

# WELCOME TO LONDON

Get ready to amp-up your stay and feel the love this month! Whether you're visiting for work or play, I've got you covered with the best locals-only tips to maximize your stay.

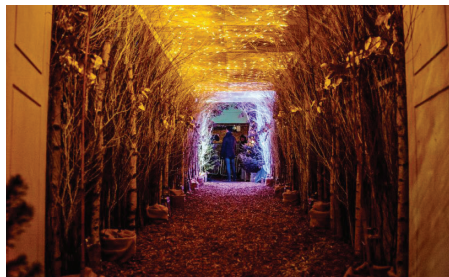


## LONDON FASHION WEEK

Various locations  
[londonfashionweek.co.uk](http://londonfashionweek.co.uk)

This season sees a schedule of over 80 new and returning names hosting over 90 catwalk shows, presentations and events across the city. Many of the shows take place at the BFC Show Space which is located on London's 180 Strand. Other venues are revealed on invitations. From House of Holland to Roland Mouret, there are hundreds of designers showcasing their designs on the runway for spring summer 2018. Names to watch include Richard Malone, Alice Archer, Matty Bovan, Roberta Einer and Dilara Findikoglu. We can't wait to see what Roksanda, Christopher Kane, Erdem and Michael Halpern show. Whilst, we will be bidding farewell to Christopher Bailey who presents his last show for Burberry. Following London Fashion Week, comes the London Fashion Week Festival, a four-day festival that takes place in the same LFW venue from 22 February to 25 February. There are designer and trend runway shows, industry talks plus plenty of shopping opportunities.

16 - 20 February



## WINTERLAND

Wandsworth Bridge Road, Fulham SW6 2TY  
[winterlandlondon.com](http://winterlandlondon.com)

It's back! Due to popular demand the Thames-side forest is returning. While January was busy being all dry and depressed for many, February is hotting up to be the month of romance. The team behind Winterland has had a good think and decided to give us all the pick-me-up we need. Ditch your mittens briefly and let your hands, body, and soul feel the heat from the mulled wines and hot cocktails. Indulge on yummy street food, sing with growing confidence in the karaoke booth, or have a go at curling and mini golf. With Valentine's Day on the horizon there are, of course, special packages for those wishing to get closer than close in true igloo style.

Opens 14 February



## CARAVAN FEAST AT RADIO 1 STUDIO

Caravan Fitzrovia, 152-156 Great Portland Street, Fitzrovia W1W 6AJ  
[yondercollective.com](http://yondercollective.com)

Once home to the BBC's Central Music Library of over a million vinyl records and to the famous 19th century conman Charles Deville Wells, the man who broke the bank of Monte Carlo. The Yalding house is soon to become the new venue for Fitzrovia's Caravan. Before the building commences however, the old Radio 1 studio is being transformed into a fine dining experience. For this occasion the theme of the dinner is 'Cultivating the Courageous' – designed to spark confidence in creativity: something that will shine through in the food, design, and the evening's speaker Charlotte Instone's story as founder of Know The Origin. An ethical clothing company that is determined to create a new standard within the fashion industry.

24 February



## SUPER SHARP

**Fashion Space Gallery, London College of Fashion, 20 John Princes Street W1G 0BJ**

Super Sharp explores the appropriation of Italian designer brands in the underground music scenes of Jungle and UK Garage. Moschino, in particular, became synonymous with the look associated with that era. This exhibition draws from an extensive archive amassed by DJ and producer Saul Milton, which also forms the core of the wider series of exhibitions RTRN II JUNGLE.

Until 21 April



## CAFE BELVEDERE

**15 Bateman Street, Soho, W1D 3AQ**

Set up like a industrial coffee shop, but with a very naughty twist. Café Belvedere will be supplying coffee cocktails to fashionistas and vodka fans throughout London Fashion Week. This pop-up will see the debut of the new Belvedere Espresso, the fastest ever espresso martini served in a vintage-inspired syphon and designed to be shared amongst friends. I can only imagine it was created by a bunch of incredibly impatient caffeine addicts who just couldn't get their martinis fast enough. You'll also be able to try other coffee-based cocktails all specially curated by senior Savoy Mixologist, Martin Hudak.

Opens 1pm – 9.30pm on 15 – 18 February

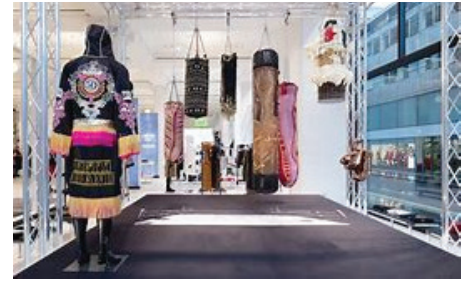


## EVELYN'S TABLE

**28 Rupert Street, Soho W1D 6DJ  
theblueposts.co.uk**

The good news is – by virtue of being one of the few reservable spots in Soho – it can be your table, too. You'll have to be quick, of course, because the entire restaurant is but a single, horseshoe-shaped marble bar, seating up to eleven diners around the bustling open kitchen. It's diminutive scale is necessitated by the fact that it's hidden in the renovated wine cellar beneath a 250 year old pub, The Blue Posts, and represents the final part of the inn's restoration into a three storey palace of food and wine by the team behind restaurants The Palomar and The Barbary. Unlike their other spots however, these seats can be booked, while half are left aside every night for walk-ins. Which, should you need to wait for a table, gives you the perfect excuse to survey the top-floor bar, The Mulwray and its refined cocktail list first. Named after Faye Dunaway's character in the film Chinatown, the intimate chef's table space shares the same elegant, beautifully designed aesthetic as the two floors above, with the marble dining counter surrounded by muted walls, and topped by retro brass lamps and smart bespoke plates with a daily changing menu. You can rest assured that whatever you're served will be unfailingly delicious, as it is all designed and rustled up by Nacho Pinilla, the Barbary's head chef himself.

Opens 8 February



## LAMYLAND AT SELFRIDGES

**400 Oxford Street W1A 1AB  
selfridges.com**

Michèle Lamy, one of the fashion world's most radical creatives, is taking over the The Corner Shop in Selfridges with a temporary residency called Lamyland. There will be a boxing-themed installation complete with limited edition active-wear drops from brands like Off White and Sacai.

Until 25 March

## AT W LONDON

### SELFISH LOVE

Single or taken? Who cares when you have an amazing friend: yourself? Steal the scene and celebrate yourself this Valentine's here at The Perception. You're definitely worth it!

7pm till late on 14 February

