

What's On

Arts & Culture in and around Richmond upon Thames

September 2019

WE WELCOME OUR NEW PRESIDENTS



We are delighted to announce that Lynn Faulds-Wood and John Stapleton will become our new Presidents for the year 2019-2020. They are well-known television presenters and journalists and they will be a dynamic force in Arts Richmond.

YOUNG WRITERS' COMPETITION

Friday 19 July 2019 - Friday 6 December



Young Writers' Competition – an encouragement by Lynn Faulds-Wood

John and I have been writers all our lives - TV* scripts, newspaper columns, magazine articles, books - and we warmly encourage you to enter the Young Writers'
Competition. Anyone can
write. All of us. We really canso do think about entering this
competition. All it takes is a bit
of confidence, a bit of courage,
having ideas you'd like to
share about anything. What
you write can be funny, sad,
live in the past or look to the
future, interviews or
adventures .. anything. We
look forward to reading your
entries!

* TV shows included BBC Nationwide, Panorama, Newsnight, Watchdog, GMTV etc (John) & TVam, BBC Watchdog, Breakfast Time, World In Action etc (Lynn)

RICHMOND LITERATURE FESTIVAL 2019

This year's festival will run from Friday 1 to Sunday 24 November 2019. Arts Richmond are supporting four fascinating events and these are:

Sat 2 Nov The Poetics of Climate Change. The critic and poet Matthew Griffiths will be appearing at The Noel Coward Suite at Hampton Hill Theatre. More information on Arts Richmond Website.

Wed 6 Nov Antonia Fraser in conversation with Anna Sebba about her recently published book *The King and the Catholics*.

Wed 13 Nov The distinguished author, social historian, and

broadcaster, Kate Williams will be speaking about her book, Rival Queens, The betrayal of Mary Queen of Scots.

Wed 20 Nov Katie Hickman will be speaking about her recently published book, *She Merchants, Buccaneers and Gentlewomen British Women in India 1600-1900.*

The box office opens 10am
Tue 1 Oct and tickets will be
available to purchase through
the website
www.richmondliterature.com,
by phone 020 8831 6494, or in
person from Orleans House
Gallery.

Visual Arts



Fountain Gallery, East Molesey, open Tue to Sun 11.30am to 5.30pm: Tue 20 Aug to Sun 1 Sept Nicky Browne and Tessa Charles. New original linocut prints large, medium and small! Drawings, cards and minibooks, on interesting local themes; Tue 3 to Sun 15 Sept Bev Waller Colour, texture and light; contemporary paintings, collage, prints and ceramics. Exhibiting with Jilly Sandison; Tue 17 to Sun 29 Sept Maureen Farr 2-Way Art.

Acrylic in strong colours, stilllife, landscape and abstract work. Exhibiting with Celia Lewis.

fountaingallery.co.uk

Drawing From Observation Competition

Calling all past contributors to the Drawing From Observation Diana Armfield Show, in memory of Bernard Dunstan. You will be building up a collection from which to choose your next submission to the Show in 2020. Now are the summer months to tempt us with drawing landscape scenes. Will you try to encourage anyone who might benefit from advice from you to "have a go"? All those over 16 years are welcome to submit drawings directly from life, not from photographs or by using devices or other

To draw is to enrich the seeing and to soothe the soul, so much better than a pill. We look forward to seeing all your new works that will be coming in. May you have good weather and good drawing.

Diana Armfield.

Further details will appear in future newsletters

Saturday Watercolour
Workshop: 7 Sept 10am - 4pm
Learn From A Watercolour
Master:Raoul Dufy. Made-tomeasure one day workshop
led by experienced tutor Pat
Harvey at 21, Cranebrook,
Manor Road TW2 5DJ, her
Twickenham home. All
abilities. The aim: for you to
end the day with a painting
you can be proud of!
Suggested donation £45 (£10

reduction per class for 3 or more). Email patkayharvey@talktalk.net or call 020 3643 6227 for more details. patharvey.co.uk

Landmark Arts Centre:

