Programme Information Highlights
February 2015

Happening this month...

Sunday February 1st
Super Bowl XLIX, the 49th edition of the Super Bowl and the 45th modern-era National Football League (NFL) championship game will be held at the University of Phoenix Stadium in Glendale, Arizona, between the American Football Conference (AFC) champion (either the Indianapolis Colts or New England Patriots) will play the National Football Conference (NFC) champion (either the Green Bay Packers or Seattle Seahawks).

Monday February 2nd
To mark the beginning of the anniversary year, the four surviving original 1215 copies of Magna Carta will be brought together for the first time in history at the British Library, in collaboration with Lincoln Cathedral and Salisbury Cathedral. The exhibition lasts 3 days.

Friday February 6th
The 51st Munich Security Conference will be held from 6 to 8 February 2015. The United States Secretary of State John Kerry will be among those attending.

Sunday February 8th
The EE British Academy Film Awards will be held in London. The nominees for best film are: The Grand Budapest Hotel, The Theory Of Everything, Birdman, The Imitation Game, and Boyhood.

The 57th Grammy Awards will be presented live by the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences at the Staples Center, New York.

Wednesday February 11th
The Bank of England publishes its quarterly inflation report. The Governor Mark Carney will give a press conference setting out detailed economic analysis and inflation projections on which the Bank's Monetary Policy Committee bases its interest rate decisions.

Mark Bonney, Canon Treasurer at Salisbury Cathedral, looks at the 1215 document, the Magna Carta in the Chapter House at Salisbury Cathedral. (Photo by Matt Cardy/Getty Images)

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Thursday 12th February
New York Fashion Week sponsored by Mercedes-Benz begins, the last to be held at the Lincoln Center.

Saturday February 14th
Nigeria goes to the polls for a presidential election. The incumbent, Goodluck Jonathan of the Peoples’ Democratic Party, is being challenged by the All Progressives Congress candidate, former military head of state, Muhammad Buhari.

Tuesday February 17th
The British Home Secretary Theresa May will deliver a keynote Speech at the Stephen Lawrence Charitable Trust’s Criminal Justice Lecture on the subject ‘The Relationship between Citizens and the Police.’

Sunday February 22nd
The 87th Academy Awards (The Oscars) hosted by Neil Patrick Harris are held in Hollywood.

Monday February 23rd
The Duke of Cambridge will set out on a tour of Japan and China this week. He is due to officially open the GREAT Festival of Creativity at Shanghai’s Long Museum on Monday, 2nd March.

Wednesday February 25th
The BRIT Awards 2015 – the annual awards for pop music -will take place at London’s O2 arena, hosted by Ant and Dec for the first time since 2001.

Thursday February 26th
The Royal Bank of Scotland, which is partly nationalised reports full year results.

A model wearing designer Giada Curti during Mercedes-Benz Fashion Week Fall 2014 at The Theatre at Lincoln Center, New York. (Photo by Arun Nevader/Getty Images for Mercedes-Benz Fashion Week)