

Dear Members,

Thank you for your patience, this update has taken a little longer than anticipated but we are pleased to have some substantial information to share.

Gym News

We are delighted to announce that we have partnered up with Westminster University gym just a few meters away on Regents street to provide gym facilities including free classes at a subsidised rate. Gym membership is available through BBC Club for either 6 months at a cost of £99 or 12 months at a cost of £169. You can see the facilities at Westminster by clicking here. For more details please see the Q&A section below.

BBC Club W1 @ Media Café



Artists impression of the BBC Club bar

The work on refurbishing the new home of BBC Club W1 @ Media Café LBH is underway. We expect to open BBC Club bar and food services here in early April. You can expect the same great range of coffees and other hot and cold drinks including draft lagers and ales, a wide range of spirits and new expanded wine and cocktail lists. Work is also going on in our new kitchen space and our chefs are devising updated and contemporary food menus providing meals to satisfy every appetite and pocket.

We anticipate being able to offer hospitality for events again before Media Café opens, please email bbcclub.hospitality@bbc.co.uk to be added to the hospitality mailing list.

Media café will on occasion accommodate Radio Theatre audiences and host BBC events. BBC people will still be able to enjoy all that BBC Club has to offer at the same time in an exclusive separate area.

BBC Club

You can continue to enjoy the wider benefits of BBC Club with 12 <u>Connect Clubs</u> currently active. In February we have not one but two free to enter competitions and a pop up shop planned at TVC as well as a host of online offers for members to enjoy. Our February newsletter will be sent out later this week with all the details, look out for it in your inbox.

You can now pick up your free copy of the Radio Times from the Club Hub location in LBH which is on the 2nd floor, zone A as well as from Wogan House reception.

0 & A's

- Q. How do I sign up for the gym?
- A. Please contact bbc.club@bbc.co.uk and you will be guided through the joining process.
- Q. What are the Westminster Uni Gym opening hours?
- A. Monday to Thursday: 7am 9pm

Friday 7am - 7.30pm

Saturday & Sunday: 10.30am - 3pm

- O. Where can I find the class timetable
- A. Classes are **FREE** for gym members. For the class timetable please click here
- Q. Can I join for less than 6 months?
- A. No, the two membership options are 6 months and 12 months
- Q. Do I have to be a BBC Club Member?
- A. As with our previous gym membership this is only available to full BBC Club members
- Q. Why is the gym not free anymore?
- A. As Westminster gym is an external partner we are unable to subsidise the full cost and so regrettably have had to reintroduce a charge. We have managed to keep costs lower than the previous cost to join BBC Club W1 Gym and believe this represents excellent value for money.
- Q. Does the gym have disabled access?
- A. For details of disabled access please click here
- Q. Will BBC Club continue to offer its Therapy Services?
- A. Yes, we are currently working on the logistics of this and will update you when more information is available.