Courses in the summer and autumn. *ManSong* – a brand new choir for men beginning in September; Landmark Sound it would be great to reach new members; Introduction to Mosaic – 3 mornings in October (this is a new workshop); Creative Embroidery (beginners and intermediate); Exploring Drawing (Tuesday evenings); Botanical Art (Wednesday evening and Friday mornings); One day workshops festive creative paper cutting; bookbinding; handmade soap making; needle felting – In The Dog House. At the Landmark Arts Centre, Ferry Road Teddington TW11 9NN. landmarkartscentre.org

<u>D</u>rama



Orange Tree Theatre: 6 Sept to 12 Oct at 7.30pm plus matinees. Amsterdam by Maya Arad Yasur, translated by Eran Edry. An Israeli violinist. Living in her trendy canal-side Amsterdam apartment. Nine months pregnant. One day a mysterious unpaid gas bill from 1944 arrives; 22 Sept at 7pm. Jonny and the Baptists -Love Richmond Hate Bastards. Multi-award nominated musical-activist-comedians. Jonny & The Baptists, are sick of being political and divisive. This show is about how everything is definitely fine. Let's just get along!

orangetreetheatre.co.uk

Rose Theatre, Kingston: Mon 9 Sep - Sat 14 Sept at 7.30pm plus matinée Friendsical is an original and unique new parody musical inspired by the gang in Friends, the iconic TV show; Fri 20 Sept - Sat 12 Oct at 7.30pm plus matinée Valued Friends It's 1980s London and change is happening. The city is ablaze with social, political and cultural upheaval and in a basement flat in Earls Court. four friends in their midthirties are scrabbling to keep their heads above water. rosetheatrekingston.org

Richmond Shakespeare
Society: Sat 14 to Sat 21 Sept at 7.45pm, except Sun
15 Sept at 3pm. 'The Father'
by Florian Zeller. No
performance Wed 18 Sept. At the Mary Wallace Theatre, The Embankment, Twickenham, Middlesex, TW1 3DU. Box office: 07484 927662
richmondshakespeare.org.uk

Know Your Place Festival

The rich and vibrant history of Richmond upon Thames will be celebrated throughout September 2019 with the seventh annual *Know Your Place Heritage Festival*. Talks, walks, workshops etc. at various venues.

More information on: richmond.gov.uk/know_your_ place:

Teddington Theatre Club: Sun 15 Sept – Sat 21 Sept 2019 (Mon-Sat 7.45pm Sun 4pm) Marvin's Room by Scott McPherson. Who will care for the carer? A dark comedy tale of two very different sisters; Sat 28 Sept – Fri 4 Oct 2019 (Mon-Sat 7.45pm Sun 6pm) Daisy Pulls it Off by Denise Deegan. An amateur production by special arrangement with Samuel French Ltd. A ripping 'Girls Own' yarn, where right triumphs over adversity At Hampton Hill Theatre 90 High Street, Hampton Hill, TW12 1NZ.

teddingtontheatreclub.org.uk

Hammond Theatre: Thu 12 September at 7.30 Pm NT Live - Fleabag; Thu 26 September at 7pm NT Live - One Man, Two Guvnors. At The Hammond Theatre, Hampton School, Hanworth Road, Hampton, TW12 3HD. thehammondtheatre.co.uk

NB: Some productions have audio-described performances. Check websites for full details or contact Arts Richmond for help.

Film



Richmond Film Society: The 57th Season opens with 'Cold War' (Poland) on 10 September and continues with 'Shoplifters' (Japan) on 24 September. Films are screened at 8:00pm at The Exchange, 75 London Road, Twickenham, TW1 1BE. Members go free. Nonmember tickets available in advance from The Exchange's Box Office - in person, by telephone on 020 8240 2399 or online at http://exchangetwickenham.c o.uk/events/ - or on the night (cash only). For membership

and programme details, see

website or phone 020 8893 3503.

richmondfilmsoc.org.uk

Dance



Swing Patrol is a swing dance company that has a a thriving community of over 1,500 dancers. Their amazing teachers run over 35 weekly classes and workshops. They welcome dancers of all ages and backgrounds. Whether you want to learn to dance, have a boogie at our weekly dances or hire the team for your event, they hope to see you soon. Check out website for more details. swingpatrol.co.uk

