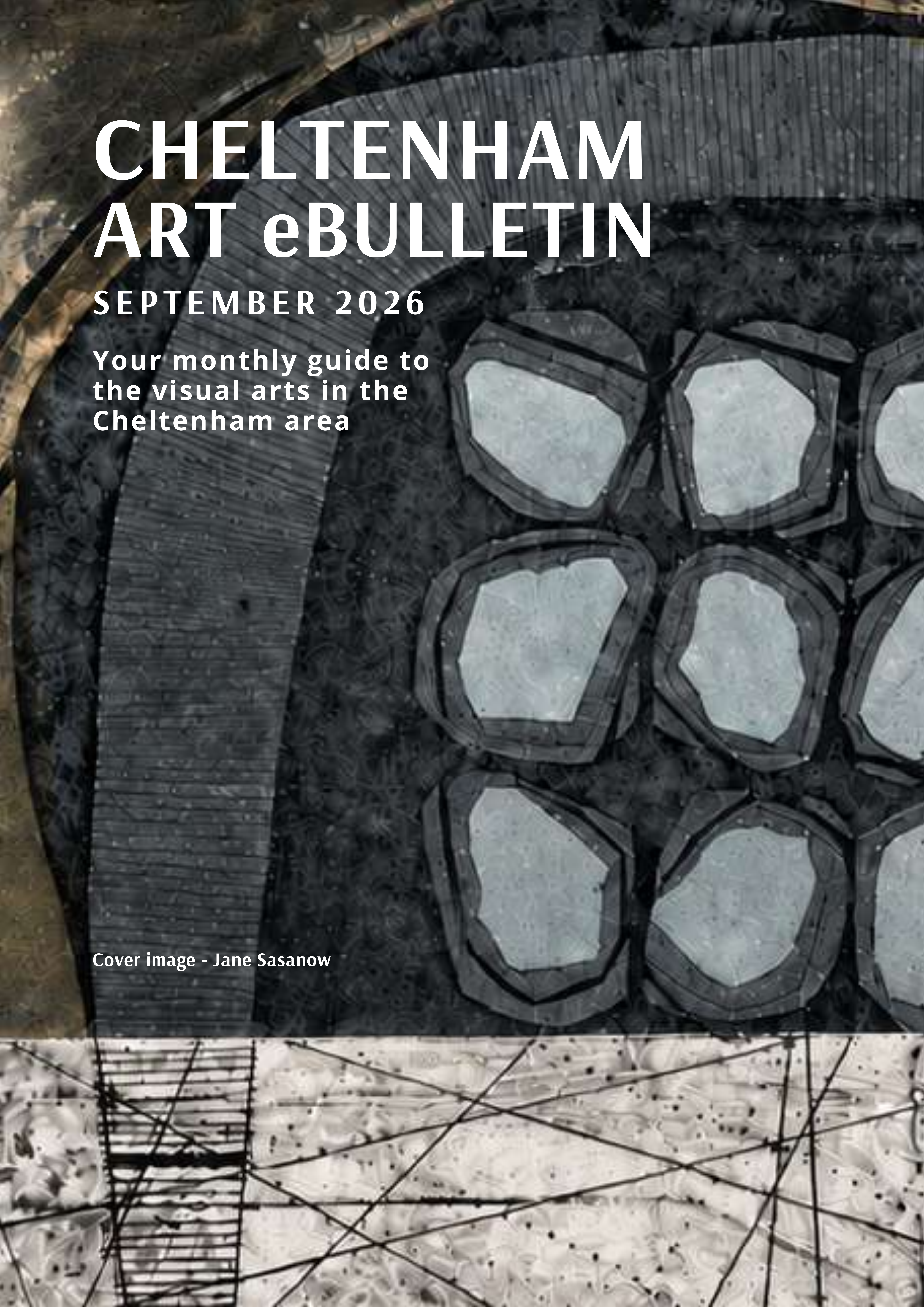


CHEL TENHAM ART eBULLETIN

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Your monthly guide to
the visual arts in the
Cheltenham area

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Sixteen Gallery

16 Rotunda Terrace, Montpellier Street,
Cheltenham, GL50 1SW

sixteengallery.com

.. Until 9 September

Unbound - Works By Sue Colyer, Jan Griffiths, Amelia Newton, Lucille Scott, Elisa Dodd And Jeannette Luczkowski
Six Established Artists And Makers
Have Once Again Decided To Shake
And Challenge Each Other With New
Ideas And Techniques To Enhance
Their Current Practices.



