

Wildfire have taken the December 2012 end of the world prophecy, and run with it, creating an Apocalyptic flaming cocktail with a Christmas twist. 'Most people picture fire and flames for the Apocalypse, so this is represented in the drink by a hint of heat and the flaming sugar garnish and a blood-red colour.'

**Flo Aranda, Cocktail Barista at Wildfire**



## **Royal Yacht** Dark Rum Mojito | £6.50 | pitcher £19.50

Recipe...

Havana - Dark Rum • Fresh Lime • Fresh Mint • Brown Sugar • Topped up with Soda

For your last drink, the team at the Royal Yacht think you'd want something you could savour while you watched your life play before your eyes. 'The dark rum Mojito is the perfect last drink for its refreshing, invigorating flavours. It's an absolute classic and the perfect accompaniment to reflection on life's finer moments!'

**Claudio Abreu, restaurant manager (and cocktail inventor extraordinaire!)**

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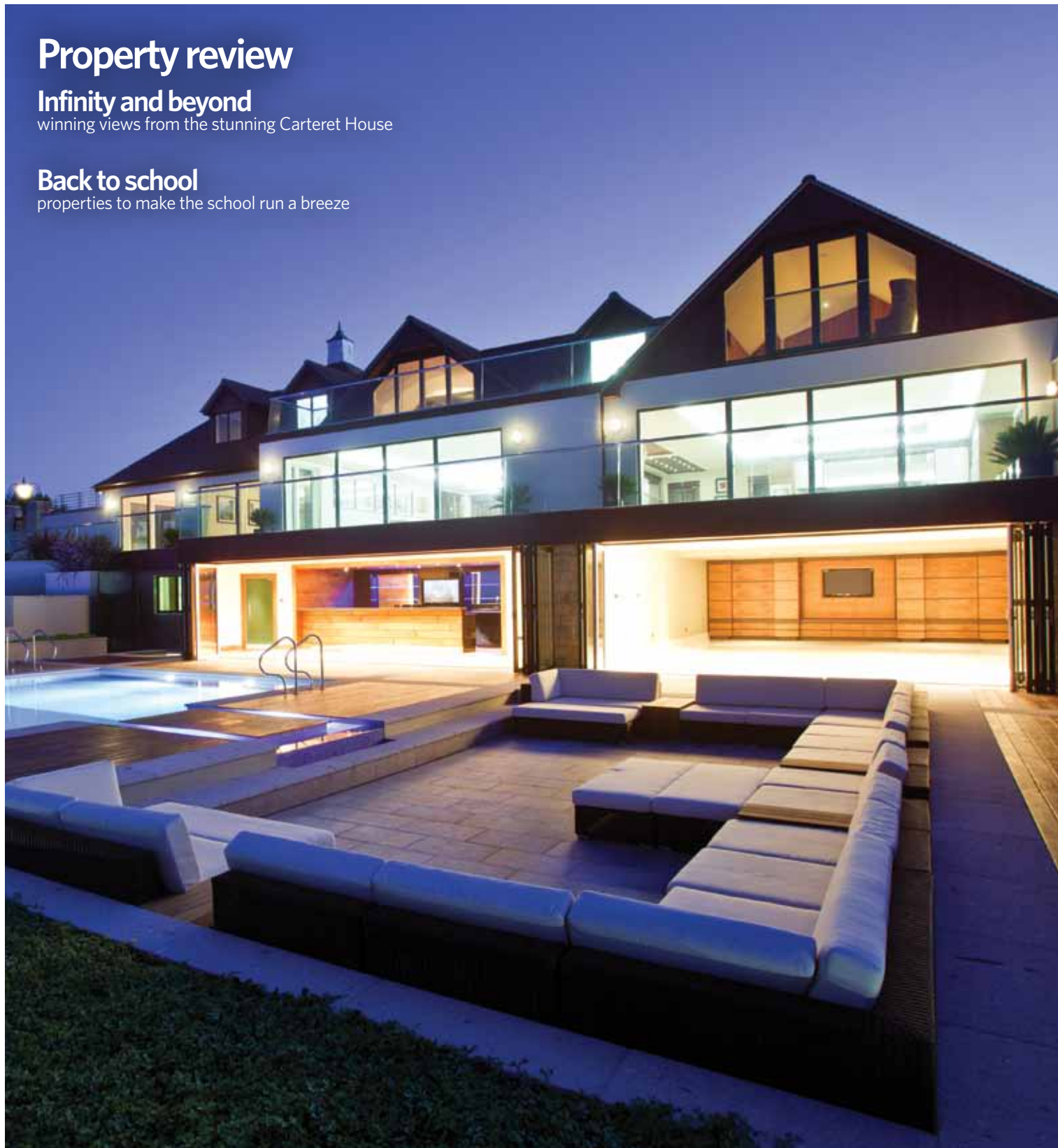
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St John £625,000



3/4 2 ✓ CAT A-J

- Corner plot, exclusive residential close
- Immaculate throughout
- Close to village amenities
- Rural outlook
- Parking and attractive gardens

St Ouen £2750 PCM



4/5 2 ✓ CAT A-K

- Detached, imposing house
- Very spacious accommodation
- In good order throughout
- Rural aspect in the heart of St Ouen
- Double garage, parking, gardens & pool

St John £599,000



4 1 ✓ CAT A-J

- Excellent country house
- Spacious kitchen/diner
- Good sized Lounge
- Recently built, select development
- Lovely rural views, sunny rear garden

St Brelade £585,000



4 2 ✓ CAT A-J

- Beauport, St Brelade
- Large West facing garden
- Small residential close
- Immaculate throughout
- Garage carport and parking

St Brelade £575,000



2 2 ✗ CAT A-J

- St Aubin's Harbour
- Full of charm and character
- Immaculate throughout
- Decked terrace with views of the harbour
- Rented parking available

St Ouen £499,000



3 2 ✓ CAT A-J

- Superb granite barn conversion
- Beautiful country setting
- Front and rear suntrap gardens
- Quality fixtures and fittings
- Parking for 3 cars in car park

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NEW PRICE  
3 1 ✓ CAT A-J

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- Priced to sell

St Helier £358,000




2 1 ✓ CAT A-J





- Convenient town centre location
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- Two bedrooms
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## Off to school

St Clement £548,000








 3
  2
   CAT A-J

- Charming cottage
- Garage and parking
- Nearby beach
- 2 bedrooms en suite
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 4
  2
   CAT A-J

- Walk-in Condition
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- Manageable South Facing Garden
- Parking For Two


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St Brelade £899,500








 5/6
  2
   CAT A-J

- Chalet bungalow
- Completely modernised throughout
- Could be used as 2 generation
- Far reaching country views + swimming pool
- Quiet sought after location
- Parking for 6 cars


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 4
  4
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- Detached Family House
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- Ideal For Entertaining
- A Separate Unit
- Sitting Room With Real Fire
- Kitchen Breakfast Room and Study


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Grouville £660,000








 3
  2
   CAT A-J

- Full of Character
- 2 large reception rooms plus study
- Gardens and ample parking
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- Great bus route


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St Brelade £525,000



 3
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***T**he one property you'd want to own if it really was the end of the world, and stunning 'end of the island' views. Welcome to the amazing Carteret House.*

If there was one property you'd want to own in life, we think this house would come fairly high on the list. With its spectacular views and state of the art décor, this breathtaking brand new mansion on the edge of the cliffs could have come straight out of a Bond film.

Shimmering glass walls, state of the art technology and a full size bar overlooking the infinity pool – if you're looking for a billionaire's playground, you couldn't do better than this. Want to make a quick exit away from the prying eyes of the paparazzi? No problem, Carteret House has its own mooring in the cove below – a perfect spot for your brand new Wally yacht.

Carteret House has one of the best spots in the island, with only the Écréhous between the edge of the pool and the French coast. Landscaped gardens run right to the edge of the cliff – even the Carteret House lawn is deep-pile luxury – where you get dizzying views right down to the emerald cove below. When the tide goes out, there's a pebble beach, only accessible from the sea or your private cliff path.





Designed with a private office area and sea view meeting room at the entrance to the property, Carteret House makes the transition from professional life to private life simple. After you're done with the day's business, all you have to do is throw open the large double doors and you're into the private wing of the house with its statement sweeping staircase handcrafted in American black walnut with piano black inlays. High-gloss floors reflect the generous proportions of the property's layout; a large reception or drawing room forms the backdrop to the staircase, with a black slate fireplace surround and floor to ceiling glass windows overlooking the sea. Alongside is the 40-foot living room, with a sleek black glass media and fire wall and doors out onto the balcony. Entertaining? Choose between the separate dining room with its feature etched glass and mirror ceiling to reflect the table's shimmering candlelight, or open the doors out and create one expansive, breathtaking entertaining space. All your fine wines are close at hand in the climate-controlled oak wine store and tasting room, with a sliding ladder to reach the top bins. Beautifully designed to showcase an impressive wine collection, it's been turned into a feature of the house— a double height glass wall forms a window onto the wine room from the main reception room and staircase, so you can keep an eye on your fine vintages on your way to bed.

A world class kitchen from Smallbone of Devizes will satisfy the most creative of chefs, and with Gaggenau appliances from induction hobs to steam ovens, dinner parties can be easily catered





“this breathtaking mansion on the edge of the cliffs could have come straight out of a Bond film”



for. Even more easily, given that there's a separate staff entrance to the dining room and adjoining larder and utility rooms to make catering for large parties straightforward and simple. A kitchen island ensures sea views over supper, and there's a large relaxed family area opening out onto the balcony. If the ground floor is all about family time and entertaining, then the lower floor is all about playing. A glass-walled stairway leads down to a huge media room featuring a statement slate slip wall and fitted out with a cinema system, complete with projector. And with Carteret House, film nights come with the backdrop of an infinity pool and outdoor lounge area. There's a full-size bar equipped with everything to cater for the ultimate pool parties; champagne troughs, ice machine and glass washers, and a plasma screen so you can still catch Sky Sports in the pool. When you've finished a few lengths in the infinity pool, jump into the hot tub, there's space for you and 19 of your friends. There's even a separate children's pool so little ones can splash in safety, and a sauna in the pool changing room.

Upstairs the owners of Carteret House have a choice of five luxury bedroom suites – all with their own separate identity. From the Boat suite with its stern-of-a-yacht décor and faux lizard-skin wallpaper to the Art Deco suite with its dark walls and luxury 30s-style elegant marble bathroom, the pale Sycamore suite with its glassy jade bathroom and finally the Teak suite, each room has its own clear identity but shares the same rich and luxurious feel with perfectly concealed bespoke cabinetry. But





to see the real gem in Carteret House's crown, step into the master suite. Beautifully finished with natural seagrass on the walls and ebonized oak wood fittings, and even his and hers bathrooms – sexy black urban chic for him, Grecian-style mirrored luxury for her, Carteret House's designers have thought of everything. They've even managed to perfectly position the room so that the sun rises right over the master suite's private balcony. And commanding views over your property don't get much better than the one from the balcony. Infinity pool, your yacht moored in the aquamarine cove and the distant horizon. You could be anywhere in the world. Well anywhere incredibly luxurious that is...

Peaceful and isolated, it's rare in Jersey to have such incredible sea views without overlooking another property. The only lights you'll

see at night are the stars, and the distant lights twinkling along the coast of France in the distance.

Designed to offer security as well as seclusion, Carteret House's smart home system allows you to monitor the internet-linked security cameras from anywhere in the world, and control the property's settings at the touch of a button, no matter where you are. The property also has its own one-bedroomed staff flat, garden storage, garages and an extensive parking area within the security gates. Despite its size, all the smart home technology means Carteret House would be an ideal luxury lock-up and leave. Or 'sail in, sail away' with the superyacht moored down in the cove. After all, when the world's your oyster, you might as well treat yourself to a pearl of a property.



## THE SPECIFICATIONS

### ***Carteret House, St Martin***

- 5 bedroom suites
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- Kitchen by Smallbone of Devizes
- 2 pools and large hot tub
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- Wine room
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- Remote smart home and security system

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# Interiors to die for

A little selection of unique and innovative interiors from around the island

## All that glitters

**The ultimate Christmas accessory, a real diamond bauble for your tree!**

'La Sfera' is the combined brainchild of three enterprising minds on the Jersey Goldsmiths site - their marketing manager Lynda Firkins, Julia Williams and her team of diamond experts at Diamondology and the creative flair of Deb Macklin, designer and director of The Bench. 'La Sfera' is to be created by master craftsman at The Bench Juan Perdomo and is Jersey's first diamond and gold Christmas tree bauble, and yours for a figure of 'around £15,000' says Julia. 'La Sfera' is a rotating bauble made of 17 spinning stars each made of 9kt white and yellow gold, each tipped with a hand selected white or yellow diamond. 'In total we anticipate 68 brilliant diamonds will be set, totalling over 3 carats and 4 ounces of gold' says Deb 'it will be truly the most spectacular bauble you will have ever seen! A treat for any Christmas tree'.

As Lynda points out, it is not necessarily the fact they have made La Sfera to sell, although it is the Christmas present of all Christmas presents. In the run up to Christmas, a day out to absorb the atmosphere of this special time is a must, and what better than to come and take in the joy of Christmas by seeing this beautiful creation. The bauble will be hung for the first time on Jersey Goldsmiths' tree on Sunday 13th November, by a member of the Jersey Hospice Care team. Jersey Goldsmiths will be holding a collection for this local charity for those who come to visit the bauble. There will also be a local choir, local gift stalls and the cafe will put on a special menu of home cooked Christmas treats. Not forgetting the whole family - every weekend there will be bauble decorating and letters to Santa at the newly revamped St Lawrence venue.

*Win La Sfera for Christmas Day! Simply fill in the competition form at Jersey Goldsmiths, St Lawrence for a chance to have La Sfera delivered to your door on Christmas Eve and collected on Boxing Day! Terms and conditions apply.*

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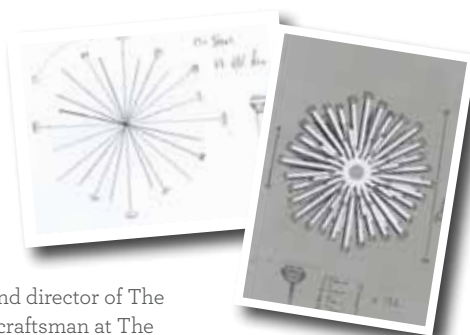
The seating in your home has to be functional, but as importantly it should play an important part in establishing the character of the room it's set in.

Although Duresta's designs naturally respond to changing tastes, at the heart of each lies classic English style, which lends itself perfectly to Jersey properties.

