



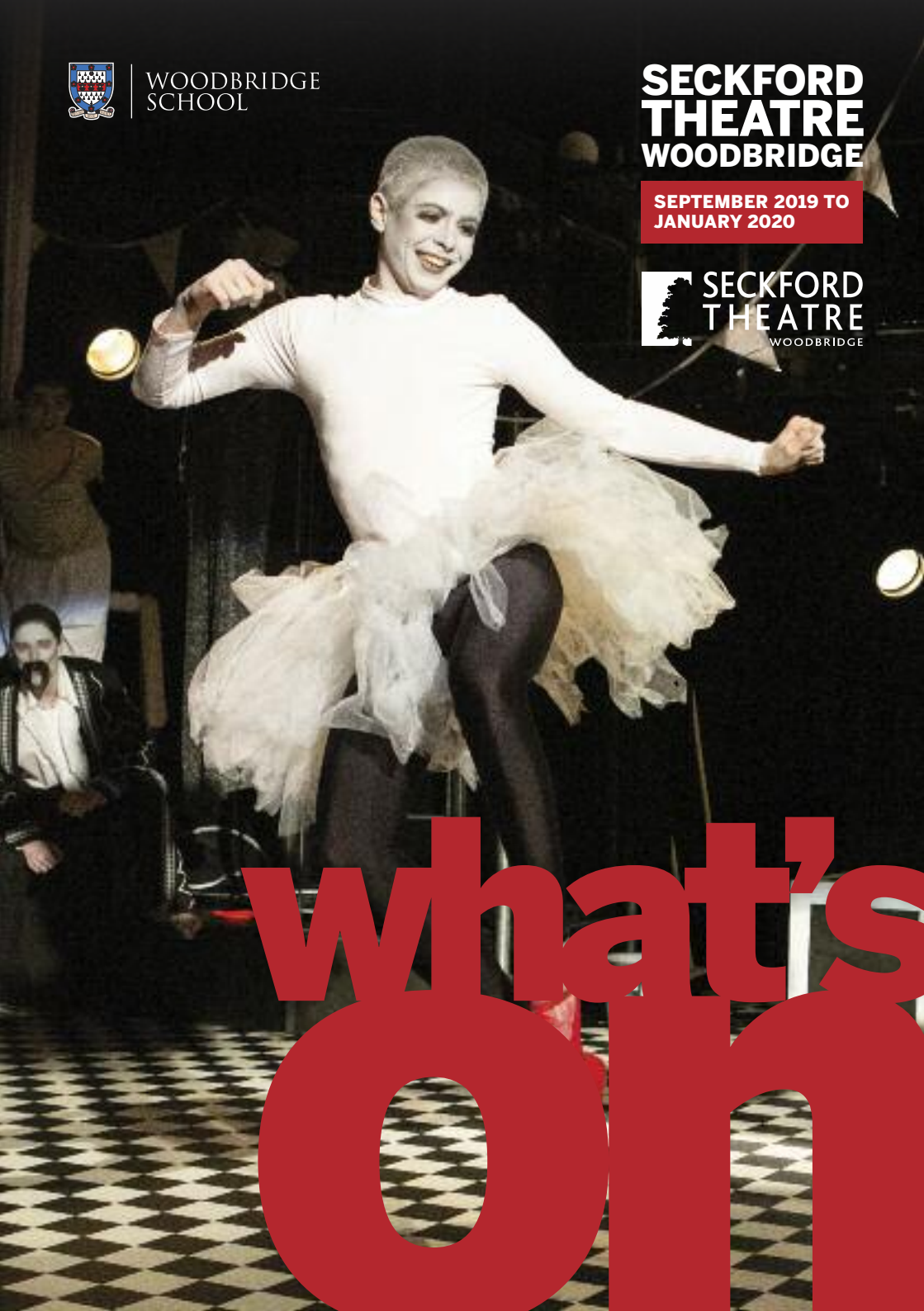
WOODBRIDGE
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**SECKFORD
THEATRE
WOODBRIDGE**