10 – 16 September

International Art Exhibition – Wetpaint
Gallery Featuring Artists From France,
Japan, Australia, Spain, Czechia And
The UK



17 – 23 September

Open Daily | 10am – 5pm

Private View | Friday 18 Sep, 6 – 8pm

**Christina Sadler Presents The Quiet
Between**



Visit Sixteengallery.Com for more
information.

Spring Gallery

14 Rotunda Terrace, Montpellier Street,
Cheltenham, GL50 1SW

springcheltenham.com

10- 15 September

Simon Hadley-Attard a figurative
painter, whose paintings identify with
the landscape and visual surroundings
of life in England.



16 - 22 September 2026

UNDERGROUND - Louise Hocking,
Gaye Watson & Dominic Momcilovic.
Three artists and friends with
contrasting styles and complementary
beliefs.



23- 29 September

Sanctuary - An exhibition of truly
original Contemporary artworks, by
Jonathan Oakes



Visit springcheltenham.com
more information.

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Gardens Gallery

Montpellier Gardens,
Cheltenham GL50 2XL

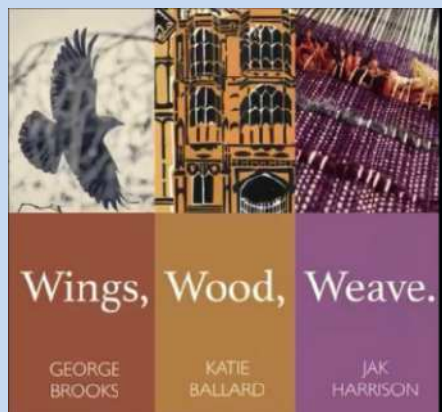
Gardensgallery.co.uk

2 – 8 September
Cheltenham Art Club

The Autumn exhibition of club members showcases members work. This is a great opportunity for visitors to enjoy a constantly changing exhibition., with nearly ninety works of art for sale. For more information about the club, please visit:
cheltenhamartclub.co.uk


9 – 15 September
Danters Fair - Gallery Closed
16 – 22 September

Wings, Wood, Weave - A group exhibition of works by Katie Ballard, Jak Harrison and George Brooks.


Gardens Gallery

Montpellier Gardens,
Cheltenham GL50 2XL

Gardensgallery.co.uk

23 – 27 September

Harvest - An exhibition bringing together three artists all exploring the beauty of nature at this seasonal time of year.

Kath Cooper, Jo Biggadike and Alice Biggadike are celebrating nature's seasonal abundance through painting, ceramics and printmaking.


28 Sept – 8 Oct

Gallery closed for Literature Festival set up

For more information on all exhibitions and what's coming up, please visit **gardensgallery.co.uk**

gardensgallery

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The Wilson

Cheltenham Art Gallery and Museum
Clarence St, Cheltenham GL50 3JT
cheltenhammuseum.org.uk

**Tuesday to Saturday 10am to 5pm,
Sunday 10am to 4pm.**

The Wilson Kitchen is open

Mon – Sat 10am - 5pm, Sun 10 - 4pm

... until January 2027

The Art of Looking: from Dutch Masters to Modern Britain

Explore how art, identity, and creative ambition transformed across centuries of dramatic social change.



... until November
Wonky Workshop

Step into a world where history, craft, and imagination come together through play. Inspired by the people, furniture and ethos of the Arts and Crafts Movement, this exhibition reimagines iconic elements of the time as a tactile, child-centred environment encouraging ideas of sharing and cooperation.