Rambert School of Ballet and **Contemporary Dance:**

Creative dance classes for children and young people on Saturdays for ages 2 ½ -18 years at Clifton Lodge, St Margarets. Adult ballet, contemporary and yoga classes are also available weekday evenings and on Saturdays. Sign up now for a free trial class. Email classes@rambertschool.org.uk or call 020 8892 9960. rambertschool.org.uk/participation

Music



St Mary's Church Explains Gilbert and Sullivan, Sun 8 Sept at 6pm. A light-hearted introduction to the world of

Gilbert and Sullivan operettas. Where did they come from? What do they tell us about Victorian society, ye lower middle classes? Performed by Eve Baker (Soprano), Clarinda Chan (Soprano), Rachel Logan (Mezzo), Lisa Colclough (Mezzo and Piano), James Aitken (Tenor), Chris Britton (Tenor and Piano), Adrian Mumford (Organ and Baritone), Chris Williams (Bass) and John Albasiny (Narrator). Entrance is free but a retiring collection in aid of St Mary's reordering. At St. Mary's, Church Street, Twickenham, TW1 3NJ.

The Middlesex Yeomanry Concert Band: The Autumn Concert on Sun 22 Sept at 2.30pm at the White House, Hampton TW12 3RN. The concert will feature a selection of music by the Carpenters as well as music from stage and screen. Tickets £12.00 incl.programmes and refreshments. Children free. mycb.org.uk

Richmond Concert Society:

24 Sept at 7.45pm at St Mary The Virgin, Twickenham Riverside, TW1 3NJ. Marmen Quartet playing Haydn: Quartet in B flat, Op. 50 No. 1, Hob. III:44, *Ligeti*: Quartet No. 1 "Métamorphoses nocturnes", Mendelssohn: Quartet No. 6 in F minor, Op.

richmondconcerts.co.uk

Rose Opera: 4 and 5 Oct at 7pm and 6 Oct at 2.30pm Idomeneo by W.A. Mozart. Musical Director David Roblou and Director Michael Moxham. At Normansfield Theatre, 2A Langdon Park, Teddington TW11 9PS. Tickets £15-£25. Phone 0333 121 2300. roseopera.co.uk

Landmark Arts Centre: Sun 8
Sept at 7.30pm Moishe's Bagel
An intoxicating, life-affirming
mix of Eastern European dance
music, Middle Eastern rhythms
and virtuoso performances,
Supper must be ordered
separately; Sunday 22 Sept at
2.30pm Trio Pierné. The
repertoire encompasses
Baroque to the present day. At
the Landmark Arts Centre,
Ferry Road Teddington TW11
9NN.

landmarkartscentre.org

Poetry Anthology for sale

Please support this poetry initiative by purchasing a copy of our anthology of shortlisted entries "About Time", now on sale. This is the end product of the Arts Richmond Roger McGough inaugural Poetry Prize 2019. For Arts Richmond members, just £4 plus postage and packing.

Copies may be ordered from Arts Richmond, ETNA Community Centre, Room 16, 13 Rosslyn Road, Twickenham, TW1 2AR

T: 020 8892 9446 www.artsrichmond.org.uk

In Flagrante choir rehearses on Tuesday evenings, 19.30 -20.30 hrs. Venue: St. Anne's church hall, Kew Green, TW9 3AA. All are welcome to come along to meet, and sing with, the choir. They have a fun time working on a wide range of songs - a love of music and ability to hold a tune is all that's required! No audition. The choir will resume on Tuesday 3rd September 2019 after its summer break. For further details of the choir and our next concert, contact Cathy Jago on Catherine@cjenenergy.co.uk

The Choral Foundation: Every Sunday at 3.30pm, *Choral*

Evensong at Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace. choral.foundation@hrp.org.uk

Thameside Harmony Chorus: at the White House, 45 The Avenue, Hampton, TW12 3RN. A friendly and fun-loving women's A Cappella group

who enjoy singing together in harmony. Email thamesideharmony@gmail.com. thamesideharmony.co.uk

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What's On

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To Contact Us or Join Us

To contact us with any queries see back page for details.

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Copy/Flyer Deadlines

NB: Deadline for information for Newsletter for events in October 2019 is Wednesday 25 August Deadline for delivery of flyers for events in October 2019:

Tuesday 10 September 2019
Contact the office for current
rates

Disclaimer: Whilst every care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of the information in this newsletter, we urge you to check details with venues before attending an event.

