

KILWORTH HOUSE THEATRE
SPRING / SUMMER 2024



SINGIN' IN THE RAIN



Directed and Choreographed by
Lee Proud

ALSO FEATURING DINING EVENTS IN THE ORANGERY



KILWORTH HOUSE



OUR HOTEL

Our four Red-star luxurious hotel is the epitome of 19th century elegance. A grade II listed former family home with 44 elegantly designed bedrooms, guests really do feel a sense of occasion when they stay here.

THE ORANGERY

Our glorious, fully restored grade II star-listed Victorian Orangery has become a destination in its own right as a simply breathtaking venue for every occasion. Light and airy by day, and glitteringly romantic by night, guests can dine here beneath a ceiling of glass, timber and ornate wrought iron.

At Kilworth entertainment is at the heart of everything we do. We pride ourselves on offering a wide variety of top-quality events in the Orangery, from murder mysteries and Jazz events to award-winning tribute bands.

All dining and theatre in the orangery events include a sumptuous three course meal prepared by our talented chefs. Our bespoke menus are constantly changing and always use locally grown and freshly farmed ingredients.



HOTEL & THEATRE

Two unique venues in the heart of the Leicestershire Countryside

OUR THEATRE

Kilworth House Theatre, recently renamed the Celia Mackay Theatre after its founder, is exquisitely set in a magical, wooded glade amidst the 38 acre estate of Kilworth House Hotel in South Leicestershire. It has long been nationally recognized as one of the foremost open air theatres in the UK, both for



the standard of its productions and the high quality of its facilities.

The architecture of the theatre is stunning with two soaring sail-like canopies protecting both the auditorium and the stage from the elements – so that the show goes on whatever the weather.

The auditorium has 547 comfortable seats and the tiering of the auditorium ensures that every

seat offers a perfect view of the expansive stage no matter where you are sitting. There is a special aura about open air theatre on a warm summer's evening and there can be no better way to experience professional productions of a standard rarely seen outside the West End than amidst the magnificent surroundings of Kilworth House Theatre.



HAIRSPRAY - 2023



CATS - 2019



HALF A SIXPENCE - 2022

OUR SHOWS

Kilworth House Theatre is the brainchild of Celia Mackay, who is the producer of all our productions and, when the theatre opened in 2007, her dream and vision was to present professional, musical theatre shows of West End standard but

with tickets at a fraction of those of London prices – and free parking!

All our productions are created and produced exclusively for Kilworth, and our creative team, company and orchestra are all drawn from the West End. The acclaim that our

productions consistently draws from both audiences and critics alike are testament to the superb standards Celia has created over the past seventeen years.

Singin' in the Rain will be Celia's 29th production at our wonderful and unique theatre.

SINGIN' IN THE RAIN



Screenplay By
BETTY COMDEN and ADOLPH GREEN

Songs By
NACIO HERB BROWN and ARTHUR FREED

Based on the classic Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film, by special arrangement with
Warner Bros. Theatre Ventures, Inc.

Music Published by EMI, all rights administered by Sony/ATV Music Publishing LLC
(Original Movie Choreography by Gene Kelly and Stanley Donen)

Produced by Arrangement With
Maurice Rosenfield, Lois F. Rosenfield and Cindy Pritzker, Inc.

Presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International

Directed and Choreographed by Lee Proud

18TH JUNE - 28TH JULY 2024

Our 2024 Outdoor Theatre Show

Brought to you by the same creative team that presented to you the hit musical *Hairspray* in 2023, we are excited to announce that *Singin' in the Rain* will be gracing the Kilworth House stage in 2024!

Adapted from the 1952 movie of the same name, *Singin' in the Rain* is set in Hollywood in the 1920's, when the silver screen found its voice and left silent movies – and some of its stars – behind! Packed full of charm, romance, comedy and tinsel town glamour, this spectacular show focuses on romantic lead Don Lockwood, his sidekick Cosmo Brown, aspiring actress Kathy Selden and Lockwood's leading lady Lina Lamont, whose less-than-dulcet vocal tones make her an unlikely candidate for stardom in talking pictures!

