

OXFORD | on FOOD & COOKERY | SYMPOSIUM



2011
Celebrations

Friday, 8 July

12:00 pm	Trustees Meeting		
3:30 pm	Registration opens (till 4:45pm)		Porters Lodge
4:00 pm	Session Hosts Meeting		JCR
5:00 pm	Plenary	Jane Grigson Memorial Lecture Richard Wrangham: Why we cook and why it matters hosted by Paul Levy	BS Lecture Theatre
5:45 pm	Plenary	Barbara & Joe Wheaton: A Brief Celebratory Rave	BS Lecture Theatre
6:00 pm	Break		
6:30 pm	Welcoming drinks: Champagne Lanson		JCR
7:00 pm	Dinner Shaun Hill at Home at The Walnut Tree		Dining Hall
9:00 pm	Tequila tasting hosted by Tom Conran, accompanied by two films on the Day of the Dead Altar of Remembrance to Symposiums and Symposiasts Past, organised by Alicia Rios, Caroline Conran and Bruce Kraig JCR/Bar Annexe		

Saturday, 9 July

7:45 am	Breakfast		Dining Hall
8:30 am	Registration opens (till 9:15am)		Foyer/Room A
9:00 am	Plenary	Welcome, opening, Sophie Coe Prize Paul Levy, Claudia Roden, Elisabeth Luard, Laura Mason	BS Lecture Theatre
9:30 am	Plenary	Jane Kramer: Celebrating! hosted by Claudia Roden	BS Lecture Theatre
10:15 am	Plenary	Joelle Balhoul: Judeo-Muslim Exchanges in Religious Celebrations hosted by Claudia Roden	BS Lecture Theatre
11:00 am	Plenary	Bruce Kraig & Jan Thompson: a few words about lunch Celebrating the Mexican Day of the Dead	BS Lecture Theatre
11:15 am	Coffee		Foyer/Room A
11:45 am	BS Lecture Theatre:	<i>Celebration around the Mediterranean in Classical Times</i>	Hosted by Joan Alcock
<u>Parallel Sessions</u>	Andrew Dalby Sally Grainger John Donahue	Celebrating Hellenism far from Hellas; Feasts and festivals of Ptolemy II of Egypt A historical Roman feast in perspective The „Floating Feasts“ of Ancient Rome	
	Room C:	<i>Alone, sad and no food: Anti-Celebrations</i>	Hosted by Elisabeth Luard
	Anthony Buccini Robert Appelbaum Jane Levi	Chi vuol godere la festa, diguini la vigilia: On the Relationship between Fasting and Feasting Celebrating Solitude: M.F.K. Fisher on Dining Alone Melancholy and Mourning: Black Banquets and Funerary Feasts	
	Room D:	<i>Sweets in Celebrations</i>	Hosted by Anissa Helou
	Marcia Zoladz Priscilla Mary Isin Christa Weil	Let's Celebrate. Oh, my! It's complicated Celebrating with Sweets in Ottoman Turkey Cloudy With a Chance of Sugarplums: A Brief History of Confetti	

1:15 pm	Lunch Celebrating the Mexican Day of the Dead Sage Conran, Tom Conran and Sol Medina Kalvoy	Dining Hall
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2:30 pm	BS Lecture Theatre: <i>The Sumptuous Wealth of Celebration Banquets</i>	Hosted by Geraldene Holt
<u>Parallel Sessions</u>	June di Schino Gillian Riley Robin Weir	The Unique Role of the Credenziere in Italian Banquet Celebrations (1500-1700) Tableware & Taste; How developments in the techniques of ceramic production may have changed the style & presentation of banquet food Celebrations & the torrid pleasures of an ice cream and sorbet tree in Rome in August 1714
	Room C:	<i>Some unusual places to celebrate</i> Hosted by Charlie Trotter
	S. Cikic & H. Pethe Kimiko Barber Diana Noyce	Underground Restaurants – a new way to celebrate with Strangers Celebration of Japanese Food The Midwinter Celebration in Antarctica: Feeding Body and Soul
	Room D:	<i>English, French and Irish Chefs preparing Banquets</i> Hosted by Barbara Wheaton
	Valerie Mars Sarah A. Milne M. Mac Con Iomaire & T. Kellaghan	Two Banquets given to promote the Great 1851 Exhibition Dining with the Drapers: The Drapers Company 1564 Election Day Feast as a Map of the Elizabethan City of London Royal Pomp: viceregal celebrations and hospitality in Georgian Dublin