**SEPTEMBER 2019 TO
JANUARY 2020**



**SECKFORD
THEATRE**
WOODBRIDGE








**what's
on**

what's on | AT A GLANCE

Listings from September 2019 - January 2020

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|  | THEATRE |
|  | MUSIC |
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|  | EXTERNAL PRODUCTION |

5 - 6 SEPTEMBER

Woodbridge School presents
Délicieux! 7.30pm



14 SEPTEMBER

OEP Live! presents
Raymond Froggatt & His Band 1.30pm



14 SEPTEMBER

OEP Live! presents
One Night With Elvis 8.00pm



21 SEPTEMBER

OEP Live! presents
ABBA GOLD 7.30pm



22 SEPTEMBER

OEP Live! presents
Searchers and Hollies Experience 1.30pm



22 SEPTEMBER

OEP Live! presents
ELO Encounter 7.30pm



2 OCTOBER

Enhanced Performance Technique Seminar
(open to external pupils)
4.00pm - 5.30pm



5 - 6 OCTOBER

Suffolk Festival of Performing Arts presents
Dance Competition Part 2 9.30am - 7.30pm



9 OCTOBER

Lunchtime Live! Vocal Recital
School Hall. 1.35pm



11 OCTOBER

World Music@Woodbridge open day
Open to Year 5 & 6 instrumentalists of Grade 1
standard or above 9.00am - 5.00pm



12 - 13 OCTOBER

Suffolk Festival of Performing Arts presents
Drama Competition 9.30am - 7.30pm



16 OCTOBER

Lunchtime Live! Wind & Brass Recital
School Hall 1.35pm



18 OCTOBER

Common Ground presents
A Sidecar Named Despair! 7.30pm



22 - 26 OCTOBER

Ipswich Gilbert & Sullivan presents
Ruddigore 7.30pm & 2.30pm





SEPTEMBER 2019 TO
JANUARY 2020

6 NOVEMBER

Lunchtime Live! Piano & Percussion Recital
School Hall 1.35pm

W

13 NOVEMBER

Lunchtime Live! String Recital
School Hall 1.35pm

W

13 - 14 NOVEMBER

Woodbridge School presents
Brief Encounter 7.30pm

W

20 NOVEMBER

Cantabile concert for East Suffolk Blind Association
School Hall 2.15pm

W

23 NOVEMBER

Theatretrain Ipswich presents
The Little Mermaid 7.30pm

E

27 NOVEMBER

Open Mic gig
Seckford Theatre Foyer 1.35pm

W

30 NOVEMBER

Louise Kate Dance presents
The Nutcracker 1.00pm & 4.00pm

E

2 DECEMBER

Cello Concert
School Hall 6.30pm

W

4 DECEMBER

Woodbridge School presents
Youth Poetry Festival 8pm

W

7 DECEMBER

Theatre Emporium presents
Spirit of the Season 6.45pm

E

9 DECEMBER

Christmas Spectacular.
St Mary's Church, Woodbridge 7.00pm

W

11 DECEMBER

OEP Live! presents
Queen at Christmas 7.30pm

E

13 - 14 DECEMBER

Common Ground presents
Sherlock Holmes & The Warlock of Whitechapel
7.30pm & 4.00pm

E

14 DECEMBER

Britten *St Nicholas*
Framlingham College Chapel 7.00pm

W

20 - 29 DECEMBER

Deben Players presents
Red Riding Hood 2.30pm & 6.30pm

E

8 - 18 JANUARY

Eastern Angles presents
The Famous Four & a Half Go Wild in Thetford Forest
7.45pm & 3.45pm

E

5 - 6 SEPTEMBER |

THEATRE

WOODBIDGE SCHOOL
PRESENTS

*une bonne dose de excitement,
une pincée de suspense,
une soupçon de Joy*

Délicieux!



