





# The British Club of The Hague

## What you can look forward to in the month of APRIL 2024

<p>Friday 5</p>	<p>10.15  10.45  12.00</p>	<p><i>The Library will be open until 12.15, <u>with a break during the talk.</u></i></p> <p><b>Louise will examine the social history of the Gold Coast (now Ghana), using her family's history as a springboard. Her grandparents' marriage forged new links between two 'Royal families' which had been interconnected for many centuries. Connected by marriage, by war, by trade, and by the Danes who lived in the forts along the coast. What kind of people were her ancestors? How did they live, and what did they do? Louise has found some interesting answers....</b></p> <p><b>Improve your Bridge with John</b></p>	
<p>Friday 12</p>	<p>10.15  11.00</p>	<p><i>The Library will be open until <b>11.00.</b></i></p> <p><b>Our Annual General Meeting</b> <i>An opportunity to hear reports of the past twelve months, vote on important decisions for the new Club year, and share thoughts on present and future Club life against the background of a changing world.</i></p> <p><i>After the formal meeting, stay for a light lunch provided by the Committee as a thank-you for your participation and support.</i></p>	
<p>Friday 19</p>	<p>10.15  10.45  12.00</p>	<p><i>The Library will be open until 12.15.</i></p> <p><b>Tina will return to the Watercolours table, joining Judy and Kathleen for another Art and Crafts Morning. Bring your own craft project - knitting, crochet, embroidery - or let Kathleen and Judy teach you the basics, advise or simply encourage you! Tina will host the session to paint in watercolours, offering guidance on technique so that you can enjoy using the materials, however inexperienced you may be.</b></p> <p><b>Improve your Bridge with John</b></p>	

Friday 26	10.15	The <b>Library</b> will be open until 12.15.	
	10.45	The <b>Readers' Discussion Group</b> this month will take a detailed look at <b>Miss Benson's Beetle</b> . This novel by <b>Rachel Joyce</b> concerns Margery Benson, who in 1950 abandons her dead-end teaching job and advertises for an assistant to accompany her on an expedition. She plans to travel to an island on the other side of the world to search for an elusive beetle that may or may not exist. Enid Pretty, with her unlikely pink travel suit and yellow hair, is the last person Margery would have wanted as an assistant. Nevertheless, these two British women find themselves drawn into an adventure that delivers something neither of them expected to find: the transformative power of friendship and the courage to be themselves. The discussion will be led by <b>Jenny</b> .	
	12.00	<b>Improve your Bridge</b> with <b>John</b>	

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## Save these dates!

### Friday, 3 May : Bargain Bay

Please look out your attractive but unwanted items!



### Friday, 21 June

### International Buffet Lunch

and

### Toast to the King's Birthday