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Make the Move at The Landmark

Performing Arts classes run every week during term time at the Landmark Theatre usually from 3pm to 9pm every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, providing excellent access and development opportunities for young people. See P37 for the full timetable and information on our many other arts education special projects.

The Gallery Sessions

Young Musicians' Showcase

A celebration of music featuring just a few of the many talented local young people who receive help and encouragement from North Devon charity, *Young Musicians' Support*. The



varied programme will include soloists and ensembles, singers and instrumentalists, some of whom are well on the way to a professional career and others who are just starting out on their musical journey.

Presented by Young Musicians' Support, a registered charity dedicated to helping young classical musicians in North Devon.



Wed 22 July, 8pm all tickets: £5



Tony Kofi Quartet

with Jonathan Gee (piano), Ben Hazleton (bass), Winston Clifford (drums)

Multi-award winning saxophonist Tony Kofi's recent CD *All is Know* is a reappraisal of Thelonious Monk, which has been performed at various festivals including a six-hour marathon of Monk's complete works at the 2003 and 2007 London Jazz Festivals.

Tony is touring Europe again in 2009 with Jamaaladeen Tacuma and will be at the Berlin Festival with the World Saxophone Quartet, in which he has the honour of being the youngest and only UK member. He continues to be nominated for various awards, including *Best Jazz Act* at the MOBOs.

Tonight's welcome return will mix his Monk repertoire with originals.

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Wed 23 September, 8pm tickets: £9.50

Craig & Willoughby

Craig & Willoughby are singer-songwriter Cathryn Craig and accomplished guitarist and ex-Strawb Brian Willoughby. The combination of Brian's strong British and Cathryn's American roots creates an Anglicised Americana that blurs musical boundaries. Their intricately crafted songs tell true stories and reflect life experiences.

They have both toured with Nanci Griffith who also appeared on the duo's song for peace *Rumours of Rain*.

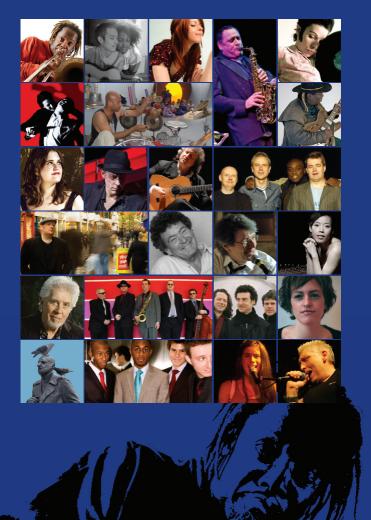
'an intimate and compelling slice of real country blues' Mojo magazine.

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20 \$55 12+ Thurs 24 September, 8pm all tickets: £8

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Lennon – The Legend

His music lives on

John Lennon one of the most important icons in musical history, gained worldwide fame as a member and founder of The Beatles, where his influence and impact was enormous. In his solo career, he wrote and recorded such classics as *Give Peace A Chance* and *Imagine*, becoming a performer of immense stature.

Two hours of music and mantra will remind you of the sheer power of Lennon's songs; with a live band and full multimedia experience, come and be transported back through time.

G 12+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Fri 3 July, 8.15pm all seats: £15



Eating in

Let us tempt your taste buds with our excellent range of food and drink from our two café bars.

The Gallery Café

At the Queen's Theatre, Monday to Saturday, 10am to 3pm.

The Gallery serves fine pastries, crisp salads and a selection of paninis and sandwiches. Fully licensed, the café uses Fairtrade coffee and tea, is family friendly and fully accessible. A classic yet



contemporary respite from the bustle of Barnstaple.

The Rendezvous Café

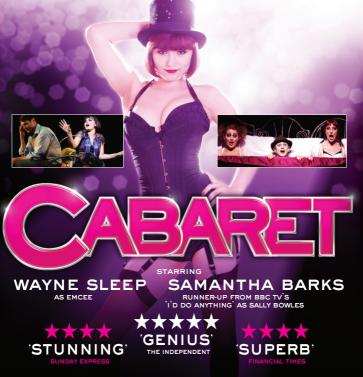
At the Landmark Theatre, open seven days a week.

With its large ocean-facing terrace and breathtaking views, the Rendezvous makes a perfect setting to enjoy great food and the best outlook in Ilfracombe. Open for morning coffee, light lunches and afternoon tea.

Pre-show suppers at the Queen's Theatre

Make a night of it and enjoy a pre-show supper. Ask for details of availability and menu details when booking your tickets.

A SASSY, SIZZLING, SENSATION OF A SHOW!





From the creators of hit musical Chicago, Cabaret turns 30's Berlin into a sassy and sizzling haven of decadence. Featuring show-stopping choreography, dazzling costumes and some of the most iconic songs in musical theatre including *Mein Herr*, *Maybe This Time, Money Money Money* and of course *Cabaret*. This unforgettable musical is theatre at its best. Come to the cabaret, it's divine decadence darling!

G pr 🚍 13+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Mon 15 to Sat 20 June Mon to Sat eves 7.30pm Wed, Thurs & Sat mats 2.30pm Mon to Thurs eves & Sat mat: stalls/dress circle: £28 (£26), upper circle: £26 (£24) Fri & Sat eves: stalls/dress circle: £32 (£30), upper circle: £30 (£28) Weds & Thurs mats, all seats: £22

This production contains adult themes and brief moments of nudity. Recommended age 13+ (subject to parental/teacher's discretion).





Angelina Ballerina's Big Audition

Performed by English National Ballet

Choreography: Antony Dawson Music: Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

The little star with big dreams takes her next steps.

Following Angelina Ballerina's first real live ballet, Angelina and friends return to the stage. This magical new ballet by English National Ballet follows Angelina as she prepares to audition for the prestigious Camembert Academy. Miss Lilly prepares Angelina for her big chance to dance in front of the judges and, although excited about the possibility of an exciting

new adventure, Angelina worries about leaving home and Alice behind.

