



City Consorts

## CITY CONSORTS E-BULLETIN

Dear Members,

**Membership renewals:** Our membership year ended on 30<sup>th</sup> June. Members who joined after 1<sup>st</sup> May 2023 do not need to renew until 2024. The cost has been kept at £15.00. We welcome all Consorts; Past, Current or Future, so please do not feel you have to step back if you have completed your year. **All renewals are electronic and can be made via the membership pages on the website where you can read more about membership, our activities, forthcoming and past events: [Membership \(cityconsorts.org\)](https://www.cityconsorts.org). Alternatively, the direct link to the form is here: [City Consorts Membership Form / Renewal](#)**

The membership renewal form also includes an RSVP, so if you do not plan to renew, please use the same form to let us know. If you haven't renewed by 1<sup>st</sup> September, we will take you off the mailing list then.

### **Late Summer Events:**

**Tour of the Painted Hall Greenwich followed by Lunch at Admirals' House 12<sup>th</sup> September 11-3.30pm:** Meet on an Uber Boat or at Greenwich for a 11am tour of the Painted Hall followed by a private lunch at Admirals' House. £92 per person including a glass of wine or soft drink.

**Treasure Hunt Walking Tour & Supper in a mystery location in the City 18<sup>th</sup> September 5.30-9.00pm:** we will meet at a City Pub and set off in groups of 3-5, following a route and answering questions. The answers will spell out the name of the destination for supper! The food will be platter style so something for everyone. The cost: £40 per person, bring family and friends and come as a ready-made team, or come alone and join a mixed consort group.

**All events can all be viewed and booked here: [Events Diary and Bookings \(cityconsorts.org\)](https://www.cityconsorts.org)** You need your website password to access the booking forms. If you do not have access to the Members' only pages of the website, please email the Hon. Secretary or see below how to register for the website.

Several of your own consort events are available to view on the website and a musical event on 24<sup>th</sup> October hosted by the Lady Mayoress.

### **Save the Date:**

26<sup>th</sup> September – Wine tasting and supper at Vintners' Hall for 2024 Consorts

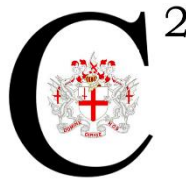
9<sup>th</sup> October 11am – AGM followed by Lunch at Butchers' Hall

25<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm – late – Ceremony of the Keys (guests welcome)

14<sup>th</sup> November – Forman Salmon tour and Lunch with Lance Foreman

1<sup>st</sup> December – Christmas Lunch at Cutlers' Hall

**Other News: Jigsaw Program:** The next 6-week program 'Jigsaw – preparation for being a consort' starts on 4<sup>th</sup> October. The sessions are held on Zoom, for more information and to book please see the website.



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**Access to the Members Only Section of Website:** Booking forms for events are within our Members' only section of the website. New members need to select '**register**' not '**login**' the first time to set a password of your choosing. Once this is checked against the membership records and approved by admin you should be able to access the website and booking forms. If you have any problems accessing the website, please contact me.

**New Members:** Please encourage new consorts to join by looking at the website, the application form is on the membership page.

**Members Pin Brooch:** Our new pin brooch suitable for men and women equally, is now available to purchase for £84.00. Details and order form here: <https://www.cityconsorts.org/membership-brooches--pins--name-badges.html>

**Members' Directory:** Have you checked the Members' Directory, have you recently moved or changed any of your contact details? If you would like to be added, amend, update or remove any details this is easy by completing a new form. Updates to the directory are usually made every 2 weeks so there may be a time lag. To view the directory and access the details form click here: [Members' Directory \(cityconsorts.org\)](https://www.cityconsorts.org/members-directory)

**Facebook:** We have a closed Facebook site for members to post their pictures, news and ask questions of a friendly group. If you are not signed up and would like to, please search for City Consorts Society. If you can't find it, just ask and we will send you details.

**City Consorts Ambassadors:** We have a team of volunteers to support members. This might include advice on running a Consort event, dress codes or just some tips on juggling events. Maggie Macdonald and Christine Elliott, both experienced consorts are our 'ambassadors' and can be contacted on [C2membersonly@gmail.com](mailto:C2membersonly@gmail.com) and can assist or signpost as needed.

We hope to see you soon.

Kind Regards

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