



Our two U3As have joined together again for the second of our joint outings to the Churchill Theatre, Bromley, this time for a wonderful night at the opera.

Puccini's *LA BOHÈME*

Senbla by arrangement with Opera International presents an Ellen Terry production

Monday April 20th at 7.30 pm



La Bohème is one of the most romantic operas ever written. It tells the tale of the doomed, consumptive Mimi, played by the Korean soprano Elena Dee in her iconic role, and her love for a penniless writer. This brand new production is traditionally staged and features beautiful sets and costumes. The Parisian set reflects the Bohemian art of the period and will include a brass band, snow effects and an entrance by Muzetta's dog. The opera will be sung in the original Italian with English surtitles.

To make the most of our time in Bromley, the coach will leave the Brookline depot, Ryarsh, ME19 5LQ, where there is ample free parking, at 4.15 pm, arriving in Bromley by about 5.15 pm. There will be time for supper in one of the many excellent local restaurants, before taking our seats for the evening performance which begins at 7.30 pm. All seats are in the stalls with easy access to the side aisle. The coach will return to Ryarsh immediately after the performance. Any disability-related requests need to be advised of at the time of booking.

We have been fortunate in reserving tickets with a group discount, but these have to be paid for by the beginning of March so early booking is advised. Friends and non-members are very welcome in sharing the pleasures of this outing.

The cost per person for the coach, theatre ticket and driver's tip is £47.00, payable by cheque to Malling District U3A, no later than Monday March 2nd 2020.

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Please return the booking form with a cheque made payable to Malling District U3A to:

Dianne White 26 Little Buckland Ave Maidstone Kent ME16 0BG tel no 01622 756660

Name..... tel.no

email address..... U3A Branch: Malling District/Kings Hill

Please reserve place(s) on the above outing

I/We enclose my/our cheque(s) for £..... made payable to Malling District U3A.

Your booking will be confirmed by email, or please enclose a s.a.e.

Telephone number on the day in case of emergency (ICE)

The leader on this outing will be Dianne White, mobile telephone no: 07737 101884