

THURSDAY 4TH MARCH

BILLY ELLIOTT AT THE VICTORIA PALACE THEATRE, LONDON

Depart Oxted 4.30pm (Route C) for the 7.30pm performance of Billy Elliott, the Musical. This uniquely British musical is based on the smash hit movie and reunites the award-winning creative team behind the film including writer Lee Hall and director Stephen Daldry. They are joined by the incomparable Elton John who has created a truly stunning soundtrack for this production. Funny, uplifting and heart-warming, the musical tells of one young boy's dream to realise his ambitions against the odds. Set in the North East of England during the historic 1984/85 miners' strike, Billy pursues his passion for dance in secret to avoid the disapproval of his struggling family. Return after performance. Arriving back at Sanderstead approx. 11.30pm/midnight.

Adult: - £48.50 **Sen Cit:** - £41.50
(Inclusive of Coach/Show) (Stalls Seats at Show)

WEDNESDAY 10TH MARCH

KATHERINE JENKINS AT THE BRIGHTON CENTRE

Depart Oxted 3.30pm (Route A) for the drive to Brighton where there will be time for dinner before making your way to the Brighton Centre for the 7.30pm performance by Britain's favourite singer and the world's most successful classical crossover artist, the Welsh Soprano Katherine Jenkins who has spent a few months in Los Angeles working on her first album which was released in October. Her new record sees her take a new and bold direction, working with super producer David Foster (Celine Dion, Michael Buble, Whitney Houston, Barbra Streisand), bringing together the unique talents of two extraordinary artists. Over the past six years, Katherine has defined the ever popular 'crossover' genre. Whether it be taking to the stage with Darcey Bussell performing Edith Piaf's La Vie En Rose in their acclaimed production Viva La Diva, to giving Leonard Cohen's Hallelujah a classical twist, Jenkins is one of the most forward thinking, creative and progressive artists of her generation, bringing her timeless aura to millions of fans across the world. With Marilyn Monroe style glamour, she has the business savvy of an opera Madonna and the humility and compassion that have made her everyone's favourite girl next door. Return after performance. Arriving back at Godstone approx. 11.15pm.

Cost: - £54.45
(Inclusive of Coach/Front of South Balcony Seats at Show)

MONDAY 15TH MARCH

HAMPTON COURT FLORIMANIA ~ FLOWERS IN ART

Depart Oxted 9.30am (Route A) for the drive to Hampton Court Palace, home of King Henry VIII - acquired from Cardinal Wolsey. Enjoy Wren's buildings, and some of the finest Tudor architecture in Britain. Visit the Tudor Tennis Court and Banqueting House, see the Great Vine, the King's Privy, Tudor and Elizabethan Knot Gardens, Broad Walk and Wilderness – maybe conquer the maze. Over this weekend the Palace will be full of floral delights ~ this year the theme is Flowers in Art. Be dazzled by the splendour of the Queens State Apartments with their fragrant array of floral displays inspired by 17th-century artists. Take a leisurely stroll through the scented rooms and marvel at the displays arranged by the Surrey area of NAFAS (National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies). Volunteers will also be on hand offering flower arranging demonstrations. Refreshments available. Return leave 4.00pm. Arriving back at Godstone by approx 5.15pm

Adult: - £27.25 **Sen Cit:** - £24.90 **Child:** - £17.45
(Inclusive Coach/Entry to Hampton Court Palace)

WEDNESDAY 17TH MARCH

OLDE TYME MUSIC HALL IN THE NEW FOREST

Depart Oxted 8.00am (Route A) for the drive to Bashley in the New Forest where we shall enjoy a two course roast beef and apple pie lunch before our afternoon of fun, laughter, nostalgia and history with the authentic and uniquely British Olde Tyme Music Hall, a professional, fast paced, multi-talented show bringing back famous characters from the golden age of entertainment – a highly polished production offering sing-along medleys, comedy sketches, monologues, colourful costumes and scenery of the period, guaranteeing to provide a nostalgic experience for all. During the interval we shall be served a cream tea. Return after performance. Arriving back at Godstone by approx. 6.45pm.

Cost: - £43.90

(Inclusive of Coach/Lunch/Show/Cream Tea)

If anyone should require the vegetarian lunch option of vegetable lasagne or Mediterranean cheese & tomato Wellington please let us know at time of booking.