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SECKFORD THEATRE

5 - 6 SEPTEMBER

7.30PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

Forced by tradition to stay at home and care for her ailing mother, Manon becomes a gifted chef who can affect people's moods with her cooking.

BOOK AT WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/SECKFORDTHEATRE

14 SEPTEMBER |

MUSIC



RAYMOND FROGGATT & HIS BAND

OEP LIVE!

Raymond Froggatt, a stalwart of the music industry, has spent 50 years treading the boards, writing and singing songs that have been covered by so many other major artists including Isaac Hayes and Sir Elton John.

Raymond Froggatt writes and sings his own songs, mesmerising his audience, making them laugh with one of his many stories, or cry with emotion with a song that touches the heart like no other.

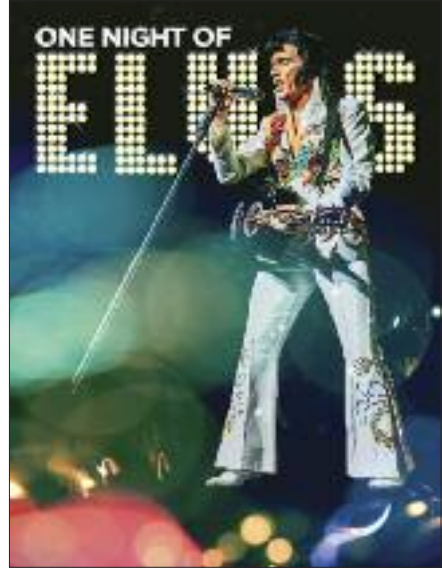
SECKFORD THEATRE
SATURDAY 14 SEPTEMBER
1.30PM

TICKETS: £19.50 + BOOKING FEE
E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

WWW.OEPLIVE.COM OR 01256 416384

14 SEPTEMBER |

MUSIC



ONE NIGHT WITH ELVIS

OEP LIVE!

Lee Memphis King recreates it all with stunning authenticity - the voice and equally important for Lee, the passion and energy that Elvis put into his songs. He leaves audiences in no doubt that they are witnessing the world's No 1 Elvis Tribute Artist. Pure entertainment and Pure Presley.

SECKFORD THEATRE
SATURDAY 14 SEPTEMBER
8.00PM

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E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

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21 SEPTEMBER |

MUSIC



ABBA GOLD

ABBA GOLD continue to tour worldwide and have done so for over 20 years and playing more than 4,000 shows to over 3 million people in 43 different countries including on numerous television shows for the BBC, ITV, Channel 4 and Sky. ABBA GOLD still remain one of the most influential recreation Bands of all time and have spawned several imitations.

SECKFORD THEATRE
SATURDAY 21 SEPTEMBER
7.30PM

TICKETS: £19.50 + BOOKING FEE

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

Tonight ABBA GOLD make an exclusive live appearance and will perform all evening ABBA hits. With the release of Mamma Mia 2 featuring Cher in summer 2018 and the current rumour of new Abba Original songs the ABBA profile remains higher than ever.

BOOK AT WWW.OEPLIVE.COM OR 01256 416384

22 SEPTEMBER |

MUSIC



SEARCHERS AND HOLLIES EXPERIENCE

OEP LIVE!

The Searchers and Hollies Experience... The best of both worlds brings to the stage the magical hits of these two legendary harmony bands. Bringing back memories of the most high-energy decade in pop music history. Let the haunting melodies transport you to that exciting era when millions of records were sold.

SECKFORD THEATRE
SUNDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

1.30PM

TICKETS: £19.50 + BOOKING FEE

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

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22 SEPTEMBER |

MUSIC



ELO ENCOUNTER

OEP LIVE!

Roll over Beethoven, because the greatest recreation in sound and vision to the Electric Light Orchestra, ELO and Jeff Lynn's ELO is here! In an all live show playing all the much loved songs from ELO's hit-filled library including Evil Woman, Telephone Line, Mr Blue Sky, Don't Bring Me Down and many more. The ELO Encounter promises a night filled with rock, roll and Blue Skies that would make even Mozart mambo and Bach boogie!

