ENTERTAINMENT & STYLING
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Jane Parker

Always accompanied by top players from the London jazz scene, Jane and her musicians play a lively selection of jazz and lounge classics.

Available as a duo, trio, quartet or even a six piece band they provide the perfect soundtrack for a lunch time or an evening cruise.

Jane sings regularly in and around London at venues which have included Ronnie Scotts, the 606 Club, Quaglinos, Boisdales and the Café de Paris.
The Haywood Sisters

The Haywood Sisters are a vintage style vocal trio who bring glamour and perfect harmony to any event.

Having played at venues including Ronnie Scott’s, The Hong Kong Arts Centre and Wimbledon Stadium, their musical style is influenced by The Boswell and Andrews Sisters including 1920/30s jazz, 40s wartime favourites, 50s swing, 60s Motown and the occasional modern pop song. Also available as a four piece band.

Cocktail Lounge

Funky and laid back DJ lounge set with a live saxophone - perfect if you’re looking for sophisticated background music.

Ideal for networking or daytime events.
The Blind Tigers

The Blind Tigers are a traditional New Orleans-style jazz band made up from some of London’s finest young musicians, all of whom are graduates of London’s prestigious music colleges.

The band members’ past credits include The Blues Brothers Official Theatre Show, Joan Rivers, JTQ, The Ronnie Scott’s Jazz Orchestra, and The BBC Big Band to name just a few.

The Wandering Hands

Mixing the unamplified, impromptu table performances of wandering bands such as The Gypsy Queens with a vast repertoire of playful and inventive covers; The Wandering Hands are a fun and exciting way to bring some spontaneity into the background music at an event.

The trio perform acoustically, strolling between tables and playing covers for small groups of guests, sometimes even taking requests!
Acoustik

Acoustik are a dynamic duo featuring vocals and guitar who perform their own arrangements of current pop songs. Acoustik are a fresh and modern choice for background music at your event.

Smooth Operators

Offering a combination of pop, jazz, soul and R’n’B, crafted to include a broad choice of throwbacks, modern hits, jazz and soul, Smooth Operators appeals to all tastes with soulful ballads to powerful groovy pop tunes.

A highly versatile group formed by top musicians from London’s scene, they have performed at the best known venues and also backed up world class artists.
Nocturne

Founded by top session bass player and DJ Dave Delgado, the three piece band features DJ, live sax and stunning female vocals. A cool combination of minimal house, layered over reworkings of well-known pop covers, and fierce original tracks.

Hugely versatile Nocturne can create a stylish atmosphere with their chill out warm up set, to welcome your guests or can perform a more upbeat club party set later on.

Supershakers

The Supershakers are a party band playing soul/funk, modern pop and indie/rock’n’roll. Young, cool and heaps of fun - this band really know how to entertain.
**Raff and The Remedies**

Putting their own soul/funk spin on classic and unexpected tracks from the 1940s to present day, Raff and the Remedies are a formidable live band.

With an eclectic repertoire ranging from Etta to Guetta and everything in between, the band can tailor their set and line-up to each individual event - from an elegant scene-setting duo performing jazz and soul to a party-starting nine piece soul/funk extravaganza.

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**Festival Sons**

Festival Sons are a professional four-piece band performing live covers of dancefloor fillers in a Mumford & Sons style. Festival Sons are perfect for bringing the sound of your favourite festival headliners to your wedding reception, corporate event or private party.

As standard, Festival Sons perform one set dressed in a country/Mumford & Sons-style and switch it up with a change of clothes and instruments to perform an upbeat electric party set.

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**Yasmina Cherelle Party band**

The Yasmina Cherelle band is fresh on the scene. Fronted by Yasmina, a dynamic and powerful vocalist, the band offers a five piece performance consisting of lead singer, drums, 2 x bass guitars, and keys.

The band have a vast repertoire covering a plethora of genres, which includes jazz, pop, funk, soul, R&B, rock.

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The Function Band

Looking for something a bit different? Combining DJs, singers and live instruments, The Function Band DJ Live is a fantastically versatile set up which looks and sounds amazing, and is available from a 6 piece to a 10 piece, giving you that full band sound with a more compact setup compared to our ShowBand.

The Function Band DJ Live starts as a 6 piece consisting of a DJ, sax, guitar and 3 vocalists. The Function Band include live music throughout your whole event, from ceremony and reception, to live traditional sets (e.g. Israeli, Greek etc.) to amazing walk-around sets during dinner courses and electrifying party sets until the end of your event!

Please speak to your event coordinator for a quote.

Bellissima

Bellissima are usually booked as a five piece but can be augmented to up to a full 10 piece band to include brass, percussion, additional lead vocalists and even dancers if required.

As well as their flexible line up, Bellissima also boast an extensive and varied repertoire and effortlessly skip between musical genres - rock, funk, soul folk and jazz. In addition they are also able to play traditional Jewish music.
Interactive & Upbeat

**DJ**

Whether you're looking to get your guests on the dance floor or just to provide background music for your event, one of our in-house DJs are ideal.