During her audition at the Camembert Academy, Angelina meets lots of new friends who introduce her to exciting new twists on traditional ballet, from

G 6+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple

Fri 3 & Sat 4 July Fri: 6pm, Sat: 11am, 2pm & 5pm all seats: £15 young person: £9.50 family ticket: £45 jazz to hip hop. Will Angelina's dream of joining the academy end in tears, or will this be an exciting new chapter in her life?

www.ballet.org.uk/angelina

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Running time 1 hour and 15 minutes including a 20 min interval.

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By L. Frank Baum

With music & lyries of the MGM motion picture score by Harold Arlen & C.Y.Harburg

Background music by Herbert Stothart

Book adaptation by John Kang from the motion pieture sergenplay

L Frank Baum's timehonourgd classic The Wizard of Oz' comes to North Devon. This musical masterpiece will feature spectacular staging and beautiful costumes complementing the classic musical numbers from the famous 1939 film we all know and love.



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Starring Joss Wyre... The public's winner of 'Find Dorothy'

By arrangement with Musicscope and Stage Musicals of New York www.brauntonproductions.co.uk



Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple

Tues 7 to Sat 11 July eves 7.30pm, Sat mat 2pm all seats: £12 young person, upper circle & restricted view: £8 family ticket: £36

Crash - Sea to Shore

Artistes from the Generating Company, with some of North Devon's most talented young people, embark on this year's Fysical project. This stunning piece of theatre combines contemporary circus and live soundscapes to create an instrumental, physical and visual experience.

Preview performance for primary schools 2pm.

Free admission with a maximum ticket allocation of 100 seats per school.

Tickets must be booked in advance via the Theatres' Box Office.

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Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Fri 10 July, 8.15pm all seats: £9.50 young person: £6.50 family ticket: £26

Summer Sunday Theatre Funny Money

Barnstaple Dramatic Society return with a fast moving hilarious comedy suitable for all the family.

Henry Perkins is on the underground, returning home, when by mistake, he picks up the wrong briefcase which happens to contain £735,000 in used notes. Foreseeable and unforeseeable events intervene in the true spirit of British farce.

Hobson's Choice

By Harold Brighouse

Set in 1880s Salford, Henry Horatio Hobson is a successful shop owner selling shoes made by his employee, Will Mossop. Hobson rules his household with a rod of iron, but when his children and shoemaker rebel, what choice is he presented with? Discover the hilarity of his dilemma as Studio Theatre brings this delightful Lancashire comedy to life. An amateur production written by Ray Cooney.

G 🚍 12+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Sun 12 & 19 July, 8.15pm all seats: £8.50 family ticket: £28



Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Sun 26 July & 2 August, 8.15pm all seats: £8.50 family ticket: £28

studiotheatreonline.org.uk

The Sound of Musicals

The Music and Lyrics of Rodgers & Hammerstein. Devised and directed by Lee Baxendale

Join members of Studio Theatre for an enchanted evening as they perform an array of showstoppers from theatre's most successful musical duo, including: *Carousel, Oklahoma, South Pacific, The King & I* and *The Sound of Music.*

www.studiotheatreonline.org.uk

G 12+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Sun 9 & 16 August, 8.15pm all seats: £8.50 family ticket: £28

Summer in the Pavilion Theatre

Café Cabaret

Presented by Double Take Illusions

Jane and Dave Williams are joined by international guest artistes Lesley and West in this professional show.

Come and join in the fun and frolics of many outrageously funny, larger than life characters that, by chance or intention, cross the threshold of the Café Cabaret. On the menu you will find physical theatre, song, dance, illusions and comedy sketches.

G 10+

Landmark Pavilion, Ilfracombe Thurs 23 July, Sat 8, 15 & 22 August

Thurs 3 September, 8.15ph all seats: £10 (inc nibbles)

When You're Smiling II

A family trip down memory lane ...

A second nostalgic look at the war years with different songs, stars and sketches that kept them 'smiling through' the 1940s, performed by Studio Theatre.

www.studiotheatreonline.org.uk

G 6+

Landmark Pavilion, Ilfracombe Mon 3, 10, 17 & 24 August, 8.15pm all seats: £7

G 10+

Landmark Pavilion, Ilfracombe Fri 24 & 31 July, 7, 14 & 21 August, 4 Sept, 8.15pm all seats: £8 (£5) family ticket: £20

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Dirty Dancing. Footloose and many more! Join w for an exciting evening of musical entertainment and great dance numbers.

Roll Out the Barrel

Let's have a sing along...

Roll back the years and bring back the memories with this gloriously happy show that has been lighting up theatres all over the country. This professional show features a feast of non-stop golden oldies, from music-hall classics to show songs, sing-a-long melodies to vintage Flanagan & Allen.

White Cliffs of Dover, We'll Meet Again, Underneath the Arches, Bye Bye Blackbird, Pennies from Heaven...

G 🚍 10+

Landmark Theatre, llfracombe Wed 15 July, 8.15pm all seats: £10

Comedy Club at the Seafront

This well-established comedy club has seen some fantastic acts over the past few months. Formed in association with Barnstaple's Comedy Club at The Riverfront Café, each night provides two great acts from the comedy circuit of Jongleurs & Jesters clubs.



Following the comedy Wendy May will DJ 'til midnight.

To see the line-up visit the theatres' website at www.northdevontheatres.org.uk.

Artists subject to change.

G 16+ ζ140

Landmark Pavilion, Ilfracombe Thurs 16 July & Fri 18 September 8.30pm to midnight all tickets: £7

That'll Be The Day A brand-new summer '09 show

This incredibly popular rock 'n' roll production returns with a brandnew summer show.

Prepare to party as Trevor, Gary, Rebel and the gang perform their



legendary rock 'n' roll spectacular, featuring over 100 classic-gold hits of the 1950s, 60s, 70s and 80s, combined with new wacky comedy routines to produce a show with a real feel-good party atmosphere.