FRIDAY 19TH MARCH

ARUNDEL WETLAND CENTRE WITH LUNCH

Depart Oxted 8.45am (Route A) for the drive to Arundel where there will be time for coffee and a brief browse before rejoining the coach for the short drive along a stunning lime tree lined avenue beside the castle battlements to the Arundel Wetland Centre - 26 hectares of beautiful wetland reserve nestled in ancient woodland against the backdrop of Arundel Castle. Here we shall enjoy a one course lunch with the afternoon at leisure to enjoy the naturalised landscapes and wetland habitats, viewing the many hundreds of exotic wildfowl from around the world. Why not spend some time in one of the observation hides watching the resident and migrant birds, and be sure to take the approx. 15 minute safari by electric boat gliding along the waterways with an experienced & knowledgeable guide and discover the joys of seeing wild flora and fauna in their natural environment, getting fantastically close to rare creatures as the boats is expertly manoeuvred to get the best possible sighting. Refreshments available. Return leave 4.00pm. Arriving back at Godstone by approx. 5.30pm.

Cost: - £28.95

(Inclusive of Coach/Entry/Light Lunch)

FRIDAY 19TH MARCH

ARUNDEL

Depart Oxted 8.45am (Route A) for the West Sussex town of Arundel, a market town rich in history and culture. Straddling the river Arun, between the South Downs and the English Channel, it is dominated by the Norman Castle and Gothic Cathedral and surrounded by ancient woodland. There is a rich variety of thriving, independent retailers, all giving a highly individual welcome. The town has become famous for its antique shops as well as its wide range of other contemporary shops and galleries. Here you will be at leisure to explore. Return leave 4.15pm. Arriving back at Godstone by approx. 5.30pm.

Cost: - £15.75

SATURDAY 20TH MARCH

STITCH AND CRAFT 2010 AT OLYMPIA

Depart Oxted 8.15am (Route C) for Stitch and Craft 2010 at Olympia. Step into a world of new craft techniques and ideas or celebrate your old favourites! With hundreds of stands stocked with the best stitch and craft supplies, you won't be able to resist! You'll find new inspiration from the most creative crafters and you can learn everything you need to know about knitting, stitching and papercrafting from the top experts! Join Simply Knitting and The Knitter and you'll find beautiful yarn and knitting notions to buy, and you'll get the chance to meet the experts and discover something new in the workshops. Follow the Alan Dart Treasure Trail, come and see the largest knitting needles in the world! Plus see Rachel John's 'Extreme Knitting'! Refreshments available. Return leave 4.45pm. Arriving back in Sanderstead by approx. 6.00pm.

Adult: - £25.10 **Child:** - £15.95
(Inclusive of Coach/Entry to Show)

SATURDAY 20TH MARCH

IDEAL HOME SHOW – EARLS COURT, LONDON

Depart Oxted 8.15am (Route C) for the Ideal Home Show. The Show, the UK's biggest and longest running consumer event, has recently been acquired by award-winning events and publishing company Media 10, from DMG World Media, the first time the show has changed hands in just over 100 years. Under this new ownership the show is undergoing a complete overhaul, re-launching with a fresh new look; a new inspiring and entertaining show format, more content, more interactive features, more celebrity guests, and more expert advice than ever before. The new look show will combine 8 shows in one: Ideal Home Improvements, Ideal Village, Ideal Food, Ideal Gardens, Ideal Shopping, Ideal Woman, Ideal Gadgets and Ideal Interiors. Renowned for its show homes, this year there are five amazing homes! Love to be in the know? Want to be ahead of the pack? Then a visit to the Ideal Home of the Future is a must. See the latest in technology, design and innovation for the home as part of a 15 minute, fun presentation demonstrating and testing the latest must-have gadgets and gizmos for the home. With expert advice on everything from DIY to fine dining and pampering, with a host of celebrity guests, as ever the show will be bursting with new and exciting features. Refreshments available. Return leave 4.30pm. Arriving back in Sanderstead by approx. 6.00pm.

Adult: - £28.30 **Child:** - £13.50
(Inclusive of Coach/Entry to Show)

TUESDAY 23RD MARCH

RYE WITH LUNCH AND AFTERNOON TEA

Depart Oxted 10.30am (Route B) for the drive to enchanting Rye and the Riverside Restaurant situated on the famous Strand Quay in the heart of the historic town. On arrival there will be time to purchase a drink in the bar before taking our seats in the quiet picturesque surroundings of their conservatory restaurant where we shall enjoy a 2 course meal. Following lunch you will be at leisure to wander the cobbled streets, admire the beautiful buildings, many of which are Elizabethan, some with Georgian frontages, and enjoy the superb range of shops and restaurants which characterise this famous Cinque Port whose buildings cluster around the top of a little sandstone hill watching over Romney Marsh and guarding the coastline. Returning to the hotel at 4.00pm we shall enjoy afternoon tea/coffee and a selection of cakes before making our way home. Return leave 5.00pm. Arriving back at Limpsfield Chart by approx. 6.30pm.