For information on all other exhibitions and events please visit the website
cheltenhammuseum.org.uk

The Wilson

Cheltenham Art Gallery and Museum
Clarence St, Cheltenham GL50 3JT
cheltenhammuseum.org.uk

Wednesday 2 September, 6-9pm

FREE entry, no booking required

An evening of mythology, local history, writing and improvised music at The Wilson.

Create your own **Story Stone** with Artist in Residence **Katie Mary**. Help shape the **Honeybourne Design Engine** by uncovering Cheltenham's hidden stories with **Neith Art & Sculpture**. Hear local author **Jim O'Sullivan** read from his novels, followed by a Q&A on writing, social history and AI. Join **Cheltenham Improvisers Orchestra** for an open session of collaborative music-making.

THE WILSON

WILSON NIGHTS

STORY TIME

An evening of folklore, mythology and community.

Story Stones > 6-9pm

Create your own story stone with artist in residence, Katie Mary.

Honeybourne Design Engine > 6-8pm

Help shape the Honeybourne Design Engine by uncovering Cheltenham's hidden stories with Neith Art & Sculpture.

Jim O'Sullivan > 8-9pm

Hear local author Jim O'Sullivan read from his novels, followed by a Q&A on writing, social history and AI.

Cheltenham Improvisers Orchestra > 6-8pm

Join Cheltenham Improvisers Orchestra for an open session of collaborative music-making. Everyone is welcome.

2nd September

6pm – 9pm

FREE ENTRY

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The Hub Gallery

Christ Church

Cheltenham GL50 2JH

christianartsfestival.org

Cheltenham Christian Arts 10 Year Retrospective & New Work Art Exhibition

Friday 11 September 5pm – 7pm

- Celebration of 10 years of visual arts, music, drama and storytelling
- Talks on the icons of the Unknown Martyrs by Paul Hobbs and Sculptures by Deborah Harrison.
- Hema Aromatic Indian Food

All are Welcome!

Daily Exhibition Openings:

**Friday 11, Saturday 12, 10am-4pm,
Sunday 13, 12noon - 2pm,
Monday 14 - Saturday 19, 10am -
4pm Sunday 20, 12noon - 2pm.**

2016–2026 10 Year Retrospective & New Work Art Exhibition

Cheltenham Christian Arts



Friday 11 – Saturday 12 September, 10am-4pm
Sunday 13 September, 12noon-2pm
Monday 14 – Saturday 19 September, 10am-4pm
Sunday 20 September, 12noon-2pm

The Hub Gallery, Christ Church, Malvern Road, Cheltenham GL50 2NU



Heritage Open Days

heritageopendays.org.uk

11 - 20 September 2026

Cheltenham Heritage Open Days

Finding the extraordinary in the ordinary: Heritage Open Days celebrates England's Everyday Histories

The 20th annual Heritage Open Days returns this September with lots of free events and experiences taking place across Cheltenham. Discover hidden places and heritage sites across Cheltenham that may usually be inaccessible to the public at the annual @heritageopendays event – our sixth reason to visit Cheltenham in 2026.



To download a brochure visit:

heritageopendays.org.uk/whats-on/printable-area-lists/cheltenham.html

New Brewery Arts

Brewery Court, Cricklade St,
Cirencester GL7 1JH
newbreweryarts.org.uk

10 - 30 September

Remnant Revolution transforms surplus and remnant fabrics into premium handcrafted homeware, creating flexible, fairly paid work for women while combining circular design, community skill-sharing and social impact to keep materials in use and empower women through fairly paid, meaningful employment.

Through skilled workshops and creative partnerships, they give beautiful fabrics a new purpose and a new story. The team of seamstresses share their skills in their simple, relaxed sewing classes.

COME SEW WITH US

Join the Remnant Revolution team for three weeks of daily sewing classes starting on **10 September** at New Brewery Arts in our Gallery, with something for everyone to learn, make and enjoy.

From upholstery, frilling and piping to adding a zip, block printing on fabric, mending and fixing, there are plenty of ways to learn a new skill or hone one you already have, all using beautiful, rescued remnant fabrics looking for a new purpose.

Come alone, bring a friend, meet someone new and enjoy the simple joy of making something with your own hands. Everyone is welcome, whatever your ability.