'Non-stop Nostalgia' Daily Echo

www.thatllbetheday.com

G 🚍 16+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Thurs 16 July, 8.15pm all seats: £18.50 (£17)

Dance 2009

Presented by Sarah Anne Westcott Dance & Performing Arts Studio

We are back once again with a lively and entertaining show which promises to have something for everybody.

Come along and enjoy a great performance with some of North Devon's most talented and enthusiastic young performers. G 5+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Sat 18 July, 2pm & 7pm all seats: £8.50 (£7.50)

Grimethorpe Colliery Band



The real stars of the hit movie Brassed Off are in constant demand throughout the world for concert appearances. Having won almost every brass band accolade, these musicians have an esteemed international reputation with numerous television appearances and recordings to their credit. Enjoy the fabulous sound of this world famous brass band as they perform your favourite classics with passion and style. 'Sensational - performing favourite classics in spectacular style!' The Times

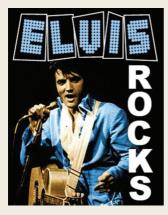
'A thoroughly entertaining show and a must for all music enthusiasts!' The Guardian

G 🚍 10+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Sun 19 July, 3pm stalls/dress circle: £17.50 upper circle: £16.50

Elvis Rocks

This concise musical theatre production encompasses Elvis' entire musical journey from Memphis to Las Vegas.



With an amazing line-up of musicians and performers, the leading roles in the show are played by two experienced singers, Steve Halliday, who played the role of Eddie Cochran in *Rockin' on Heaven's Door* and Michael King who also formerly performed in *The Power of Elvis.*

G 🚍 8+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Tues 21 July, 8.15pm all seats: £16.50 young person: £8.50 family ticket: £46

One Night in Vegas The UK's leading Vegas show for all the family

This concert-style show features the music and dance from the entertainment capital of the world, Las Vegas.

Featuring performers from the West End, this dazzling production features powerful musical numbers, live big band swing, beautiful dancing girls, spectacular costumes, and large video imagery.

Starring the outstanding singer/songwriter Martyn Lucas, performing on his grand piano, and accompanied by musicians from the world-acclaimed British Philharmonic Orchestra, there will be songs from *Phantom of the Opera, Copacabana* and *Dreamgirls* and classics from Frank Sinatra, Bobby Darin, Elton John, Elvis and Barry Manilow.

'Voice was excellent...' London Palladium

G 🚍 8+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Weds 22 & 29 July, 5,12,19 & 26 August,

2 September, 8.15pm all seats: £16.50 (£15) young person: £8 (or free with every adult ticket purchased)



Phil Cool

Phil Cool is undoubtedly one of the UK's finest impressionists. Seeing is believing. While many rely on make up and costumes, all he needs is his face which he can manipulate with such accuracy it really could be Tony Blair. Paul McCartney, Winston Churchill or George Bush on the stage.

www.philcool.co.uk

G 14+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Thurs 23 July, 8.15pm all seats: £15 (£14)

Young Stars of the Future

A night of song and dance

Nigel Brooks presents the Young Stars of the Future featuring Panache, Jaden Cornellius, Johnny Black, Sam & Ruth Chapple, plus guest stars from London's West End and supporting acts.

All proceeds go to Wellend House for children with special needs.

G 5+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple

Sat 25 July, 7pm All seats: £10

Johnny Cowling Comedian, singer & entertainer

Hailing from Cornwall, Johnny Cowling has been compared to the comedy genius of Jethro with a good measure of Tommy Cooper to boot.

With his unique blend of humour and music, plus a rare affinity to bond with his audience, Johnny can belt out a song almost as good as Elvis (his words).

Hugely popular in the South West of the UK, Johnny recently ventured further afield as the support act for Paddy McGuinness. The tour, which included a date in Barnstaple, was a huge success and left the audience in absolute hysterics.

'One of our great undiscovered comedy talents...he gave us an hour of pure genius. He was brilliant - a true entertainer who could make anybody laugh.' Fern Britton

G 18+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Thurs 30 July & 6 August, 8.15pm all seats: £14 (£13)

Voulez Vous Abba hits galore

Performing a non-stop barrage of Abba hits, Voulez Vous' production is visually enhanced by multiscreen projection and a voice-over narration telling the story of Abba's rise to stardom to their eventual split.

Following the enormous success of *Mamma Mia the Movie*, come along and relive the music with the family and be entertained by the

finest and most

recognised music ever; this is pure Abba nostalgia at its best.

G 🚍 8+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Tues 28 July, 4, 11, 18 &25 August, 8.15pm all seats: £16.50 (£15.50) young person: £8.50 family ticket: £46



Jiving Lindy Hoppers

Take a trip through the history of dance with the Jiving Lindy Hoppers and young dancers from North Devon.

Combining various forms of media with dance demonstrations, this highly energetic group will perform jive and social dances through the ages, from 20s Charleston to the 40s Chattanooga.

G 6+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe

Fri 31 July, 8.15pm all seats: £10 (£8), young person: (£5) family ticket: £25

The Tales of Peter Rabbit

With brand-new songs, beautifully designed scenery and costumes, this show will delight fans of Peter Rabbit, both young and old, by remaining faithful to the original stories.

Join Peter Rabbit and Benjamin Bunny on their adventure through the forest to Mr McGregor's garden, to fetch a nice juicy lettuce. On the way they'll be meeting some friendly and familiar faces including Mrs Tiggy-Winkle, Jemima Puddle-Duck and Tom Kitten.



The story will be narrated by its very own Beatrix Potter.



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Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Fri 7 & 21 August, 1.30pm & 4.00pm all seats: £9, family ticket: £32



The Freddie Starr Show

Plus support

Britain's favourite funny man returns for the summer bringing with him his unique brand of zany humour. A reassuringly outrageous figure, this legendary entertainer, singer and impressionist guarantees to supply you with plenty of music, mayhem and trouser droppin' craziness.

Adult humour throughout.

