



# **NEWSLETTER**

**WHATS ON ? WHATS HAPPENED?**

**Happy 2025 to Everyone**

**we hope you all had a great Xmas and New Year.**

**Our next Leisure Learning courses start very soon, the feedback from the Last round was amazing and there are still places on the courses, they are very relaxed and informal and there are no tests or written work all you need to do is sign up and come along to meet like minded people and enjoy.**

**There are course brochures on reception and we have a website**

**[www.nottmleisurelearning.com](http://www.nottmleisurelearning.com)**

**A huge thank you to everyone who came to our Xmas Fair also to those of you who have played our Raffle our Hamper or our Name the Bear, I would also like to thank those people who donated to the N.M.I rather than give Xmas Cards we really appreciate all you help.**



**JANUARY MONDAY FILMS AT 1.30PM**

**6th Death on the Nile(2022)**

**Kenneth Branagh, Gal Gadot**

The sequel to the 2017 film Murder on the orient express, Belgian sleuth Hercule Poirot's vacation aboard a glamorous river steamer turns into a terrifying search for a murderer when a picture-perfect couple's idyllic honeymoon is tragically cut short. Set against an epic landscape of sweeping Egyptian desert vistas and the majestic Giza pyramids.

**13th A Haunting in Venice(2024)**

**Kenneth Branagh, Michelle Yeoh**

In eerie, post-World War II Venice on All Hallows' Eve, Hercule Poirot is now retired and living in self-imposed exile in the world's most glamorous city.

But when Poirot reluctantly attends a séance at a decaying, haunted palazzo, one of the guests is murdered, thrusting the detective into a sinister world of shadows and secrets

**20th Elvis (2022)**


**Tom Hanks, Austin Butler, Olivia DeJonge**

Elvis follows the story of infamous rock 'n' roll star Elvis Presley seen through the eyes of his controversial manager Colonel Tom Parker. The film explores Elvis Presley's highs and lows and the many challenges and controversies he received throughout his career.

**27th Oppenheimer(2023)**

**Cillian Murphy, Emily Blunt, Matt Damon**

A dramatization of the life story of J. Robert Oppenheimer, the physicist who had a large hand in the development of the atomic bomb, thus helping end World War 2. We see his life from university days all the way to post-WW2, where his fame saw him embroiled in political machinations.



# ROBERTS MUSIC MORNINGS

THURSDAY 16TH 10.30 AM. IOLANTA & THE NUTCRACKER

TCHAIKOVSKY

WEDNESDAY 29TH 10.30AM TURANDOT-PUCCINI

THE CURTIUS SALON – FRIDAYS AT 11.00AM

## **3RD DENNIS APPLE**

*THE LIFE AND DEATH OF ST.KILDA*

*THE STORY OF ST. KILDA HAS SEIZED THE IMAGINATION OF PEOPLE WORLDWIDE. A LONELY ARCHIPELAGO OFF THE COAST OF SCOTLAND- THE WESTERNMOST POINT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM- IT IS HARD TO BELIEVE THAT FOR OVER 2000 YEARS PEOPLE LIVED HERE, CUT OFF FROM THE REST OF THE WORLD.*

*THIS IS THE MOVING STORY OF A VANISHED COMMUNITY AND HOW TWENTIETH CENTURY CIVILIZATION ULTIMATELY BROUGHT AN ENTIRE WAY OF LIFE TO ITS **KNEES**.*

## **10TH MARK BARRON**

### **CARRA MARBLE- MICHELANGELO'S GREATEST LOVE**

THIS STORY HAS ALMOST EVERYTHING – EXTRAORDINARY HUMAN ENDEAVOUR, AMAZING SCIENCE INCLUDING THE DEATH OF OCEANS AND RAISING OF MOUNTAINS, FASCINATING ENGINEERING, OVER TWO THOUSAND YEARS OF HUMAN HISTORY INCLUDING MEGALOMANIAC POPES, LOTS OF MONEY, AND NUDITY, ALBEIT AS SOME OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST ART MADE FROM ITS FINEST NATURAL MATERIAL.