**Silent Disco**

A favourite at music festivals and large events, you can now host your very own “quiet party” on board the TLC fleet. Music is transmitted wirelessly into headphones and party goers can switch between audio channels - this gives the unique experience of people being able to listen to different music or audio in the same place! Can be combined with a DJ service.

**Recommended DJs**

*Lindy Layton* - The singer of No1 chart classic *Dub Be Good To Me* gets behind the decks and performs any genre of music you request.

**Celebrity DJs**

Internationally renowned DJs who have performed their unique music mix at some of the biggest fashion shows and events on the planet.
Interactive & Upbeat

**Bandeoke**

Karaoke, a popular form of entertainment, has evolved into something far more exciting! Instead of performing with a machine you have the opportunity to strut your stuff with a live professional band!

Please speak to your event coordinator for a quote.

**Photo Booth**

An immersive photo experience with instant printing and digital sharing. Capture memories with family, friends and colleagues against a variety of backgrounds which can be branded accordingly and are all fully customisable. Offering a variety of photo booths to choose from. These range from the Traditional closed photo booth with a curtain, through a selfie mirror, selfie pods and boxless photobooth studio style, open-air version of a traditional photo booth.

**Steel Band**

One of the most prestigious steel bands in Europe with extensive experience performing at weddings, corporate events, private parties, carnivals and festivals. With an upbeat repertoire of modern and traditional songs, the band create the perfect atmospheric background music, perfect for summertime.

**The Mariachis**

Instantly recognisable as the band from Doritos’ advertising campaigns, the four members who make up The Mariachis all hail from South America and have appeared at many major music festivals. They are also the go-to mariachi band for television shows, with notable appearances on Strictly Come Dancing and Ant & Dec’s Saturday Night Takeaway.

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Dancers & Circus Acts

Bring your event to life with phenomenal dance troupes and their show-stopping routines. From personal celebrations to corporate functions and everything in between, they are guaranteed to capture your guests’ attention with incredible performances and audience participation.

Vegas Showgirls

Beautiful showgirl dancers can meet and greet guests on arrival and pose for photos in their stunning sequin and feather costumes. The showgirls can then perform choreographed routines that ooze glamour and feature classic high-kick lines, cheeky feather shaking and even audience participation if you so desire!

Dancers are happy to invite guests onto the dance floor after they have performed and help to get the party started. We have a selection of stunning costumes available in a variety of colour combinations to match your theme and décor.

Brazilian Samba Dancers

Inject some Latin spirit into your evening with our fantastic Samba dancers! Our dancers can meet and greet guests on arrival and pose for photos in their stunning colourful feather Samba costumes.

The dancers can then perform either 1 x 10 minute, or 2 x 5 minute shows, which are set to a medley of songs and include a mixture of choreographed routines and freestyle Samba dance. The dancers are also happy to dance with guests and help to get the party started after their performance.
Interactive & Upbeat

**Moulin Rouge / Can Can Dancers**

Parisian Moulin Rouge inspired dancers can meet and greet guests on arrival and pose for photos. They can then perform two choreographed routines. One to be a high-energy traditional Can Can and one to be a Parisian Showgirl performance. The dancers will invite guests on to the dance floor afterwards to help get the party started.

**Bollywood Dancers**

These dancers mingle in the audience disguised as waitresses for 20 minutes and then one of the dancers causes a stir and drops a tray, an argument breaks out between the waitresses and one of their shirts is ripped open to reveal the bright costume underneath!

Once the music starts, dancers remove their waitress costumes and go into their performance.

**Stilt Walkers**

Greet your guests at Butler’s Wharf Pier with these gravity-defying, super-sized circus favourites.

**Hand Balance**

A hugely popular entertainment choice, these hand balance performers will bring the wow factor to any style of event.

**Contortionist**

For something extra special, watch the contortionist put their superhuman flexibility to the test with their performance inside a box.

**Duo Acro Performance**

A versatile circus performance, this duo’s skills include a mesmerising performance using straps, hoops and additional props.
Games

**Table Football**

Recreate a World Cup table football tournament with group stages followed by the knockout rounds, culminating in the grand final. Why not decorate the boat with international flags to recreate the stadium atmosphere.

**Air Hockey**

Air Hockey is fast and furious. Our air hockey tables provide a bed of small air-jets which allow the puck to hover over the table. The frictionless nature of the puck gliding over the air hockey table allows for a high speed experience.

**Table Tennis**

Our ping pong tables feature a 12mm extra strong surface, coated with special Duport technology paint system. The table tennis tables come complete with net, 4 quality Cornilleau bats and loads of balls. If you require a little more structure to your playing session we can also provide an operator to run a small table tennis tournament and referee proceedings.

**Strike a Light**

The ultimate test of your mental agility and reflexes! This two player game is perfect for corporate entertainment, trade shows and exhibition stands, keeping guests entertained at functions or product launches or even as light entertainment for weddings or private parties. Guests have 30 seconds to strike as many lights as possible. Operator included.
Games

Giant Garden Games

Perfect light entertainment for a summer party. Available games include: Connect 4, Jenga, Kerplunk, Beat the Buzzer, Snakes and Ladders, Dominoes, Chess and Draughts, Battleship, Noughts and Crosses.