They also have a very large range of fabrics so once you've found the type of sofa you like then there will be a fabric to complement your room palette.

Duresta have a unique licence which enables them to study original pieces of furniture found in the collections of The National Trust. This aids them in their innovative and bespoke designs which really stand out from anything else currently in the market.

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If you're quick you still might be able to grab a bargain, they are open throughout November five days a week from 9.30 to 5 (closed on Thursdays and Fridays) before they shut for December, January and February.

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# Details of a Designer

**W**e met with Mike Moyse, Director at Direct Furniture Supplies to find out more about life being a designer and what's happening with kitchen trends at the moment. Tell us about your path to becoming a designer...

I started 'cutting' my teeth, so to speak, when I was on a work experience course, from school, with Kitchen Craft, many years ago (I've actually been in the trade for 27 years now). I then started actually working, full time, for a company called Langlois, and was thrust into the deep end from day one. The kitchen environment was very different from what it is now, and the clients' choices and styles were very different too.

After a few years, an opportunity came to join Kitchen Craft (in Creative Interiors) to do bedrooms and studies for a few years until the Kitchen Craft group bought another kitchen company called La Haute Cuisine in 1989. I spent 8 years there, until an opportunity came up to move to another up and coming company called Kitchen Concepts, and spent 3 years with them. I eventually left having achieved several personal goals, and decided to branch into another interiors business, which I did for about 3 years. After moving on from there, and taking some time off, another door opened at Pastella in their kitchen department, where I was able to refocus and was involved in a variety of great projects, some of which appeared in both local and national magazines.

As is life, opportunities come along at the most unexpected times, and with that another door opened to use my skills and re-develop another business, and take it forward, which we have done at Direct Furniture Supplies over the past two years. This company was originally a bedroom supplier, but now boasts bedrooms, bathrooms & kitchens, plus we have the resources to undertake studies and fitted living room furniture too, all with the backing of experienced trades, and an extensive team.



## *What is new and exciting in the world of kitchens at the moment?*

Kitchens, as with most interiors these days are based around the fashion industry, and other high profile areas, like cars, watches, and clothing. It is not uncommon to see crossovers from designers like Philippe



Starck, or from different areas, for example car designers providing a style or influence for kitchens with materials and looks, but at the end of the day, these are usually passing fads, and have limited client appeal.

I would say that modern and contemporary styling is here to stay. That is not to say that traditional has died, but clients now see apartments, houses, magazines and TV programmes that often show a 'clash' of styles, usually incorporating something quite eclectic.

The kitchen pictured is one small example of morphing two styles, with a contemporary look in a very traditional surrounding.

Warendorf, a high quality Germany supplier has realised this, and their web site, brochure and imaging often covers styles from very contemporary through to 'American' and traditional. The Warendorf product range includes high quality gloss lacquers, matt finishes, glass fronted doors, and cost effective reproduction laminates, so their furniture costs can cover a wide range of prices. All the time the quality remains the same across the range.

Warendorf has also introduced a range of electrically assisted units with lift up doors and pullout drawers to further enhance the new technologies becoming available, and this can also be seen with iPod docking stations being incorporated into units.

The kitchen is truly becoming a much more versatile area, not just for cooking. New house designs we are working with are showing this change in the living space, and how they are used. At the end of the day, your designer is a catalyst of all these different materials and styles, and with the right ones, the morphing is seamless.

## *If you knew the world was ending what would you do?*

If the world was to end tomorrow, then I would spend all my available time left with my wife, daughter, and our dog Sampson, as they are the most precious things in my life... huddled around my Ducati and my Kylie calendar collection in my garage!

If I had a little more time, then I would try and travel to the two corners of the world I haven't been to yet - the Far East and Australia, but hopefully 2012 will pass without incident, and I can book to go there!

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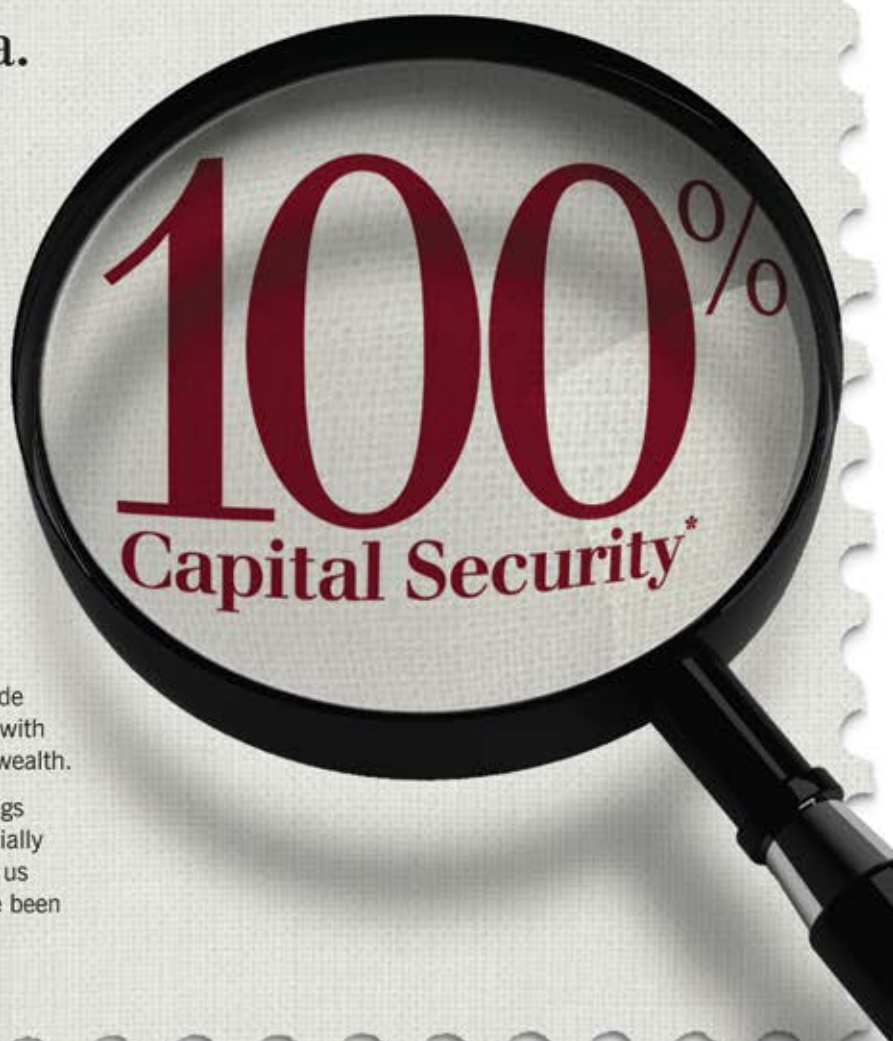
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## Camilla Lelec

Miss Lelec



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

Having had difficulties with finding good quality lingerie and swimwear that I liked, and knowing there were other women out there who had the same problem made me think there was a gap in the market.

### What did you do prior to this business?

I've worked for Health and Social Services for the States of Jersey as well as working within the fashion industry, specialising in lingerie.

### Did that teach you any lessons that helped you to succeed?

Plenty, but one of the most important things I have learnt is to know the needs of your customer.

### What's the hardest lesson you've learnt since starting the business?

I have learnt many lessons like the fact that you have to ask for help if you need it and how very true it is that you will only then find out who your true friends are, but the most important lesson I have learnt is to know the needs of your customers.

### Do you have any funny stories?

A few. I am laughing now, but believe me it wasn't so funny at the time.

### What are your plans for the future?

I have always been passionate about lingerie and the beautiful fabrics they are made from. It was always in the back of my mind to design my own range, and put my own stamp on it. I would take a great deal of pleasure in knowing that something I have created makes women feel sensuous and special.

### What advice would you give to would-be entrepreneurs?

Be organised, do your research, don't leave anything to chance, be patient and remember that setting up your own business is very hard work. If you are not willing to put in the hours, it is very unlikely that you will succeed. Don't wait for the perfect time, it might never come, if you believe in your business give it a go so you can never look back and wonder 'what if'.

Born	30 years ago
First job	Working in an animal shelter
Car	BMW Z3
Book	King Lear
Not many people know...	...that I'm a vegetarian
Film	The Way Back
Gadget	My Mac
Last holiday	Egypt
Enjoys	Walking my dog
Marital Status	Living with partner

### About the business:

Miss Lelec is a lingerie and swimwear boutique in Beresford Street stocking beautiful products carefully selected from all over the world. The boutique includes brands such as Fleur of England who bring luxurious fabrics, beautiful styling and exceptional fit to their British lingerie to Sally Jones, an Australian designer lingerie label that reflects the lifestyle of the most sophisticated and feminine woman.

Miss Lelec also offers a wide range of swimwear all year round with new designs arriving monthly to make sure you always have plenty of choice when shopping for your winter holidays.

As 75-85% of woman wear the wrong size of bra, Miss Lelec knows how important it is to be fitted properly and this is why they are offering a free measuring service. From 28D to 44K, they can cater for your cup size.

Every bride wants to feel special on their wedding day, and Miss Lelec has an extensive range of beautiful bridal and honeymoon wear as well as bridal parties for those who want to take their time finding the perfect fit, and have a glass of champagne while they try on different styles.



### JT moves from SIMs to CIMs

JT has become the latest organisation to sponsor the Chartered Institute of Marketing Awards & Gala Dinner, which takes place on the 18th November at the Hotel de France.

Tamara O'Brien, Head of Brand, Marketing and Distribution at JT commented, 'We are delighted to be able to support this prestigious event, which brings together the biggest gathering of marketing and business professionals in Jersey. The CIM is recognised as the voice of Marketing, setting standards within the industry and is the first point of call for marketing information, knowledge and insight; and we are thrilled to be associated with what will be a fantastic night of celebration.'

Steve Cartwright, Chairman of the Jersey Branch of the Chartered Institute of Marketing, commented, 'we are delighted that JT has decided to show its support of the CIM through sponsorship of The Awards & Gala Dinner, which takes place on the 18th November at the Hotel de France.'

Year after year this event has celebrated and recognised marketing excellence in Jersey, and I am excited that this year, JT has decided to support this event.' JT joins Delta Production Services and The Beach Communication as Lead Sponsors of the Chartered Institute of Marketing Awards 2011

**For more information about the Awards & Gala Dinner, award categories, entry forms and the latest news, please visit [www.cimawardsjersey.com](http://www.cimawardsjersey.com).**

### Jersey forges new Qatar links

Two Qatari banking professionals, Fahad Hiji who works at the Commercial Bank of Qatar and Ahmed Al-Anqar at the Qatar National Bank, both based in Doha, are to visit Jersey shortly for a six month internship with Jersey-based finance industry organisations. The pilot programme is the result of discussions between Sean Costello, Jersey Finance's head of business development for the Gulf Co-operation Council and India, and representatives from the Qatar Financial Centre and the Qatar Financial Business Academy.

The Qatari professionals will observe first hand the different business processes of the firms where they will be based and will undertake relevant training on specific techniques to help them understand the workings of the financial services industry in Jersey. The two Jersey organisations taking part in the internship are HSBC and Hawksford International. HSBC in London will also participate.

Sean Costello added: "Qatar and Jersey have strong links already, across the spectrum of regulatory, financial services and private investment management. This knowledge exchange programme will further reinforce those connections for the future prosperity of both countries. We are most grateful to HSBC and Hawksford International for agreeing to take part in this pilot programme, which we hope is the first of many collaborations."



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*We caught up with new Wharf Street resident, Fabian Jearey who together with Neil Battrick runs Evolution Consulting Limited.*

**Give us a brief description of what you do.**

I'm Founder and Managing Director of Evolution Consulting Limited, a privately owned consultancy which operates in support of the Jersey Financial Services Commission (JFSC) guidelines for investment monitoring. Our clients are trust companies, fiduciaries, family offices, law firms and private clients.

**How long ago since you moved into 4 Wharf Street?**

We moved from offices in nearby Commercial Street into 4 Wharf Street around March this year.

**How are you finding it so far?**

It's been a good move for us. As the company expanded we soon realised we needed our own office space.

**What are the benefits to you?**

We like the fact that we are centrally located, bringing us, almost literally, to the doorstep of our clients. The offices are modern, light and airy which was also something we considered to be a huge positive.

**How many people are employed by your company?**

Four, for the time being... more to come!

**Do you find having a large variety of other businesses so close by convenient?**

Very. We've already availed of the services of 'Infuse' and 'Hot Frog' for software and I.T. solutions, and spoken to a number of the other businesses within the building.

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### *Chris Austin joins Parslows*

Carl Parslow, who founded his own practice, Parslows Lawyers, earlier this year, has recently appointed Chris Austin as an Associate of the firm.

Chris Austin brings over 13 years' experience with him and a broad knowledge of litigation and associated areas of law in Jersey and has been involved in a number of notable cases. Previously employed as a lawyer in the litigation department of Bedell Cristin, Chris said: "I am excited by the opportunity that my appointment as an Associate at Parslows offers me to bring my full experience into this dynamic new environment, particularly since my involvement at this early stage enables me to take an active part in developing the direction and ethos of the firm."



### *She sells sea shells...*

The new exciting company Jersey Silver Plating, which is based at Jersey Pearl in St Ouen has recently appointed Tamsin Ostle as the new manager to develop the brand and give creative direction.

The unique company is quickly becoming famous for its clever and unusual gift creation; you can take them sea shells and such things and they will turn them into bespoke silver plated jewellery. Tamsin has a creative design and retail background, graduating with a first class honours degree in design. "We think Tamsin will be a huge asset to the company's progression" commented Julia Williams, Managing Director.



### *Hannes Botha joins Pinel O'Shea*

Pinel O'Shea has recruited Senior Associate Hannes Botha from Mourant Ozannes. Hannes qualified as an advocate in South Africa and obtained both a bachelors and a masters degree in law, with specialisation in company and tax law. He had been working for Mourant Ozannes in Jersey undertaking investment funds and banking work for nearly four years.

Andrew Pinel, Partner, said "We are delighted that Hannes has decided to join us. He has a great reputation in Jersey and brings a wealth of experience. He will work with us in developing further our South African business and will spend his time between Jersey and South Africa."



### *Promotions at PKF*

PKF (Channel Islands) Limited has announced promotions spanning several departments. Virginie Deflassieux, author of the popular publication 'Taxation in France: A Foreign Perspective', a guide for the non-French person considering a move to, or purchasing a second home in France, has been appointed as an associate director for French tax. In the company's audit department John Connolly has been promoted to senior manager and Geeta Morgan to manager. Tim Cumming, PKF's managing director said "Their experience is a great asset to PKF (Channel Islands) Limited and reflects our strategy of developing people across all areas of our business."