G 18+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Thurs 13 August, 8.15pm all seats: £17 (£16)



Syd Lawrence Orchestra

Band leader Chris Dean packs a real punch with his dazzling new show, The Best of the Big Bands.

Featuring the music of Glenn Miller, Count Basie, Tommy Dorsey, Artie Shaw, Benny Goodman, Billy May, Frank Sinatra and Ella Fitzgerald, these classic arrangements are played with a real passion for the music. An evening filled with the most distinctive music ever to grace the turntable, seamlessly combined with audience banter, producing a unique fusion of music and humour.

G 🚍 10+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Fri 28 August, 7.45pm stalls/dress circle: £15.50 (£13.50) upper circle: £13.50 (£11.50)

Joe Pasquale

Yes Ladies and Gentleman, once again Joe Pasquale is back on the road, but this time he's bigger and better than ever before.

Question: Why should you go and see Joe Pasquale?

Answer: Don't go to see him because you think he's funny; don't go to see him because he set up a helpline for battered cod; see him because he has a lot of overheads and his tortoise needs money to open a Velociraptor farm.

Comedy doesn't come any squeakier than this.

Suitable for all ages & species.

G 🚍 12+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Thurs 20 August, 8.15pm all seats: £17.50

Sunwest Festival

Free entertainment - real ales - local ciders



The Landmark Beer Festival's younger sister enjoys as much popularity and perhaps even more sunshine as it spans the August Bank Holiday weekend. With high quality performances from some of the region's top artists including:

Junkstar, Jay Tamkin Band, Jenna, Hip Route, The Liquidators, Spinlords of Spintania Sunday - Bands Day in association with SoundPad

SOUNDPAD

Don't miss the annual Mini Rally finish at the Landmark Theatre grounds on Monday 31 August.

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Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Fri 28 to Mon 31 August admission: free

Magic of the Dance

They tap on tables, jump over boxes and stomp the ground until their shoes really do catch fire.

Magic of the Dance is a fast-paced, energetic dance production which celebrates the history of Ireland and includes a haunting narrative by Hollywood icon **Christopher Lee**.

Enchanting music, breath-taking pyrotechnics and technologically advanced lighting all combine with the world's greatest Irish dancers.



The Bee Gees Story

With their stunningly convincing vocals, this show promises an evening of everything Bee Gees and features the uncannily convincing vocals of brothers Darren and Gary Simmons as Barry and Robin Gibb and Jarrod Loughlin as Maurice Gibb. Perfectly recreating the Gibb brothers' extensive repertoire, special guest performers will also be featured singing many of the hits the Bee Gees wrote for other artistes such as Barbara Streisand, Celine Dion and Diana Ross.

G 8+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Tues 1 September, 8.15pm all seats: £16.50 (£15.50)

'The lead proves that he really does have feet of fire as he does a sequence where real flames top his shoes while he dances. ... the audience loved it!' G 🚍 10+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Thurs 3 to Sat 5 September eves 7.45pm Sat mat 2.45pm all seats: £18.50 (£16.50) family ticket: £66



This show includes strobe lighting.

Jeanine Thorpe violin, plus pianist The lunchtime classical concert series

When Jeanine Thorpe played in a lunchtime concert in 2005, aged just 16, she had just been voted student of the year by the European String Teacher's Association. She returns having won several further prizes and having competed in the BBC *Classical Star* programme.

Programme:

Beethoven: Kreutzer Sonata Kreisler: Praeludium and Allegro Mozart: Sonata, K454



Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Wed 9 September, 1.05pm all seats: £4.50

Richard Digance



From performing to an audience of just eight in the Falklands to a mere half a million at Knebworth with The Beach Boys, Richard has survived all the trends in comedy and music and still remains one of Britain's unique entertainers. Not only contented with his songs, rhymes and stories, he is equally proud of his BAFTA Nomination, a Gold Award from the British Academy of Songwriters, a SONY Radio Award and a nine letter word on TV's *Countdown*.

G fr 🚍 14+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Wed 9 September, 8.15pm all seats: £15 (£13) Friends' ticket offer, all seats: £11



The Cornish legend returns

Jethro may have never won a comedy award, but he did once win the father's egg and spoon race at the St Just Primary School sports day.



Even more importantly, he still constantly fills theatres up and down the country and we're delighted that he's coming back.

If only to hear the theatre roar with laughter, you should make time for this night; Jethro is a total one off.

*Contains Adult Material

G 18+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Sat 12 September, 7.30pm all seats: £18

Andy Fairweather Low

Andy's pedigree is the stuff rock dreams are made of. He was the lead singer in Amen Corner, whose 60s hits included *Bend Me Shape Me, Hello Suzy* and *If Paradise is Half As Nice*. His 70s solo career saw two massive hit singles; *Wide Eyed and Legless* and *Reggae Tune*.

Following this, Andy has worked with Eric Clapton, George Harrison, Bob Dylan, Jimi Hendrix, David Crosby, Elton John, Pete Townshend... and hundreds more.

His first solo album in 24 years, *Sweet Soulful Music,* was released late in 2007 followed by *The Very Best Of Andy Fairweather Low*, which was released in the UK in June 2008.

G 12+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Sun 13 September, 8pm all seats: £16

Rock 'til We Drop The Barron Knights and The Tremeloes

These two musical legends come together for an exclusive concert.

The Barron Knights have toured the world for the past forty-seven years and sold more comedy records than any other band with songs such as *Call Up The Groups, Pop Goes The Workers* and *A Taste Of Aggro.*

The Tremeloes are one of the sixties most iconic groups, with

hits including *Silence is Golden*, *Here Comes My Baby, Suddenly You Love Me* and *Even the Bad Times Are Good*.

Now, the boys get together in what will be a night of the best rock 'n' roll in years.

G 12+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Thurs 17 September, 7.45pm all seats: £16.50 (£15.50)



Beyond the Barricade

Tenth anniversary tour

Beyond the Barricade returns with a brand-new tenth anniversary production.