Retro Arcade Machines

Free-standing gaming units perfect for 80's themed events, private parties or kids' entertainment. Games include all the classics such as PacMan, Space Invaders, Frogger, Donkey Kong and many more.

Scalextric

The classic big kids toy, perfect for adding that nostalgic element to your event. The giant "Brands Hatch" style six-lane version comes complete with start lights, Grand Prix music and an electronic lap counter.

Wii, PS4 or Xbox

Wii, PS4 or Xbox with a 42" TV and stand. A variety of games are available including FIFA17, Forza Driving, Mario Kart, London Olympics, Wii sports, F1 racing.

Casino Tables

Bring the thrills and excitement of a real casino to your event with a selection of the most popular Vegas games. We can offer a full range of table games including Blackjack, Roulette and Craps.
Strolling Entertainment

Magician

Whether it’s a birthday, anniversary or other occasion magic provides fun, amazement and laughter to the party. Flexible enough to fit in with whatever format your event takes either performing close up magic or a full blown illusion show. Our magician will really get your guests interacting and make your event something to remember.

Mind Reader

Astonish your guests with an up close and personal mind reading act – our mind reader brings a relaxed sense of fun, ensuring party goers have a great time whilst being intrigued.

Also available as a cabaret show.

Caricaturist

Caricatures provide a tangible and humorous memento of your special occasion. Drawings are A3 in size and black and white (or full colour on request) produced discreetly on the spot - a humorous (and unusual) reminder of your celebration.

iPad Caricaturist

Offering a twist on traditional caricaturist – this updated version uses an iPad instead of paper and pen enabling the completed caricatures to be instantly emailed to your guests.

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Snap Happy Papparazzi

These hilarious short sighted celebrity crazed photographers are always on the lookout for a good photo opportunity of someone rich and famous going about their daily lives.

Live Event Artist

Live Event Artist can create stylish and exclusive paintings of your guests with uncanny likeness, live in front of your eyes. These unique and personal mementos can be taken home on the night, to be treasured long after the event has finished.

Comedian

From stand-up comics, oddball jokers and heckler-baiting merchants to impressionists, ventriloquists and musical comedy acts, we can book the big names, the up-comers and most importantly, the perfect comedian for your event.

Please note, service and timing restrictions do apply for comedian performances - please discuss with your Event Coordinator.

Tour Guides

Our accredited Blue Badge Guides offer either a background commentary whilst cruising on the River Thames, or can speak one on one to small groups for a more personal experience. We can source guides in over 30 different languages and whilst all our guides have an extensive knowledge of London and the River Thames, if you have a special interest please let us know and we can incorporate it into your commentary.

If you are going on to do further sightseeing in London following your boat trip, a guide can also accompany you and give further commentary on foot or coach.
Styling & Decor
Floral Displays

Thames Luxury Charters’ florist have been working on board the fleet for many years and have a wealth of experience in working in each of the spaces provided.

The team of highly experienced designers are masters of their art, and will combine their knowledge and attention to detail to produce the highest quality floristry to suit all styles and budgets.

The possibilities are endless, so do speak with your event planner for recommendations.

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Wall Installations

Doughnut Wall

An eye-catching – and tasty! – addition to any event, doughnut walls always go down a treat on board.

Prosecco Wall

Keep the drinks flowing with a decorated prosecco wall, perfect for allowing guests to help themselves on arrival or throughout your event.

Flower Wall

Our bespoke showpiece flower walls acts as both a beautiful decoration and a colourful backdrop for selfies!

LED Neon Art & Light up Signs

Brighten up your event and capture guests’ attention with this electrifying decor, complete with custom wording and branding.

Ice Sculptures

A proven showstopper, these magnificent ice sculptures can be used for centerpieces or very cool decor for themed events.

Please speak to your event coordinator for a quote.
Balloons

INSTALLATIONS ABOVE THE DANCE FLOOR

Please note, this may not be suitable for all vessels due to low ceiling height. Please speak to your event coordinator for further guidance.

Balloon Clouds  

Table Centrepieces & Clear Confetti Balloons

Personalised balloons and logos available

Staircase Installations

Foliage Balloons

Balloon Giants

Also available:
Giant Balloon Ceiling, Bespoke and Branded Balloons, Foil Letters and Numbers.
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Place Setting

Upgrades

If you would like to further personalise your event or add an accent to work with your colour scheme, we would be delighted to offer suggestions.

We have a wide range of stylish cutlery, crockery and glassware collections befit for any occasion. Be it coloured glassware to add vibrancy or unique charger plates to add a real statement to your place settings, your Event Coordinator will be able to guide you through these options should you so desire.
Bespoke Furniture Hire & Flooring

If you really want to personalise your event, why not hire in bespoke flooring or additional furniture?

Recreate a Victorian street scene with replica cobbled stone laminate or brand a carpet runner through the boat with your company logo or perhaps if you fancy creating a cosy or modern cocktail lounge?

Our Events Management Team would be pleased to put together some suggestions for furniture hire from our experienced suppliers.