## **17TH STEPHEN FLINDERS**

### **JOHN GLOVER'S SKETCHBOOK**

THE EARLY LIFE AND WORK OF THE LEICESTERSHIRE BORN ARTIST JOHN GLOVER WHO IN HIS DAY WAS REGARDED AS HIGHLY AS CONSTABLE AND TURNER BUT WHOSE WORK GRADUALLY FELL OUT OF FAVOUR AND IS LARGELY FORGOTTEN TODAY.

## **24TH ROBERT MEE**

### **NOTTINGHAM CASTLES**

I HAVE BEEN DOING A TALK ON DERBYSHIRE CASTLES FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS AND HAVE GIVEN IT MANY TIMES IN NOTTINGHAMSHIRE. SO, IT WAS TIME TO SWITCH COUNTIES! NOT JUST THE OBVIOUS COUPLE OF CASTLES, BUT ALSO OTHER KNOWN SITES, AND PERHAPS THE ODD SURPRISE.

## **31ST TONY SHERWOOD**

### **NOT SO SECRET AGENT**

LOTS OF FACTS, FIBS, FUN FROM SOMEONE WHO WAS THERE (AND STILL IS) TONY IS A WHOLE ½ INCH TALLER THAN RONNIE CORBETT EVER WAS. TONY'S STORIES ARE ABOUT A WORLD THAT THEY BOTH WORKED IN AND ARE MUCH BIGGER THAN EVEN THAT! LISTEN TO HIS STORIES ABOUT THE ENTERTAINMENT CIRCUIT OVER THE YEARS TONY DOES NOT NEED A LAPTOP AND PROJECTOR TO KEEP YOU ENTERTAINED COME ALONG AND FIND OUT ABOUT WHAT REALLY GOES OFF BACKSTAGE.

**THE NOTTINGHAM MECHANICS**  
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## **OTHER GROUP MEETINGS**

**NOTTM WRITERS' CLUB: ALL WELCOME: CAROL: 0115 9817661**

***NO MEETING JANUARY***

**DICKENS FELLOWSHIP, CONTACT: KATHY POWIS: 0115 9845375**

***TUESDAY 7TH AND 21ST @2.00PM***

**NOTTM SHAKESPEARE SOCIETY: SANDRA APPLETON: 0115 9256551**

***TUESDAY 14TH @7.00PM AND TUESDAY 28TH @ 10.30AM***

**NOTTINGHAM PROBUS CLUB ROBIN WEST: 0115 9164774.**

***WEDNESDAY 15TH @10.00AM***

**ELDERS' FORUM DANCE**

***FRIDAYS @ 1.30PM***

**ODDFELLOWS FRIENDSHIP GROUP**

***FRIDAY 10TH@11.00AM***

**NOTTM BRANCH, THE NATIONAL TRUST: IRENE MILBURN 0115 9812267**

***WEDNESDAY 9TH @1.30PM***

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF OCCUPATIONAL PENSIONERS (NFOP)**

***WEDNESDAYS @11.00AM***

**THOROTONS SOCIETY OF NOTTINGHAM**

***SATURDAY 11TH @1.30PM***

**R.C.T.S MEETING**

***TUESDAY 28TH @2.00PM***

**NOTTINGHAM CIVIC SOCIETY**

***TUESDAY 21ST @7.00PM***

**60+ Keep Fit: Audrey Malik, Mon: 10.30 to 11.30am**  
**Seated Exercise Class 11.45 to 12.30am**

**TABLE TENNIS – FRIDAYS: 1.30 TO 3.00PM**

**SHORT MAT BOWLS – THURSDAYS AT 1.30PM**

**GAMES AFTERNOON: TUESDAYS AT 1.30PM**

**STITCH CLUB: MONDAYS 1.30PM FORTNIGHTLY**

**GARDENING CLUB: PLEASE SEE NOTICEBOARD FOR DETAILS**