

Monday in Edinburgh – things to do today




Monday 12 May 2014 – Out of the Blue is 20!

Louise Bourgeois' Sunday Salons: Artist Julie Roberts shares her experience of attending one of Louise Bourgeois' notorious Sunday Salons in New York. The Studio, Modern Art ONE, National Galleries of Scotland, 12.45-1.30pm. Free and unticketed

Out of the Blue is 20! Exhibition: A Voyage of Discovery depicting many of the iconic images and artefacts of the past 20 years. Until 23rd May, 10am-5pm. [Out of The Blue](#), 36 Dalmeny Street, tel: 0131 555 7100

Blackwell's Children's Book Group: for book and biscuit lovers aged 8 to 11 years. Currently reading Cornelia Funke's The Thief Lord. Group members enjoy 10% discount on books read in group. 6-7pm Blackwell's,, South Bridge. To join, email your details to childrens.edinburgh@blackwell.co.uk

[Leonardo da Vinci: the Mechanics of Man](#): Professor Peter Abrahams shows how many new concepts in anatomical artistic design were unique to Leonardo's work & how these have developed into modern medical images. Symposium Hall, Hill Square, 6pm. Free but booking essential via [eventbrite](#). NB: this is a repeat of Professor Abrahams sell-out lecture of 2013. A Surgeons' Hall event: more information from 0131 527 1711.

 **St Giles' Cathedral** – informal concert with the Alma Choir from Michigan, USA. 3pm.

Craigmillar Community Arts: Music Workshop. An informal

session for anyone over 18 who enjoys music – a chance to jam, get tips from more experienced musicians, or simply listen and join in when you feel comfortable. 7-10pm, £1. Craigmillar Community Arts, 58 Newcraighall Road. Tel: 0131 669 8432 or see [Craigmillar's website](#).

Holy Corner Christian Aid Book Sale – continues until Saturday 17th. **Morningside United Church**, Chamberlain Road. 11am-6pm Monday to Friday, 10am-4pm Saturday. **Christian Aid 40th Anniversary Book Sale** continues until Friday 16th at **St Andrew's & St George's West Church, George Street**. Monday-Wednesday & Friday: 10am-3.30pm, Thursday: 10am-7pm