Recreating original West End and Broadway musical hit songs, the cast of past principal performers from Les Miserables sing many of the best musical songs from the past ten vears and include:

The Phantom of the Opera. Chess, The Lion King, Blood Brothers, Miss Saigon

and many more productions, climaxing with a spectacular finale from, of course, Les Miserahles

www.beyondthebarricade.com

G 🚍 8+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Fri 18 September, 7.45pm all seats: £18.50 (£17)

Solid Gold Country Legends

This ever-popular production showcases a medley of country music hits which have all achieved Gold Disc status for record sales.

Led by Randy Ryman and the Outlaw Country Band, this show is a perfect mix of old and new country hits from the classics of Hank Williams. Patsv

Cline, Willie Nelson, Tammy Wynette to Dolly Parton, Kenny Rogers and Shania Twain to name iust a few.



Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Sat 19 September, 8.15pm all seats: £15.50 (£14.50)



Sean O'Farrell

Popular Irish singer songwriter Sean O'Farrell returns to our shores with a very special new show.

Sean has toured with many great music legends, including: Don Williams, Tammy Wynette, George Hamilton and Daniel O'Donnell (with whom he co-write some songs for the album *Until the Next Time*).

Backed by a five-piece band, this new show will be a mixture of many of Sean's older songs, such as the BBC Radio 2 hit *Eighteen Yellow Roses*, along with some of the newer tracks he's just recorded on his album *Life Is A Teacher*.



G 12+

Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe Fri 25 September, 8.15pm all seats: £15.50

Murder in Mind

A murder-mystery evening presented by The Foul Players

It is 1975 and the Maharishi Andayo Moniova is to make a rare appearance at Barking Manor, home of Lady Barking who has given all her worldly wealth to the cause, as have many others.

The faithful are assembled; all love beads and flower power, when a knock at the door announces the arrival of Laura Norder and her fiance Perry Winkel who have broken down on the lane outside. Or have they?

The Maharishi is late and is rumoured to be meditating but the followers are starting to get a little restless, after all, this is not the first time he has failed to appear...questions need to be answered.

There will be a small prize for the best dressed man and woman.

G 12+

Landmark Pavilion, Ilfracombe Fri 25 September, 7pm £22.50 (includes 3-course supper)

The Classical Circle 2009-10

Book for all 6 concerts in the new series before 31 July 09, saving £12.50 from the total cost, to become a member of our exclusive Classical Circle. As a member you will receive a complimentary programme for each concert and in addition we invite you to join us for a complimentary drink to start the season at the first concert. The Classical Series is sponsored by

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Emma Johnson Clarinet John Lenehan Piano

International stars Johnson and Lenehan are highly regarded worldwide for their solo performances. Over the years they have appeared in most maior concert halls across Europe, the USA and the Far East. As prolific recording artists they have been awarded recognition by both Gramophone and the BBC. In early 2009 they released a new disc on the Naxos label of sonatas by Bernstein and Copland, together with compositions by John Dankworth, including the delightful Suite for Emma which is included in this innovative progamme for the Queen's.

Schumann - Romances Op. 94 Brahms - Sonata for Clarinet and Piano Op.120 No.1 in F minor Widor - Introduction and Rondo Poulenc - Clarinet Sonata Dankworth - Suite for Emma

G 🚍 6+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Wed 16 September, 7.30pm

stalls/dress circle: £17.50 (£16) front stalls/upper circle: £16 (£14.50)

Philharmonia Orchestra

Conductor: Ian Brown Soloist: Min-Jin Kym, Violin

The Southbank Centre's world class, resident orchestra returns to Barnstaple with the exceptionally talented violinist Min-Jin Kvm. sister of the exceptionally talented pianist Min-Jung who played with the Philharmonia last season. Founded in 1945 the Philharmonia is one of the world's most recorded orchestras with over 1000 releases to its credit and acknowledged as the Uk's foremost musical pioneer. With a touring schedule to include the great concert halls of the world we are fortunate to welcome back an orchestra of this calibre to North Devon.

Rossini - Overture: Italian Girl in Algiers

Bruch - Violin Concerto No.1 in G minor

Beethoven - Symphony No.3 in E flat Eroica





JOHN FOWLER HOLIDAY PARKS

This concert is also supported by John Fowler Holiday Parks

G 🚍 6+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Tues 27 October, 7.30pm stalls/dress circle: £24 (£22.50) front stalls/upper circle: £23.50 (£21)

Solstice String Quartet

Jamie Campbell Violin Nicholas Shardlow Violin Meghan Cassidy Viola Gregor Riddell Cello

This quartet has rapidly gained a reputation for being one of the most talented in the counntry. Winners of the *Royal Over-Seas League* competition 2009.

Haydn - Quartet Op.76 No.5 Dvorak - Quartet in F Op.96 America Beethoven - Quartet Op.127



G 🚍 6+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Fri 27 November, 7.30pm stalls/dress circle: £17.50 (£16) front stalls/upper circle: £16 (£14.50)

Sinfonia Classica

Freddy Kempf Piano Katja Laemmermann Violin

As a highly regarded, explosive and sensitive pianist, Kempf has many dedicated admirers. He is joined by the rapidly rising star soloist Laemmermann.

Grieg - Holberg Suite Mendelssohn - Concerto for Violin and Piano Dvorak - Serenade for Strings



G = 6+ Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Thurs 25 February 2010, 7.30pm stalls/dress circle: £17.50 (£16) front stalls/upper circle: £16 (£14.50)

Kungsbacka Piano Trio

Malin Broman Violin Simon Crawford-Phillips Piano Jesper Svedberg Cello

One of the most outstanding ensembles of their generation, this fresh and sophisticated trio can be frequently heard on BBC Radio 3

Schumann - Piano Trio **Beethoven** - Trio in B flat Op.97 Archduke



G 🚍 6+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Thurs 25 March 2010, 7.30pm stalls/dress circle: £17.50 (£16) front stalls/upper circle: £16 (£14.50)

Sinfonia Classica

Director: Matthias Wollong University College Dublin Choral Scholars Conductor: Desmond Earley

This award-winning vocal ensemble joins the Queen's Theatre resident orchestra to close the 2009 - 2010 season.

