

Ancient Roman kitchens, Yoko Ono's bellringing circle and Sparty Spice does Pride – here's the best of British this month



NO. 1

ISLE OF WIGHT

ORIGIN

Opens 1 July

Reportedly, Charles Darwin began penning *On the Origin of Species* at the Ocean View Hotel in Sandown on the Isle of Wight. Today, the site is breaking a different kind of boundary. This month, it becomes home to one of Britain's first Marbella-style beach clubs. Expect pale wood, a restaurant with locally sourced food and, for those not hardy enough for British seas, a pool. originbeachclub.com



NO. 4

MANCHESTER

MANCHESTER INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL

4-21 July

David Lynch takes over the HOME centre with a series of talks, film screenings and the first UK exhibition of his paintings, Yoko Ono brings together a people's orchestra of bells to ring for peace, Lisa Goodwin-Allen is running a supper club and Skepta and Janelle Monáe (above) are on the music line-up. mif.co.uk

NO. 2

MALMESBURY

WOMAD

25-28 July

Master percussionist Abass Doodoo will be leading *kpanlogo* workshops, there will be yoga in the Arboretum, and a Physics Pavilion equipped with virtual reality headsets. Plus, Ziggy Marley and Macy Gray perform. womad.co.uk

NO. 3

HASTINGS

HASTINGS CONTEMPORARY

Opens 6 July

The inaugural exhibitions at this independent gallery on the Hastings seafront include a series of drawings by patron and local Sir Quentin Blake and sculptures and sketches by Israel-born Danish artist Tal R. hastingscontemporary.org

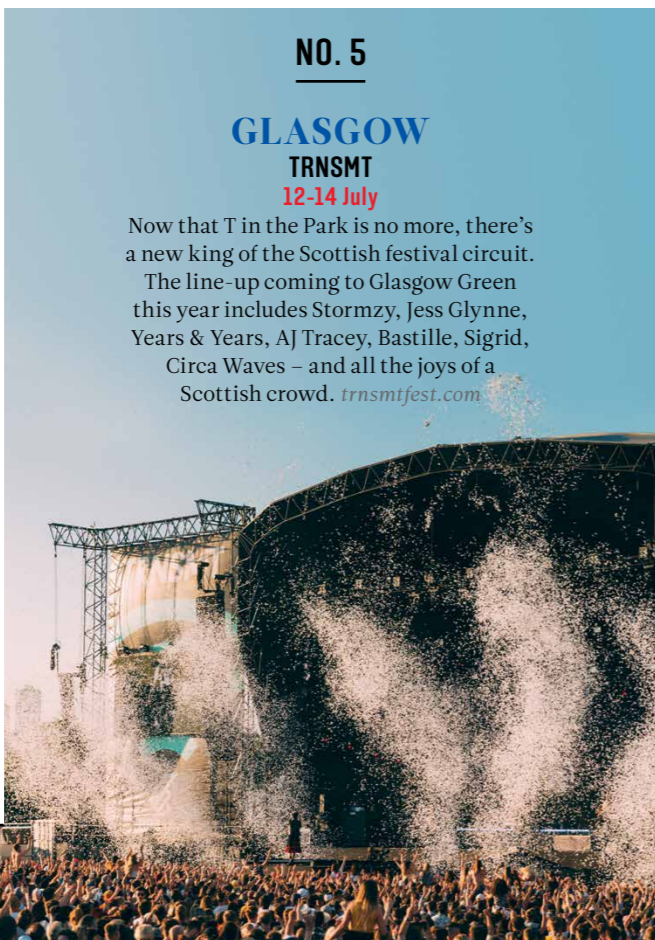
NO. 5

GLASGOW

TRNSMT

12-14 July

Now that T in the Park is no more, there's a new king of the Scottish festival circuit. The line-up coming to Glasgow Green this year includes Stormzy, Jess Glynne, Years & Years, AJ Tracey, Bastille, Sigrid, Circa Waves – and all the joys of a Scottish crowd. trnsmtfest.com



NO. 6

SWANSEA

WALES AIRSHOW

6-7 July

Head to the bay to celebrate Swansea's 50th anniversary as a city. The Red Arrows will be out in full force, there will be a vintage Supermarine Spitfire and – new for 2019 – an Airshow After Dark, including hot-air balloons and night-flying acrobatic teams. walesnationalairshow.com