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### *PwC CI's Class of 2011*

PwC Channel Islands is delighted to welcome a host of new faces to its Jersey office. The 17 new recruits, who are now commencing a three year training programme to attain professional accounting qualifications, reflect a wealth of home-grown talent, including school leavers who excelled at A-Level and local graduates with strong degrees, along with a number of high quality graduates from Australia, the USA and the UK. PwC's recruitment strategy places a strong focus on the value of cultural and academic diversity within its business and is nationally recognised for its recruitment approach, having been voted the number one UK graduate employer in the Times' Top 100 Employers for the past eight years.



### *Active Jersey gets even more active*

Increasing interest and the growth of services provided by the Active Group has resulted in three senior appointments in the Jersey office. Joining the team in Jersey are Luciano Brambilla, Susan Wall and Paul Le Quesne.

Luciano joins the Active board having previously worked as head of client compliance services and registered Compliance Officer and Money Laundering Compliance Officer at State Street (Jersey) Limited. Sue brings with her 30 years experience in the Finance Industry, predominantly in the banking and trust sectors and for the past 14 years, Paul has led the Channel Islands team for Thomson Reuters establishing strong relationships with all key financial institutions providing data and workflow solutions across the enterprise.



### *New faces at KPMG*

KPMG has welcomed more than 10 graduates and school leavers to its team this summer. HR Partner Debbie Smith said 'Graduate recruitment plays an essential role in meeting the firm's long-term global growth strategy across all our functions – audit, tax, advisory and internal firm services. The competition for top talent is fierce, but in a revitalised global labour market, we're seeing plenty of enthusiasm for careers in accountancy, particularly with the opportunity for international experience, which we're able to deliver.'







## Bird by Bird

**Born:** at midnight. My family are Irish but when I was born we were living in an Irish enclave in Portobello Road.

**Age:** 65

**First job:** Delivering meat for Cobb Butchers of Knightsbridge (the Queen's butchers).

**Married:** Yes for the third time.

**Last book:** 'Malcolm X: A Life of Reinvention' by Manning Marable. It makes you humble.

**Motto:** Nil desperandum.

**Mode of transport:** Bicycle.

**Most overused phrase:** Probably 'Bollocks!'

**Pet hate:** People who agree with you but then don't do anything. I'd rather disagree, and then have a good fight about it.

**Guilty pleasure:** A piece of chocolate with a cup of tea around 9pm.

**Would like to be remembered:** As a kind of champion of the common people I come from, who after all the world wars and revolutions, are still enslaved by and caught in poverty. I feel dreadful about that.

*You started the Big Issue twenty years ago – what was the reasoning behind the launch?*

It was a business response to a social crisis. Not one of the organizations around at the time were offering homeless people work. There was sandwiches, beds, places to watch TV, everything from condoms to cakes but nobody was there to supply them with what you and I thirst for which is labour, and the opportunity to grow and be independent of the handouts from parents or the state. That's what I refer to in my biography, it's not a rags to riches story, it's more poverty to purpose. If we get around to enfranchising the poor, it won't be because we've given them more relief, it'll be because we've given them the opportunity to become themselves, to help themselves.

*What's the 'big issue' these days?*

The misuse of the social pound. You have 32% of all income in the treasury goes to maintain people in and around poverty. Not getting them out of poverty, maintaining them there. You can't change that with another initiative, we can't think outside the box on this one, we've got to go back into the box to change it. We live in a world described by David Cameron as broken Britain, but we wouldn't have that if we hadn't had broken government, which has done appalling things down over the years like turning the welfare state from a contributory mechanism to a non-contributory mechanism where people who have never worked can get something for nothing.

*What would you like to see changed?*

Politics is always about what's possible, not impossible, and that kind of cliché has stopped people from thinking the impossible. Every time someone starts a business they're making the impossible possible because they're starting from beyond nothing. The genius in business is people taking risks, and governments need to do the same instead of just changing the labels. All the big things in society, the NHS, prisons, education, the BBC, they're constantly in perpetual motion, changing management, getting rid of this and that, it's a permanent label change. The only people who do well out of it are the consultants and the printers who are reprinting the stationery.

*What's the way forward for business?*

We've got to get a bit Japanese about things and invest for the mid to long term and not just the short term. When you look at the really interesting new businesses, it's astonishing how many don't make a profit initially, they discover the profit making as they go, whether it's Facebook, Amazon or Google. If we're going to sort out our business crisis, we can't go for instant returns. Business is like building a cathedral, you have to put a few generations into it.

John Bird MBE is one of the speakers at the Jersey International Business School Leadership Forum, Tuesday 22nd November at the Hotel de France. [www.jerseyibs.com](http://www.jerseyibs.com)



"I speak clearly and powerfully and my message is simple: It's about motivation, leadership, drive, learning from your mistakes, and turning rejection into something positive. I have been homeless, an offender, and an addict. Yet I've achieved more than many who started life with more advantages than me. I am now ready to help other people to realize their goals."

# Bird's eye view

John Bird MBE knows all about life journeys. His has taken him from a life on the streets and time in prison to founding the Big Issue and becoming one of the world's foremost social entrepreneurs, called on to share his experiences at the UN, Downing Street and countless business forums.

Speaking at the Jersey International Business School's Annual Leadership Forum this month, Gallery caught up with John to find out what took him from the streets to social entrepreneurship.

*It's well documented that you were born into poverty and lived through a lot in your early life. What marked the turning point?*

My life's journey has included spells as a thief and prison inmate as well as an artist and poet. I used to be part of the problem, and now I'm part of the solution. That's quite a revolutionary change, and for me the turning point was getting rid of the bad thinking that goes with poverty – racism, prejudice and blaming other people – all that stuff. I tried being a Marxist, but chucked in the towel because they were talking about after the revolution and I wanted to do something to help the homeless right then. That's when I met Gordon Roddick (husband of Body Shop founder Anita Roddick) who wanted to start a street paper, and I thought this is good, give people the chance to make their own money. We all need work after all. Why shouldn't the poor be given the chance of arranging their own exit strategy rather than having some piece of social engineering that keeps them poor for ever?

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## Philately will get you everywhere

Investments aren't all about stocks and shares these days. Canny investors are turning to alternative investments to build portfolios with staying power. Art, fine wine, stamps and rare coins are some of the assets bringing diversity to the investment scene, and even outperforming gold.



Keith Heddle, Investment Director at stamp, rare coin experts Stanley Gibbons explains why being a stamp-collector makes sense. 'Some people raise an eyebrow

and say 'Stamps? Really?' But the valuation indexes show that we outperform gold. It's incredible when you think about it. In the simplest terms, these are tiny bits of paper that (in some cases) other people have licked, and yet when you extrapolate that in terms of rarity and residual value, add the expanding collector base and the growing interest from foreign markets, and you can see why the rare stamp market is renowned for its relentless, steady growth'

How easy is it to invest in stamps? 'If we



'The Inverted Jenny' has the image of the Curtiss JN-4 airplane in the centre of the design which was accidentally printed upside-down. Catalogued at £225,000.

do our job properly it should be very easy. People say 'I don't know anything about stamps' but you don't need to know anything about stamps, that's what we're here for, after all, we've got 155 years of expertise. You tell us what you're looking for and we'll find an investment product to match and put a stamp portfolio together for you. We have people investing at the £10,000 level up to £3 million.'

In terms of return, the value of stamps and rare coins tends to increase in steady stages, rather than the volatile fluctuation of the stock market, making them an ideal investment for the medium to long term. 'I liken it to the hare and the tortoise fable' says Heddle. 'What most people do is chase the stock market looking for a quick return. We are the opposite. Stamps are like the tortoise of the investment market, but slow and steady wins the race. Investors who come on board and stick with us for the medium to long term end up with a win on their hands. Putting money into an investment, and ten years later coming out with a decent return is good news, especially in this market.'

Tracking of your stamp portfolio is handled by the Stanley Gibbons investment team. 'Once you've decided to invest in stamps, we can immediately get a portfolio together. Then you own those products. We'll look after them to keep them in pristine condition, insure and store them for you - we do everything'.

Whether you're looking to add diversity to your portfolio, a secure return or the cachet that comes from owning a rare stamp, being labeled a 'stamp collector' may not be a bad thing. 'Our investors generally fall into two types' explains Heddle. There are those who rather like the element of quirkiness that comes with saying you have a portfolio in stamps, and then, for other people it's the opposite. In the current volatile market, people don't want quirky when it comes to their returns, so the fact that we're incredibly stable with such an established brand gives them security and peace of mind. After all, look around you. The values of most things are unstable, but we seem to be that nugget of good news. If you have something that you want to lock away for a few years to anchor yourself through this economic tsunami, then you could do a lot worse than thinking about investing in stamps, rare coins and manuscripts.'

### About Stanley Gibbons

Founded in 1856, Stanley Gibbons is the most famous name in the world of stamp collecting and alternative investments; holding a stock of some of the rarest, most iconic and desirable stamps, coins, signatures and medals for the benefit of discerning collectors and investors worldwide. The opening of the brand new offices at 18 Hill Street marks six successful years on the islands for the Stanley Gibbons Group, hailed by Jersey's Lt Governor Sir John McColl as 'bringing diversity to the Islands in difficult financial times'

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### Director – Private Client

Set up Trust business requires a dynamic, experienced, trust professional to ensure the provision of a quality service to targeted clients through developing and maintaining relationships with existing and prospective clients, as well as an appropriate knowledge of global financial developments. A minimum of 10 years relevant experience is required and a professional qualification is essential, coupled with an up to date knowledge of trust and tax law.

### Senior Trust Officer

Our client, a leading trust company is looking for an SDO to provide professional trust and company administration services to a varied portfolio of clients. The ideal candidates will have minimum of 5 years' experience in trust and company administration financial services environment and a comprehensive understanding and technical knowledge of their Administration, Jersey Company Law and the tax implications of various structures.



## HR

### HR Business Partner

Global bank has a fantastic opportunity for an HR professional to join their growing team in driving the operational HR transformation in the delivery of business plans and objectives. It is essential that the candidate has a CIPD or equivalent qualification and, in addition, a degree or equivalent qualification in business/HR or an established subject specialist. Knowledge of current local legislation is required, as is 5 years' experience as HR generalist/HR specialist.

## IT

### Procurement Manager

The successful candidate will be to provide the continued growth of the organisation through effective procurement processes and activities across a variety of business areas. You will have a proven track record of developing and building lasting internal / external relationships, a knowledge of supply market and current innovations and the ability to initiate and lead negotiations and manage high value contracts spend contracts in a multi-stakeholder environment. A high level of procurement experience, based in an IT environment is essential.

## FUNDS

### Fund Administrator

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### Group Accountant

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# Quiz: Are you recession proof?

by Osbourne Ruddock

**A**s if our sudden lurch into winter wasn't enough, the papers have been filled with nothing but doom and gloom about this so-called 'double dip' recession that might already be on its way. 'Double dip' makes it sound like something fun, perhaps a rollercoaster or a packet of coloured sherbert, but I skimmed an issue of the *Financial Times* yesterday and it turns out it's a lot less fun because it's actually an economic disaster, caused by the Greeks going broke and Italy spending all its savings on Berlusconi's collection of skimpy briefs.

It looks like we're in for another few years of the news being nothing but menacing graphs and pictures of stockbrokers looking depressed, so why not chase away the interest-rate blues with this quiz? It should give you a good idea about whether you're going to keep buying fur coats, or should start planning to cook your pets and move your family into a large cardboard box.

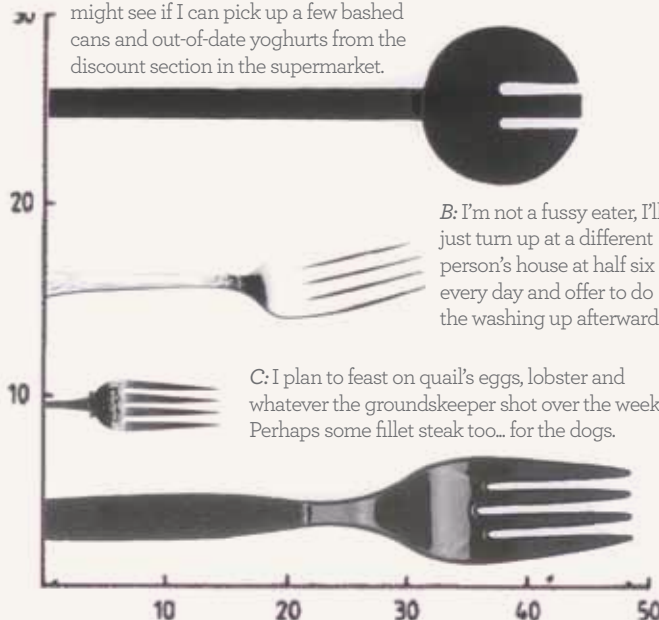
## 1: What's on the menu for recession dinner?

**A:** Probably pasta and pesto, although I might see if I can pick up a few bashed cans and out-of-date yoghurts from the discount section in the supermarket.

**B:** I'm not a fussy eater, I'll just turn up at a different person's house at half six every day and offer to do the washing up afterwards.

**C:** I plan to feast on quail's eggs, lobster and whatever the groundskeeper shot over the weekend. Perhaps some fillet steak too... for the dogs.

**D:** My children are foraging for wild mushrooms and berries in St Catherine's woods, they will provide a pleasant and nutritious change from seaweed stew, pigeon pie and nettle surprise.



## 4: You need some new clothes - where will you be shopping?

**A:** The sale rails, and I'm hoping I can pick up some bargains on eBay by staying up til 3am to bid on damaged goods from TK Maxx.

**B:** I'll be rummaging through other people's old clothes, either in the charity shops or on their washing line whilst they're at work.

**C:** New York - the terrible rate on the Euro has made Paris and Milan unacceptable this season.

**D:** I don't shop. If I'm unable to put together a new outfit from items abandoned around town on Saturday night I will weave my garments from stolen election banners.