Book classes through the Remnant Revolution website
remnantrevolution.co.uk

Lansdown Gallery

Stroud GL5 1BB
lansdownhall.org

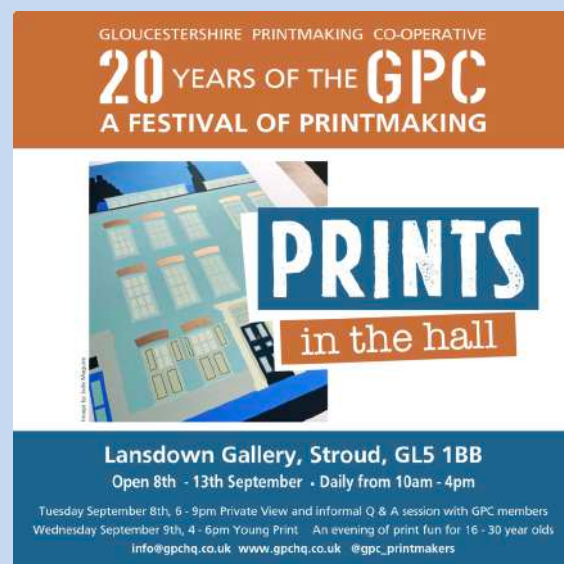
**8 – 13 September,
Open Daily 10-4pm**

**Tuesday 8 September , 6-9pm
Private View & Q &A with GPC
members**

Wednesday 9 September, 4-6pm
Young Print - evening of print fun for 16-30 yr olds

Prints in the Hall

An exhibition of prints by members of the Gloucestershire Printmaking Cooperative to celebrate their 20th anniversary



For more information about GOC please visit

gpchq.co.uk

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Little Buckland Gallery

Little Buckland

Broadway WR12 7JH

littlebucklandgallery.co.uk

4 - 27 September

Open daily 11am -4pm

Private view at Midday 6 September

13 September, 2.30pm.

'In-conversation' between **Sara** and renowned archeological artist **Elizabeth Poraj-Wilczynska**. To book your free ticket please email.

Ley of the Land Exhibition

This remarkable exhibition showcases the work of Sara Dudman RWA.

'Ley of the Land' condenses and imagines future, past and present relationships with this rural part of the country. The paintings become 'Deep Maps' of the Cotswolds. Filmmaker Hannah Earl has created an accompanying film which interprets and articulates the experience of the walks, creative processes and conversations with the paints and human collaborators.

With assistance from Evesham Ramblers on the walks within the Land Circle and Heaps Morris for the dancing. **With ceramics by Amanda Coldridge**

Part of the gallery will be showing a retrospective exhibition representing the last ten years of Sara's work.



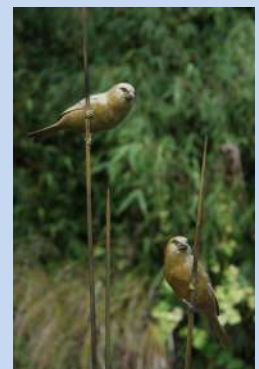
Cotswold Sculpture Park

The Paddocks, Somerford Keynes,
Gloucestershire GL7 6FE

Open: Thu – Mon 10:30am – 5pm (last entry at 4pm). Closed Tuesdays & Wednesdays

£10 per adult £8 concession £7 Child (age 5 – 14). Sorry, no dogs or picnics

Cotswold Sculpture Park - a unique outdoor gallery that celebrates artistic talent from around the world.



For all events and more information, please visit :

cotswoldsculpturepark.co.uk

The Gate art space

21 Westgate Street
Gloucester GL1 2NW

Gloucestercontemporaryartists.art

**31 August - 6 September,
10am - 5pm (Sunday 4pm)**

Diagnosis - a show by Sophie Wardle
and Lara Paxford Cox



14 - 20 September, 10am - 5pm

Light, shape and form - paintings by
Luba Arnold Larnie and sculpture by
Ewen Hyde

21 - 27 September

Monday, 12 - 5pm

Tuesday - Saturday, 10am - 5pm

Sunday, 11am - 4pm

Paintings by Wendy Golding

28 September - 4 October.

Space - exploring life through faith and
art by Inside Out (Gloucester) (private
hire)

The Gate is an exciting, flexible and
affordable place for art - a great place
to get your work seen (and sold). The
Gate is available for hire by artists and
craftspeople.

