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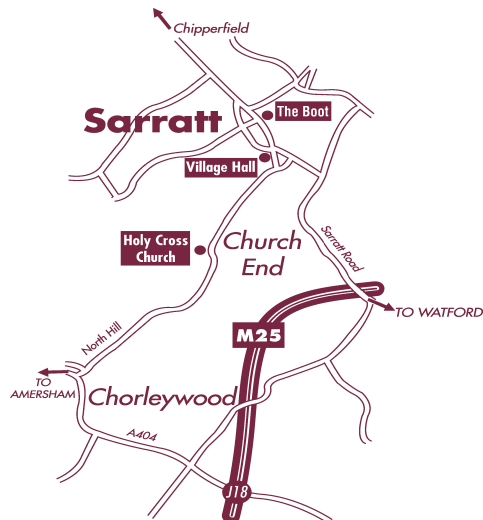


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THE CRICKETERS SARRATT

WELCOME

The Cricketers is a classic English pub in the beautiful Hertfordshire village of Sarratt: if you had friends from overseas, and wanted to show them a proper English village pub nestled next to a pond and the village green, this would do the trick nicely.

OUR FOOD

Our menu changes daily, and includes dishes made from locally-sourced produce. You won't find anything elaborate or overly fussy, just simple dishes made from the best ingredients and cooked well.

OUR DRINK

Cask ales at the Cricketers change regularly, and we expect you'll see some you recognise alongside some more off-piste numbers. Our regulars themselves are able to request their favourite tippie, and they might even qualify for a free tasting pint or two when it arrives at the pumps (by way of checking the quality, that is).

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Opening times:

Mon - Sat 11am - 11pm, Sundays 11am - 10:30pm

Bank Hols 11am - 10:30pm

www.cricketerspub.co.uk

Sarratt Festival of Music

2010 Season



TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM BOX OFFICE

01923 269083

Sarratt Festival of Music 2010 Patron John Lill CBE

Friday September 24th at 7.45 pm

The Brook Street Band

'From Leipzig to London, via Lubeck!'

This programme explores Handel's German connections through exhilarating and sensuous music. Since its formation in 1995 by baroque cellist Tatty Theo, The Brook Street Band has rapidly established itself as one of the country's foremost interpreters of Handel's music. The name comes from the street in London's Mayfair where George Frideric Handel lived and composed for most of his working life. The term 'band' was used in the eighteenth century to describe groups of musicians.

The Brook Street Band has performed extensively at prestigious British and European Festivals including Dartington Barcelona Early Music Festival and Kuhmo Chamber Music Festival. UK concert venues include Wigmore Hall, South Bank Centre and The Maltings, Snape. The Band regularly broadcasts for the BBC. The Band's recordings have been universally praised; their debut disc *"Handel Oxford Water Music"* was selected as Gramophone Magazine Editor's Choice.

"So infectious is the enthusiasm of these gifted players that you find it hard to suppress a smile at the sheer energy and effervescence of their performances".

The Observer

Saturday September 25th at 7.45 pm

Tango Volcano

A fantastic final evening's entertainment. Explosive tangos from Piazzola amongst others and a chance to see the choreography of real Argentinean tango close up with two sensational dancers. Tango Volcano is a London-based tango quintet launched in 2001. The band has wowed festival audiences throughout the country and gigged in central London venues as well as recorded their highly-praised first album "Catching Fire". This vibrant and virtuosic quintet plays traditional tangos from the golden era and a selection of dynamic and funky tangos from the UK written especially for them. Now recognised as being at the cutting edge of the tango scene, Tango Volcano has recently been collaborating with Andrew Lloyd Webber over his rethinking of the '70's musical, "Evita".

The box office will open on Monday 16th August.

Enquiries: 01923 269083

Tickets will be dispatched from early September onwards.

All concerts take place in the Village Hall in Sarratt, and (excluding the family concert) include a complimentary glass of wine.

We are keen to send future information via e mail. If you are on our mailing list please visit our new website and follow the directions to sign up. We promise never to pass your address on to 3rd parties or to bombard you with irritating e-mails.

Friday September 17th at 7.45pm

Philip Fowke Solo Piano

The programme will include Haydn *Sonata in F No 23*, Schubert *Impromptu in G flat*, Schumann *Carnaval*, and Chopin *Ballade No 1 in G minor, Andante Spianato* and *Grand Polonaise*. Philip Fowke is one of Britain's most outstanding pianists and distinguished musicians. His appearances with leading orchestras together with his many broadcasts and recordings have earned him international respect, admiration and the affection of audiences. Amongst the more famous conductors he has appeared with are Vladimir Ashkenazy, Sir Simon Rattle, Gennadi Rozhdestvensky and Klaus Tennstedt. He has toured the USA, Canada, Scandinavia, South America, Germany, Italy and New Zealand and during the last two seasons he has worked with the London Philharmonic, the Royal Philharmonic and City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestras. His 12th appearance at The BBC Proms was also televised live.

"..... that co-existence of a high musical intellect with elegance, wit and unashamedly joyful showmanship, marks out Philip Fowke among his own generation of pianists"

The Times

Saturday September 18th at 7.45pm

John Suchet 'Beethoven – The Last Master'

John Suchet, known to millions as a TV newscaster, brings to life the greatest composer of them all. Everyone knows *Für Elise* (possibly the most popular mobile phone ring tone in the world). Everyone knows *The Moonlight Sonata*. But what lies behind the composition of these immortal works? Was Beethoven drunk when he composed them? Was he in love? Where in Vienna did Beethoven go to eat and drink? How did he pay his rent? What did he do when Napoleon's army invaded the city? Why did he take his sister-in-law to court? How did he drive his nephew to attempt suicide? In his show John explores the man behind the music. The music is there, some it you will certainly never have heard before. But John's approach is to discover the music through the man, not the man through the music. With pianist Simon Mulligan discover a Beethoven you never knew. Tender, funny and intensely moving.

Sunday September 19th at 3 pm

'Fanfare' A Family Concert

We welcome back the 10 piece Royal Academy of Music Brass Ensemble under their distinguished conductor James Watson. A perfect Sunday afternoon treat – the magnificent sound of brass playing popular classics in our splendid hall. Recommended for adults (of all ages!) and children aged 6 +

Sarratt Festival of Music 2010 - Booking Form

**BOX OFFICE OPENS
16th AUGUST**

Event Title	Date	Adult Price	No of Adult Tickets	Concession Price	No of Concession Tickets	Sub-Total
Philip Fowke	Friday 17th Sept - 7.45pm	£17.00		£15.00		£
John Suchet	Saturday 18th Sept - 7.45pm	£17.00		No Concessions		£
Royal Academy Brass	Sunday 19th Sept - 3.00pm	£6.00		£4.00		£
Brook Street Band	Friday 24th Sept - 7.45pm	£17.00		£15.00		£
Tango Volcano	Saturday 25th Sept - 7.45pm	£17.00		£15.00		£
Total Cost						£

Please enclose a cheque made payable to: **Sarratt Festival of Music and a SAE.**

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Sarratt Festival of Music - Box Office, Peel Cottage,

Dimmocks Lane, Sarratt, Herts. WD3 6AR

Telephone: 01923 269083

- Concession prices for OAP's and under 18's
- All concerts include a complimentary glass of wine (except RAM Brass)
- No returns unless tickets can be re-sold

• Tickets will be dispatched from early September onwards

More information on the website - www.sarrattfestivalofmusic.co.uk.