One of the world's best loved movies and Laurence Olivier Award Winner for Best Musical Revival in 2001, *Singin' in the Rain* features all the songs from the glorious MGM score including 'Good Morning', 'Make 'em Laugh', 'You Stepped Out Of A Dream', 'You Are My Lucky Star' and the show-stopping 'Singin' in the Rain'.

This light-hearted spoof of frantic Hollywood - as the advent of sound changes all the movie making rules and Monumental Studios prepares its romantic epic 'The Duelling Cavalier' – includes some of the best-loved comedy routines, dance numbers and love ballads ever written. *Singin' In the Rain* is quite simply 24 carat classic entertainment.

DATES, TIMES & PRICES

DATE	TIME	TICKET PRICE
Tuesday 18th June	7:30pm	£45
Wednesday 19th June	7:30pm	£49
Thursday 20th June	7:30pm	£49
Friday 21st June	7:30pm	£49
Saturday 22nd June	2:30pm	£49
Saturday 22nd June	7:30pm	£55
Sunday 23rd June	2:30pm	£49
Sunday 23rd June	7:30pm	£45
Tuesday 25th June	7:30pm	£45
Wednesday 26th June	7:30pm	£49
Thursday 27th June	7:30pm	£49
Friday 28th June	7:30pm	£49
Saturday 29th June	2:30pm	£49
Saturday 29th June	7:30pm	£55
Sunday 30th June	2:30pm	£49
Sunday 30th June	7:30pm	£45
Tuesday 2nd July	7:30pm	£45
Wednesday 3rd July	2:30pm	£45
Wednesday 3rd July	7:30pm	£49
Thursday 4th July	7:30pm	£49
Friday 5th July	7:30pm	£49
Saturday 6th July	2:30pm	£49
Saturday 6th July	7:30pm	£55
Sunday 7th July	2:30pm	£49
Sunday 7th July	7:30pm	£45
Tuesday 9th July	7:30pm	£45
Wednesday 10th July	2:30pm	£45
Wednesday 10th July	7:30pm	£49
Thursday 11th July	7:30pm	£49
Friday 12th July	7:30pm	£49
Saturday 13th July	2:30pm	£49
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PLEASE NOTE: THERE ARE NO MONDAY PERFORMANCES.

Each booking transaction is subject to a £2 administration charge. All seats are the same price per performance regardless of location. Prices can vary by performance dates and times only.

Book Online at www.kilworthhouse.co.uk OR Call the Box Office 01858 881939



There is plenty to do BEFORE AND AFTER THE SHOW!

PRE-THEATRE DINING Lunch and dinner is available in the Hotel Orangery from **£35 per person** for a three course meal with choice of menu. The Orangery is a magnificent example of Victorian Architecture.

BAR The Theatre offers a main bar serving hot and cold beverages and snacks. Alternatively, there is an authentic log cabin called 'The Staging Post' idyllically situated next to the theatre.



PRE-THEATRE DINING IN THE ORANGERY



THEATRE BRIDGE



THEATRE BAR



THE STAGING POST



PICNIC AREA

THE STAGING POST A stunning authentic log cabin set in the beautiful wooded surroundings of Kilworth House Theatre. A wonderful location to relax with friends before the show and meet the cast afterwards! You can also book the Staging Post exclusively for your party to have a delicious dinner before watching the show.

BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC! There are plenty of picnic benches at Kilworth House Theatre that you can use before the show. Perfect on a sunny day, you can enjoy the beautiful surroundings whilst having a delicious picnic!

The joy of theatre is right here in Kilworth House Theatre!
Theatre and Tonic



THE STAGING POST



THE AUDITORIUM

THEATRE BREAKS at Kilworth

WHY NOT STAY THE NIGHT?

Why not take time out to enjoy the luxurious facilities at Kilworth House Hotel?

Theatre Breaks are available Tuesday to Sunday, and includes pre-theatre dinner served in the Hotel, tickets for the show, bed and breakfast in a Garden Bedroom with the option to upgrade to a Luxury Bedroom. With prices starting from £289 single occupancy & £369 double occupancy.

WHAT'S INCLUDED:



2 x tickets for the show including a 3 course pre-theatre dinner



Overnight stay in a Garden Room

Breakfast served in the Hotel



Theatre Breaks are available from Tuesday to Sunday.

