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**Tue 10th & Wed 11th March 2009 (8th week)**


## WHAT'S ON / COMING SOON

The Sixteen
HARRY CHRISTOPHERS
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**The Choral Pilgrimage 2009**
*A Year of Celebration*

**Saturday 14 March, 7.30pm**
**University Church of St Mary, Oxford**
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Deadline for entries is
midday Fri 27 March 2009 (10th week)
*Clive Taylor Prize for sports journalism is open to ALL current Oxford University students

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**JOIN US FOR WWF'S EARTH HOUR**

Turn off your lights for one hour to show world leaders that you want them to take action on climate change.

**8.30pm Saturday 28 March 2009**

sign up at **wwf.org.uk/earthhour**
or text **EARTH** to 84880

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## Daily Info Goes Weekly!

*(until next term)*

**Next issues Thu 12th & Sat 14th March, then Friday 20th March.**

***The deadline for each print issue will be 10am of the previous day, as ever. Web advertising can always begin at once.***

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## CINEMA to Thu 12th

### Odeon George St (0871 2244 007)

**THE INTERNATIONAL [15]** Mon - Thu: 2.15, 5.15, 8.15pm
Conspiracy thriller.

**VICKY CRISTINA BARCELONA [12A]** Mon & Tue: 12.45pm
A partial return to form for Woody Allen. Wed & Thu: 12.15pm

**YOUNG VICTORIA [PG]** Mon - Thu: 2.00, 5.00, 8.00pm
Emily Blunt as the young queen. Read an interview with Martin Joy, the location manager on dailyinfo.co.uk. Subtitled Sun 8.00, Tue 5.00 & Thu 2.00

**GRAN TORINO [15]** Mon & Tue: 3.00, 5.45, 8.45pm
Clint Eastwood plays a misanthropic veteran. Wed & Thu: 11.30am, 5.15pm

**CONFESSIONS OF A SHOPAHOLIC [12A]**
A girl wants to work for a fashion magazine. Mon - Thu: 12.30, 3.15, 6.15, 9.00pm

**SLUMDOG MILLIONAIRE [15]** Mon - Thu: 2.30, 5.30, 8.30pm
Life and love on the streets of Mumbai.

**WATCHMEN [18]**
The long-awaited film of the graphic novel. Mon - Thu: 12.00, 3.30, 7.15pm

**SENIOR SCREENS: CHANGELING [15]** Wed: 10.45am
A mother has the wrong child returned to her. Based on a true story.

**MARLEY & ME [PG]** Wed & Thu: 1.30, 4.15, 6.45, 9.15pm
The story of a disobedient labrador.

### Vue Cinema (08712 240 240)

**THE CURIOUS CASE OF BENJAMIN BUTTON [12A]**
Brad Pitt is born old and gets younger. Mon - Tue: 9.00pm

**CONFESSIONS OF A SHOPAHOLIC [12A]**
A girl wants to work for a fashion magazine... daily: 12.20, 3.10, 6.15, 9.10pm

**SLUMDOG MILLIONAIRE [15]** Mon & Tue, Thu: 2.00, 4.45, 7.30pm
Vibrant tale of life on the streets of Mumbai. Wed: 2.00, 4.45, 7.30, 10.20pm

**HE'S JUST NOT THAT INTO YOU [12A]**
Mon & Tue: 12.40, 3.40, 6.50, 9.40pm
Romantic comedy with Jennifer Aniston, Scarlett Johansson etc.

**BOLT [PG]** daily: 1.30, 4.00, 6.40pm
Canine actor believes his super powers are real. 2D version.

**THE INTERNATIONAL [15]** Mon - Tue, Thu: 12.10, 2.50, 5.30, 8.15pm
Conspiracy thriller. Subtitled Tues 8.15. Wed: 12.10, 2.50, 5.30, 8.15, 11.10pm

**THE UNBORN [15]** Mon - Tue, Thu: 2.10, 4.20, 6.30, 8.45pm
A creepy spirit wants a body. Wed: 2.10, 4.20, 6.30, 8.45, 11.10pm

**WATCHMEN [18]** Mon & Tue, Thu: 1.00, 4.30, 8.00pm
The long-awaited film of the graphic novel. Wed: 1.00, 4.30, 8.00, 11.30pm

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Emily Blunt as the young queen. Read an interview with Martin Joy, the location manager on www.dailyinfo.co.uk.

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Clint Eastwood as a misanthropic veteran. Wed & Thu: 12.40, 3.40, 6.50, 9.40pm

**SENIORS CLUB: A BUNCH OF AMATEURS [15]** Tue: 12.00pm
Fading Hollywood A-lister is tricked into Shakespeare in a different Stratford.

**MARLEY & ME [PG]** Wed & Thu: 2.20, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.30pm
The story of a disobedient labrador.