SECKFORD THEATRE
SUNDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

7.30PM

TICKETS: £19.50 + BOOKING FEE

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

WWW.OEPLIVE.COM OR 01256 416384

5 - 6 OCTOBER |

DANCE



DANCE COMPETITION PART 2

SUFFOLK FESTIVAL OF PERFORMING ARTS

Join us and dancers from across Suffolk and beyond for some seriously entertaining and exciting Dance... from Ballet to Acrobatics; Solos to Groups; featuring all ages in a Federated Festival.

(Due to high demand we are again running two weekends, the first of which will be held in the Hayworth Theatre at Ipswich High School 28th/29th September.)

Come and be amazed at our county's talent.

SECKFORD THEATRE

SATURDAY 5 - SUNDAY 6 OCTOBER

9.30AM – 7.30PM

TICKETS: £3 PER SESSION, £5 ALL DAY

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

TICKETS ON THE DOOR

12 - 13 OCTOBER |

THEATRE



DRAMA COMPETITION

SUFFOLK FESTIVAL OF PERFORMING ARTS

Join us for an enthralling weekend of Drama and Speech including Solo poetry, acting, readings and Shakespeare; also with duologue acting and group drama.

For further details contact:
speech@suffolkfestival.com

SECKFORD THEATRE

SATURDAY 12 - SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER

9.30AM – 7.30PM

TICKETS: £3 PER SESSION

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

TICKETS ON THE DOOR

18 OCTOBER |

THEATRE



09

A SIDECAR NAMED DESPAIR!

COMMON GROUND

SECKFORD THEATRE

FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER

7.30PM

TICKETS: £12/£8

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

Dick's quiet suburban life is shattered when his brother Julian returns suddenly from The States, for "health" reasons. But his shady American "associates" have unfinished business with him, putting both their health at risk. Their dad's old bike and sidecar, which Dick has been "doing up", might come in handy as their getaway vehicle!

BOOK AT WWW.COMMONGROUNDTC.CO.UK OR 07807 341364

22 - 26 OCTOBER |

THEATRE

RIDDIGORE

With a village full of professional bridesmaids, all they want is to marry everyone off. Rose Maybud, in following her book of etiquette is unable to return Robin's advances. Robin holds a dark secret, as he holds the cursed title of Sir Ruthven Murgatroyd, which Sir Despard in believing Robin is dead, currently holds. When Richard returns from sea he falls in love with Rose and reveals Robin's secret. What will happen to Robin when he takes over the cursed title and will the bridesmaids ever get their wedding?



SECKFORD THEATRE

TUESDAY 22 – SATURDAY 26 OCTOBER

7.30PM, 2.30PM SATURDAY MATINEE

TICKETS: £6 - £16

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

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13 - 14 NOVEMBER |

THEATRE



BRIEF ENCOUNTER

WOODBIDGE SCHOOL

"I'm a happily married woman. Or rather I was until a few weeks ago. This is my whole world and it's enough, or rather it was until a few weeks ago." Your heart dances. The world seems strange and new. You want to laugh and skip and fall forever... You are in love. You are in love with the wrong person. "That's how it all began. Just by me getting a little piece of grit in my eye."

Noel Coward's Brief Encounter masterfully adapted for the stage by Kneehigh

SECKFORD THEATRE

WEDNESDAY 13 & THURSDAY 14 NOVEMBER

7.30PM

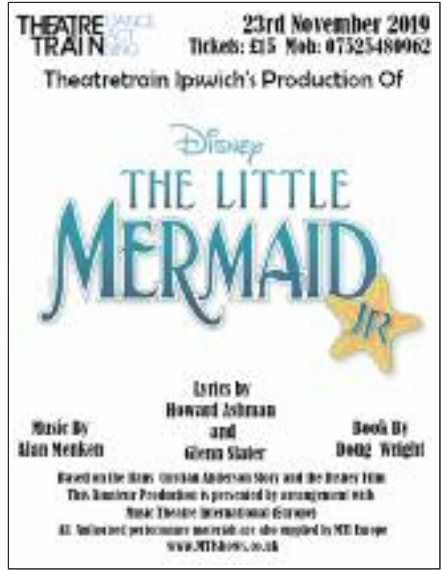
TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