If you need help with contact details, please contact our office

info@artsrichmond.org.uk

Ella's Choir: Meets weekly on Thursdays 7.00-8.30pm at St Mary's University (Room G3), Waldegrave Road, TW1 4SX. In aid of charity React. To enquire email helenastrid@gmail.com

Magna Carta Chorus: Men's four-part harmony A Cappella chorus rehearses on Thursday evenings from 8-10pm at The White House,45 The Avenue, Hampton, TW12 3RN. New members always welcome. Contact: Dennis Counsel, Chorus Secretary on 01344 843522 email dennis@stillriver.plus.com magnacartachorus@gmail.com

Kingston Madrigal Society: meets on the first Saturday of each month from October to March in the Swinnerton Hall, St Luke's Church, Gibbon Road, Kingston KT2 6AB at 7.30pm kingstonmadrigals.org.uk

Rock, Jazz & Folk



TwickFolk: at The Cabbage Patch, 67 London Road,
Twickenham TW1 3SZ. Sun 1
Sept - Singaround (all welcome to perform, or listen, in an informal, supportive setting) £3; Sun 8 Sept - James Talley (from the USA) - singer and songwriter from Oklahoma £10; Sun 17 Sept - Singaround (all welcome to perform, or listen, in an informal, supportive setting) £3; Sun 22 Sept - Suntrap Album Launch - four

voices in harmony with fiddles, guitars, accordions and the occasional ukulele, launch their new CD, Northern Lights £10; Sun 29 Sept - Craig Joiner Showcase - Singersongwriter and guitarist currently making waves on the folk scene, plus some floor spots £5. Prices shown are those on the door. Discounts available for under 25s and holders of the Richmond Card. twickfolk.co.uk

Mood Indigo: Fri 13 Sept at 8.30pm: Janet's Jazz Night featuring Esther Bennett (vocals) and Paul Young (sax) with the Terence Collie Trio. Jazz Café Posk, 238-246 King Street, Hammersmith W6 ORF -£8 on door, £6 via website; Sun 15 Sept at 7.45pm: The Music of Herbie Hancock featuring Phil Meadows (sax) with the Terence Collie Trio. Riverside Arts Centre, 59 Thames Street, Sunbury-on-Thames, TW16 5QF. £15 on door, £12 via website; Thu 26 Sept 8pm: Jazz Trio featuring Gareth Lockrane on flute with Terence Collie (piano) and Richard Sadler (bass). 1901 Arts Club, 7 Exton Street, Waterloo, London SE1 8UE. £12 via website, £15 on the door; Sun 29 Sept at 7.30pm: Jazz On The Plaza - Duo Concert with Tom Smith (sax) and Terence Collie (piano). Café Yukari, 110 North Road, Kew, Richmond TW94HJ. moodindigoevents.co.uk

Eel Pie Club: at The Patch, 67 London Road, Twickenham TW1 3SZ.Doors 8:30pm. Music 9-11pm (unless otherwise advertised). Thu 5 Sept *Cadillac Kings* £12; Thu 19 Sept *Peter Donegan And The Band* (as seen on The Voice UK). £13 eelpieclub.com

Museums



The Twickenham Museum:

Open Tuesdays & Saturdays 11.00–3.00 and Sundays 2.00– 4.00. Admission free. twickenham-museum.org.uk

The Museum of Richmond:

Sat 20 July 2019 to Sat 25 Jan 2020 <u>Exhibition</u>: *Celebrating* 800 Years Of St. Mary Magdalene At The Heart Of Richmond. museumofrichmond.com

Musical Museum 399 High Street, Brentford, TW8 0DU: Regular musical events and film screenings – contact the Museum for details. musicalmuseum.co.uk

Historic Houses



Turner's House Trust: 40 Sandycoombe Road, Twickenham TW1 2LR. Open Wed-Sunday, 12noon to 4pm. Fri 1 Feb to Sun 22 Sept. Exhibition - Miniature Lands of Myth & Memory. J.M.W. Turner's designs for Sir Walter Scott's Poetical Works & Life of Napoleon Buonaparte. This exhibition focusses on their last collaboration before Sir Walter's death. Exhibition free with paid entry and includes an exhibition brochure. turnershouse.org