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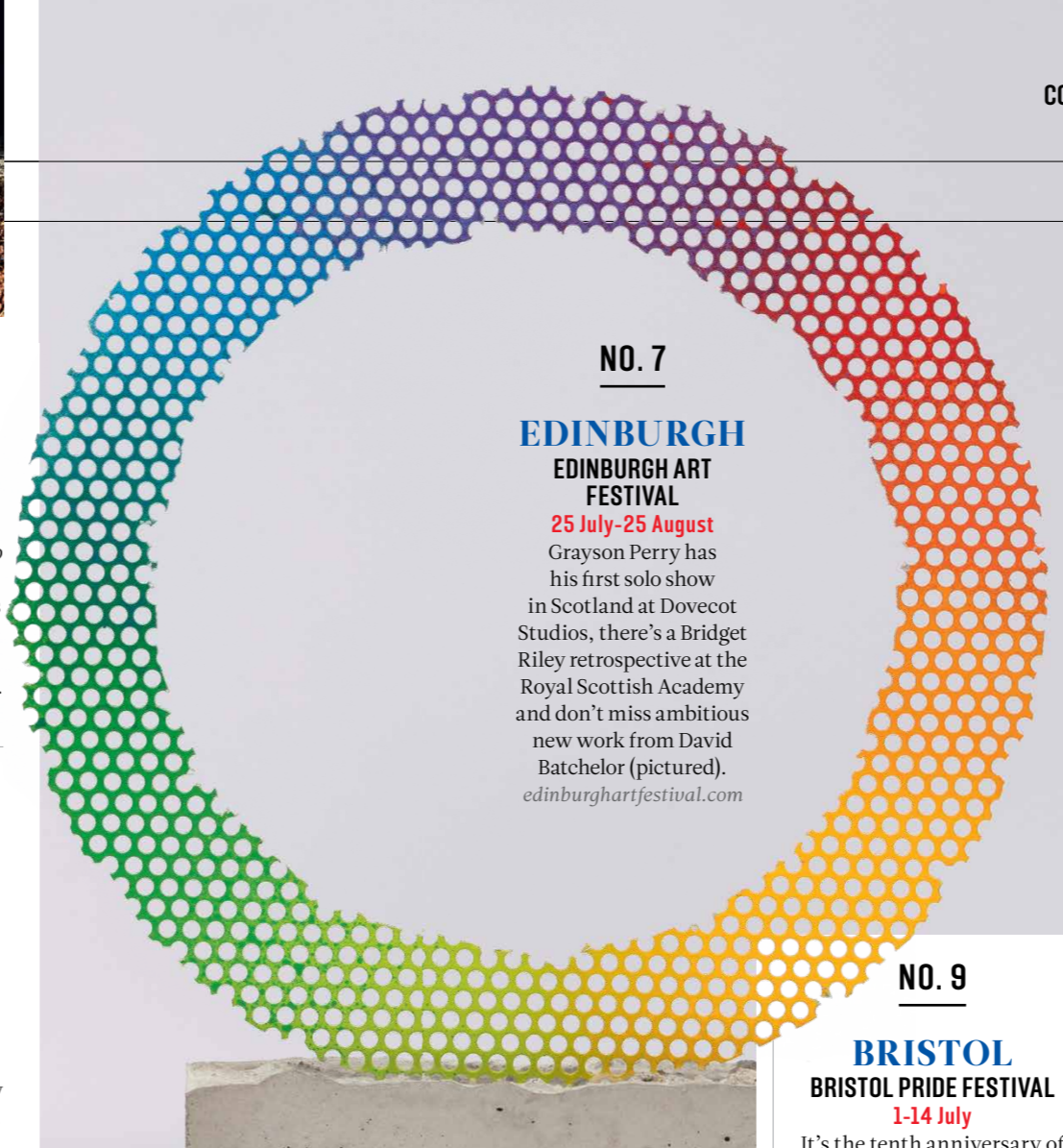
NO. 7

EDINBURGH

EDINBURGH ART FESTIVAL

25 July-25 August

Grayson Perry has his first solo show in Scotland at Dovecot Studios, there's a Bridget Riley retrospective at the Royal Scottish Academy and don't miss ambitious new work from David Batchelor (pictured). edinburghartfestival.com



NO. 9

BRISTOL

BRISTOL PRIDE FESTIVAL

1-14 July

It's the tenth anniversary of Bristol Pride (and 50 years since Stonewall) so this year it's moving in order to double capacity. The line-up includes Sophie Ellis-Bextor and Mel C with Sink the Pink. bristolpride.co.uk



NO. 8

OXFORD

LAST SUPPER IN POMPEII

25 July-12 January 2020

Pompeii was a city of kitchens. Surrounded by vineyards, orchards and the Bay of Naples, it harvested more olive oil, wine and fish than it could consume. This exhibition, with many objects that have never before left Italy, unpacks the city's love affair with food. ashmolean.org



NO. 10

WEYMOUTH

NYETIMBER DORSET SEAFOOD FESTIVAL

13-14 July

Britain's largest free seafood festival brings 100 stalls to the harbourside, plus chef talks, a family show with sea-turtle puppets and a fleet of Nyetimber sparkling wines. dorsetseafood.co.uk

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