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23 NOVEMBER |

THEATRE



THE LITTLE MERMAID

THEATRETRAIN IPSWICH

In a magical underwater kingdom, the beautiful young mermaid, Ariel, longs to leave her ocean home — and her fins — behind and live in the world above. But first, she'll have to defy her father, King Triton, make a deal with the evil sea witch, Ursula, and convince the handsome Prince Eric that she's the girl whose enchanting voice he's been seeking

SECKFORD THEATRE

SATURDAY 23 NOVEMBER

7.30PM

TICKETS: £15

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

WWW.THEATRETRAIN.CO.UK OR 07525480962

2 OCTOBER |

MUSIC

ENHANCED PERFORMANCE TECHNIQUE SEMINAR

SECKFORD THEATRE

WEDNESDAY 2 OCTOBER - 4.00PM-5.30PM

TICKETS: FREE (OPEN TO EXTERNAL PUPILS)

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

9 OCTOBER |

MUSIC

LUNCHTIME LIVE! VOCAL RECITAL

SCHOOL HALL

WEDNESDAY 9 OCTOBER - 1.35PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

11 OCTOBER |

MUSIC

WORLD MUSIC@WOODBIDGE OPEN DAY

MUSIC SCHOOL

FRIDAY 11 OCTOBER - 9.00AM – 5.00PM

OPEN TO YEAR 5 & 6 INSTRUMENTALISTS OF
GRADE 1 STANDARD OR ABOVE

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TO BOOK A PLACE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

16 OCTOBER |

MUSIC

LUNCHTIME LIVE! WIND & BRASS RECITAL

SCHOOL HALL

WEDNESDAY 16 OCTOBER - 1.35PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

6 NOVEMBER |

MUSIC

LUNCHTIME LIVE! PIANO & PERCUSSION RECITAL

SCHOOL HALL

WEDNESDAY 6 NOVEMBER - 1.35PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

13 NOVEMBER |

MUSIC

LUNCHTIME LIVE! STRING RECITAL

SCHOOL HALL

WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER - 1.35PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

20 NOVEMBER |

MUSIC

CANTABILE CONCERT FOR EAST SUFFOLK BLIND ASSOCIATION

SCHOOL HALL

WEDNESDAY 20 NOVEMBER - 2.15PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

27 NOVEMBER |

MUSIC

OPEN MIC GIG

SECKFORD THEATRE FOYER

WEDNESDAY 27 NOVEMBER - 1.35PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

2 DECEMBER |

MUSIC

CELLO CONCERT

SCHOOL HALL

MONDAY 2 DECEMBER - 6.30PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

9 DECEMBER |

MUSIC

CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

ST MARY'S CHURCH, WOODBRIDGE

MONDAY 9 DECEMBER - 7.00PM

TICKETS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

14 DECEMBER |

MUSIC

BRITTEN ST NICHOLAS

FRAMLINGHAM COLLEGE CHAPEL

SATURDAY 14 DECEMBER - 7.00PM

TICKETS: £15 (£7.50 FOR U18)

BOX OFFICE: WILLIAM GLASSE - 07802 597071

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

30 NOVEMBER |

DANCE

THE NUTCRACKER

LOUISE KATE DANCE

Louise Kate Dance is very pleased to present their adaptation of the much loved Christmas classic 'The Nutcracker'. This year the school has decided to put on a full production of Marius Petipa's Ballet in which pupils will be able to show off their talents to friends and family. This production is an exciting challenge for the school and everyone has worked hard to produce an amazing show which we hope you will all enjoy.