### Odeon Magdalen St (0871 2244 007)

**SURVEILLANCE [18]** Mon: 3.30, 8.45pm; Tue: 3.30pm
FBI agents track a serial killer.

**WATCHMEN [18]** daily: 1.00, 4.30, 8.15pm
The long-awaited film of the graphic novel.

**HE'S JUST NOT THAT INTO YOU [12A]** Mon - Tue: 12.30, 6.00pm
Romantic comedy with Jennifer Aniston, Scarlett Johansson.

**JAR CITY [15]** Tue: 8.30pm
Compelling Icelandic detective story.

**MARLEY & ME [PG]** Wed & Thu: 12.30, 3.45, 6.15, 8.45pm
The story of a disobedient labrador.

### Ultimate Picture Palace (245288)

**VALKYRIE [12A]** Tue, Thu: 6.00pm
Plot to assassinate Hitler at the height of WWII Wed: 8.45pm

**FAR NORTH [15]** Mon & Tue, Thu: 8.45pm
Folk tale in the timeless landscape of the Arctic. Wed: 6.30pm

**THE FRENCH LIEUTENANT'S WOMAN [12]**
Meryl Streep & Jeremy Irons. Mon: 6.15pm

### Phoenix Picture House (0870 758 3218)

**YOUNG VICTORIA [PG]**
Mon: 1.15, 3.40, 6.15, 8.50pm; Tue - Thu: 1.15, 3.40, 6.00, 8.50pm
Emily Blunt as the young queen. Read an interview with Martin Joy, the location manager on www.dailyinfo.co.uk

**THE CLASS [15]** Mon: 12.30, 3.30, 9.00pm
Tue, Thu: 12.30, 3.30, 6.15, 9.00pm
Tough Parisian school. English subtitles. Wed: 3.30, 6.15, 9.00pm

**AN INDEPENDENT MIND** Mon: 6.30pm
Stories about freedom of expression. Plus Q&A with director.

**BIG SCREAM: YOUNG VICTORIA [PG]** Wed: 11.30am
The young queen. Exclusive screening for parents with babies under one.

## GIGS

### Tue 10th

**HOT LEG, THE CRAVE** / Justin Hawkins' new musical outfit. / 7pm £11 / O2 Academy Oxford, 190 Cowley Road, OX4 1UE / 0844 477 2000

**ALVIN ROY & REEDS UNLIMITED** / Live jazz plus DJs / The Oxford Jazz Club / 8pm-2am. Free / Backroom @ The Bullit, 162 Cowley Rd / 244516

**THE FIRRY MIC** / Acoustic open mike. Songs, poetry, stories. / 8pm. Free entry / 01865 245 290 / The Fir Tree, 163 Iffley Road, OX4 1EJ

**OPEN MIC** / From 7pm, free to perform / sammy_hanss@hotmail.com / www.combibos.co.uk0186525007 2 / Combibos Coffee, Gloucester Green

### Wed 11th

**MR HUDSON** / Laid-back fusion of hiphop and jazz / 7pm £8.50 / 02 Academy Oxford, 190 Cowley Road, OX4 1UE / 0844 477 2000

**DANCEHALL NICE AGAIN** / Ska Roots Dancehall / 8pm - 12am Free / 07813 355448 / James St Tavern

**THE OXFORD JAM SESSION** / With house band. Bring your instruments. / 10pm. £4 (£2 musicians, £3 students) / Cellar Bar, Frewin Court, off Cornmarket / 244761

**LIVE LOUNGE : OPEN MIC** / With Lee Davies / 8.30-11pm, free / 07900 224988 / The Cape of Good Hope, The Plain.

**PONT MUSIC – PRIZE OPEN MIKE** / Compete for a £50 gig or vote for the act you'd like to hear again. / 8ish till 11pm, free / 07769 608124 / Folly Bridge Inn, Abingdon Road / 790106

### Thu 12th

**DOORSTEP SALES PEOPLE** required to sell national newspaper delivery service. £15k Basic plus weekly bonusses.Car drivers preferred. Call 01865 746652 or email for more details. enquiries@okdirectltd.co.uk

**BUSINESS / ECONOMICS STUDENTS** wanted for Money Market project. Flexible hours, good pay. 07766 350796.

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## POETRY COMPETITION

**Mothers' Day Poetry Competition!** with bloomi

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Use the bouquet to make mum's day -
or to repair the damage done by the tribute you write to her!

