

The Falcon at Fotheringhay

- · Northamptonshire "Dining Pub of the Year" in The Good Food Guide for the 6th time
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- Restaurant and bar open every day

Oundle Festival Pre-Concert Menu

15th-23rd July 2005 Arrive 6pm and (we guarantee) leave by 7pm! Three choices per course Any two courses £12.50 per person.

Telephone 01832 226254 for bookings

Stamford Shakespeare Festival - 2005

6 June - 3 September

Rutland Open Air Theatre

Tolethorpe Hall, Little Casterton

Stamford Shakespeare Company presents Macbeth The Alchemist The Merry Wives of Windsor

One of the finest open air theatres in Europe on your doorstep. Offers the comfort of an indoor theatre with the charm of an outdoor setting.

On-site car/coach park, picnic lawn. Theatre bar and pre-performance restaurant in historic Tolethorpe Hall.

Brochure with full details from libraries and tourist information centres or phone 01780 754381.



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Friday 22nd July

Black Umfolosi

8pm Stahl Theatre

Tickets £13

Black Umfolosi is Zimbabwe's most celebrated singing and dancing group. Their songs, sung in close, rich harmony, address general human concerns: love, family, spirit, as well as contemporary problems: wars, apartheid, the environment and AIDS. Their music is fresh and surprising, not only for the interesting texts but also for the typical intricate rhythms, unusual harmonies and interspersed clicking, clapping and shouting, which combine to produce a natural funky and rugged aura. This wonderful music is totally different to anything else you'll hear this week - give it a try!



Twilight Organ Recital Clive Driskill-Smith

Bach and his Legacy

9.30pm St Mary's Church, Fotheringhay Tickets £7



Described as the 'star of a new generation', Clive is widely regarded as the hottest property on today's English organ scene. He is a recent winner of the Calgary International Organ competition; his career, rooted at Christ Church Oxford, is

assuming global dimensions. For his Fotheringhay recital Clive explores the echoing voice of J S Bach in a programme featuring exciting works by Mendelssohn, Mozart, S S Wesley, Liszt and Bach himself.

Wine and soft drinks available before the performance.

Saturday 23rd July

RCO Lecture Andrew McCrea and Simon Williams

The Royal College of Organists -Speaking with new accents

10am Arthur Marshall Room, Great Hall Free admission

Grants from Heritage Lottery Fund and substantial public monies have allowed the RCO to move from London to Birmingham and to convert the magnificent Grade 1 listed Curzon Street Station building into a headquarters for the 21st century. A purpose-built concert hall will house a new organ by the Swiss firm Orgelbau Goll; the libraries of RCO and the British Institute of Organ Studies will combine to form the British Organ Library, a resource of international significance; and the organs of the Early English Organ Project will be resident for a number of months each year.

In this year's RCO Lecture Andrew McCrea (RCO Director of Academic Development) and Simon Williams (RCO Head of Access & Participation) will show how these resources will stimulate new and exciting educational initiatives throughout the UK and beyond.



Design for new RCO Headquaters.



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