Cost: - £28.60

(Inclusive of Coach/2 Course Lunch and Afternoon Tea)

THURSDAY 25TH MARCH

GREYHOUND RACING

Depart Oxted 5.00pm (Route A) for the drive to Brighton and a 'Night at the Dogs'. Here we shall sit and enjoy a set three course meal whilst watching the racing. Six sleek and beautiful greyhounds make up each race, and the speed at which they travel is quite breathtaking – they cover 500 metres in roughly 30 seconds and, with races taking place about every 15 minutes the action is non-stop. Trying to pick the winner just adds to the fun of the evening. The sport began at Belle Vue, Manchester in 1926 and became hugely popular as it spread the length and breadth of the British Isles; it was much in vogue to be seen greyhound racing in the days leading up to the Second World War. The sport went through a lean period in the late 1960s and 70s, but a new generation is now enjoying the thrills that greyhound racing offers. The greyhounds themselves are impressively athletic. One of the oldest breeds known to man, they can be traced back to ancient Egypt and are the only breed of dog mentioned in the Bible. Spend the evening at your table in the restaurant, wander down to the trackside or buy a drink in one of the track's 5 bars - the choice is yours. Return leave approx. 10.45pm, after last race. Returning to Godstone by approx. Midnight. (Dress code is smart casual.)

Cost: - £32.95

(Inclusive of Coach/Admission & Racecard/3 Course Meal)

FRIDAY 26TH MARCH

ASHFORD DESIGNER OUTLET VILLAGE

Depart Oxted 10.00am (Route A) for Ashford Designer Outlet Village. Shop 'til you drop with famous names such as Marks & Spencer Outlet, Cotton Traders, Fat Face, Levi's, Next Clearance, Phase Eight and Principles in the Ladies and Menswear line; together with many more shops selling jewellery, homeware, fashion accessories and gifts, many offering up to 50% off retail prices. Refreshments available. Leave 4.00pm. Returning to Godstone approx. 5.15pm

Adult: - £16.50

Child: - £12.50

FRIDAY 9TH APRIL

MARWELL ZOO

Depart Oxted 9.00am (Route A) for the drive to Marwell Zoo, and a chance to get close to the wonders of the natural world. From ring-tailed coatis to red-eyed tree frogs, laughing kookaburra to frilled lizards, giraffe-nosed catfishes to bat-eared foxes – the 140-acre park in Hampshire is home to over 250 exotic and endangered species, in beautiful, landscaped surroundings. Dedicated to the conservation of wildlife, Marwell participates in breeding programmes to help ensure the survival of some of the world's most endangered animals. Saunter past eucalyptus trees on the Australian Bush Walk and get close to some of Australasia's most popular mammals including the lovable wallaby, and beautiful kookaburra. There are no barriers so it's the perfect location for photographs. Step "into Africa" and meet some of the most fascinating animals on earth. Elegant gazelles, prickly porcupines, amazing monkeys and the giraffes. The 30 metre walkway into the sable antelope and congo buffalo paddock affords a stunning view over the park. As you step into the Aridlands, think of deserts, sand dunes, palm trees and succulents... and then think of the amazing animals that survive in these harsh environments: Sand Cats, with furry pads on their feet – made for walking on hot sand. Don't miss Tropical World – it's a must! This great glass house will give you an idea of what it is like to be in a tropical rainforest. It is filled with a stunning collection of plants including bananas, pineapples and other exotic fruit alongside gorgeous flowers with dazzling colours and bizarre shapes. There are animals too – look out for the brilliantly-coloured poison arrow frogs, scorpions and butterflies, not to mention beaded lizards and frilled lizards. There are large fish in the pool and marmosets on the island. Can you spot the dwarf crocodiles? Refreshments available. Return leave 4.30pm. Arriving back at Godstone by approx. 6.15pm.

Adult: - £35.25

Sen Cit: - £32.95

Child: - £24.95

(Inclusive of Coach/Entry to Zoo)

SUNDAY 11TH APRIL

BLACKBUSHE SUNDAY MARKET

Join enthusiastic bargain hunters at Britain's largest Sunday Market.

Depart Oxted 8.30am (Route A) for Blackbushe Sunday Market. With over 800 stalls in an area the size of 20 football pitches you will find everything your heart desires from clothes, to household goods, to furnishings, all at bargain prices. Refreshments available. Return leave 2.00pm. Arriving back in Godstone by approx. 3.00pm.

Adult: - £14.95

Child: - £10.95