Walks, Talks & Courses



The Arts Society Richmond: Tue 3 Sept Art in Advertising. Speaker: Tony Rawlins How the advertising industry exploited fine art. At Duke Street Church, Duke Street, Richmond TW9 1DH. theartssocietyrichmond.org

Richmond & Twickenham
Photographic Society: Thu 5
September, Ronya Galka –
"The Street is my Canvas"; Thu
12 September, Eddie Hyde
ARPS – "Motion Capture –
Creative use of Shutter Speed";
Thu 19 September, Simon
Weir – "Chasing the Wind –
photographing Les Voiles
d"Antibes & St. Tropez". All
meetings are held at St. Luke's
Kew Community Centre, the
Avenue at 8pm.
rtps.org.uk

Richmond Local History

Society: Sun 15 Sept at 7:30 pm. All The World's A Stage: 120 Years of Richmond Theatre an evening event that celebrates this anniversary. The event is free except that online bookings will incur a booking fee. The Society have managed to secure 400 tickets, shared with The Richmond Society. At Richmond Theatre, Little Green, Richmond, TW9 1QJ. Mon 23 Sept at 7.30pm Derek Robinson will be talking about his new book and the stories he has uncovered about the vicars and ministers of St Mary Magdalene, Richmond, since the 16th century. At St Mary Magdalene Church.

richmondhistory.org.uk

Richmond Society: Sunday
15th Sept at 7.30pm. Special
Event: All The World's A Stage:
120 Years of Richmond Theatre
An illustrated talk celebrating
the 120th birthday of Frank
Matcham's masterpiece on
Richmond Green. Details
including times and how to
obtain tickets will be published
in their Autumn Newsletter
issued in August. At Richmond
Theatre, Little Green,
Richmond, TW9 1QJ.
richmondsociety.org.uk

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5 SEPTEMBER The Proms

OCTOBER Glyndebourne 2 night residential stay

10 DECEMBER Sadlers' Wells "The Red Shoes" by Matthew Bourne

Members of Arts
Richmond may invite one
guest per visit to
accompany them.
See website or booking
form in Arts Richmond's
mailing

Richmond Association for the National Trust: Wed 4 Sept Coach visit to Chartwell, Kent; Thu 12 Sept Visit to Fulham Palace, London. Contact details: the Programme Manager Nicholas Stock Publicity Officer (Richmond Association for the National Trust). Tel: 020 8390 8823. nationaltrust.org.uk/features/rich mond-association

Richmond U3A: Wed 25 Sept at 2.30pm A Child in a Polish Ghetto by Barbara Marlow. At Clarendon Hall, York House, Richmond Road, Twickenham, TW1 3BZ.
u3asites.org.uk/richmond-onthames/home

Poetry Performance: at the Adelaide, Park Road, Teddington TW11 0AU. Poetry Performance open mic spots on the 1st Sunday of every month from 6-8pm at the Adelaide Pub, Park Road, Teddington. £2 entry plus purchase of drink from the bar. Featured poet for Sun 8 Sept: Donall Dempsey, Ireland's 1st poet in residence in a Secondary School. MC Ian Lee-Dolphin. Sun 6 Oct: the last collection of poems from the late Frances White. If you'd like to go on the mailing list or to reserve a spot please

warringa@blueyonder.co.uk

Richmond WEA: Art

Appreciation Orientalism in 19th Century Europe 11 weeks from Mon 16 Sept. 10.30 -12.30; What is Modern about Modernism? 11 weeks from Mon. 16 Sept 14.00 – 16.00.; at Oddfellows Hall, 15 Parkshot, Richmond, TW9 2RG; London Gallery Visits 11 weeks from Wed. 18th Sept 11.00 - 13.00 or 11 weeks from Thu 19 Sept; 13.00 -15.00. Venue: (Meet first week at National Gallery). History An Introduction to 20th Century History. 11 weeks from Tue 10 Sept. 13.30 -15.30.