Theatre Breaks ONLY can be booked through the Sales Office on

01858 881805

(0900hrs-1730hrs)

Monday to Friday, full payment is required upon booking.



GOLDSMITH LOUNGE



PRE-THEATRE DINING IN THE ORANGERY

THEATRE BREAK PRICES

'Singin' in the Rain'

Tuesday	£369
Wednesday & Thursday	£379
Friday	£409
Saturday	£469
Sunday	£369

Room Supplements

Luxury Room	£75
Four Poster Room	£100

Package prices shown are based on double occupancy in a Garden Room.

For single occupancy prices please contact the Sales Office on **01858 881805**



THE J. M. BARRIE

PLEASE NOTE Theatre Breaks and Pre-theatre Dining ARE NOT available on the following dates due to Exclusive Events:

Saturday 22nd June, Saturday 29th June, Saturday 6th July, Saturday 20th July, Friday 26th July

*Availability is correct at time of printing.



A GARDEN ROOM

KILWORTH HOUSE HOTEL

THEATRE IN THE ORANGERY

TICKET PRICE INCLUDES WELCOME DRINK,
THREE COURSE DINNER, PLUS COFFEE & PETIT FOURS

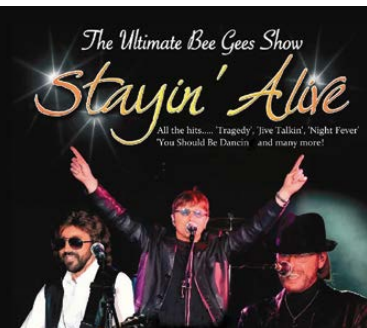


**FRI
9TH
FEB**

**I AM I SAID
- A TRIBUTE TO
NEIL DIAMOND**

Making a welcome return to Kilworth, Brooklyn Creed takes you on a musical journey through Neil Diamond's glittering 50 year career. From The Bang Years to the present day you'll soon be singing along to all the hits including 'Sweet Caroline', 'Cracklin' Rosie', 'Song Sung Blue', 'Hello Again', 'Love on the Rocks', 'America' and many more.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373



**FRI
1ST
MAR**

**STAYIN'
ALIVE**

Winners of the National Tribute Awards in 2013, 2016 and 2017, **Stayin' Alive** are recognised as the UK's top Bee Gees Tribute. They re-create the most accurate portrayal of the Brothers Gibb, covering hits from all decades.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373



**SAT
2ND
MAR**

**ONE LIKE
WONDER**

Godfrey is the UK and Europe's No 1 Stevie Wonder tribute **'One Like Wonder'**. Performing all of his most popular hits you will be awestruck by the uncanny impersonation to the living legend, Stevie Wonder.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373



**SUN
7TH
APR**

**TALON
ACOUSTIC**

TALON
- THE ACOUSTIC
COLLECTION - IN
THE RAW 2024

Celebrate Kilworth's 21st birthday with Talon Acoustic. 'In The Raw' features their own breathtakingly beautiful acoustic arrangements from great singer-songwriters such as... James Taylor, Simon & Garfunkel, 10cc, CSN, Joni Mitchell, Eagles, Pink Floyd, Toto, Bee Gees, Beatles and many more.

Ticket £79 / Theatre Break £327



**FRI
19TH
APR**

**WHITNEY - BY
NYA KING**

One of the UK's top tributes, Nya King captures the voice, the style, the moves and the incredible energy of the late great Whitney Houston. Enjoy an evening filled with Whitney's greatest hits such as, 'I Wanna Dance With Somebody', 'I Will Always Love You', and 'Greatest Love Of All'.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373

TO BOOK TICKETS ONLY VISIT www.kilworthhouse.co.uk OR CALL 01858 881939

Celebrating over 25 years of

TAKE THAT



RULE THE WORLD

'Rule The World' have been recognised as the Number 1 Take That tribute act in the world. The show is an accurate portrayal of a Take That concert and features all the biggest hits including 'Never Forget', 'Greatest Day', 'Relight My Fire', 'Everything Changes', 'Shine', 'Pray' and many more.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373

SAT
10TH
FEB

RULE THE
WORLD

SUN
11TH
FEB

ULTIMATE
BUBLÉ



Join us for an evening filled with the smooth sounds of the sensational Mark Daniels – **Ultimate Bubl **.