SECKFORD THEATRE
SATURDAY 30 NOVEMBER
1PM & 4PM
TICKETS: £15, £8
E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

BOOK AT WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/LOUISEKATEDANCE

4 DECEMBER |

THEATRE



YOUTH POETRY FESTIVAL

GET ON THE SOAPBOX

Piers Harrison-Reid, with support from A.N.G and Leo George, hosted by Amy SoapBox.

Piers is an exciting and inspirational poet from Norwich. His poetry is inspired by the wordplay and flow of hip-hop, and the passion of punk.

SECKFORD THEATRE
WEDNESDAY 4 DECEMBER
8.00PM

TICKETS: £5 STUDENTS: FREE

W WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

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7 DECEMBER |

THEATRE



SPIRIT OF THE SEASON

THEATRE EMPORIUM

Experience the magic of Christmas with The Theatre Emporium's enchanting festive production SPIRIT OF THE SEASON

Directed by Victoria Charles Saker

SECKFORD THEATRE
SATURDAY 7 DECEMBER
6.45PM

TICKETS: £12.50

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

WWW.WOLSEYTHEATRE.CO.UK OR 01473 295900

11 DECEMBER |

MUSIC



QUEEN AT CHRISTMAS

OEPLIVE!

UK Queen - perform a very Special QUEEN at CHRISTMAS SHOW.

With stunning accuracy in sound and vision, UK Queen will produce a high energy show which will rock the house with an all evening classic hit after hit show.

The world will never see Queen perform with Freddie Mercury ever again but UK QUEEN get very close.

SECKFORD THEATRE

WEDNESDAY 11 DECEMBER

7.30PM

TICKETS: £19.50 + BOOKING FEE

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

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13 - 14 DECEMBER |

THEATRE



SHERLOCK HOLMES & THE WARLOCK OF WHITECHAPEL

COMMON GROUND

Ancient artifacts are disappearing from museums and private collections all over Europe. A pre-Christian effigy one day, a shamanic totem the next, a pagan fetish at the weekend. Either someone's on their own personal antiques road trip, or they're trying to summon dark forces and gain mystical powers. But to what end... and why?

The ensuing adventure takes Holmes and Watson from the wharfs and alleys of East London, to the icy wastes of the north and the hidden temples of the east (changing at Peterborough), as they pursue "The Warlock of Whitechapel"

SECKFORD THEATRE

FRIDAY 13 & SATURDAY 14 DECEMBER

£12, £7

7.30PM, 4PM SATURDAY MATINEE

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

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20 - 29 DECEMBER |

THEATRE



RED RIDING HOOD

DEBEN PLAYERS

Red Riding Hood manages Grandma's very successful bakery "The Rolling Scones". Sire Percy Widdle, the evil landlord, raises all the rents. His henchmen, Stinky and Winky, are tasked with collecting the monies. Enter Woody, the woodcutter. Thus the scene is set for a battle, good versus evil. A family friendly pantomime.

