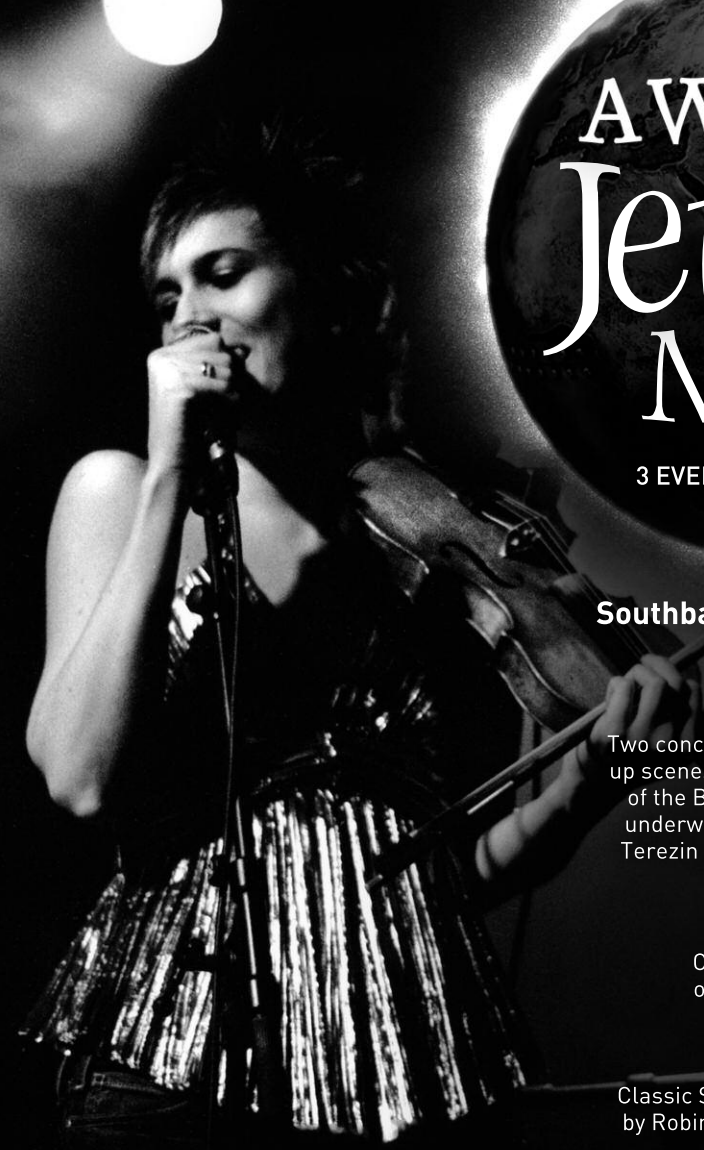

A World of Jewish Music

3 EVENTS – 12.00pm, 4.30pm and 8.30pm

Southbank Centre's Purcell Room
at Queen Elizabeth Hall

Sunday 29 November 2009

Two concerts and a classic silent film conjure up scenes stretching from the Chasidic world of the Baal Shem Tov and the seamy Jewish underworld of Odessa through the Ghetto of Terezin to Gypsy bars and train-rides across snow-swept Russian steppes.

PRIZEWINNERS CONCERT
Chamber works by first prize-winners of 3 international music competitions:
12.00noon – 1.30pm

BENYA KRIK
Classic Silent Film screening with live music by Robin Harris deeply infused with klezmer
4.30 – 6.00pm

SOPHIE SOLOMON
The leading klezmer violinist of her generation, returns to the South Bank with her incendiary live band
8.30 – 10.00pm

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PURCELL ROOM
AT QUEEN ELIZABETH HALL

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PRIZEWINNERS CONCERT

First-prize winners of three international competitions

Róisín Walters (Ernest Bloch competition, London)
Matej Arendárik (EPTA Terezin works competition, Prague)
The London Myriad Ensemble (Israeli music competition, London)
perform:

Ernest Bloch, *Nigun* from *Baal Shem Suite*
Gideon Klein, Piano Sonata
Tzvi Avni, Wind Quintet
And chamber works by Sarasate, Mozart and others

12.00noon £13.50 £11

BENYA KRIK

Classic Silent Film with live music by Robin Harris

(USSR 1926 Dir. Vladimir Vilner 90 min) (PG*)

Set in the seamy Jewish underworld of Odessa in the 20s, Benya Krik has some of the most vividly characterised Jewish wedding scenes on celluloid and the newly composed score, deeply infused with klezmer, brings the story and its bittersweet humour to life.

Introduced by Yiddish film specialist Sylvia Paskin.

4.30pm £15 £12

SOPHIE SOLOMON

Photo: Corinne Marianne Pontoir

Virtuoso Sophie, the leading klezmer violinist of her generation, returns to the South Bank with her incendiary live band, featuring Ian Watson on accordion, for a special concert sneak previewing tracks from *Stop the Parade*, the stunning follow-up album to her critically acclaimed debut *Poison Sweet Madeira*. Get ready to conjure the spirit of circus sideshows, underground gypsy bars and train-rides across snow-swept Russian steppes.

8.30pm £20 £17

SERIES OFFER

- **Book best seats for all 3 events for a total of £35.00**
- **Book 8pm concert and one other event £28.00**

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