

The Cheapside Business Alliance ebulletin March 2017

Clean City Awards Scheme. Investec Win the New Cheapside Business Alliance Award

Established in 1994, the Clean City Awards Scheme (CCAS) aims to develop partnerships with all types of City businesses by raising the profile of responsible waste management. The Scheme recognises and rewards good practice and promotes recycling, reuse and waste reduction. The Scheme is open to all businesses based in the City of London.

At this year's prestigious CCAS annual awards ceremony and luncheon at Mansion House the CCAS proudly launched the inaugural Cheapside Business Alliance Award.

The Cheapside Business Alliance felt CCAS platinum award winners Investec Bank plc were very worthy winners of the first Cheapside Business Alliance Award. The Cheapside Business Alliance were impressed with Investec's continuous efforts to try to innovate and build on already well performing schemes. Investec strives for no under-desk bin policies and have strong campaigns to discourage disposable items in the staff canteen, such as loyalty schemes and 'Disposable Free Friday' which discourages the use of disposable items in favour of reusable to help reduce waste. The judges also felt Investec had made an outstanding effort in engagement, communication and staff training throughout their business.

To sign up to the scheme and discover all the benefits of joining the CCAS including affiliation with the City of London, invites to regular Best Practice Meetings, monthly newsletters, annual site inspection, networking opportunities and more visit www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/cleancityawards



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From the left: Steve Presland – CoL Transportation and Public Realm Director. Karen Bain- Investec. Alderman Sir Michael Bear. Teresa O'Brien Investec. Claire Dumontier-Marriage Cheapside Business Alliance

The Cheapside App – Do you have it?

We have many exciting events coming up over the next few months, so please support us where you can. Please [click here](#) to find out more.



March Events

Echoes Across the Century

From 31 March **FREE**



The First World War involved considerable sacrifice, both on the front line, as well as at home. Guildhall Art Gallery's new exhibition explores personal stories of those involved as they grappled with separation from loved ones whilst keeping the country moving. Immerse yourself in this multisensory journey that explores heritage, memory and loss. Featuring artist Jane Churchill's installation Degrees of Separation, Echoes weaves in the work of 240 students as they explore with Jane the impact of the war in this exhibition that is part museum, part archive of dreams.

Mon-Sat 10am-5pm; Sun 12noon-4pm
Guildhall Art Gallery, Guildhall Yard EC2V 5AE.
020 7332 1868

www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/echoes

A Fighter's Archive

Until 19 March **FREE**



A Fighters' Archive, by sculptor Wijnand De Jonge, commemorates the Black Women's Movement in Brixton during the 1970s and 80s, and addresses the context of social and racial tensions of this period. See bronze casts of activists' clenched fists which form a monument to the living and to recent history, set within the Gallery's historic London collection.

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www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/guildhallartgallery

Guildhall Yard Lunch Market

9 March **FREE**

Ditch the packed lunch and feast on some proper Greek wraps, Jamaican jerk chicken, cracking Korean dumplings and more, all in the glorious surroundings of Guildhall Yard. Market stalls sell tasty foodstuffs from around the world.



12noon-2.30pm
Guildhall Yard EC2V 5AE

www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/guildhallmarkets

Marie Duval: Laughter in the First Age of Leisure

Until 17 March **FREE**

An exhibition on Isabelle Émilie de Tessier, more commonly known under the pseudonym 'Marie Duval', showcasing her pioneering work in the art of 19th-century comics.

Mon-Fri 9.30am-5pm; Wed until 7.30pm. Open alternative Sat. (see website for details)
Guildhall Library, Aldermanbury EC2V 7HH.
020 7332 1869/1871

www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/guildhalllibrary

ENGLISH TOURISM WEEK

25 March – 2 April

Balm in Gilead

25, 27, 28, 29 March **£10**

See Lanford Wilson's critically-acclaimed play which follows the dispossessed and disenfranchised, junkies, hookers, johns and cons in the seedy Broadway of 1960s New York.

7.30pm (2pm select dates)
Silk Street Theatre EC2Y 8DT

The Good Person of Szechwan

The story of one charitable woman and her will to do good, this contemporary telling of Brecht's play explores whether goodness is possible in an exploitative capitalist world.

12noon
Bridewell Theatre EC4Y 8EQ

Keats in the City Walk

25 March **£12**

Follow in the footsteps of John Keats, the radical medical student, and discover the London haunts of this 'Cockney Poet'.

11am-1.30pm
Moorgate Station EC2M 6TX

Charles Dickens walk

25, 28 March, 1 April **£7**

Join a City of London Guide and see the crowded streets and secret backwaters where Dickens' novels and life were played out.

Tues 11am, Sat 2pm
Meet at the City Information Centre EC4M 8BX

Books: Used and Abused

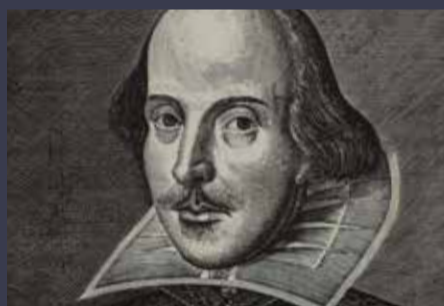
From 27 March **FREE**

Uncover what a book can tell us from the way it's been used, marked, mutilated, sold or bound in this new exhibition.

9.30am-5pm
Guildhall Library Aldermanbury EC2V 7HH

Shakespeare's First Folio

27-31 March **FREE**



A rare opportunity to see a copy of the First Folio, the first collected edition of Shakespeare's plays, published in 1623.

2pm
Guildhall Library Aldermanbury EC2V 7HH

Bullsh!t London's Shakespeare Walk

28, 30 March & 1 April **FREE**



Experience Shakespeare's London as never before on this tour that features fantastical gibberish of the highest order.

3pm
Meet at the City Information Centre EC4M 8BX

Exhibition Late View

30 March **FREE**

Enjoy a late view of exhibition Books: Used and Abused, and join David Pearson, author of Books as History, as he explores the exhibition's themes further.

6pm-8pm
Guildhall Library Aldermanbury EC2V 7HH

FREE CITY GUIDE WALKS

Diarists, Poets and Literary Bankers: 26 March/11am

English in the City: 29 March/2pm

TS Elliott – The Waste Land: 2 April/10.30am

See website below for tour details/ booking:
www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/etw