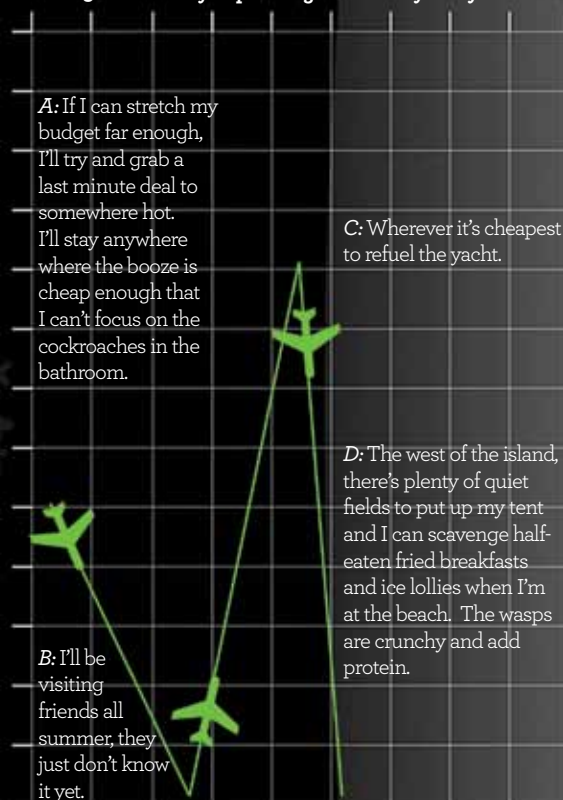
## 5: Where do you plan to go on holiday this year?

**A:** If I can stretch my budget far enough, I'll try and grab a last minute deal to somewhere hot. I'll stay anywhere where the booze is cheap enough that I can't focus on the cockroaches in the bathroom.

**C:** Wherever it's cheapest to refuel the yacht.

**B:** I'll be visiting friends all summer, they just don't know it yet.

**D:** The west of the island, there's plenty of quiet fields to put up my tent and I can scavenge half-eaten fried breakfasts and ice lollies when I'm at the beach. The wasps are crunchy and add protein.



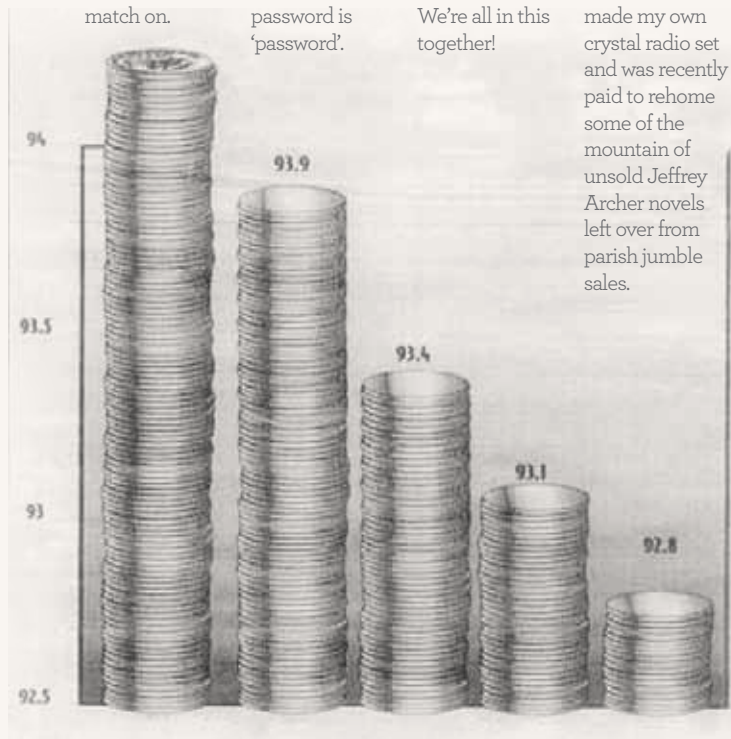
## 2: How do you plan to keep yourself entertained on a budget?

A: I'll probably just watch whatever is on telly, maybe have a few pints at my local if there's a match on.

B: Whatever I can watch for free online - apparently my neighbour's wireless password is 'password'.

C: I've stopped renting a box at the opera, and am leaving smaller tips for the staff. We're all in this together!

D: I've learned to lip read so that I can watch television in King Street for free. I've also made my own crystal radio set and was recently paid to rehome some of the mountain of unsold Jeffrey Archer novels left over from parish jumble sales.



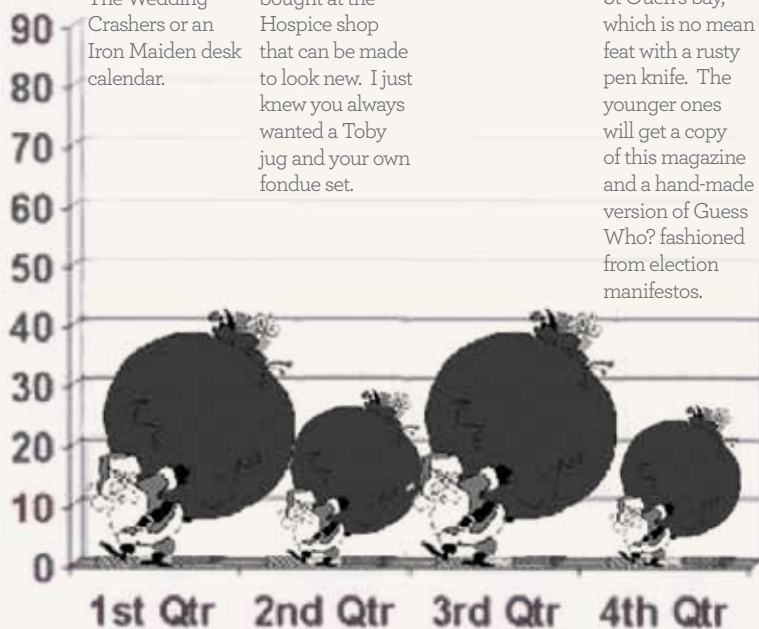
## 6: It's almost December - what will you be giving your loved ones for Christmas?

A: I did all my shopping in the most recent HMV sale. I hope you don't already own a copy of The Wedding Crashers or an Iron Maiden desk calendar.

B: A mixture of unwanted gifts I have received over the last five years, plus anything I bought at the Hospice shop that can be made to look new. I just knew you always wanted a Toby jug and your own fondue set.

C: I honestly have no idea, everybody I know employs a butler to take care of that kind of thing.

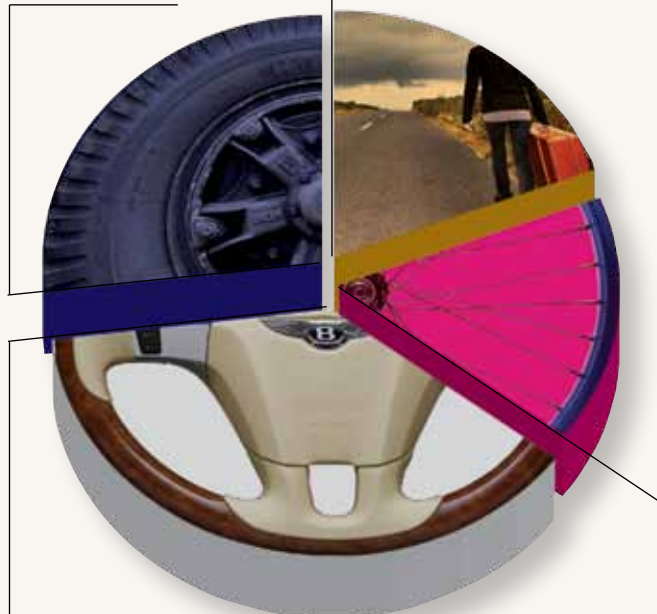
D: I've spent the last few months whittling ornaments from driftwood I gathered in St Ouen's bay, which is no mean feat with a rusty pen knife. The younger ones will get a copy of this magazine and a hand-made version of Guess Who? fashioned from election manifestos.



## 3: What's your most economical form of transport?

A: It's cheaper to leave the car at home and catch the bus, and the thirty minute walk to the bus stop will keep me fit as long as I don't get run over again.

B: I hitchhike everywhere, people really seem to appreciate my company.



C: The Bentley, but only because it's impossible to land my helicopter in town.

D: My collection of abandoned bicycles is second to none. I wish I could afford lights - for night cycling I've had to resort to a safety jacket fashioned from old parking cones.

**ANSWERS**

**Mostly As:** You're a sensible, normal person who likes to keep an eye on their budget, which is why you're enjoying premium quality writing for free in Gallery magazine. Congratulations - the credit crunch wasn't your fault and you're keeping the value of stale Porm Bears buoyant by doing the bulk of your shopping at the Pound Shop.

**Mostly Bs:** Well done, thrifty pants. You might not be in debt, but sooner or later you're going to wear out your welcome when people work out that you wait till you get to their house before doing a number two.

**Mostly Cs:** Your extravagance is keeping scores of servants, gardeners and first-class flight attendants in work - on the other hand you probably helped cause the recession in the first place by hiding your income in Monaco, your interest in Switzerland and your savings behind a hidden panel in your drawing room.

**Mostly Ds:** Recession - what recession? You have nothing to fear - you go to bed as soon as it gets dark, heat your house with burning tyres and are still eating the type of diet that went out of fashion in May 1945. In fact, you're probably reading this over somebody's shoulder even though it's a free magazine. Quick, run - an old lady is feeding stale bread to the seagulls and she probably won't notice if you wear a white t-shirt and jump around a lot.



# BusinessNews



## Awards that bring unexpected rewards

It's the largest business event in the Channel Islands, attracting more than 800 to its gala awards evening at Fort Regent, but as well as celebrating local entrepreneurship and initiative, the Jersey Enterprise Awards have led to a unique opportunity for one of the award winners.

When Jane Donald, the senior youth worker at Le Squez Youth Club accepted the Condor Ferries Community Award at last year's Jersey Enterprise Awards, she had no idea that the story of the club and the work it did with young people from Le Squez estate would strike such a chord with one particular sector of the audience.

International law and fiduciary firm Ogier, who had themselves received three awards at the gala awards evening, were so moved by the report showing the work Le Squez Youth Club did within the community, that they stepped forward and offered their support. In addition to funding a new full time assistant youth worker for the youth club from January 2012, Ogier will run legal advice drop in clinics, offer work experience placements and work with club members to revamp the youth club entrance.

The St Clement-based club couldn't be happier with its new sponsor. Senior youth worker Jane Donald said, 'We are very grateful for Ogier's support. We are looking forward to working together and have a number of projects lined up where we believe that Ogier's involvement will really make a difference to our community and our members. This includes brightening up our club and working together to put on a range of events. We will be starting with a sports day where young people will be able to take part and try out lots of different sports and fun activities!'

Paul Willing, Chief Executive Officer of Ogier Fiduciary Services adds 'It is great to know that our funding will help Le Squez Youth Club continue to provide support to their members. The work they do is invaluable; it is so important for young people to have a fun, safe and positive place to meet and socialise as well as learn new skills and Le Squez provides exactly this'.



## Business Performance Solutions performs

Business Performance Solutions, the advisory firm started by two female entrepreneurs in 2008 has been named as a finalist in the Change Management category at the Chartered Management Institute's prestigious Management and Leadership Awards, which will take place in October 2011. Alexsis Wintour, Executive Director says, 'We have been recognised as being at the top of our game to be shortlisted, even though we are an island based company. We faced stiff competition from companies of all sizes throughout the UK and are now in the top four for our work in programme and project management'.



## Can they fix it? Yes they can...

Local construction and commercial recruitment specialist, Grafters, is celebrating the delivery of 1,000,000 temporary worker hours. In 2006 Grafters was co-founded by James Baker and Hugh Jones to service the recruitment needs of the local construction, fulfilment, commercial and engineering industries. Today the company has in excess of 5,000 workers registered in Jersey and in the five years since the company started, more than 1,000,000 hours of work have been delivered to companies in Jersey and the UK.

'We are delighted that Grafters and its workforce has achieved such a significant milestone. It demonstrates the vast amount of work that has been generated primarily in Jersey, by our clients across a variety of sectors from construction to fulfilment. It also represents a significant contribution to the local economy on behalf of our clients,' said James Baker.



## Oi takes off

Channel Island brand communications agency, Oi, has won the digital marketing account for international airline Thai Airways UK & Ireland following a three-way pitch against London agencies.

Coming from what many may have said was a long-shot chance of winning against the incumbent and a large digital agency, both London-based, a strong team combining creative, digital, search engine optimization, and email marketing experts from Oi developed and presented a well thought out digital solution to the brief from the sales and marketing team at Thai Airways. 'This new, international client for Oi goes to show it pays to think big even in the smallest of places,' said Peter Grange, Oi's Managing Director.



## New look for New Street

The National Trust for Jersey's town house at 16 New Street, St Helier, has been fitted with new railings to restore its Georgian character. The newly manufactured railings were sponsored by Bedell Trust and Deutsche Bank - businesses that are both based in New Street, to bring the outside of the building in line with the original features.

The National Trust for Jersey's Chris Addy said: 'A lot of work has gone into identifying and sourcing the most appropriate materials and designs to ensure the railings and gate are as authentic as possible and we are delighted with the results. The project has been a team effort between the National Trust and Stephen Rylance and his expert workforce from Rylance Ltd, made possible in the first instance by our two most generous sponsors.'

# Big shots



## 300,000th (and 300,001st) guest at Radisson Blu

As staff at the Radisson Blu Waterfront Hotel get ready for the hotel's 4th birthday celebrations, they had a bottle of bubbly on ice to give a warm welcome to their 300,000th guest. An unsuspecting Mr and Mrs Williams from Birmingham arrived at the St Helier hotel to be presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers and chilled champagne from Hotel General Manager Thomas Stene - particularly timely as their weekend in Jersey coincided with birthday and wedding anniversary celebrations for the Williamses. 'We're delighted to be welcoming our 300,000th guest just four years after opening' said Thomas Stene. 'It is particularly satisfying as this milestone figure confirms that we're performing well in a difficult marketplace.'



## CI funds face new regulation

More than 125 delegates at the Channel Islands Funds Forum, held at the Hotel de France on 28th September and sponsored by KPMG, heard from a number of expert speakers that EU and US laws coming into force over the next few years will significantly increase the burden of regulation. Heather MacCallum, Executive Director at KPMG Channel Islands, was impressed by the quality and the in depth industry knowledge shown by the speakers. 'The Channel Islands are fast becoming the fund service providers of choice among international finance centres and events like this give us a fantastic opportunity to gain greater insight and providing practical advice that will help us run our businesses and serve our clients more effectively than before.'



## Laura Perez *Jersey Arts Trust*

I'm passionate about the arts and last year decided to give it a go for myself. Whilst they're no masterpieces, my hand-thrown pots would be the first thing I'd grab!



## Jo Reed *Liberation Group*

It would have to be bottle number 1 of our Liberation 140 bottles. The brewery team would never forgive me if anything happened to it!