SECKFORD THEATRE

FRIDAY 20 – SUNDAY 29 DECEMBER

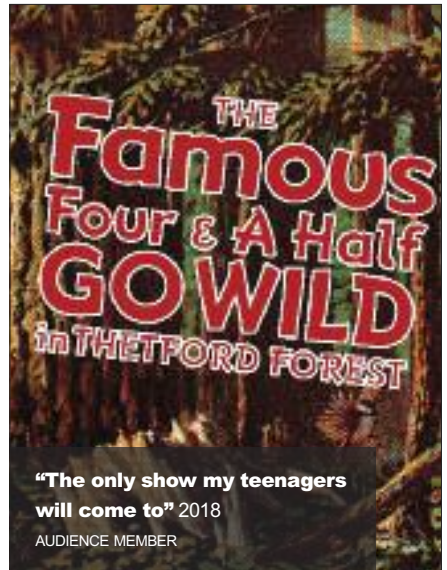
2.30PM & 6.30PM

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION

WWW.DEBENPLAYERS.NET OR 0333 666 3366

8 - 18 JANUARY |

THEATRE



THE FAMOUS FOUR & A HALF GO WILD IN THETFORD FOREST

EASTERN ANGLES

On their hols, Rupert, Nick, Jan, Phil(omena) and Dimmy the dog, do battle with a shady figure who has stolen their Aunt's time machine. A crazy chase visits a future Thetford by the Sea, some hipster Neolithics at their local derby, and a certain Home Guard rehearsal. Once again, Eastern Angles hits the wacky heights and spoofs the kids whose adventures we all learnt to read by.

By Harry Long

SECKFORD THEATRE

WEDNESDAY 8 – SATURDAY 18 JANUARY

3.45PM THURSDAY AND SATURDAY MATINEE

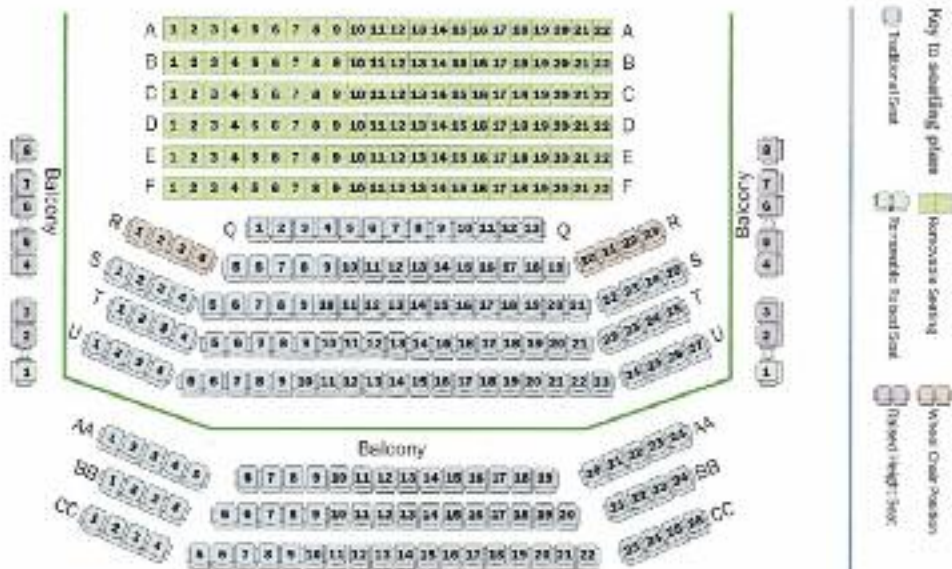
TICKETS: £10 - £21

E EXTERNAL PRODUCTION


WWW.EASTERNANGLES.CO.UK/WHATS-ON

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STAGE



Box Office The Seckford Theatre operates an online only booking system. Tickets for all shows can be found on www.seckfordtheatre.org.uk If you experience any problems please telephone us on **01394 615042**

 For all the latest theatre updates please follow us on Twitter **@SeckfordTheatre**

If you wish to hire the Seckford Theatre or advertise in this brochure please contact Rachel Edwards on **01394 615042** or redwards@woodbridgeschool.org.uk

All external theatre hirers will be using their own Box Office facilities. Please see their individual adverts in this brochure on how to book tickets for these productions. Payment for these tickets must be made directly to the hirers and not the Seckford Theatre.

Facilities    Please contact the ticket provider for further details or to book a facility.

There is a fully licensed bar which normally opens an hour before the advertised performance time. Interval drinks may be pre-ordered from the bar.

Please note that smoking is not permitted in any part of the Seckford Theatre.



OPEN DAY

SATURDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

PRE-PREP & PREP SCHOOL:

10.30am - 12.30pm

AGES 4 - 11

SENIOR SCHOOL:

12.30pm - 4.00pm

AGES 11 - 18



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