



ART NEWS



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NEW SPRING EXHIBITION

SUNDAY 12 MAY TO SATURDAY 18 MAY 2013

Yes as you have probably already read in the enclosed separate sheet there will be no Private View evening this time. If you want to notify your usual guests there will be an A5 flyer on the website you can download and print off as many copies as you want.

The Exhibition will however be open on Sunday afternoon, May 12th, from 2pm to 5 pm. To achieve this it is important that members' exhibits are handed in promptly and no late entries will be accepted and that we have plenty of helpers to set up the exhibition.

Another point of change will be the chance to sell your own greetings cards.

Details of Greeting Cards do not need to be entered on the Exhibition Entry Form as all necessary details will be recorded on hand-in. All cards must be wrapped individually or by pack and be labelled with title, artist and price. No responsibility can be taken for cards which are lost or go missing at the exhibition. Commission on the sale of cards will be 15%.

DEMONSTRATIONS
As featured below
All 8 – 10 @ THE CIVIC CENTRE

Thursday 18 April
Demo,
'Impressionism in Acrylics'
by ALI COCKREAN

SPRING EXHIBITION
Sunday 12th May–Saturday 18th May

DRAWING
EVENINGS
(members only)

As featured below
All 8 – 10 @ THE COURT HOUSE

Monday 8th April



To make the exhibition a success, please invite as many of your friends and Guests as possible.



See over the page for next events

SUMMER DRAWING
EVENINGS
Monday Evenings from 7pm
(7.30 if in private gardens)
Meet at the Venue
June 3 to Aug 12

for venues see overleaf

The next Newsletter will be published in AUGUST 2013

Thursday 18 April Ali Cockrean Demo, 'Impressionism in Acrylics'

Ali Cockrean is a successful expressionist painter who regularly exhibits her work throughout the country. Her paintings already appear in collections across Europe, the US and Canada. She is considered to be 'one to watch' on the contemporary art scene.



VIDEO REVIEW

BY GEORGE



PLEASE RETURN ALL VIDEOS
& DVDS BY THE LAST DEMO
EVENING ON 18 APRIL 2013

MONDAY DRG/PAINTING EVENINGS

June 3rd

Castle St & St Peters Church
(Park on Castle St or High St)

June 10th

Gadebridge Park #/H
(Car Park)

June 17th

Sandra's Garden
5 Browns Lane Hastoe HP23 6LX
NB 7.30 start

June 24th

Pitstone Hill
Drg/Paint either side of road
(Car Park)

July 1st

Dave Satchell's Stables
Leighton Buzzard Rd
(Car parking)

July 8th

Canal at Bulbeggars Lane. (Car Park)

July 15

St Mary's Church & Canal Northchurch.
(Roadside parking)

July 22nd

Aldbury Pond
(Parking area & roadside)

July 29 Sunnyside Allotments

(Park in Ivy House Lane)

Aug 5

Stables Studio Art Centre HP1 2SA
Pouchen End Lane, Bourne End
(Parking)

Aug 12

Martins Pond Potten End
(Parking area or Roadside)

SATURDAY WORKSHOP

SATURDAY 23RD MARCH 2013 WITH JAN MAKOWER
BUILDINGS, BOATS AND HARBOURS.

There are a couple of spaces left
The workshop will cost £30 payable to BAS
To book please ring Liz Hobson 01422 833770

The workshop is as usual at the Old School, Ashley Green, 10am until 4pm

SATURDAY 22nd JUNE 2013 9am - 1pm

Hastoe Village Hall, Church Lane (near Tring) HP23 6LU

Life drawing and painting session

This is a 4-hour session with one or two models (depending upon numbers) and no tutor. The cost is £10 each (including tea/coffee). You need to bring all your own equipment. The large delightful hall was built by Lady Emma Rothschild in 1898 for the local villagers and has just been renovated. The hall has large windows overlooking a paddock and countryside to the south. There is parking for 60 cars. Please visit: www.hastoevillagehall.co.uk for directions, or these can be provided upon application.

To book a place, call James Honour on 01442 879632 (7pm-9pm on weekdays please)

Reviewing the Reviews

Over the past few years we have reviewed a number of videos and DVDs and as one would expect members comments have been very interesting. Here are some that have sparked interest.

Coastal Adventures in Watercolour, by David Bellamy.

It is that time of year when we may be thinking of having a few days by the sea to do a spot of painting. In this video David shows us how to produce water colour sketches of rocky outcrops and spectacular headland while sitting in a small boat that's rocking in the 5 knot wind. If you like adventure while painting, this video is for you.

Variety in Watercolour, by John Yardley.

As we know it is all too easy to paint the same or similar subject over and over again. So much so it can become a challenge to try something different. but in this video John does show us how to tackle different scenes even though they may seem difficult at first. There are three demonstrations which are well worth watching.

WANTED WANTED WANTED

A volunteer to take over the video library
Would anyone be willing to take over the running of the video/dvd library.

It's not an onerous job You've all seen it in action at demos.

Writing revues for the newsletter is welcome but not essential.

Please contact Peter Grimer, Peter Millward or any committee member

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