Get ready to be serenaded by the incredible voice and charm of this talented performer as seen on the BBC and ITV.

Ticket £79 / Theatre Break £327



THE CARPENTERS
EXPERIENCE

The UK's leading Carpenters show, featuring the amazing voice of Maggie Nestor, captures the sights and sounds of the amazing talents of Richard and Karen Carpenter.

Ticket £79 / Theatre Break £327

SUN
3RD
MAR

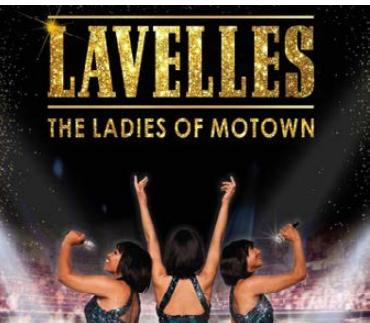


TWIST
AND SHOUT

Sing and dance along with a cast of leading performers to the music of The Beatles, Hermans Hermits, Gerry & The Pacemakers, The Rolling Stones, Cilla Black, Manfred Mann, Dusty Springfield, Lulu, Sandy Shaw and many more.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373

FRI
5TH
APR



LAVELLES
THE LADIES
OF MOTOWN

Lavelles The Ladies Of Motown is an exciting, smooth, slick homage to the golden era of America's soulful vocal stylists. Comprising of three fabulous performers, the Lavelles bring the authentic and timeless sounds of The Supremes, Martha Reeves And The Vandellas and many more.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373

SAT
20TH
APR



YOUNG
ELTON

Tom Weston portrays Sir Elton John like no other AND with a twist. We take you back in appearance to the 1970's but expect to hear all of the very best hits including 'I'm Still Standing', 'Benie And The Jets', 'Rocket Man', 'Don't Let The Sun Go Down On Me', 'Crocodile Rock', 'Your Song' and many more.

Ticket £79 / Theatre Break £327

SUN
21ST
APR

BOOK
ONLINE

THEATRE IN THE ORANGERY



**FRI
17TH
MAY**

**MAMMA
AND THE
MIAS**

Join us for an evening dedicated to the phenomenon that is MAMMA MIA! Enjoy a delicious three course Greek meal before being introduced to your very own Donna and the Dynamos who will have you singing and laughing your way through the very best of Abba's hit songs.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373



**SAT
18TH
MAY**

**TRULY
COLLINS**

The UK's most recognised Phil Collins "sound-a-like" tribute artist. Dean's voice and mannerisms are completely uncanny as he covers Phil Collins & Genesis greatest hits... 'Sussudio,' 'In The Air Tonight,' 'Against All Odds,' 'Invisible Touch' and 'I Can't Dance' to name a few.

Ticket £89 / Theatre Break £373



**SUN
19TH
MAY**

**THE COMPLETE
BUDDY HOLLY
TRIBUTE ACT**

His songs are all-time classics & no one does them better than Spencer J, whose performance delivers in a big way! Spencer J has perfected the Buddy Holly look as well as the sound. This upbeat show features all the legendary hits.

Ticket £79 / Theatre Break £327

THEATRE BREAKS

Theatre Break prices are shown on each act and are for 2 persons.

Theatre Breaks are available from Friday to Sunday.

Theatre Breaks ONLY can be booked through the Sales Office on

01858 881805

(0900hrs-1730hrs)

Monday to Friday,
full payment is required upon booking).

WHAT'S INCLUDED:



2 x tickets for the show including a 3 course dinner



Overnight stay in a Garden Room



Breakfast served in the Hotel

THEATRE IN THE ORANGERY
Ticket price includes welcome drink,
three course dinner plus
coffee & petit fours.

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FOR TICKETS & ACCOMMODATION
call **01858 881805**



THE SHELLEY LUXURY ROOM

A GARDEN ROOM

KILWORTH HOUSE HOTEL

DINING EVENTS

IN THE ORANGERY

At Kilworth House Hotel and Theatre, we pride ourselves on offering a wide variety of top quality events in our beautiful Orangery including Themed Murder Mysteries and Jazz events.

