

Poetry at Olive's



Monthly community poetry event
(3rd Tuesdays)

Olive's Café,

**40 Elm Hill,
Norwich, NR3 1HG**

**Events: December
2012 – February 2013**

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*Victorian Christmas:
Readings from the floor*

**Tuesday 11 December
from 8 pm**

At our December event we will celebrate
the festive season with a difference. We are
staging an open mic event with readings

from Victorian writers, including poetry and
prose selections from Dickens, Hardy,
Thackeray, Emily Brontë and Rosetti.

Choose a favourite short piece to bring
along to read ! Please e-mail your ideas in
advance if possible. Otherwise turn up on
the night with extra selections just in case
someone else has already booked in the
same idea. Musical contributions – of the
period - are also be welcome ! And there will
be the usual Open Mic slots for your own
work ! (Original contributions on a festive
theme will be appreciated).

- bar available with mulled wine and
mince pies – extra raffle prizes.



Free entry
Bar available
Musical interlude

(subject to musicians being available).
Poetry at Olive's is a monthly community poetry event, held in an appealing, relaxed setting at Olive's Cafe, 40 Elm Hill, Norwich. It provides a forum to encourage local writers – both published and unpublished - to read their work in public. Open Mic is there for all comers to read one poem or one short very piece of prose per event (maximum 3 minutes). There will be 14 Open mic slots available at our 3rd Tuesday events.

Olive's regulars (with experience of reading from Open Mic) may apply to do a longer slot

(20 minutes). All applications will be seriously considered. Please contact: hilary_stanton@btinternet.com. We would also like to hear from musicians (instrumentalists) who are interested in playing a musical interlude.

While entry is free we hold a raffle to support future events at £1 for 5 tickets; prizes include poetry books and writers' and artists' notebooks especially hand-bound for the occasion.

**New Year Programme
for 2013**

**Tuesday 15 January
from 8 pm**

Readings by:
Tish Kerkham
J.D. Taylor

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Open Mic

**Tuesday 19 February
from 8 pm**

Readings by:
John Vaughan
President Gas

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Open Mic

**Tuesday 19 March
from 8 pm**

Details to be announced

Dates for your diary:
Tuesdays 11 December, 15 January,
19 February, 19 March (more
details to follow)

All events include an open
mic section and a raffle with
prizes



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