



Resonate Now – January 2024

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Happy New Year! We hope you are well and had a restful time during the festive season. We rounded off 2023 with a joyful concert of international and festive songs performed by our Singing with Friends Choir at Wigmore Hall with support from musicians from the Royal Academy of Music (pictured above), ending the year on a musical high! Looking ahead, we hope you will join us for more creative inspiration in 2024 at our group activity sessions (see below) or as part of our creative befriending service at home. Hope to see you very soon!

Resonate Arts Events (Please note: **Creative Movement** takes a break in January)

Our **Singing with Friends Choir** rehearsals take place **in person at Wigmore Hall on Tuesday 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th January** and also **online via Zoom on Tuesday 9th & 23rd January 2024**. For more info, please call Shelley on **0300 030 7212**.

Music for the Moment – our free dementia-friendly concert series in partnership with the Royal Academy of Music – takes place on **Friday 19th January at St Marylebone Parish Church (please note venue!)**. Pianist Minsu Seo from the Royal Academy of Music will be performing. **Tea and cake from 2.30pm, concert starts at 3pm.**

Our **Creative Space Art** sessions take place at the **Salvation Army, Regent Hall, 275 Oxford Street, W1C 2DJ**. Our next session will be **Monday 22nd January, 2pm – 3.45pm**. To book a free place, please contact Shelley on **0300 030 7212** or email: shelley@resonatearts.org

Music for Thought at **Wigmore Hall** returns **Thursdays, 25th January – 7th March**. Fun, interactive weekly sessions, listening to and making music with young artists from the Royal Academy of Music, guided by professional musicians. No musical experience needed. **Limited places, booking essential!!** Call **0300 030 7212** or email info@resonatearts.org

Other News

Turtle Song Mondays, 15th January – 11th March, 10.30am – 12.15pm

The Recital Hall, Royal College of Music, Prince Consort Road, London SW7 2BS

Turtle Key Arts will be running a 9-week project on Monday mornings called Turtle Song – a singing and songwriting project for people living with dementia and their carers – in partnership with English Touring Opera and Royal College of Music. To sign up for free and get further info, please contact: 020 8964 5060 or email: charlotte@turtlekeyarts.org.uk

Closer Look Tours at the V&A Monday 29th January, 2pm – 3pm

Art Studio, Learning Centre, V&A South Kensington, Cromwell Road, SW7 2RL

Explore a wide range of objects and artworks from different collections at the V&A with an expert guide. These bespoke dementia-friendly tours last 45-60 minutes with refreshments on arrival. For people living with early-stage dementia, family and friends. To book, call: **020 7942 2000**, or via <https://www.vam.ac.uk/event/2bEgddj1/a-closer-look-tours-spring-2024>

Drawing with Holbein at The Queen's Gallery Tuesdays, 13th February – 19th March, 11am – 1pm

The Queen's Gallery, Buckingham Palace, SW1A 1AA

Join Arts 4 Dementia and experts from The Royal Collection for a free 6-week tour of the Hans Holbein exhibition, including drawing workshops in the gallery focusing on a different theme, drawing or painting each week. Create your own Holbein-inspired artworks and learn how to draw and mark-make with a variety of materials. Light refreshments and materials will be provided. For people living with early stage dementia, mild cognitive impairment or memory challenges and their companions. **Limited spaces!** To book, please call Arts 4 Dementia on 020 3633 9954 or email: emily@arts4dementia.org.uk

Our ever radiant faces....



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Please do get in touch if you would like to book a place for any of our activity listings.
As always, we look forward to seeing you soon at one of our events.

Best wishes, Sofi, Sam & Shelley

You can contact **Resonate Arts** on: **0300 030 7212** or info@resonatearts.org

Kensington & Chelsea event listings – January 2024

Memory Café North K&C Wednesday 3rd January, 1pm – 3pm

St Peter's Church, Kensington Park Road, W11 2PN

Providing group-based support for people living with dementia and memory loss.

Contact **Mandy** in advance on **07508 341127** or MAndrews@aukc.org.uk

Memory Café South K&C Wednesday 31st January, 1pm – 3pm

Chelsea Theatre, 7 World's End Place, SW10 0DR

Providing group-based support for people living with dementia and memory loss.

Contact **Mandy** in advance on **07508 341127** or MAndrews@aukc.org.uk

Singing for the Mind Every Thursday, 2pm – 4pm (excluding public holidays)

The Liberal Jewish Synagogue, 28 St John's Wood Road, NW8 7HA

Singing for the Mind is a stimulating, professionally-led, friendly and, above all, fun singing session for people with memory loss. Contact sfm@ljs.org or **020 7286 5181** to register.

Songhaven Concerts Please note: **Songhaven Concerts** will be taking a break in January.

For info: <https://songhaven.co.uk/liveconcerts/> or email: songhaven@songhaven.co.uk

Video and Tea Wednesday 24th January, 1:30pm – 4:30pm

The Liberal Jewish Synagogue, 28 St John's Wood Road, NW8 7HA

Watch a screening of the film 'On the Town' followed by a delicious tea & ice-cream. No need to book, tickets £2 on the day. Wheelchair accessible. For info, call **020 7286 5181**.

The General Friday 26th January, 10:30am (refreshments), 11am (film)

[Fulham Road Picturehouse](#), 142 Fulham Road, SW10 9QR Entry: £5.30 + 70p booking fee

Watch a dementia-friendly screening of classic Buster Keaton film 'The General'. No ads or trailers, low lights and step free. Call **020 3750 1610** for more info and to book tickets.

Sessions at Lord's Cricket Ground

Lord's Cricket Ground, St John's Wood Road, NW8 8QN (Entrance – Grace Gate)

Reminiscence Session January date & time to be confirmed Free session, come join us for a friendly chat and refreshments. Contact John on **020 7616 8604** / community@mcc.org.uk

Music Session January date & time to be confirmed Opera singer Maciek O'Shea will be involving the group in a variety of pop, folk and operatic numbers in the historic Lord's Cricket Ground Museum. Contact John for info: **020 7616 8604** / john.donegan@mcc.org.uk

We recommend contacting the event provider in advance to book your place and to discuss any access requirements, or for support with travel plans

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