## Stephen Platt

*Stephen Platt & Associates LLP*

I'd save my iPad and a gold bookmark given to me by my grandfather.



## Peter Zunino *Image Group*

Nothing else is as important as this picture of my children.



## Clayton Coates

*Rayners Dry Cleaners*

After I'd got the team out, I'd save my client database computer. Everything else is replaceable - my customers aren't.



## Ben Hickingbotham

*The Observatory*

We're in the middle of moving, so desks are bare but we'd definitely save our Espresso Machine - our lifeline to ensuring a clean and rapid decampment.



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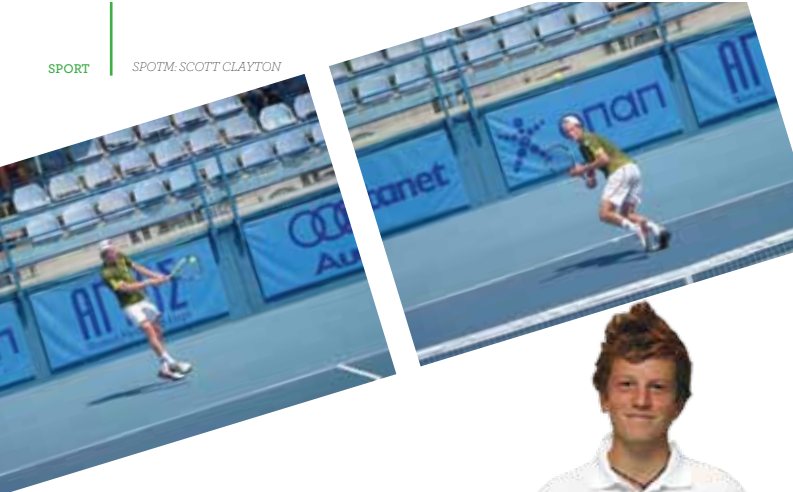
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*Sports Personality of the Month*

## Scott Clayton

### International Tennis Champion

**Age?** 17

**School?** I was at De La Salle but left in Year Seven to go to Milfield in the UK.

**Favourite Animals?** Dogs... I would love a chocolate labrador.

**Perfect Weekend?** My perfect weekend would be winning a big tournament on the Friday, then coming back to Jersey to see my friends and family and going out with them in the evening for a meal.

**Favourite food?** When I am away at tournaments I crave my mum's roast dinner (lamb preferably). I also love to go to Abilio's Restaurant for an espetada as I really like the cooking there.

**Favourite dance moves?** I do like to bring the robot out occasionally.

**Pet hate?** I don't really have many hates in life but if I was to choose one it would be all the travelling I have to do for tennis which means I have to come and go from Jersey.

**Guilty pleasure?** Chocolate... I do like a really good Lindt chocolate bar or some Ferrero Rocher occasionally.

**When did you start tennis?** At the age of three.

**What is the secret to being good at tennis?** To be good at tennis or any sport you need to have good dedication and you must be willing to sacrifice a lot but it will hopefully be worth it in the end.

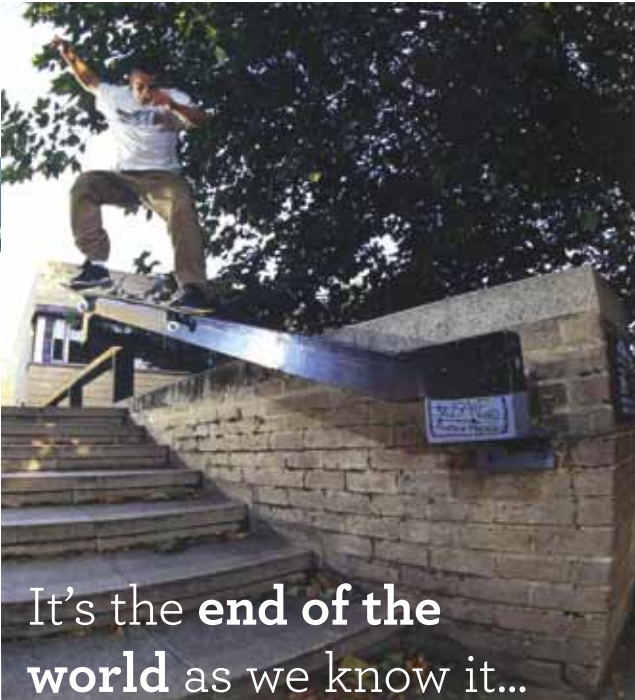
**Complete the sentence 'Not many people know that I...'** played in goal for Jersey until I left the island when I was in year 7 at De La Salle.

**Recent competitions?** I have won my last two International Tennis Competitions in Spain and Cyprus and got my Junior World Ranking up to 180 and hope to play the Grand Slams next year. I am playing three weeks tennis now in Asia so hope to do well.

**How did you prepare for it?** Training in hot conditions as it's very warm and humid here and I also got used to having a drinks bottle with me 24/7.

**Favourite moment in your tennis career?** It would have to be when I went to Shanghai after winning the 2008 HSBC Road To Wimbledon and played tennis and met one of the greatest tennis players ever, Bjorn Borg.

**How can people get into tennis?** There are a lot of good clubs on the island like Caesarean and Grainville tennis clubs with good coaches who have a wealth of experience. They can accommodate any standard and would help bring on your game a lot.



## It's the end of the world as we know it...

Jerseyman Gary Chevalier enjoys something of a cult status on these shores; a hugely talented skater and sponsored by several skate companies, he left the island back in 2005 for Argentina, where he now lives with his wife and son. What's more, he's one of the most knowledgeable people you could hope to meet on the subject of the Mayan calendar and the surrounding theories, which suggest that Planet Earth is heading for one almighty fall at the end of next year. With November being our 'End of the World' issue, we thought it was high time we got in touch with Gary to try and get a sense of what we might be in for next year.

### **When did you leave Jersey, and what led to you moving to Argentina?**

I left Jersey in January 2005, about a year after being involved in a car accident that nearly killed me! I was in a deep coma for 8 days, my case specialist told my mother that I would be lucky if I ended up as a vegetable, confined to a wheelchair for the rest of my life, due to the severity of my head injury. My mother then told her that she didn't know me, that I would leave the hospital on my own two feet. Two weeks later, I did just that. I came to Argentina with two friends, who wanted to visit South America. I just hijacked their holiday and ended up meeting a beautiful girl whilst I was here and four years ago we had our first child, Marco and now we are expecting a daughter. Everything else is just water under the bridge.

### **So are you a believer that 2012 will see the world come to an end? How do you think it's going to happen?**

I believe that there will be a great change in consciousness during 2012 but I don't think the world will just come to an end. It's not just the Mayan long count that supposedly finishes on that date, there will be certain alignments on 21-12-2012 of monuments here on earth with certain stars in the sky such as the pyramids in Giza being aligned to Orion's Belt, for example. It has to be an important date for one reason or another. Maybe the world doesn't end; maybe we get a change in the electromagnetic field or something like that.

### **What would you do to avoid the destruction of the planet?**

I believe that being below ground would offer the best protection. Apparently there are extensive networks of tunnels below South America in Argentina, Peru and Brazil.

### **And if they're right, what three things would you like to do before the world ends?**

I'd like to see my son skateboarding, I would like to see my wife get her degree in psychology and I'd also like to know if the meaning of life really is 42.



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## This season's hot kit selection from the *Ski And Snowboard Show*

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*I went to the ski and snowboard show at Earls Court in mid October to check out the new equipment for this season and have picked out two skis, two snowboards and two ski boots from a few different top brands which really impressed me.*

### SKIS

\* **Scott Crusade skis:** Ski manufacturers have been striving to produce a ski that performs well in different terrain and adapts to all snow conditions, whether powder, piste or anything in between. For 2011, the Crusade has a new construction, improving this tried and tested ski by losing some weight. This all-conditions ski features a wide body and Venturi-Tip Rocker, making it the ideal choice for deep snow and crud. The narrow waist and the Venturi-Tip/Tail reduce surface friction and provide superior performance on firm terrain. This ski is now in its third year, I have been privileged to test it in Austria and ski on them for three days in the Pyrenees and I was amazed at its performance, I never felt it was overly heavy and so I can't wait to try the lighter version!

[£645 including bindings]

\* **Salomon BBR skis:** A piste ski that floats in powder - a powder ski that carves on piste. BBR is a ski like no other ski ever made. An oversized, surfboard like tip and rocker shape enable the ski to float in powder and adapt to uneven terrain smoothly and predictably. BBR's narrow waist and pintail, its short radius and short effective edge on-piste provide great grip and playfulness on harder snow. What Salomon calls the 'V' shape, is literally two skis in one. [£500-£645 depending on model, including bindings]

### SNOWBOARDS

\* **DC Ply Snowboard:** An all mountain freestyle board which acts like a skateboard, light with lots of pop and stable on landings, this board will progress with you, from beginner to advanced! [£250, board only]

\* **Silbaerg Carvomat Pro Snowboard:** A piste and powder carving board with full camber. This board has been engineered to give an active concave across the width of the board as you carve, giving extra grip, especially on ice and hardpack. [£600, board only]

### SKI BOOTS

\* **Atomic Live Fit:** This boot first appeared last season and has already won critical acclaim; it uses heat moulded inner liners, and flexible panels in the outer shell which adjust to your foot as it flexes, giving greater precision in the turn and fantastic all day comfort. They are especially suited to wide feet. I have these boots and it really works!

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\* **Fischer Vacuum Fit:** This new system moulds the outer hard shell of the ski boot by heating it up, you then replace the liners, put your feet in and let the boot cool down while it is being formed to your foot with the aid of a pressure bag around the whole ski boot. So now it really is custom fitted to fit your foot!

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## Are the snow capped mountains calling for you again this year?

*This is actually rather tricky. I am doing the '747' position, doing my best to mimic an airplane with arms outstretched and right leg lifted up 'Straight... a bit straighter... unbend your knee... more... we're aiming for straight...' behind me, while the Lovely Paul (LP), a source of endless encouragement, times 30 seconds. I am halfway through my hour-long session with LP, who is in charge of the Snow Fit Program at The Jersey Sports & Spinal Clinic. This is a program designed for those who jet off to the slopes with the aim of preventing injuries, in particular, damage to the anterior cruciate ligament which is inside the knee. The ACL is especially important because if you do give it a bit of a twist with an awkward manoeuvre then the consequences can be disastrous and you may well need surgery (and a hefty 6-8 months of rehab) to sort the joint out properly. Best to listen to the Lovely Paul then.*

'This program is designed for everyone, all levels and ages,' says LP when I am having a rest after hopping around the room (to test the comparative strength of my knees). 'That said, it is really useful for women because the ACL incidence is four to six times higher in women than men - this is for natural, physiological reasons. We've put together a series of exercises which increase flexibility and core strength and focus on the muscles most used for winter sports. I carry out a thorough assessment to determine where the potential weaknesses might be and then I tailor specific exercises and stretches which will help reduce the risk of injury.' As Paul has been skiing since his days as a toddler in New Zealand and was physio to the USA Alpine ski team for two seasons alongside lots of teaching and racing, he knows what he's talking about.

Ideally, you should think about starting the program six weeks before your trip, as this is how long it takes for changes to take place which will go some way to help prevent injury. However, every little helps, and even in the short time since my session I've been practising the 747 I have noticed that my left knee is getting much less wobbly and the scary sit ups are not as scary as they used to be. I've also managed to work some of the recommended exercises into office life - I hop to the kitchen to make the tea (note: hopping back with hot liquid is not a good idea) and instead of attempting to throw any rubbish in the bin in the opposite corner, I physically make my way there, crossing the room with a series of graceful lunges. They haven't said anything, but I know my colleagues are rather impressed.

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## Take a *moment to recover*

After a hard training session it's important to help your body recover as fast and as effectively as possible. Whether you've had a hard session lifting weights, doing a class, aerobic exercise or taking part in any strenuous sport your body is in a catabolic state post work out. This means that your body is under stress and potentially could use muscle as a fuel to produce energy.

To prevent this, your body requires an immediate source of carbohydrates and easily digestible proteins. The carbohydrates will replace the stored glycogen that has been used up during exercise and the proteins will immediately be broken down in to amino acids which will be used to repair and rebuild the muscles in the body.

An independent study by Massey University in New Zealand demonstrated that athletes recovered more quickly after prolonged exercise when they consumed a recovery drink, which combined whey protein and carbohydrate.

The study results indicated that protein plays an important role in speeding up post exercise recovery, enabling athletes to perform again more quickly at their peak by stimulating further the production of insulin and providing the essential building blocks (amino acids) needed to help muscles recover.

*The supplement store up at Fort Regent has some really great brands with specific recovery products. They recommended their Boditronics Recover EX or the CNP's Prorecovery.*

## Cheers to *Good Health* this Christmas!

If last year's gym membership was lost in February then you might benefit from hiring a piece of gym equipment this year instead.

Good Health has a whole host of machines and fitness gadgets for you to test out through hiring this winter and New Year. They have treadmills, exercise bikes, elliptical cross-trainers, rowing machines, and even the coveted Powerplate.

### Great reasons to hire:

- You get to test out different machines from as little as £15 a week.
- You know you're going to get a good box set this Christmas and there are so many great things on the TV, so all you need to do is hire a cross trainer, or a fitness bike and turn your TV watching time into calorie burning time too!
- Their fitness equipment is modern and is thoroughly checked and serviced after every hire contract.
- It gives you a chance to try a machine before you buy.
- There is a range of different equipment for everyone from novices to enthusiasts to the fanatical.
- All equipment can be delivered straight to the location of your choice and is demonstrated on site, free of charge.
- When you've signed up to have a machine for a month and it is right there in your home then you tend to make the most of it and actually use it.

*If you need any more convincing then pop into Good Health, and talk to the guys there who will give you all the facts, they are located at Harbour Reach on the Waterfront opposite Castle Quay.*



## *Under 7s rugby squad have a ball...*

Last month, 12 members of the Jersey Rugby Club Academy Under 7s squad travelled to the Trojans Rugby Club in Eastleigh with three coaches and a number of parents to take part in their first overseas tournament of the season. After winning most of their pool games they made it to the semi-finals where they beat Overton and then to the final where they narrowly beat Havant to take the Cup. After only six weeks of training, and for most just a short time of playing rugby, this group of 12 showed what hard work, commitment and determination can achieve. Well done to Beth Gibson, Billy Cash, Cameron Haliwell, Casper Messervy-Evans, Dan Daly, Finlay Baker, Isabella Stuart, Katie Buckley, Larry Strong, Samuel Pinel, Tom Bull and Tom Moore and their coaches Allan Watts, Jerry Daly and Lead Coach, Neil Pinel.