There's something for everyone to enjoy at Kilworth House and we are constantly adding new events, so keep checking our website to see what we have lined up!

JAZZ DINNER



**FRI
16TH
FEB**

MURDER MYSTERY

Join us to see if you can solve the crime. Guests will be seated between 7pm and 7.30pm for dinner on tables of 8-10. Three Course Dinner **£60** per person (wine & drinks extra).

**FRI
23RD
FEB**

Enjoy dinner in the Orangery listening to the cool sound of Jazz as the perfect accompaniment.

Our Jazz events are very popular and it's easy to see why, the Kilworth Jazz Band effortlessly blends saxophone, bass, piano and vocals with an eclectic repertoire to appeal to all tastes.

Three Course Dinner **£50** per person (wine & drinks extra).



SQUEAKY BLUNDERS

1919 Birmingham...a cesspit of crime, debauchery, gambling and not very nice folk. Gangs rule the streets and Thomas Shellfish is the mastermind. A sudden scream and a dodgy Midlands accent later - there's a murdered body and a whole room of despicable suspects (again that's just the accents).

JAZZ LUNCH



**SAT
9TH
MAR**

Enjoy lunch in the Orangery listening to the cool sound of Jazz as the perfect accompaniment.

Three Course Lunch **£50** per person (wine & drinks extra).

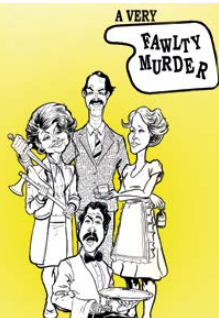
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KILWORTH

DINING EVENTS

MURDER MYSTERY



FRI
22ND
MAR

A quiet hotel break, with service at your lap, and all your needs taken care of... don't hold your breath!

Join Basil, Sybil, Polly and Manuel as they try to cope with surprise guests, the odd rat, police crawling all over the place, and whatever you do – don't mention the rather unexpected death.

Three Course Dinner **£60** per person (wine & drinks extra).

21ST BIRTHDAY JAZZ



SAT
6TH
APR

Kilworth House Hotel celebrates it's 21st Birthday in 2024.

Why not join us for a Champagne Afternoon Tea to celebrate this momentous occasion, whilst enjoying an afternoon of Jazz with the Kilworth Jazz Band?

Champagne Afternoon Tea **£38** per person.

GIN DINNER

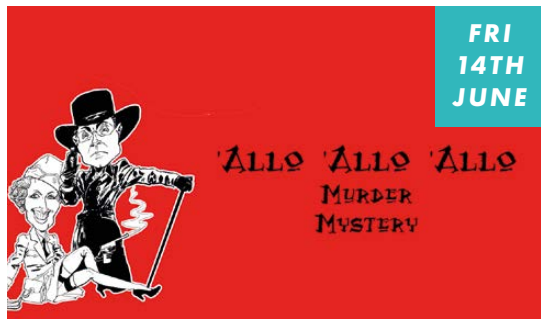


THURS
6TH
JUNE

Join us for a themed dinner in the in the Wordsworth and Library restaurant. Arrive for a gin cocktail to start your evening before a three course meal. During the evening we will share with you some of our knowledge and gin expertise.

Three Course Dinner **£50** per person, to include a gin cocktail and canapés. Optional flight of a different gin specially selected to accompany each course **£29.95** per person.

MURDER MYSTERY



FRI
14TH
JUNE

Gid moaning. Café Rene is filled with song... unfortunately it's Rene's Wife Edith shrieking like a cat again. At least it keeps her busy whilst the sexy Yvette shows Rene her knockwurst. But wait, Herr Flick has demanded a search of the premises for rare art and escaped prisoners... and nothing will stop him, nothing except a grisly murder. With Germans, French, English and a dodgy Italian thrown in as suspects.... this will be a wartime farce never to be forgotten!

Three Course Dinner **£60** per person (wine & drinks extra).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR TO BOOK, PLEASE CALL THE SALES TEAM ON **01858 880058**

HOUSE HOTEL

IN THE ORANGERY

JAZZ DINNER

MURDER MYSTERY



**FRI
10TH
MAY**



**FRI
31ST
MAY**

Enjoy dinner in the Orangerie listening to the cool sound of Jazz as the perfect accompaniment.

