

# Oxford Hungarian Society

## Michaelmas Term 2007

*All meetings, except 26 October, 24 and 28 November, are in the MacGregor Room, Oriol College*

Friday 12 October at 8 p.m.

### **Hungarian Photographers Around the World**

The photograph as instrument of artistic expression: Balázs Kulcsár will give an illustrated talk about famous Hungarian photographers and show some of his own pictures.

The evening will also feature István Kónya on the lute.

Friday 19 October at 8 p.m.

### **Antal András Deák**

#### **Ferdinando Marsigli and Johann Christoph Müller's Discovery of the Danube (1726)**

Antal András Deák is assistant director of the Danube Museum, Esztergom  
He will discuss the concept, history and legacy of this extraordinary pioneering work.

Friday 26 October 8 p.m.

*Lecture Theatre, Harris Building, Oriol College*

*[please note venue: on the 'Island Site', through the tunnel under the street]*

### **Werckmeister Harmonies**

Béla Tarr's much-acclaimed 2001 adaptation of a Krasznahorkai novel is set in a small town on the plain.

On a bleak winter night, János Valuska warns its inhabitants about an upcoming solar eclipse,  
just as a truck containing a huge whale is being trundled onto the main square ...

Thursday 1 November at 8 p.m

### **Mia Nadasi**

#### **Pirouettes and Passions: Growing up Behind the Curtain**

Mia, a Hungarian-born actress and writer will introduce and read excerpts from her book which gives an account of life in the world of ballet and theatre during the days of Soviet rule.

With the participation of actor Paul Ridley.

Friday 9 November at 8 p.m.

### **Wine-tasting**

A large selection of Hungarian wines brought to us by Trans-Danubia Wines & Spirits Ltd. There will be a charge for this event: £5 for non-members and £3 for those who pay subs, but good discounts will be available if you order wines during the tasting.

Friday 16 November at 8 p.m.

### **Ireland and Hungary - Partners in the New Europe**

Derek Hannon, Press Attaché of the Irish Embassy in London (one time first consul in Budapest) will give his own impressions of Hungary from his time there (1995-9) and compare the two countries' attitudes to the EU.

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Saturday 24 November  
**Mikulás party**

We are hoping to have our usual end of year party – details later.

Wednesday 28 November at 8 p.m

*Lecture Theatre, Harris Building, Oriel College*

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**'Just Sex and Nothing Else'**

Light Hungarian romantic comedy, with English subtitles, directed by Krisztina Goda (2005).

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*The OXFORD HUNGARIAN SOCIETY exists for all those interested in matters Hungarian. Please keep this programme and show it to anyone else who might like to attend. We have no membership fee, but ask for contributions to defray our not inconsiderable expenses (minimum £5 per term suggested, students £2). Cheques made out to 'Oxford Hungarian Society' can be sent to Kati Evans, Rowan Cottage, 45 Sunningwell Village, Oxford OX13 6RD (please use form below).*

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