# *HARDWARE*



## iPad 2 is here.



Come in and see why it's even better the second time round.

The device that started it all now leaps further ahead. iPad 2 is thinner, lighter and even faster than the original, with the same 10-hour battery life. The new front and back cameras let you make FaceTime<sup>®</sup> video calls and capture HD video on the beautiful, 9.7-inch Multi-Touch display. And the optional iPad Smart Cover<sup>®</sup> attaches magnetically and aligns perfectly. Discover the amazing iPad 2 at iQ.

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# Motoring News

## Six Jägerbombs, three triple vodka and Cokes and a tab of acid please, bar keeper!

I'm sure that those responsible for this crackpot idea at Nissan would fervently deny it, but there is no doubt in my eyes that whoever came up with the concept of a 'Juke R' did so whilst drinking copious amounts of ale in a public house.

The general gist, seemingly backed up by the photos you see here is that in order to gauge public reaction to a 'sporty' version of Nissan's recent crossover, the bubbly 'Juke' they've cut and shut one with one of their mightily GT-R supercars. Glug glug... See what I mean?

Admittedly a one-off but still a road legal one, by combining the bodystyle, dubious

off-road capability and high seating position with a 3.8 litre twin-turbo V6, six speed 'box, four wheel drive system, FIA approved roll cage, harnesses and seats and 20 inch forged alloy rims, Nissan say that the Juke-R will be equally at home on the road or the track.

They didn't mention anything about the hilly, sandy bits between Paris and Dakar in the press release, but nevertheless this stroke of madness (or genius, depending on how drunk you are) will undoubtedly raise just as many smiles as it will eyebrows so keep your eyes peeled for the inevitable upcoming clips going viral on YouTube.



### TOYOTA TO RETURN TO LE MANS

Using a new petrol-electric hybrid powered LMP1 car, Toyota plans to push the limits of its world-leading hybrid technology, hoping to 'write a new chapter in the history of the Le Mans 24 Hour, as in the FIA World Endurance Championship through [their] use of hybrid technology' according to Toyota's Motorsport Chairman, Tadahito Yamashina.

With Audi and Peugeot proving that using a diesel engine can be advantageous, hybrids are the next logical step.



### Lower emissions but no drop in performance?

It sounds too good to be true, but a company in the mainland called Vieu Technologies claims that their new tuning service, Blue Optimize, can cut carbon emissions.

Essentially a custom remap and suited mostly to high-performance vehicles they claim that their retunes can reduce your CO2 figures by up to a massive 60% as gained from a BMW 330d, or around 33% on a Range Rover Sport TD6. And you know what reduced CO2 means, don't you? Reduced fuel consumption, of course. Could this be too good to be true?

[www.viezu.com](http://www.viezu.com)

### Pay as you (don't) go

Environmental do-gooders and Tesla owners alike will be pleased to hear that plans to roll out over 4,000 public charging points to the UK throughout next year have been announced by Chargemaster.

An undoubtedly pivotal development in the world of electric vehicles, you should never be too far from a charging point once the infrastructure is in place, quashing the ever present worry about vehicle range when teetering on the edge of decision when considering whether to take the plunge into full-EV ownership.

Brighton-based Elektromotive who manufacture the recharging stations have already supplied over 2,000 charging stations globally, with around 900 of those in the UK.

You don't even have to be female or attractive to use the service, just to avoid any confusion that may arise from the accompanying picture to this news item (right). Suddenly the Tesla Roadster you read about a couple of months ago is making sense, isn't it?



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## Hyundai ix20

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- Front fog lights
- Electric folding mirrors with integral indicators
- Reversing sensors
- Bluetooth® connectivity

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## Hyundai i40 tourer

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# It wouldn't be the end of the world *if...*

**B**ringing freedom, convenience and enjoyment to the masses, the introduction of the motor car as an accessible tool to all but a few of the poorest people globally has truly been a godsend. Some of the monstrosities that this revolution spawned though, well, they weren't so good. Suddenly, the onset of rust to your beloved classic could be working wonders elsewhere, ridding us of Type 2 vans, 2CVs and Ranchos.



## Cross-pollination

The best thing to do with a Type 2 van or bus? Scrap it. But the second best thing? Scrap the VW flat 4 for a Porsche flat 6 like the Swiss owners of this one did. Shoehorning a 520hp twin turbo motor from a 993 wins my approval!

## Traffic jams on B-roads didn't exist

A potentially controversial point of view I'll admit, but for all of the Volkswagen Type 1's disgusting evil, I can tolerate it. I can tolerate it because the Beetle was undeniably Dr Ferdinand Porsche's blueprint for his later masterpiece, the 911, which I adore. The Type 2, however, is inexcusable.

That queue that you're at the tail end of? The one that stretches until half way up that distant hill you can just about make out by the trail of brakelights ahead of you? I can guarantee that at the front of it is an air-cooled Volkswagen camper van of some description. Thanks a lot Dr Porsche, your 911 is quite literally powerless in the face

of your earlier attempts at liberating the masses. Thanks a lot.

Revered by hippies, surfers and your wicked Uncle Ernie alike (and by that I mean in a 'Tommy' kind of way, as opposed to a 'gnarly, hang ten' kind of way) they are without question responsible for every tailback, traffic jam and AA callout. I can't even watch the Discovery channel any longer for fear they'll be showing the re-run of 'Overhaulin'' where they restored a squillion window Samba bus. I thought Chip Foose knew better. I'm not angry though Chip, oh no - just disappointed.



### Art from evil

Dorset based artist and car chopper infamous for creating his work from Austin 1100s to Bentleys to Granadas to Range Rovers used a 2CV to build this tongue-in-cheek beauty - the 2CV Picasso.

## French peasants hadn't been mobilised post World War Two

No less than five MILLION Citroën 2CVs were constructed between 1948 and 1990. Yes, they were even making them into the very early 90s - how was this ever allowed? Bringing mobility to the working classes of France didn't help perfect the recipe for baguettes, or fine wine, or smelly cheeses. Pablo Picasso never yearned for the freedom of the open road when he moved to Paris and now his name is emblazoned over the wings of a handful of Citroën's contemporary models. He wasn't even French, for goodness' sake!

Yet too many of these tiny, half deckchair, half mechanical donkey terrors still roam the Routes National and rutted tracks of France to this day, having irreversibly forged an eternity of brand loyal patriots nationwide. Have you ever seen the classifieds section of a French newspaper? The listings are arranged in a somewhat tenuous order, running along the lines of; Citroën, Peugeot, Renault, Audi, BMW, Ford, Mercedes, with the latter four occupying a mere half page when compared to the preceding twelve or so spreads of poorly built, mediocre French cars. Yet 96% of the population refuse to buy anything else.

## The SUV had never been invented

You may be fortunate enough never to have had to see one of these in the metal (and textured, black plastic - they were adorned with an almost unfathomable quantity of textured, black plastic) but as somebody who grew up in the 80s, I actually have. It's not a pretty sight. Designed, if you could use such a term, to capitalise on the off-road look of the then successful Range Rover whilst offering absolutely none of its off-road capabilities, or really any of its upmarket and rugged looks to be truthful, the Matra-Simca Rancho's nauseatingly foul exterior was hiding something equally laughable - a 1.4 litre engine and front wheel drive layout.

Surprisingly, or in fact probably unsurprisingly, the Rancho went on to spawn what became the first European MPV; Renault's Espace. I guess they decided to get straight to the point as things progressed, building the Espace almost entirely out of plastic instead of liberally glueing on pieces willy-nilly.



### Never be late for school again...

If the Rancho was evidence of a group of French designers not taking their prescription medicine, then the Espace F1 (that's right, combining an Espace with an F1 car) is proof of an overdose.



Having spent most of his life living under a witness protection programme following his exposure to this Matra Rancho, this boy's identity has had to be hidden.. Thanks to extensive rehabilitation he is doing well and also no longer wears sandals with socks.



# Gallery gadgets & toys

## Moshi Moshi

Spawned from the online social networking game of the same name, these Moshi Monsters soft toys will probably be high up on the Christmas list for any dedicated Moshi Monsters gamer. Thankfully you won't need to play for hours for hard-earned Rox to get your mitts on these, you can use sterling, or most major credit cards.



## We're being followed!

A must for any self-respecting Disney Pixar fan, adults and children alike, the Finn McMissile character playset has the voice of none other than Michael Caine hidden inside as well as a small armoury of weapons and spy tools at its disposal to brighten up those winter playtime hours spent indoors. You wouldn't want to catch a chill now, would you?

Sturdy but functional and with three firing missiles and pop-up attachments your kids (or you, after they've gone to bed - we all know you do it, just admit it!) can have hours of fun destroying the house and re-enacting their favourite scenes from Cars 2 featuring the British international spy-car of mystery himself, Finn McMissile.

Available from all good toy shops locally and online for upwards of £30.



## MECHTECH Bumblebee

Yet another toy that just refuses to die out, here's one of the latest Transformers transforming figures from the new film in all of his transformed and unfolded glory. These have been around since I was still wearing long socks in the summer but they look far, far more advanced and presumably much more fun to play with these days.

Imagine pitting this fella against little Justin over there? I'm pretty confident about who'd come off worse.

Available from all good toy shops locally and online from £40 upwards.



## EXTERMINATE!

According to Hamleys, this is set to be their most-wanted Christmas gift for kids - a giant, blow-up Dalek. Whoever said that the retro-resurgence was over was definitely mistaken, as this £200 inflatable irritant will surely prove!

Costing a whopping £200 no doubt due to the intricacy of gluing together a few beach balls and nothing to do with the vast licensing fees levied on the manufacturer what could be better than having your kids scream 'EXTERMINATE, EXTERMINATE' at you in a robotic voice all the way through Christmas dinner whilst all the while refusing to eat at the table in favour of dining from within their new best friend?

On second thoughts, does anything else on this page take your fancy? You must now exterminate every single one of the 10,000 copies of this magazine out there in order to keep your offspring from nagging you to death for one. Sorry about that.

## Justin a smaller form

Another one tipped to be a hit this Christmas is the singing Justin Bieber doll which requires 4 batteries to be removed to hush his pre-pubescent mouth and sporting a range of outfits personally styled by The Bieber himself.

Don't be fooled by that guitar he's toting, he can't play it - it's just for show. In fact, he doesn't even know where Germany is (search 'Justin Bieber doesn't know what German is' on YouTube and prepare to laugh. Sorry, fans).

Available from all good toy shops locally and online for around £25 - get one before his voice breaks.

## Get Angry, play your music loud!

If you've not heard of Angry Birds and have been plagued with intrigue as to where everybody you meet has heard that irritatingly catchy tune that can be heard whistled island, or even nation-wide then climb back into your hole before it's too late. We showed you the plush toys a few months ago, but now you can also buy speakers with docking stations to attach your iPhone, iPod touch or iPad too, whichever your Apple media storage weapon of choice may be.

The official Angry Birds speakers will be available from mid November at the new and improved, larger iQ store on Beresford Street, costing £38.85 (inc GST) for the red bird, and £54.60 for either the black bird or green pig version.



## SONOS intriguing...

We'll be covering Sonos in greater depth in the next issue, but just to give you a taster of what's to come, Sonos is a music system that allows you to stream music stored on your laptop, NAS (that's Network Attached Storage for anyone who doesn't work in IT) or directly from the web to any room in your house.

Just connect one of Sonos' Play 3 devices (shown below) to your network and it'll be able to play music from any device also connected to your router, including any PS3 or laptop. You can also use it to stream from the web using internet radio of services like Spotify. Want the music in other rooms too? Just add extra speakers that can wirelessly connect to your Play 3 - you can even set it to play different music in different rooms simultaneously so there are no arguments when your kids want to listen to their latest favourite screamin' Emo band when you'd rather a bit of Michael Buble. Or vice versa, of course.

**Sonos can even be controlled from your mobile, and as it fits in perfectly with their product range, JT will be demonstrating and selling both the Play 3 and wireless bridge in store with the Play 3 at £240 and the wireless bridge at £40.**

## Phone Drone

Dubbed 'the flying video game' by its creators, the Parrot AR Drone is a quadricopter (yes, a new term to me as well) that you control via an app on your iPhone, iPad or iPod Touch.

With 3 different coloured hulls available and an indoor hull to protect its four spinning blades from striking your priceless Ming vase collection from their display shelf (disastrous, I'm sure you'd agree) there'll be no confusion as to who's drone is doing what at any one time.

As well as the app download provided which allows you to control the drone, further apps are being developed to enhance your experience as you get involved in races, dogfights and pursuits with fellow drone pilots.

With a range of up to 50 metres and two cameras on board the mind boggles as to how much fun you could potentially have / how much trouble you could potentially get yourself into with one of these.

**Parrot AR Drones are available from iQ now at a cost of £235 (inc GST)**



## Countdown to 2012

(Word on the street is that this is when the world is going to end)

It's a well known fact that the world WILL end on 21st December, 2012, so with a little over a year remaining we might as well be prepared. You've heard that somewhere too, right?

It's all right though, stemming from an ancient Mayan belief, I've learnt that you can survive and 'spiritually thrive' once the apocalypse has passed if you sign up to a free mailing list and join a cult. Never let it be said that Gallery doesn't have its readers' best interest at heart.

The Mayan 'long count' calendar has for centuries been counting down to the inevitable date of 21/12/2012 (even though the Gregorian calendar likely hadn't been devised at that point) but here's an easier way - your very own 'End of the World Countdown Timer'! Marvellous.

At some point toward the end of... next year, when the world inevitably doesn't come to an end you can reset the timer to count down again, presumably to another useless date or just use it as a normal desk clock and a constant reminder to your colleagues to mock you furiously at any given opportunity. What more could you ask?

Thankfully, this kind of useless tat hasn't found its way onto the pages of Amazon's UK store but, unsurprisingly, is readily available from their United States of Idiocy store for a mere \$9.99. Get one imported, before it's too late! No rush then.





# Phone Home

## HTC Titan

Handset only £467. Free on Blue 24 month contract from Jersey Telecom

Behold, Titan's gargantuan 4.7" display and 8mp camera! HTC's Titan handset also runs Microsoft's latest mobile operating system; Windows Phone Mango, which

now supports application multi-tasking amongst other much needed features. A comparatively slim 9.9mm thick, you might wonder how you ever managed to use a smartphone with a smaller display. Using the same 1.5ghz processor found in HTC's Flyer tablet, Titan really packs a punch.