Our Jazz events are very popular and it's easy to see why, the Kilworth Jazz Band effortlessly blends saxophone, bass, piano and vocals with an eclectic repertoire to appeal to all tastes.

Three Course Dinner **£50** per person (wine & drinks extra).

It's 1923 prohibition Chicago, and all of the dismal mobster underground will be there. But a sudden scream, a blood curdling yell, and the 'rat-a-tat' from a violin case has the place swarming with cops and a dead body. So here's looking at you kid... you've got a 'molder' to solve!

Three Course Dinner **£60** per person (wine & drinks extra).

STAY THE NIGHT

SPECIAL ACCOMODATION RATES APPLY

Make your visit a perfect experience, book one of our sumptuous bedrooms, relax with a nightcap in the Drawing Room after the show and enjoy a leisurely, traditional English breakfast in the morning.

£189 bed and breakfast in a Garden Room.

£75 Luxury Room Supplement.

£100 Four Poster Room Supplement.

Rates are per room when attending our special event evenings and are not available in conjunction with any other offer.

To book over the phone please call the Hotel on

01858 880058.

*(0900hrs-1730hrs) Monday to Friday,
full payment is required upon booking).*



A GARDEN BEDROOM

OR BOOK ONLINE AT www.kilworthhouse.co.uk

GENERAL FAQs

Q. When does the Box Office open?

A. 0900hrs-1730hrs, Monday-Friday.

Q. How will I receive my tickets?

A. We are now providing e-tickets as standard for all events at Kilworth House Theatre.

E-tickets should arrive within minutes of your purchase and will be attached to your confirmation email as a PDF. Physical tickets can still be posted for a small fee if preferred.

OUTDOOR THEATRE EVENTS

Q. Where can I buy food?

A. Pre-Theatre Dining is available in our Orangery restaurant but must be booked well in advance.

You can also bring a picnic and eat in our stunning grounds. A selection of snacks are available to purchase at the theatre bars.

Q. Have you got any accessible seats?

A. There are four spaces on the front row (Row A) reserved for wheelchair users. There is also a seat next to the wheelchair space for an accompanying person. These can be booked on a first come first serve basis via the Box Office.

Q. Do you offer Group discounts?

A. Offers are available for group bookings (20+ tickets), contact the Box Office for more information.

ORANGERY EVENTS

Q. What is the dress code

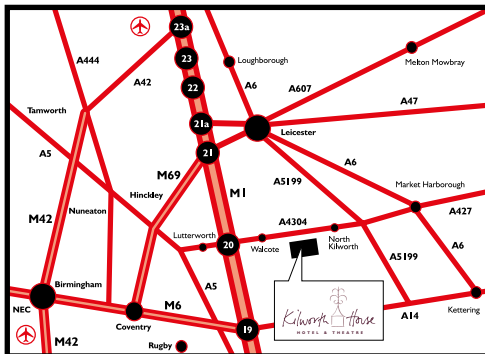
A. The dress code for all Orangery Events is Smart Casual / Lounge Suits.

Q. What are the seating arrangements for the Events in the Orangery?

A. Seating arrangements vary depending upon the event you are attending. Please see the event web page for more details.

Q. Do we need to pre-order our food?

A. All Orangery events (with the exception of the Gin Dinner) will require a pre-order to be sent at least 4 weeks before the date of the event. Please advise us of any dietary requirements in advance.



HOW TO FIND US

Finding us couldn't be easier - we're on the A4304 on the road from Lutterworth to Market Harborough just four miles east of Junction 20 of the M1. As such, we're easily accessible from the M69, M6 and A14.

CAR PARKING

Parking at Kilworth House and Theatre is free of charge. Limited Blue Badge Parking is available, Please bring your blue badge with you and display it in your vehicle.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

All seats must be paid for in advance. In common with general theatre practice, tickets for Kilworth House Theatre events are non-refundable and non-exchangeable. For further details or queries please visit our website or contact a member of the Box Office.

Please visit our website for full terms & conditions for all Kilworth House Hotel and Theatre events.

BOOK ONLINE

www.kilworthhouse.co.uk

BOX OFFICE

01858 881939

Open: Mon-Fri, 0900hrs-1730hrs



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