

# The British Club of The Hague

## What you can look forward to in the month of NOVEMBER 2018

<p>Friday 2</p>	<p>10.15 – 12.00</p> <p>12.00</p> <p>12.00</p>	<p><b>The Club's Got Talent!</b> <b>This is a fitting Finale to our 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary...</b> Enjoy an <b>exhibition</b> of work by no fewer than twenty current Members, with a wide range of arts and crafts, and in several media – from wood to paint, from ink to clay. A few special items will be donated for a <b>RAFFLE</b>. The show will also be open to members of the IWC, AWC, and ANZC, so please look out for our guests at this special event.</p> <p><b>Improve your Bridge</b> with John Macfarlane</p> <p><b>Mahjong</b></p>	
<p>Friday 9</p>	<p>10.30 – 13.00</p>	<p><b>BCH AUTUMN MARKET and CAFÉ</b> Your best opportunity to stock up on gifts for friends, family, and perhaps yourself. Alongside old favourites (Canadian maple syrup, Peruvian handicrafts, Deanne's cards and paperwares, silk flowers, Tupperware) will be many new talents – eco-friendly candles, oils with ceramic diffusers, unique textile and quilt-sewn gifts, jewellery and artisan crafts. Not forgetting the CLUB TABLE laden with cakes, scones, mince pies, Christmas puddings, jams, mincemeat and other goodies. Buy a snack to eat at the Market Café, take some home for immediate use, or into the freezer for later. Also this year: a Club table with DVD's and jigsaw puzzles!</p>	 
<p>Thursday 15</p>	<p>11.00</p>	<p><b>Visit to Museum van Volkenkunde, Leiden</b> <i>The Museum of Ethnology is hosting <b>BALI – Welcome to Paradise</b>. The exhibition showcases this popular holiday destination, but also reveals a less than idyllic side of life on the island. If you go to the exhibition as a curious tourist, you may leave it as a traveller, enriched by fresh insights. The journey will take you past 250 objects, including the museum's Indonesia collection and the work of contemporary Balinese artists. You will also see how urbanisation, and the effects of plastic pollution, are having an impact on island life.</i></p> <p><u>Details:</u> meet inside the entrance at 11.00 <u>Cost:</u> Free with Museumkaart, or €14.00 per person. This is <b>not</b> a guided tour. Afterwards: Lunch or a drink (at own expense) in the Museum's café.</p> <p>If you would like to join this visit, please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the Club, or contact</p>	

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<b>Friday 16</b>	10.30	<b>Seniors' Coffee Morning</b> <i>Luise van der Meer will set up a special table for 'the Seniors'.</i>	
	12.00	<b>Improve your Bridge, with John Macfarlane</b>  <b>Mahjong</b>	
<b>Friday 23</b>	10.45	<b>Readers' Discussion Group</b> <i>She tends to say exactly what she's thinking. Nothing is missing in her carefully timetabled life of avoiding social interactions. Then she meets Raymond, the IT guy from her office. When she and Raymond together save Sammy, an elderly man who has tripped over on the pavement, the three become friends who rescue one another from the life of isolation they have each been living.</i> Who is this? This is Eleanor, the subject of this month's discussion. Isy Randall will lead the Readers' Group in a review of <i>Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine</i> by Gail Honeyman.	
	12.00	<b>Improve your Bridge with John Macfarlane</b>  <b>Mahjong</b>	
<b>Friday 30</b>	10.45	<i>Our speaker is no stranger to the Club: <b>Peter Loader</b> will reveal what lies behind his title: <b>A Special Education – Life at Oxford in the early 1960's.</b> In his talk, Peter will tell us what it was like to make the transition from grammar school in the West Country to an Oxford college. How did his experiences at Magdalen College influence the future course of his life?</i>	
	12.00	Improve your Bridge with John Macfarlane  Mahjong	
			
<b>Friday, 14 December</b>		<b>STILL TO COME!</b>  <b>The BCH Christmas Lunch</b> Cost: €25.00 to include three-course traditional feast, and all drinks There will be a sign-up sheet at the Club shortly, or please contact <a href="mailto:Activitiesbch@gmail.com">Activitiesbch@gmail.com</a> if you want to attend but cannot get to the Club at present.	