## Samsung Galaxy W

Handset only £284. Free on Green 24 month contract from Jersey Telecom

A more affordable version of Samsung's Galaxy S2 that shares the sleek aesthetic of the Galaxy range, it's packing a 3.7" screen and the obligatory 5mp camera supported by an LED flash on the rear along with a lower resolution front facing camera for video calls and taking your own photo. Don't deny that you haven't tried that before, Gallery reader, we've all done it! It also comes with 'Kies Air', which makes syncing with your PC a breeze and without adding to the Spaghetti Junction appearance of your desk as it all happens entirely wirelessly.

## Nokia C3

Handset £99, or £15 per month on an 18month contract from Airtel Vodafone, 200 free mins and unlimited free texts = free handset.

Looking for a BlackBerry lookalike on a budget? This great little number from Nokia fits the bill - with a choice of colours too.

The Nokia C3 has a full QWERTY keyboard, just like the BlackBerry, but in this instance it's designed to appeal to social media addicts on Facebook and Twitter, rather than work emails.

With a two megapixel camera and built in Wi-Fi, this model's got plenty of features. Really looks more expensive than it is and is an absolute steal at just £99.



## One million people can't be wrong!

Within a few days of announcing the new iPhone 4S, Apple had taken over one million pre-orders. The tech world was immediately buzzing with excitement at the prospect of a new feature-laden iPhone.

The speed of the iPhone hits you first. It comes with a dual core A5 chip that doubles its overall performance and enables it to run graphics up to 7 times faster than previously. Combine this processing power with the 8 megapixel camera and you've got a multimedia device par excellence.

The iPhone 4S runs on the new iOS 5 and as far as operating systems go it has been very warmly received, providing access to a whole raft of new features.

As you'd expect with the iPhone, connectivity is king and Apple has moved to put this model at the top of the ladder when it comes to cloud interaction. The iCloud feature means that all of your documents, photos and so on are pushed into the Cloud as a backup and automatically synchs all your other Apple devices. The features don't stop there and perhaps the most exciting, certainly the one that has received most coverage is the inclusion of Siri, a voice activated organiser which means you can set reminders, look for information and send messages, all with the power of your voice. The feedback so far, is that Siri really does work, bringing an end to all those troublesome voice-activated features of the past.

**Available now!**  
The iPhone 4S is a very impressive upgrade on the iPhone 4 and it's available in the Sure Store now!

## Gaming (ON)LIVE from the cloud

Online gaming as tested by Mark Beckford

From my experience the service is a decent idea of offering on-demand gaming via 'the cloud' that is free to try (if your connection can handle it), taking out the need for disks or even downloading of games to a console, instead being able to play the latest games when you like in a drop-in drop-out style, something which is cleverly shown off in the Arena mode where users can jump-in to spectate other players gaming sessions instantly without load times or the need to own a specific game.

*'[Onlive provides the ability] to play the latest games when you like in a drop-in drop-out style, or spectate other players' gaming sessions instantly without load times or the need to own a specific game'*

OnLive offers a range of methods to play from the Marketplace based on demos, renting, single purchases or subscription plans depending how a player wants to play. While the service relies HEAVILY on the connection it runs on, once it gets going it functions remarkably well. It won't offer players as crisp a picture as the console equivalent (due to connection quality causing blurriness in places, especially with more fast paced games like racing games), and with certain 'quick response' games like first person shooters there can be a noticeable delay with a player's input, however other genres seem to hold up pretty well to the technology such as puzzlers and action RPGs.

For casual to average gamers that aren't as fussed over the quality of picture, OnLive will likely draw players in with the ability to jump in and out of games on the fly and pick from a vast selection of top quality games. OnLive is quite possibly the future of cloud gaming, but the connection prerequisites mean it is limited to those that can for now. In my experience it is a service like this which will help drive ISPs like Jersey Telecom to invest in the future of internet services as this is definitely a gaming service for the Gigabit Isles.



### Pros:

- Drop-in-drop-out instant gaming
- No need for discs or large downloads
- Spectate other players' gaming sessions
- A range of top class games with a good range of pricing options and trial services

### Cons:

- Some lack of visual quality (depending on connection)
- Some input delay (depending on the type of game)
- High speed internet required that might not be available to everyone right now

## Beyond Computers Gadget of the month



### Archos G9

Prepare to be impressed and meet the Archos G9 10 inch tablet. This isn't just any competitively priced tablet for the android market, it is full of all the extras people have been wanting and a whole heap more.

One of the most outstanding advantages of this is that the Archos G9 has ... wait for it... a standard USB port plus a mini HDMI port! There are also some other real goodies such as it is packed with a whopping 250GB of storage with enough space for 50 hours of high-definition movies - this blows all other tablets out of the water.

Archos has dubbed this product the 'Fastest Tablet on Earth,' thanks to the premiere of the OMAP 4460 and its two 1.5 GHz Cortex A9 cores. It also has the latest Android Honeycomb operating system which is upgradable to 3G anytime via USB dongle. You can get it with either 8GB, 16GB or 250GB memory that is also upgradeable via the Micro SD card slot. Oh yes, and the Archos G9 has full 1080p video and supports flash!

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# Phonetic Freefall

## Who are Phonetic Freefall?

PF is not so much a band but a musical improvisation collective started by two local bands, Benny The Moth and The Beat Tree - with the philosophy that the purest forms of musical creation come when we least expect it. Our aim is to give up and coming poets, spoken word artists and MCs the chance to perform their lyrical works on stage backed by a live improvised soundtrack that's inspired by the rhythmic flow of their verses. In an intimate venue like The Blue Note, we hope that we can encourage people to share their words and be a part of something exciting, spontaneous and unpredictable. If we can get the mix right we think it'll be an experience that's unique for Jersey and inspired for both performers and audience alike.

## Growing up, who inspired you musically?

Its so varied - we've all taken inspiration from our parents and sibling's music, then friends and school mates but without being too long winded in a some kind of chronological stream - Rolling Stones, John Lee Hooker, The Beatles, John Lennon, Led Zeppelin, The Jam, Nirvana, LTJ Bukem, Bob Marley, 2Pac, John Coltrane, Jurassic5, Miles Davis, Guru... There are so many names, genres, labels and cultures we could probably go on for the whole page!

## Now who is inspiring you musically?

### Which artists are causing your ears to take notice?

Again, so many but right now the artists that we've been promoting at our club nights such as MC Xander, Mr Woodnote, Dub Fx, Joe Driscoll, Sound of Rum & Dub Mafia are giving us huge inspiration and really pushing things forward. Artists like Foreign Beggars, Roots Manuva, Souljazz Orchestra, Quantic, Seu Jorge, Rodrigo Y Gabriela, Bassekou Kouyate & Ngoni Ba and spoken word artists like Scroobius Pip, Kate Tempest & Polar Bear are ticking all the right boxes at the moment too.

## Who/what inspires you day to day?

Today we're massively inspired by the technological advances in music making and expression but also how they impact on society through art, literature and the internet. Our understanding of dark flow, quantum theory and the genetic world tree of life - it's wild - we live in exciting times but we have to keep it real - we love artists that are just able express that kind of vibe live on stage. Lately we've been getting inspired by Debussy, Fela Kuti, Terminal State, Joe Driscoll, Macka B and Fuzzbox mixes while day dreaming we were in a studio or on the beach all day instead of at work.

## What are your thoughts on the local music scene?

The scene is healthy and there's loads of amazingly talented people over here but we do suffer from not having a solid student population - people often say it's a lack of venues but that's not necessarily the case - it's more about licensees and punters taking a shot at something different as original live music is always competing with the safer bet. Cutting out all the red tape for licensing live music would be an enormous step to giving the scene a boost and improving the quality as a whole - local music has been saved by some incredible bar managers and owners in the past but to really flourish and move forward, we need to bring down the barriers that prevent people from performing live music, it would encourage people to go out and enjoy performances more instead of just focusing on getting legless.

## What local artists are floating your boat right now?

Schema, Terminal State and Fuzzbox are producing awesome tracks right now - Verse1, B-Easy, U.G and Revolution Records are doing good things for local MCs - Lloyd Yates' album is going to be incredible - also loving Bones, Pirate Party Brigade, Smooth Hounds, Centeniers & The Morves - great to have the Cryptics back too!

## Where is your favourite place to play in Jersey?

The Blue Note is a great venue and is really fun to play as it feels so well suited to intimate live music - on the opposite end of the scale though, the top room at the 'Splash is second to none when it's busy. The Live Lounge can really go off and we've had some incredible gigs there too.

## If you could play alongside anyone, alive or dead, who would that be?

Bob Marley, John Lennon and 2Pac fronting a Phonetic Freefall jam would be amazing!!

## Who is on your most played list on your iPod?

MC Xander has had loads of spins - his debut all beatbox and vocal album 'Eyeopeness' is just incredible. Mr Woodnote & Lil Rhys' new album's getting a lot of plays at the moment so am sure they'll catch up, Souljazz Orchestra, Peter, Bjorn & John are up there too - and Pierre Cherriza apparently but he doesn't seem to come around enough.

## Grassroots was the type of event that hosted acts of your genre, with Natty and Flutebox and the likes... what are your thoughts on the loss of such an event, how do you think it will affect Jersey's music scene?

It's a shame as it was starting to become the festival I think the promoters wanted it to be but that's the nature of the game. Promoters are often staking a hell of a lot to make these events happen and it's really sad when it doesn't work out and people with good intentions lose a lot of money. It's a shame that we won't get the chance to work with them as we did gravitate towards similar artists but the worst thing is the kids who can't get into club shows won't have the memories from an outdoor experience that Grassroots provided. Despite this though we have to remember that the artists existed before Grassroots and served to develop the fan-base of the festival in the first place so there's no need to worry about the music itself being under threat. Besides something new always lies around the corner after all, so you have to stay positive don't you?

## Where and when can the Jersey public catch you playing?

We'll be at the Blue Note on the last Wednesday of every month between 8-11pm this winter as we look towards locking down our roster for 2012. Entry is free so come down, be inspired and spontaneous and share some local lyrical treasures in a warm and intimate environment. You can keep up to date with details of the Wednesday shows as well as all our main events featuring awesome UK and international guests by keeping your ear to the ground or joining the Phonetic Freefall Facebook page.



## Ringo the Pirate Dog meets....

One eyed Jack Russell Ringo (ably assisted by his PA, Ally) meets musicians and artists and asks the questions no one else could ever think of! Photo: Chris Halford, makeup: Michaela Dawes.



I met up with Brave Yesterday for a sneak peak at their new promotional video for their album 'For the sake of symmetry' which is due to be released later this year. Brave Yesterday consists of Craig Farrell on lead guitar and backing vocals, Alex Pitt on bass guitar, Chris Nutter vocalist and guitar and Shaun Jacob on drums, are a local Jersey band who have recently enjoyed a stint on the notorious John Peel stage at Glastonbury earlier this summer. Here's an extract from the interview where we ask the question; 'It's the end of the world so how brave are Brave Yesterday?'

**Ringo: Who do you think, out of Brave Yesterday, would survive a zombie apocalypse?**

**BY: Ah, that's a good question...**

**Ringo: And who do you think would be the first person to die?**

**BY: I think we'd all have different strengths. I actually think Chris would be the first person to die because he'd probably go in there all guns blazing or he'd go in there and try and convince them not to eat him. Shaun would probably be the one that would survive and Alex and I (Craig) would survive but probably only by accident.**

**Ringo: And what's your biggest phobias?**

**BY: Alex: Probably being eaten by a shark. Craig: I've got a thing about moths...**

**Ringo: Moths? We go from man-eating sharks to moths???**

**BY: Craig: Yeah, I used to be scared of mummy monsters but I've sort of gotten over that. I can even watch The Mummy Returns no problem. It's the bandages (shudders), it's just unhygienic. You need to change bandages once a week don't you?**

**Ringo: Yeah I guess so.... So the world has ended and you have to re-populate the world. Who would you choose to do that with you?**

**BY: Oooh I don't know that's really tough, someone who you would be happy to continue with, genes-wise. It's got to be Megan Fox hasn't it. (They're all in agreement on this one). She's just beautiful. We've asked for her on our riders but we never get her, she never turns up. We're still waiting for it to happen. Our rider consists of Corona, fruit and Megan Fox. We always get the fruit and the beer but never Megan Fox.**

To read the full interview, log on to [RingothePirateDogmeets.blogspot.com](http://RingothePirateDogmeets.blogspot.com)



## The Resurrection, yer know... The Stone Roses reform

Wow. We never thought we'd see the day the band that shaped a genre, provided a soundtrack to many of our teenage years and swaggered through the Manchester music scene, would reform... The Stone Roses, who proved that Manchester provided the pulse for British music, are back together. Could we be more made up? Nope.

The Stone Roses held a press conference on 18th October announcing the great news. As Ian Brown put it, 'This is a great day for positive thinkers', we think it's a great day for British music and music all over the world. As the lads pointed out, much of the music scene they're stepping back into is somewhat bland in places.

A great day for ticket merchants too, as all 225,000 tickets sold out on Friday 21st October within 68 minutes, encouraging an extra date for Sunday and catapulting the shows into the fastest selling UK gig. So, if you got your tickets to what will be one of the most momentous gigs of 2012 - enjoy Heaton Park you lucky buggers! Those tickets are (fool's) gold dust...

Talking to the assembled press, the foursome (now looking a little more grey, older and wiser), were still the witty, jovial bunch they always were, with Mani walking in, sitting down and saying, 'We're just 'ere to deny we're reforming... See yer later'. It's that style of 'we are what we are so do one' confidence that won over fans, city by city and then country by country, the first time round. Ian Brown certainly had some bumptious banter for a Daily Mail journo who, although had the proverbial piss taken out of him, was ripped with a nod and a wink off Brown... He also made it clear that they were reforming for themselves, 'It's like a language that we all used to speak, but haven't spoken for a while...' He and Reni made it pretty clear that the new material is coming together like magic.

The Stone Roses were formed back in 1983, their first ever gig with their most successful and current line up; Ian Brown, guitarist John Squire, bassist Gary 'Mani' Mounfield, and drummer Alan 'Reni' Wren, was in London in October 1984, 27 years before the announcement of their reformation last month. The band devastatingly disbanded in October 1996 and it was widely acknowledged that they'd not get back together after a massive rift between members and a distinct loss of the connection to the cultural and musical roots that The Stone Roses were heavily attributed to: pioneers of the Madchester Movement.