Mozart - Oboe Concerto K.314 Mozart - Ave Verum Corpus K.618 Haydn - St Nicholas Mass



G 🚍 6+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Thurs 29 April 2010, 7.30pm stalls/dress circle: £17.50 (£16) front stalls/upper circle: £16 (£14.50)

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"The Moonbather" by Roy Clarke

Last of the

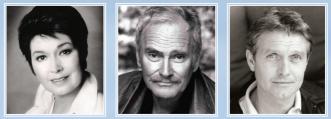
As Last of the Summer Wine leaps from the small screen to stage for the very first time, you can expect plenty of japes, misunderstandings and the mandatory wheel barrow catastrophe as the ageing delinquents get themselves in and out of trouble.

Return to the halcyon days of Foggy, Compo and Clegg, as they reunite for this brand new stage adaptation of the television classic. Written by Roy Clarke, who has penned every episode of the world's longest running sitcom and is also the creator of *Open All Hours* and *Keeping Up Appearances*. This new stage play is packed full of the eccentric humour and fullon slapstick that has made Last of the Summer Wine a British institution.

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Starring Ruth Madoc with Tony Adams and Steven Pinder.

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Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Tues 28 September to Sat 3 October, eves 7.45pm, mats 2.45pm stalls/dress circle: £19 (£17) front stalls/upper circle: £16 (£15) Tues, all seats: £15 Thurs & Sat mat, all seats: £11 Schools, Wed to Fri eves and Thurs mat, all seats: £6.50 Friends' ticket offer, Wed eve all seats: £11

Julian Clary Lord of the Mince

"I, Julian Clary, have done for mincing what Michael Flatley did for Irish dancing. Now, suddenly, I'm 50. Uncannily so is Michael Jackson. We have lived parallel lives in many ways: same age, same colour, neither of us strangers to the make up box. And I nearly called my show 'This is S***''.

'He made Carmen Miranda look like Brando' Scotsman

'He knows what we want: excess coming by the bucket load' Scotsman

'Julian Clary camps it up like a gang of brownies on a sausage sizzle' Sunday Mail

Presented by: Mick Perrin for Just For Laughs Live Ltd

G 🚍 16+

Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple Sat 26 September, 7.45pm all seats: £20 (£17.50) Presented by North Devon Theatres and Hiss & Boo★

<u>GINDERELL</u>

The greatest family pantomime of all

Cinderella promises to be a spell-binding show, with lots of fun, audience participation, classy sets and costumes and a big dollop of magic. Will Cinderella's magic coach fly her to the ball? Whose foot will the slipper fit? Can Buttons save the day?

This sparkling new production stars Mark Reeves as Buttons, who brought the house down last year as Jack, the beautiful singer and actor Jacqui Kent as Cinderella, our forever-enchanting Vivienne McMaster as the Fairy (and choreographer) and two of the greatest Ugly Sisters, Anthony Stuart-Hicks and David Phipps-Davis.

With a little help from the Fairy we will magically hold reservations at last year's prices until Saturday 31st October, so don't delay, make sure that you reserve your invitation to the ball.

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Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple

Thurs 10 December 2009 to Sun 3 January 2010 For times and ticket prices please visit the website or call the box office.

Future Events

John Williams and John Etheridge

Landmark Theatre Thurs 1 October, 8pm

Simon Amstell - Do Nothing Queen's Theatre Wed 7 October, 7.45pm

Wishbone Ash & The Hamsters Queen's Theatre Thurs 8 October, 7.45pm

Nutcracker

Queen's Theatre Fri 9 & Sat 10 October 2.30pm & 7.45pm

Marcus Brigstocke Landmark Theatre Sat 10 October, 8pm

Joe Pasquale's Autumn 09 Tour

Queen's Theatre Thurs 15 October, 7.45pm

Magic - A Kind of Queen Landmark Theatre Sat 17 October, 8pm

Curtis Stigers

Queen's Theatre Sun 18 October, 7.30pm

Dave Spikey Queen's Theatre

Thurs 29 October, 7.30pm

Grumpy Old Women - Live 2

Queen's Theatre Wed 25 November, 7.45pm

Stephen K Amos Queen's Theatre Wed 3 & Thurs 4 February 2010, 7.45pm









Make the Move

Weekly performing arts classes providing access and opportunity in all aspects of theatre, from stage management, set design and script writing to dance, choreography and circus skills.

Registration now open for classes in drama, musical theatre, modern, jazz, tap and ballet.

New term starts Mon 7 September.

Term fee: £30 (per class)

Full fee: £120 (4 classes or more)

Per class: £3 (major class: £4)

Contact: Carol Turner 012711 869 216









Timetable

Mondays		
4.00 - 4.45	Junior jazz	
	waiting list applies	
4.00 - 4.45	Grade 1 ISTD modern	
4.45 - 5.45	Junior musical theatre waiting list applies	
4.45 - 5.45	Senior musical theatre waiting list applies	
5.45 - 6.45	Senior jazz waiting list applies	
5.45 - 6.45	Grade 2 ISTD modern	
6.45 - 7.45	Grade 3 ISTD modern	
6.45 - 7.45	Boys classical dance ages 12+	
7.45 - 9.00	Contemporary & choreography waiting list applies	
7.45 - 8.45	Grade 4 ISTD modern	
Tuesdays		
4.00 - 5.30	Acrobatics and balance	
	waiting list applies	
4.30 - 5.30	Grade 6 RAD ballet	
5.30 - 6.30	Grade 3 ISTD tap	
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6.30 - 7.30 6.30 - 7.30	Intermediate ISTD tap	
6.30 - 7.30	Grade 4 ballet	
7.30 - 8.30	Intermediate ISTD modern waiting list applies	
7.30 - 8.15	Adult beginners/improvers tap	
8.00 - 8.45	Adult intermediate tap	
Wednesdays	· · · · · ·	
3.15 - 4.00	Tiny turns ages 3 and above	
4.00 - 4.45	Pre-primary RAD ballet	
	ages 4½+ starters	
4.00 - 4.45	Grade 1 ISTD tap	
4.45 - 5.30	Primary RAD ballet	
4.45 - 5.30	Performance rehearsal class	
5.30 - 6.15	Grade 2 RAD ballet	
5.30 - 6.15	Primary tap	
6.15 - 7.00	Grade 1 RAD ballet	
6.15 - 7.00	Grade 2 ISTD tap	
7.00 - 8.00 8.00 - 9.00	Grade 4 ISTD tap Grade 6 RAD ballet	
8.00 - 9.00	Drama club	
1.00 - 9.00	waiting list applies	
Thursdays		
4.00 - 5.00	Mini major ballet invitation only	
5.00 - 6.00	Grade 5 RAD ballet	
6.00 - 7.30	Major/adv foundation ballet by invitation only	