*Spare a day for your Mum -*
*She produced you, from her tum.*
*And whilst you never asked her to,*
*She'll always love you, through and through.*

*On the other hand - who cares?*
*Ma eats the pies and never shares!*
*Why should I bother with this day?*
*I want my own one! Boo! Hooray!*

**The winner will be announced on Wed 18 Mar**
*(in time for bouquet collection by Sat 21st).*
bloomin' chic
101 Magdalen Rd, Oxford OX4 1RG
01865 24 23 24 enquiries@bloomin-chic.com

***Herewith a couple of early entries to encourage you. Can you do better?***
***If you think so, send in your entries via*** **www.dailyinfo.co.uk**

I'm a nurse, a listener, a cleaner and cook, I really have no time to perfect my own look,
I am there for you thick and I'm there for you thin, I know just where you end and your siblings begin,
I have a job for life 24/7, from the day you were born until I go to heaven,
I cherish each moment each little thing counts, your happiness I wish for in copious amounts
I'll love you forever even when you're a bum, it's my job to regardless because I'm your mum. **Looby Lou**

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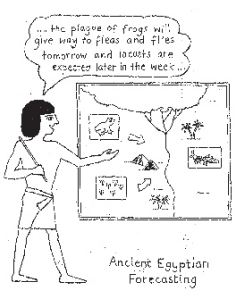
Size isn't everything and that I should know, but after mum had me she continued to grow!
There's nothing on earth that she refuses to eat, and that's why her backside fill the entire seat!
Camping with mum would be a good time spent, as most of her outfits could be used as the tent!
When she bends down to kiss me theres an eclipse of the sun, in stones I think she weighs one hundred and one!
To win this compition would be completely incredible, but it's a gift for my mum so will she flowers be edible?

**Anon** - (will poem's owner please contact Daily Info if he/she wishes to leave contact details)

## CARTOON

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## THEATRE to Sat 14th

### Ruskin College (554331)

**THE ILLEGALS** Thu 12th: 7.00pm
First-hand stories from undocumented migrants in the UK. £6 / £3

### Pegasus Theatre (722851)

**MOSAICS** Sat 14th: 11.30am, 4.00pm, 7.00pm
A day-long programme of dance by young people from age 3 + . £6/£4

### O'Reilly Theatre, Keble College

**S1L3NC3** Mon 9th: Main show 8pm
An artist whose canvas is your mind. Direct misconceptions & delusions. £7/£6

### OFS Studio (0844 847 2360)

**HIPPOLYTUS** Tue 10th, Sat 14th: 7.30pm
Wed 11th - Fri 13th: 2.30pm, 7.30pm
Euripides' horrifying tale of a family torn apart. £9/£7

### Burton Taylor Studio (305305)

**ARE YOU SITTING COMFORTABLY?** Tue 10th - Sat 14th: 9.30pm
Entirely improvised fifties radio play, replete with class, laughs and Foley artist! £5/£4

**THE JUST ASSASSINS** Tue 10th - Sat 14th: 7.30pm
Is there such a thing as a righteous terrorist? £5/£4

### New Theatre, Oxford (0844 8471585)

**OXFORDSHIRE GANG SHOW** Tue 10th - Fri 13th: 7.15pm
200+ Scouts and Guides from Oxfordshire. £6.50 - £10. Sat 14th: 2.00 & 7.00pm

### The Theatre At Headington (759138)

**BOARDERS' CHARITY FASHION SHOW** Tue 10th: 7.30pm
Headington School presents this high-octane fashion show for charity.

**DOING, DONE & UNDONE** Thu 12th: 7.30pm
Constructed as a triptych, it considers ways in which we are tied to one another. £8/£6

### Oxford Playhouse (305305)

**THEATRICALITY IN EARLY MODERN FRANCE** Fri 13th: 5pm
Talk by Dr Sabine Chaouche on different genres and theatrical forms of acting from 1629 to the French Revolution. £8.50 (£6.50)

**ANDROMAQUE** Tue 10th - Thu 12th: 7.30pm
Fri 13th: 8pm; Sat 14th: 2.30, 7.30pm
The children of Troy's Greek conquerors face an impossible dilemma. £14.50 - £23.50. French with English surtitles.

## MEETINGS & LECTURES

### Tue 10th

**DEUTSCHSPRACHIGER STAMMTISCH** / Speak German, play games, organise other activities. / 8:30pm, Free, All welcome / Anchor Pub (corner Kingston & Polstead Roads

**GLOBE CAFE** / Friends, coffee & conversation for international students and visitors / 8-10pm, Free refreshments / 07925 394122 / St Andrew's Church, Linton Rd

**IRISH LANGUAGE GROUP** / Informal group meeting up to speak Irish. / 8pm to 10pm, free / Half Moon Public House, St Clements

**BACK TO BASICS** / Bulbs in the Garden / 10.30-12 noon £12.50 / 286690 / University of Oxford Botanic Garden, Rose Lane, OX1 4AZ

