THE HARD PROBLEM

US EVENT THE HARD PROBLEM – WITH SIR TOM STOPPARD

DATE TBC MID-NOVEMBER 2018

Mitzi E. Newhouse Theater, 150 W 65th St, New York NY 10023

Sir Tom Stoppard's *The Hard Problem* is heading to the Lincoln Center Theater, and we are delighted to announce that we will be hosting a reception pre-show where we will be joined by Sir Tom Stoppard. Exact date to be confirmed in the coming weeks.



ENO SYMPOSIUM: WOMEN IN OPERA

22 NOVEMBER 2018, 7PM - 9PM

The Reading Room, The London Library

Join the English National Opera for a panel discussion with leading industry figures exploring women's roles in opera. Limited spaces have been reserved for the Founders' Circle, please RSVP to save your seat at this exciting evening.



SAVE THE DATE

THE LONDON LIBRARY SUPPORTER CHRISTMAS PARTY

THURSDAY 13 DECEMBER, 6.45PM - 9PM

The Reading Room, The London Library

The Library invites you to come together and celebrate the festive season with fellow supporters and friends in the atmospheric Reading Room. Enjoy drinks and canapés whilst listening to a performance by special guests.



Sir Edward Coley Burne-Jones *Laus Veneris* 1873-1878 Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle upon Tyne

EXHIBITION TOUR: EDWARD BURNE-JONES

FRIDAY 18 JANUARY, 9AM - 10.30AM

Tate Britain, Millbank, London SW1P 4RG

Join us for a curator-led tour of Edward Burne-Jones's first solo show at Tate since 1933, charting his rise from an outsider with little formal art training to one of the most influential artists of the late 19th Century. On the tour you will see some of Burne-Jones's best loved works, including his huge paintings telling the dreamlike fairytale of Sleeping Beauty.

There will be the option to join us for an informal coffee and light breakfast following the tour.



FOUNDERS' CIRCLE EVENTS AUTUMN/WINTER 2018

RSVP

To book for any events listed or for more information please email founderscircle@londonlibrary.co.uk or call Rachel Thomas on 020 7766 4719.

Booking is essential for all events so please contact us if you would like to attend.

Founders' Circle members are entitled to two tickets per event, unless otherwise specified.



TOUR OF ROYAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB

TUESDAY 4 SEPTEMBER, 6.30PM - 7.30PM 89 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5HS

Take a look behind the doors of the Royal Automobile Clubhouse at 89 Pall Mall and wonder at the architecture and treasures within. Join us for a guided tour, led by the Royal Automobile Club's heritage department, to learn the history of this magnificent building and the secrets found inside.



ANNUAL FOUNDERS' CIRCLE LUNCHES

TUESDAY 11 SEPTEMBER, 12.30PM - 2.30PM

MONDAY 29 OCTOBER, 12.30PM - 2.30PM VENUE CHANGE: The Balcon, Waterloo Place, London SW1Y 5NG

Join Library Chairman and fellow Founders' Circle member, Sir Howard Davies, and special guests for lively conversation and lunch. Held at The Balcon in the heart of St James's.

Special guests will be announced prior to each lunch.



DARLING WINSTON BOOK LAUNCH

THURSDAY 20 SEPTEMBER, 6.30PM - 8.30PM The Reading Room, The London Library

Publishers Head of Zeus and author David Lough, trustee of the Library and member of the Founders' Circle, invite you to attend the launch party of David's latest book, *Darling Winston: Forty years of letters between Winston Churchill and his mother.*

Many of their sparkling letters are published for the first time and shed new light on the future leader's early thinking and career.



Frieze 2017, Photography by Benjamin Westoby

FRIEZE MASTERS-PREVIEW

WEDNESDAY 3 & THURSDAY 4 OCTOBER, 6PM - 8.30PM Regent's Park, London NW1 4HG

Attend the exclusive preview of Frieze Masters in Regent's Park London. This year there will be two preview days for the first time. Frieze London 2018 will showcase the best of international contemporary art, with a discerning selection of around 160 galleries presenting their most forward-thinking artists and imaginative presentations. Please RSVP by Friday 15 September.



THACKERAY AND DICKENS ANNUAL CHAIRMAN'S DINNER

TUESDAY 23 OCTOBER, 7PM - 9.30PM Coutts, 440 Strand, London WC2R OQS

Thackeray and Dickens members are invited to join Sir Howard Davies, Chairman of The London Library and guest Lionel Barber, editor of the *Financial Times*, for a very special dinner in the Director's Room at Coutts. It promises to be an evening of lively and topical conversation.



BILL BRYSON: IN CONVERSATION

THURSDAY 25 OCTOBER, 6.30PM - 8.30PM
The Reading Room, The London Library

Join us for a fascinating evening in conversation with Bill Bryson, renowned travel, science and non-fiction writer. Hear tales from his journeys around the world, the inspiration behind his works and the role The London Library has played in his writing.



EXHIBITION TOUR: MODERN COUPLES: ART, INTIMACY AND THE AVANT-GARDE

WEDNESDAY 31 OCTOBER, 9AM - 10.30AM

Barbican Art Galley, Barbican Centre, Silk St, London EC2Y 8DS

Visit the Barbican for a private curator-led view of their Autumn exhibition. As the notion of a 'couple' evolves with society's changing approach to marriage, partnerships and family, Barbican Art Gallery presents an exhibition that explores the creative output from artist couples in the first half of the 20th Century.

There will be the option to join us for an informal coffee and light breakfast following the tour.



LINCOLN'S INN ARCHIVE TOUR: DATE CHANGE

DATE CHANGE - 2019 DATE TBC - MOVED DUE TO THE LIBRARY AGM Lincoln's Inn, London WC2A 3TL

Step behind the gates of Lincoln's Inn for an evening to find out more about the history of this central London workplace, community and its fascinating archive. Join us for a drinks reception followed by a tour led by Dunstan Speight. Lincoln's Inn Librarian.