Exhibitions

Bruce Aiken

Queen's Theatre 29 June to 25 July **Places I Remember**

The place is always significant; my illustrations are an attempt to encapsulate the pervading memory of that time and place.

Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty

Landmark Theatre 29 June to 25 July **Photographic competition**

The 2008 AONB Photographic Competition, Imagery with Meaning, strongly encourages thoughtful photography and this exhibition of the competition's winners and finalists ensures to display shrewd examples of its four categories.

This is North Devon

Queen's Theatre 27 July to 29 August A collection of iconic photographs of North Devon Life through the eyes of some of North Devon's leading photographers at Mike Southon Studios. The events and people that make North Devon unique can be seen in the colourful and eye catching exhibition.

Airscape Devon by Lance Read

Landmark Theatre 24 August to 3 October From the air the beauty and amazing variation in North Devon's landscape can be truly appreciated. See it all captured in Lance's exhibition of digital photography from a bird's-eye view!

Subtle by Robert Hill

Queen's Theatre 1 September to 3 October North Devon landscape paintings

NORTH DEVON

A great way to get to know North Devon's landscape, history, people and stories.









Where Land and Sea Meet: The South West Coast, Past, Present and Future. 4 July to 5 September

This family-friendly exhibition covers stories of the South West coast and includes fishing, holidays and the environment.

In collaboration with the South West Social History Curators Group.

Heritage Open Days

10 to 13 September

Special building openings, talks and guided walks in and around Barnstaple's historic buildings. Coordinated nationally by the Civic Trust in partnership with English Heritage. Watch the local press for more details.

Urchfont Embroiderers: Stitched Textiles

12 September to 7 November

Vibrant and imaginative textile art from this nationally renowned group of embroiderers.

Free admission Opening times Mon to Sat, 9.30am to 5pm

The Square, Barnstaple, North Devon EX32 8LN

Tel: 01271 34 67 47 museum@northdevon.gov.uk devonmuseums.net/barnstaple

Take Part



Jiving Lindy Hoppers Residency

Back by popular demand Russell and Carolene swing back to Devon.

Tues 28 - Fri 31 July

Adults workshop Tues 28 July, 7pm - 9pm £5

No experience necessary sense of humour....vital!

Juniors

8 - 12 years, Seniors 13 years participant fee: £40 Associates: £20

Daily 10am - 1pm (Juniors & Seniors)

Associates only: 2pm - 5pm

Fri 31 July, 2pm - end of show

Musical Theatre Residency with Nigel Brooks & Gerry Zucharello

Celebrating great show tunes from *Cabaret, Smokey Joe's Café* and more.

Mon 17 - Sat 22 August

Juniors ages 8 - 12 Mon - Thurs 10am - 3pm Fri 10am - 5pm

Seniors 13 and above Mon - Thurs 10am - 5pm

Fri 2pm - 9pm Sat 2pm - 5pm call at 6pm, performance at 7pm

Demonstration of works in progress Sat 29 August, 7pm

tickets: £2 in advance, £3 on door participant fee: £75, Associates: £25

If additional juvenile company members are required for this year's panto (Cinderella), they will be selected from the Musical Theatre Residency, see above for more details. The 29th May 1961 Charitable Trust and The Elmgrant Trust are generous supporters of our education programme.



Acrobalance and Dance

Mon 3 - Thurs 6 August 10am - 4pm Ages 8 and above participant fee: £25 Associates: free

Drama Residency

Fun week devising a piece of theatre with Mark Reeves (*Jack and the Beanstalk*) for demonstration at the end of the week.

Mon 10 - Fri 14 August 10am - 4pm daily props and costumes provided

Ages 8 and above participant fee: £25 Associates: £15



Carnival Week

Mon 24 - Wed 20 August 10am - 4pm

Thurs 27 August 2pm - end of Carnival procession.

Working with professional practitioners from the world of music, props, parade, and procession we will be creating an explosion of sound and colour for Ilfracombe Carnival.

Ages 8 and above participant fee: £25 Associates: £15 Including costume hire and props, you will be asked to provide footwear as advised.



For further information contact Carol Turner on: 01271 869 216 or email carol.turner@northdevontheatres.org.uk

Theatre Information

Queen's Theatre

Boutport St, Barnstaple EX31 1SY Box Office tel: 01271 32 42 42

The Queen's Theatre is located in Boutport Street, on the corner of Butchers' Row, with parking close by at Queen Street and Bear Street car parks. If travelling from outside the area follow the signs for the Town Centre.

Landmark Theatre

Wilder Rd, Ilfracombe EX34 9BZ Box Office tel: 01271 324242

The Landmark Theatre is located in Wilder Road on the Seafront, with public parking available, both on site and close by. Follow the signs for the Seafront and The Landmark is on your left.

