

NORTHUMBRIAN CAMBRIDGE ASSOCIATION

Festive Afternoon Tea and Film The Digital Lounge, Tyneside Cinema, 10 Pilgrim Street, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 6QG

Saturday, December 9, 2023, 3.00-6.00 pm

Over the last nine years our Festive Afternoon Tea and Film at the Tyneside has proved to be a wonderful pre-Christmas treat, and so we're offering it again to members and friends. Once more we will gather in the Tyneside Cinema's digital lounge, decorated with Christmas baubles, tree, stockings and a cheerful fire. We will be served a glass of prosecco followed by sandwiches, cakes, and tea or coffee on vintage china. There will also be a cash bar for those who would like something extra. After tea and a chance to chat, we will have a showing of a classic Christmas film. Children and other guests are very welcome.



Our film this year for our annual festive tea afternoon is the Christmas fantasy drama film It's a Wonderful Life, a much-loved 1946 American Christmas fantasy drama film based on the short story and booklet The Greatest Gift self-published by Philip Van Doren Stern in 1943, which itself is loosely based on the 1843 Charles Dickens novella A Christmas Carol. Starring James Stewart and Henry Travers, and produced and directed by Frank Capra, it was nominated for five Academy Awards. James Stewart plays George Bailey, a man who has given up his personal dreams in order to help others in his community and whose thoughts of suicide on Christmas Eve bring about the intervention of his guardian angel, Clarence Odbody (Henry Travers). Clarence shows George all the lives he touched and what the world would be like if he did not exist.

We meet at 3.00 for tea and fizz before settling down to watch the film which should enable us all to enter the Christmas spirit. The cost is £35.00 per person. The venue can accommodate a maximum of 30, so book promptly to avoid disappointment using the form below and send it by Wednesday, November 22nd, 2023, to: Mrs Susan Austin, 116 Queen's Road, Whitley Bay NE26 3AU. Tel.: 0191 2531269; Email: susanmaustin@hotmail.com

For payment, cheques should be made out to Northumbrian Cambridge Association (full title; not NCA, please). Direct payment should be to: account name: Northumbrian Cambridge Association; Lloyds sort code 30-98-97, account number 87980962. Please also include identification e.g., TEA/YOUR SURNAME.

NORTHUMBRIAN CAMBRIDGE ASSOCIATION FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA & FILM 2022 - BOOKING FORM

Please reserve places for the Festive Afternoon Tea & Film on December 9 2023 (£**35.00** per person)

Names of Guest(s):

My/our payment of £ . is being made by enclosed cheque/direct payment to NCA's Lloyds account (delete as necessary)

Name(s):		
Address: _		
– Telephone No.:	Email address:	

Any dietary requirements:

Please confirm my booking by: Email / Post (for which I enclose a stamped addressed envelope). Please circle.