After such long success and with a following that spanned the globe, the original Stone



Roses formation was no more, but they held on for another six months with two new band members replacing Mani and Squire. After two gigs in 1996, at Benicassim Festival and Reading Festival, it was clear the Stone Roses had ridden the machine until the wheels had fallen off... The crowd booed and Brown's vocal was noted as being totally off key, NME describing I am the Resurrection as '...more like the eternal crucifixion' - now however, Stone Roses fans can rest assured that one of Britain's most influential and original rock and roll bands are back: No eternal crucifixion, but The Resurrection, yer know.

With regard to The Stone Roses' gigs next year, after their sell out weekend at Heaton Park next summer, they are set to embark on a world tour, with a probable new album of fresh songs to yet again ignite the music industry.

When asked about 2012 festivals in the press conference on 18th October, they couldn't confirm anything as yet... But hmm, anyone else wondering what we're wondering - could The Stone Roses be a possible headliner for Jersey Live 2012? Why not...? Mani is, after all a massive fan of the festival and a fan of Jersey too, having been quoted as saying, 'The Jersey Live folk really know how to let it hang out. I've made some great friends there and always have the best time.' He has been over for Jersey Live twice. Ian Brown played at Fort Regent back in October 2002 and has since holidayed here on a number of occasions (we won't let on where he stayed, in case he wants to come back in peace and quiet). With two Jersey fans being in The Stone Roses, who's to say they wouldn't be more than keen to bring their 2012 tour to our fair Isle? After all we never thought we would see The Prodigy or Paul Weller now did we?

C'mon Warrens, you can make it happen.





# It's the end of the world, as we know it... But I feel fine...

words | Lucy Sanderson

So, summer has shone its last few rays down on us during the weeklong Indian summer back in October. November is upon us and our nights are longer once again... Not such a bad thing, really. Longer nights equal longer parties, no?

The golden months of June, July, August and September were awash with festival frolics and terrace-tuned evenings. Now we enter the months that allow the early morning taxi ride home (or walk of shame) a degree of modesty and inconspicuousness. If you've ever left a house party after 7.30am during the summer months, you'll know what I mean (hence ALWAYS carry sunglasses everywhere). As of November, once it's dark, it stays dark until you're home post-party.

So, well seasoned for winter; musically, Jersey is managing to keep up momentum with a decent calendar of bands and DJs, local nights and open mics. New promoters are making their mark on the local scene and bringing fresh ideas to the table and new acts to our shores. Debut acts and a fresh approach is just what the doctor ordered - has anyone else noticed a distinct amount of repeat performances by the same acts, over and over again? November takes heed and provides us with some changes...

Firstly, let's take a gander at the dance schedule for the month... Havana sees a night of DnB debauchery and live MC acts gracing the stage for a new night brought about by local MC collective, **Eddy & BJ. Resurrection** on 4th November at Havana with hosts, Eddy & BJ, MC Gemini, Teeko, Cam UG, MC Wildee, Toxxic and Schema making all the noise. The MC talent we have over here is fast becoming top rate, with Cam UG even providing a live soundtrack to the recent Rumble on the Rock title winner, Liam 'Spider' McGeary's entrance to his first professional fight.

Pure Nightclub is awash with newness for November, the first highlight being a Terminal State affair. The Terminal State boys have launched their very own label, Vanguard Records. In order to celebrate,

they are bringing over old skool DnB legend, **Nicky Blackmarket** to play alongside Terminal State, Nightshift, Pranksta, Archetype and MC's Wildee and Alias. This is yet another first for Jersey as Nicky Blackmarket has never played in the island - he is set to kick up quite a storm... See our chat with Terminal State about their new label, Vanguard and their coup booking for Pure...

Next up in Pure is the debut set from Guy J... Audio is bringing over John Digweed's weapon of mass corruption to play alongside Island dance icons, Paul Mack and Stuart King with a second floor of music from Paul Shoer and Steve Ferbrache. We introduce you to **Guy J** and give you the lowdown on this multi talented turntable troubadour... If top class music is on your agenda for November, we strongly recommend Pure on 19th November.

On the live front, new nights are springing up from town to the rural parish of St John... **TOAST presents the Farm House Sessions** looks ready to fill a musical void in the heart of the cosy countryside. The Farm House (L'Auberge) is to become host to a new night, with local acts appearing every other week and an array of top talent set to play there in the coming months. Son of Dave, The Dirty Aces (a debut gig, playing their new highly acclaimed album 'Crooked Heart of Mine') and music from local acts such as Rick Jones (again, presenting a debut, with tracks from his upcoming two new albums). TOAST presents The Farm House Sessions kicks off on 11th November alongside Gallery's 7th Birthday. From strumming by the fireplace to DnB after hours, the Farm House Sessions are going to be a buzz for anyone seeking to hear genuine great talent from across the genres.

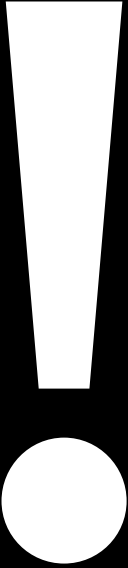
**Natty** is set to play at The Live Lounge on 19th November, for instance - a great booking by Lyle de la Cloche (who has plenty more little gems up his sleeve, we shall be keeping you posted on his plans). **AMPLIFY** is the new night, so keep your eyes peeled for more from this upcoming local promoter.

With a selection of nights like these, is the end of summer really the end of the world...? Nah.



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Audio presents  
**Guy J**  
at Pure...

John Digweed's Bedrock label star DJ, Guy J will be making his Jersey debut, setting the dance floor alight at Pure, alongside Jersey's finest, Stuart King and Paul Mack on Saturday 19th November. Room 2 will be rocked by DJ's Steve Ferbrache and Paul Shoer... Entry only £6 before 11pm, £8 thereafter...

Guy J is a young, much-in-demand Producer, DJ and live act whose infectious production talents, busy worldwide touring schedule, electric live shows and groundbreaking debut album on Bedrock have all contributed to the success he's currently experiencing. Along with a handful of his fellow countrymen, the Israeli is now at the forefront of a movement towards the melody-rich and emotionally charged roots of the House music spectrum. Guy's productions have earned praise for their tight, driving beats, shimmering, warm synths and blossoming, journey like arrangements. Straddling the lively, timeless space between ambient, house, techno and electronica he constantly maintains a melodic and highly emotive core to his music...



AMPLIFY presents  
**Natty**  
at The Live Lounge

After appearing at Grassroots a couple of years ago, reggae roots star, Natty is due to grace our shores once again, playing an intimate gig at The Live Lounge on Saturday 19th November.

Arriving in Jersey fresh from a US tour with Ziggy Marley, Natty is sure to bring an unforgettable night of music to anyone lucky enough to get a ticket - spaces are sparse and tickets will undoubtedly fly from SDS and Freedom surf shops.

AMPLIFY is the new night set up by local lad, Lyle de la Cloche - his first event being this brilliant booking with Natty. He has serious plans to bring many more great artists to our fair Isle, so keep an eye out in these pages for future events with AMPLIFY.



Terminal State talks  
**Vanguard**

The hugely successful, local DnB collective that is Terminal State have upped the ante and formed their very own label - Vanguard Audio. Vanguard is also the name dubbed to their monthly nights at Pure, launching on 11.11.11 (everyone's on to this numerology jackpot winner!). To mark the launch of Vanguard and its first release; the Germ EP, DnB pioneer, Nicky Haymarket will be making his Jersey debut and bringing some force to the dance floor alongside Terminal State DJ's, Nightshift, Pranksta, Archetype and MC's Wildee and Alias.

Talking to Gallery, Terminal State gave us the lowdown on their recent coup, 'After working hard in the studio and bringing nights to Jersey, signing 8 tracks to UK labels and collaborating with local acts, Scema and Fuzzbox, we decided to start our own label and take it to the next level and give a platform to aspiring DnB/dub-step producers and DJs.'

The night on 11th November is sponsored by [www.funkycondom.com](http://www.funkycondom.com). Free condoms will be given out from FunkyCondom on the night, plus if you visit their site and enter 'vanguard8' on check out you'll receive a 10% discount!! Keep it safe sexy people!



## Gallery giveaway

We've kindly been given 4 VIP tickets to !CON!C at the Royal Yacht on the 12th to give away to some of you lot. Fancy them? **Email [win@gallery.je](mailto:win@gallery.je)**



# BinaryFinery

At Gallery we have a thing about number patterns. Geeky, maybe, but it always seems to be 11.11pm or 22.22pm when we're bored and checking our watches. Imagine, therefore, how excited we are that this month we're going to witness 11.11.11. Definitely an excuse for a party.

As we didn't celebrate our 7th birthday we though we'd tie in with new company, TOAST on the night of 11th November as they kick off the first of The Farm House Sessions. Supporting headliners *Son of Dave* will be Jersey's finest, *Giles Robson & The Dirty Aces* and the mighty *Rick Jones*.

With music in the courtyard and in the cosy confines of The Farm House in St John, 11.11.11 promises to be a great evening indeed, topped off by a bone shaking DJ set from local DnB dynamo, Lee 'Schema' Davies will take revellers into the early hours.



## *Who, and indeed what, is our headline act, Son Of Dave?*

Known to some as Benjamin Darvill, he is a Canadian musician living in London; a 21st century blues master conjuring up wondrously original and raw music; the ultimate one man band, armed only with harmonica, voice, loop pedal, stomping foot, and uncompromising attitude.

Darvill has been creating music for almost a quarter of a century. In another life he was a member of Canadian megastars Crash Test Dummies, touring relentlessly for 12 years and selling a jaw dropping 8 million records along the way. He resumed his own unholy mission as Son of Dave towards the end of the last century with the recording of Son of Dave's Wild West Show, a wickedly bizarre take on the Spaghetti Western soundtrack album, peppered with David Lynch-esque moments of weirdness.

Since this initial outing Son of Dave has recorded and released three more studio albums through London label Kartel, further cementing his sound and razor sharp image to exquisite perfection with each new release. He has also played hundreds of raucous shows across the globe, sold upwards of forty thousand records, built a fiercely loyal and hungry international fan base, and gained the acclaim and approval of some of the world's finest publications.

Son of Dave songs have also found themselves sound-tracking Hollywood movies and huge, world-eating television shows including True Blood, Gossip Girl and Breaking Bad, expanding the Son Of Dave faithful in the process.

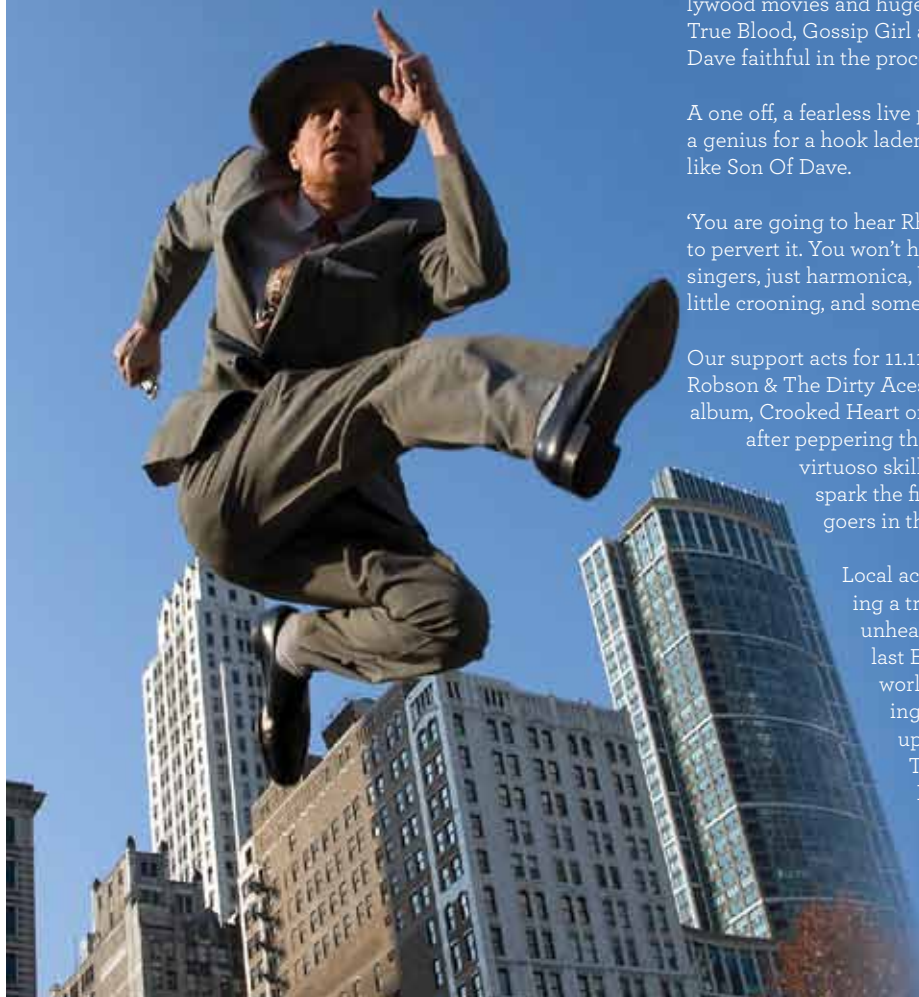
A one off, a fearless live performer, an outspoken loudmouth, and a genius for a hook laden melody; there's no one, or nothing, quite like Son Of Dave.

'You are going to hear Rhythm and Blues the way I personally like to pervert it. You won't hear any guitar solos or auto-tuned backing singers, just harmonica, beats de la bouche, singing, screaming, a little crooning, and some things I bang and rattle.' – Son of Dave.

Our support acts for 11.11.11 need very little introduction. Giles Robson & The Dirty Aces bring a debut performance of their latest album, Crooked Heart of Mine on a tidal wave of rave reviews and after peppering the UK with their infectious riffs and intense virtuoso skills, Giles Robson & The Dirty Aces are set to spark the fire that will warm the cockles of our party goers in the lead up to Son of Dave's performance.

Local acoustic legend, Rick Jones will be performing a truly spectacular set of his classics, plus unheard new material. After the success of his last EP, Eden which sold well over 12,000 copies worldwide, Rick Jones is on track for amazing things and we can't wait to hear from his upcoming two new albums, Damocles and Thought & Memory. The formidable force of Rick Jones is sure to take your breath away on 11.11.11.

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The directory is designed to allow advertisers a low cost, long term communication solution. It can be used to show an individual corporate presentation or to present individual

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So we thought we'd give select businesses the ability to tell you all about their services in our monthly Gallery directory. We've even categorised them and arranged them for easy perusal. If you see something you like, give them a call and and tell them you saw them in Gallery! We'll love you forever...

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