Public Transport

www.carsharedevon.com www.nationalrail.co.uk www.traveline.org.uk www.stagecoachbus.com

For all ticket bookings please telephone the Box Office: 01271 32 42 42

For non-ticket enquiries contact:

Queen's Theatre Tel: 01271 327357 Fax: 01271 326412

Landmark Theatre: Tel: 01271 865655 Fax: 01271 867707

Friends of the Theatres

There are many ways to support the Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple and the Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe. By joining as a member for £18.50 for the whole year, you will be contributing to the continuing development of the Theatres' future. Not only will your contribution help enhance programming for future generations to enjoy you will also receive some unique benefits along the way:

 Seven days advance information and priority booking ahead of the general public for theatre events at the Queen's Theatre and The Landmark Theatre, (due to contractual differences this cannot be guaranteed on all shows).

- Best available seats guaranteed during priority booking.
- A regular newsletter providing details of future plans and current activities.

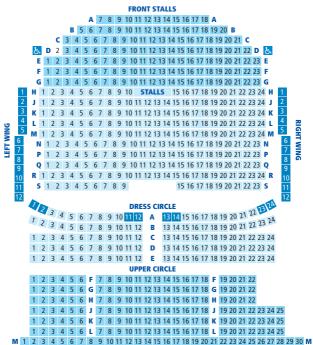
A chance to meet the stars.

If you pay income tax or capital gains tax you may like to consider completing the Gift Aid Declaration on your application/renewal form.

Call Friends' Organiser Deborah Cooke on 01271 86 92 12 or email debbie.cooke@northdevon theatres.org.uk for an application form or pick one up at the Box Office.

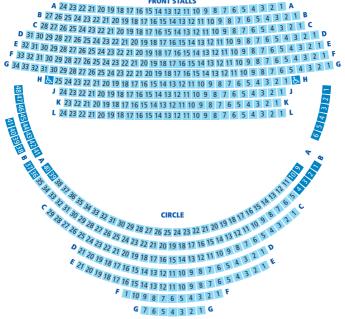


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How to Book & Access

Online

Visit our website for secure online booking, 24 hours a day. A £2.60 transaction fee will be applied per booking.

In person

In the foyer of the Queen's Theatre or the Landmark Theatre. Open Monday to Saturday, 10am to 4pm and Sundays, April to October (later on performance nights). Sunday opening subject to seasonal change.

By telephone

North Devon Theatres Box Office 01271 324242. Open as stated above. Visa, Mastercard, Maestro & Solo accepted. Unpaid reservations held for 3 days.

By post

North Devon Theatres Box Office, Boutport Street, Barnstaple EX31 ISY. Please include booking requirements and make cheque payable to 'North Devon Theatres Trust'. Add £1 if you would like your tickets posted to you.

Refunds

Tickets cannot be exchanged or refunded. However we will attempt to re-sell tickets on any sold-out shows, a charge of 10% is made for this service.

Show cancellatons

Please note that all artists and programmes are subject to change without notice. In the event of a cancellation of a performance we will make every reasonable endeavour to ensure customers are notified wherever possible. North Devon Theatres cannot be held responsible for any consequential loss incurred from such a change.

Gift vouchers

Gift vouchers are available for purchase from the Box Office and can be used for shows at the Queen's Theatre and Landmark Theatre.

Special offers

Only one offer applies to any one ticket and must be requested at time of purchase.

Ticket concessions

(shown in brackets) apply to children, fulltime students, claimants of job seekers allowance, over 60s and registered disabled.

Family ticket

When available applies to a family of 4 with max 2 adults.

Young person's ticket

On selected performances. Applies to children 16 & under.

Stand-by tickets

Any remaining unsold seats may be purchased for half the top price either by phone or in person after 6pm on the day of performance. Tickets must be paid for at time of booking. This offer is not available on all shows.

Young people admissions policy

Infants aged 18 months or under may be held on their parent or guardian's lap with no charge. In the interest of all our customers an infant must remain on the accompanying adult's lap at all times throughout the performance.

The infant in arms ticket is available for pantomime and all children's events.

Unaccompanied children

Unaccompanied children of 12 years and over are welcome at most performances (except those with an age guidance limit indicated). Customers must ensure that if children are attending without a parent/guardian that they have safe travel to and from the theatre.

Children aged under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

Access

The following information may prove useful if you have specific access requirements; however it is not exhaustive. Please do contact a member of our team if you have any queries. We are happy to assist.

Physical access

There are wheelchair spaces available in the stalls for every performance at the Queen's Theatre, accessed via a ramp from street level. The Gallery Cafe is situated on the first floor and is accessible by lift.

The Landmark Theatre offers wheelchair spaces for all performances. The Theatre, Pavilion and Rendezvous Café are all fully accessible. There is disabled parking on the Wilder Road car park next to the Landmark at the front of the building.

Both venues have accessible toilet facilities.

Minibus group

If you have a mobility problem, a disability that prevents you from getting out and about or if you do not feel safe driving at night, we now have the North Devon Theatres' Minibus Group. This service is able to pick you up from your home and take you to either the Queen's or Landmark Theatre to see the shows of your choice.

Covering the Woolacombe, Ilfracombe, Combe Martin and Berrynarbor areas, for a small fee, the Ilfracombe Community Transport bus will get you there; see the bus logo on the relevant shows. This season we are hoping to extend the service to include Barnstaple and Bideford.

To register for this service or for any further information please contact Janice Banks on 01271 86 56 55.

Hearing impaired

Both venues are fitted with an infra-red hearing system - please reserve equipment at time of booking.

Visually impaired

Guide dogs are welcome at both Theatres.

For other access requirements or further information please contact the Front of House Manager on 01271 327357 or email foh.qt@northdevonthea tres.org.uk

Parking

There is limited disabled parking at the Queen's Theatre opposite the theatre entrance in Boutport Street and Butchers Row.

Shopmobility

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Business Associates

If you would like to know more about our Business Associate Scheme, wish to hold a seminar at one of our venues or organise a product launch, we can help.

For information on this or if you wish to advertise in one of our programmes, please contact our sales executive George Hammett on 07974 834291

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