4:00 pm	Tea	Foyer/Room A
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4:30 pm	BS Lecture Theatre:	<i>I've read it: the Literary Side of Celebrations</i>	Hosted by Cathy Kaufman
<u>Parallel Sessions</u>	Joan Navarre Vicky Hayward von Hoffmann	Feast for a King: The Wine and Food Society's Carême Banquet at the Royal Pavilion, Brighton Celebrating with Altamiras: the Spirit of Fiesta Food The Celebrations of Taste: A History of Culinary Discourses	
	Room C:	<i>Far from Oxford</i>	Hosted by Phil Iddison
	Gail Singer Aylin Tan N. Rögnvaldardóttir & M. Leaman	My Wild Goose Chase Be Merry, Around a Wheat Berry! The Significance of Wheat in Anatolian Rituals and Celebrations Thorrablót – Icelandic Feasting	
	Room D:	<i>Children Celebrating – or is it all about the Grown-Ups?</i>	Hosted by Sue Haddleton
	Tim White Linda Roodenburg William Rubel	Padded playroom party pitstops Celebrating in Multicultural Rotterdam; a visual approach Sleeping Beauty's Wedding Feast & Puss in Boot's Collation; the liminal moment: what fairy tales tell us about celebrations	

6:00 pm	Break		
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6:30 pm	Welcome drinks		JCR
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7:00 pm	Dinner	Celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the Unification of Italy and her Gastronomy Italian Trade Commission with Claudia Roden & Carolin Young	Dining Hall
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Sunday, 10 July

8:00 am	Breakfast		Dining Hall
9:00 am	Plenary	Raymond Blanc Scholarship, presented by Paul Levy Cherwell Prize Winner, announced by Cathy Kaufman	BS Lecture Theatre
9:30 am	Plenary	Oswyn Murray: From the Greek Symposium to the Roman Orgy hosted by Andrew Dalby	BS Lecture Theatre
10:15 am	Plenary	The Friends of the Oxford Symposium and their Bucket with Elisabeth Luard and William Rubel	BS Lecture Theatre
10:30 am	Plenary	Aglaia Kremezi: a few words about lunch Greek Clean Monday	BS Lecture Theatre
10:45 am	Plenary	Alicia Rios: Organoleptic deconstruction in three movements	BS Lecture Theatre
11:00 am	Coffee		Foyer/Room A
11:30 am	BS Lecture Theatre:	<i>Celebrating the Jewish Way</i>	Hosted by Paul Levy
<u>Parallel Sessions</u>	Felicity Newman Jonathan Brumberg-Kraus G. Schäfer & S. Weingarten	Keeping Kosher: Cause for Celebration? Sukkot: The Paradigmatic Harvest Festival Celebrating Purim and Passover; Food and memory in the creation of Jewish identity	
	Room C:	<i>Celebrations in Russia and Eastern Europe</i>	Hosted by Ken Albala
	Sharon Hudgins R. Barron & K. Hawkings Alexandra Grigorieva	Buttering up the Sun: Russian Maslenitsa-from pagan practice to contemporary celebration Transylvanian Lambs and Easter Tables; Celebrations in danger of extinction European Easter Breads: an Attempt at Classification	
	Room D:	<i>Barbecues in Australia, California and Ecuador</i>	Hosted by Cherry Ripe
	Len Fisher Emma-J. Abbotts Charles Perry	The Great Aussie Barbecue The Celebratory and the Everyday: Guinea Pigs, Hamburgers and the Performance of Food Heritage in Highland Ecuador The Bull's Head Breakfast in Old Los Angeles	
1:00 pm	Lunch	Kathari Deftera - Greek Clean Monday Aglaia Kremezi	Dining Hall

2:00 pm	BS Lecture Theatre:	<i>Baking for a Celebration</i>	Hosted by Laura Mason
<u>Parallel Sessions</u>	Mark McWilliams	The Unavoidable Ham Biscuit	
	Kimberly Sorensen	Prints Charming: Nineteenth-Century New York Cake Boards and New Year's Cake	
	Marietta Rusinek	Cake as the Centrepiece of Celebrations: on the intrinsic continuity between cake and celebrating	

Room C:	<i>No Celebration Without Drink</i>	Hosted by William Rubel	
Birgit Ricquier	On Mfuumbu, Nkasa and Whisky: a Wedding Celebration in Kimbonga-Louamba (Congo-Brazzaville)		
Elizabeth Gabay	The Tradition of Celebrating with Punch		
Joanna Crosby	A History of the Wassail Bowl-from Pagan Brew to Christian Custard		

Room D:	<i>From Gods to Humans: Celebrating</i>	Hosted by Sami Zubaida	
Christopher Grocock	Long life to you! Drinking and celebrating in ancient Rome in the festival of Anna Perenna		
David Sutton	The Festive Fruit: A History of Figs		
Kim Beerden	It was divine...supernatural celebrations in the ancient Greek world		
3:30 pm	Tea		Foyer/Room A
4:00 pm	Plenary	Theodore Zeldin: Summing up hosted by Paul Levy	BS Lecture Theatre
4:15 pm	Plenary	Barbara & Joe Wheaton: Another Brief Rave, featuring participants in the 2011 Oxford Symposium on Food and Cookery Anniversary Celebration	BS Lecture Theatre
4:30 pm	Plenary	Closing Session Paul Levy, Claudia Roden& Elisabeth Luard	BS Lecture Theatre
5:00 pm	The End		