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THE THEATRE
at the
Vera Fletcher Hall

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**The Sound of His Music ... A Tribute to Richard Rodgers
With Chris Read and Jess Radcliffe**

Jazz singer, song-writer and musician, Chris Read, made his debut at the Vera Fletcher Hall last year and we are delighted to be welcoming him back, this time performing with Jess Radcliffe songs from the songbook of the great Richard Rodgers. An evening of music and anecdotes to celebrate some of the world's most famous songs from The Sound of Music, The King and I, Carousel, Pal Joey and many more. A treat for lovers of musical theatre with live band and hosted by two of this country's bright young stars, Chris Read and Jessica Radcliffe.

CHRIS READ : The extraordinarily gifted talent that is the singer and multi-instrumentalist Chris Read makes a welcome return to Thames Ditton after a great reception with **Chris, Cole and Carmichael**. As well as performing overseas around the USA and Europe he has sold out at Pizza Express Jazz Club twice ! This summer he charmed the audiences at The Montreux Jazz Festival and Cheltenham Jazz Festival

JESS RADCLIFFE : A classically trained singer, clarinetist and saxophone player, but always with a sneaking admiration for jazz, Jess joined NJYO, quickly establishing her reputation. Studying at Trinity she worked many venues and in 2014 came to the attention of wider audiences playing Ronnie Scotts guesting with Alan Barnes, and in 2015 at The Hoste of Jazz, Her debut album "Live at The Spice" shows her on the upward trajectory.

"A truly magical evening; like a young Mel Torme, Chris Read is brilliant" Richard Compton Miller/Evening Standard

"honey-toned exhilarating singer" The Scotsman "Real depth of emotion in Jessica's singing" The Hoste of Jazz

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DATE: Saturday 28 January 2017

TIME: 7.30 PM

VENUE INFORMATION: Vera Fletcher Hall, 4 Embercourt Road, Thames Ditton, Surrey, KT7 0QL

TICKETS: £14.00

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