Venue: St. Andrew's Church, Church Road, Ham, TW10 5HG: <u>Literature</u> British & Irish Literature, 1880 – 1940. 11 weeks from Wed 18 Sept. 2019; 10.00 – 12.00. <u>Music</u> Appreciation The Origins of Popular Music 11 weeks from Thu 26 Sept. 10.30 – 12.30.

Personal Development

Mindfulness 11 weeks from Fri 6 Sept. 2019; 10.00 – 1200.

Venue: The White House, 45

The Avenue, Hampton, Mddx., TW12 3RN

To enrol online, go to www.wea.org.uk, or by phone on 0300 303 3464. For more information, contact Carol Veitch on 020 8979 5929

Term.

wealondon.org/Richmond

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THE ARTS RICHMOND BOOK PICNIC 12TH MAY 2019 – A REVIEW BY CATHERINE JAMES

"On Sunday 12th May I was fortunate to be invited to attend The Arts Richmond Book Picnic on The Green in Richmond. It was a beautiful sunny afternoon and The Green was filled with a multitude of stalls surrounding the huge white, central marquee. When I arrived, I received a warm welcome from Arts Richmond and enjoyed a delicious picnic.

The highlight of the event was hearing Roger McGough reading poems from his new collection called 'Joinedupwriting.' I enjoyed his wit and wisdom, and particularly the manner in which he explained the context and ideas behind his writing. My favourite poem was 'The Full English,' in which Roger McGough explored themes of heritage and diversity. His poem told how a DNA swab test for Englishness was undertaken after a meal

of olives and Guinness and confirmed only 17.9% Englishness. We all laughed so much as the genetic cocktail was explored.

I also enjoyed listening to the Roger McGough Poetry Competition finalists reading their entries and having the chance to observe the prize giving ceremony.

This was a truly inspirational event and one that I feel very thankful to have been able to attend. Thank you so much, Arts Richmond."

Catherine James

BEM AWARD TO HOWARD GREENWOOD

We are pleased to announce that Howard Greenwood has been awarded the British Empire Medal for services to Music and to the community in Richmond upon Thames.



Howard was one of the founder members of Richmond upon Thames Arts Council in the 1960s and Chairman of RuTAC. In the late19 70s/1980s. Howard and his wife Monica were the movers behind the RuTAC Poetry Competition for young people, back in the 1970s/80s/90s, which morphed into Young Writers Festival. He is an Arts Richmond Patron and an active Trustee to Arts Richmond. Many congratulations, Howard.

MANY THANKS TO ALL OUR TREMENDOUS SUPPORTERS

Arts Richmond is blessed to have some wonderful people who work very hard to put on many cultural events, encourage self-expression and creativity in Richmond borough and beyond. Foremost of these are the Committee and the Patrons, amongst others. We thank them for such valued support. Here is the current list of the Committee and the Patrons.

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Arts Richmond is an independent charity with 100+ affiliated societies based in and around the borough of Richmond upon Thames As well as representing the voluntary arts sector on the Richmond upon Thames borough council's *Arts Advisory Forum*, we provide a wide variety of services and events aimed at promoting local arts and cultural activity including:

Regular Information about *What's On* and *How to Get involved* in the thriving local arts & cultural scene through our *website*, and monthly *What's On Newsletter*.

Show Coach: Excursions to plays, musicals, operas, concerts and places of interest – some with coaches from pick-up points across the borough. We know how important safe transport and companionship is for our members and we make every effort to ensure ease of access for all.

Literature: We run literary events throughout the year including our biennial *Book Picnic* on Richmond Green, and *Young Writers' Festival*, as well as events in the Richmond upon Thames Literature Festival.

Drama: We promote the performances of local professional and amateur theatre companies and run the *Swan Drama Awards* – our local version of the Oscars – rewarding amateur talent in the borough – as well as a *New Plays Festival*.

Music: We promote the extensive programme of concerts organised by concert societies, choral and other music groups throughout the borough and run an annual *Choral Workshop* with eminent local conductors.

Visual Arts and Photography: We promote the work of local artists and run exhibitions and competitions offering the opportunity to buy paintings, prints and photographs at affordable prices.

Heritage and Museums: We promote the events and exhibitions taking place at the large number of historic places in the local area.

www.artsrichmond.org.uk