**CHRISTIANITY IN EUROPE: THE WAY WE ARE NOW** / Public Lecture: Paruish Parushev / 8pm / 787400 / CMS, Watlington Road

**APGRD LECTURE** / Declan Donnellan: 'Staging the Greeks Today: A Personal View' / 2.15pm / www.apgrd.ox.ac.uk / 288210 / Classics Centre

**MAPPING THE PAST** / John Leighfield on the development of local printed maps since 1574 / 6-7.30pm £5pp / www.oxfordcastleunlocked.co.uk / 260668 / The Key Learning Centre, Oxford Castle - Unlocked, Castle Complex, New Rd

### Wed 11th

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION** / As taught by John Main. Beginners welcome! / 7.25pm / £2 donation / 514568 / 2, Canterbury Road, OX2 6LU

**SAHAJA YOGA MEDITATION** / 7pm, free / www.sahajayoga.org.uk / 01235 550654 / Asian Cultural Centre, Manzil Way, Off Cowley Rd, OX4 1GH

**RAILWAY TALK** / 'The London & North Western Railway at Oxford', with Laurence Waters. / 7.30pm. Visitors welcome / www.oxfordshirerailwaysociety.com / Seacourt Day Centre, Seacourt Rd., Botley OX2 9LN

**DAVID PATTERSON SEMINAR** / Dr C Kruger: French & German Jews in the Franco-Prussian War,1870-71 / Hebrew and Jewish Studies Unit / 8pm Free / www.ochjs.ac.uk / Yarnton Manor, Yarnton. OX5 1PY / 377946

**DOROTHY HODGKIN LECTURE 2009** / Mother's antibodies: how to improve them to combat HIV / Prof Bjorkman, Caltech / 6 pm , free, all welcome / 750143 / University Museum of Natural History, Parks Rd

**SEMINAR: THE CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS OF THE C15TH** / With Dr Evrim Bin Bas (University of Chicago) / 5pm, free / 278730 / Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies, George Street, OX1 2AE

**QUESTION TIME - DEMENTIA** / Lively debate on dementia issues. Guest panel, chair Jo Coburn / 6.45 for 7.30pm, free by ticket / 01235 763968 / Amey Hall, Abingdon School, Abingdon

**SPEEDWELL TRUST LECTURE** / Enhanced External Counter Pulsation for angina and heart failure. Dr R Fuller / 7.30pm, £2 members/£4 others / Green Templeton College, Woodstock Rd, OX2 6HG / 274770

**SEBSTIAN LOPEZ ON REGINA JOSÉ GALINDO** / Galindo's exhibition & its relationship to the Latin American artistic context. / 813800 / 6pm, £4, £3 conc, booking essential / Modern Art Oxford, 30 Pembroke St

**OXFORD FRIENDS OF THE EARTH** / Monthly meeting - renewables/climate change/transport campaigns / 7.30pm, free, all welcome. / www.ofe.or.uk / 07981 572629 / Friends House, 43 St Giles

**"AND MUHAMMAD IS HIS MESSENGER"** / Poetry, storytelling & song celebrating the Prophet Muhammad, peace be upon him / Ox Uni Islamic Soc / 7.30pm / www.ouisoc.com / University College / 276602

## CARTOON

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## THEATRE REVIEW

# 60 minutes of Sex

Part of Oxfordshire Science Festival 2009

Oxford Playhouse, 6th March.

It is often said that sex sells - however this was not the case for 60 minutes of Sex, which played to a half empty auditorium at the Oxford Playhouse. But the event, which was part of the Oxfordshire Science Festival 2009, failed to succeed for other reasons. Set up as a Question Time-format discussion around fertility, sexual identity and desire, it never really gathered any momentum and suffered from a lack of focus and, above all, science.

During one and a half hours a panel of six 'experts' answered questions from the audience. But the panel, seated on the stage of the Playhouse, stuck mainly to questions that had been submitted in advance and often seemed oblivious to the raised hands in the auditorium, which prevented a more lively and direct involvement of the public into the discussion.

The members of the panel, which included a science journalist, a professor of zoology, a lecturer in the history of medicine, the bishop of Swindon, a psychiatrist specializing in gender issues, and a sex educator, all had their own perspectives on sexuality and could have provided a good basis for a multi-faceted and in-depth discussion. But the topics that were addressed were too widespread, ranging from the view of the church on contraception, to the difference between trans-sexuality and gender ambiguity, to the physiological mode of action of Viagra.

Although the chair, former BBC Tomorrow's World presenter Judith Hann, did a good job trying to tie the different questions together, the discussion only scratched the surface of each issue and turned into little more than an amiable ramble through our nether regions, emphasising cultural issues more often than scientific ones. Topics that could have offered fascinating insights into the science of sex, for instance the human equivalent of the peacock's tail or the nature of sexual arousal, remained largely unexplored. What therefore promised to be 60 minutes of sex, turned out to be little more than 90 minutes of foreplay.

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