Sub Rooms

3 George St.

Stroud GL5 1AE

**Tuesday 15th - Saturday 19th
September 2026**

10am - 4pm

**Sub Rooms, 3 George St., Stroud
GL5 1AE**

Cotswold Art Club Exhibition

Now in its 95th year a, the art club are
excited to exhibit at the Sub Rooms for
the very first time !

Showcasing their artwork with its wide
variety of subjects and styles.

All are very welcome to come along to
relax and browse. With art club
stewards there to help answer your
questions and tell you more about the
Club and how to join if you wish. You
may find a perfect gift to treat yourself
or someone special.

Cotswold Art Club presents

HARMONY

A variety of artistic styles
combining traditional and
contemporary techniques.

**THE GEORGE
ROOM**

**Tuesday 15th - Saturday 19th September
10am - 4pm**



ART EXHIBITION

FREE ADMISSION

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Nature in Art Museum & Art Gallery

Main A38 Twigworth
Gloucester GL2 9PA
natureinart.org.uk

**Opening times: Tuesday - Sunday
(& bank holidays) 10am - 5pm**

In Sync: Words and Wonders

8 September – 4 October A selection of work, both 2D and 3D, shown alongside contemporary and historic poetry. For centuries, art has inspired poets and poetry has inspired artists. Come along and write some of your own words for the exhibits on display! Looking Deep into Nature

Looking Deep into Nature

Peter Partington SWLA (1941-2025)

29 September – 25 October

Special exhibition launch/ private view on **29 September**. Book for free at natureinart.org.uk/talks

Painter – Printer – Sculptor Teacher – Lover of Mother Nature. A unique exhibition celebrating the remarkable life and work of Peter Partington SWLA. Peter spent his life observing our living world, bringing birds and animals to life in their various habitats and different seasons.



PLUS - NIA renowned artist residency programme.

• 15 – 20 September

Gill Barrett Mixed media New artists every week. See what they're creating and have a chat.

For more info visit natureinart.org.uk/

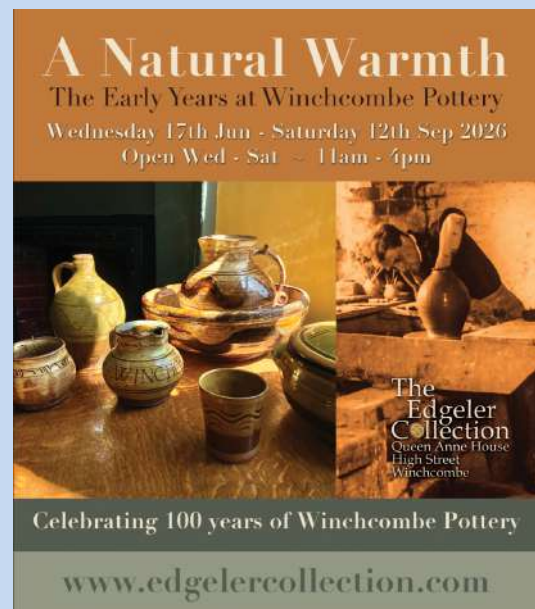
The Edgeler Collection

Queen Anne House, High Street,
Winchcombe GL54 5HT

A Natural Warmth; The Early Years at Winchcombe Pottery.

When Michael Cardew set up Winchcombe Pottery in 1926, he wanted the pots he made to be "warm and direct and above all natural". He certainly met these aims, making organic pots with the warmth and honesty of the maker's hand; a radical contrast to the mass-produced china of the preceding decades.

Join them in celebrating 100 years of Winchcombe Pottery with this special exhibition featuring a multitude of pots from the first two decades of production.



.. until 4 October, 2026

Winchcombe Museum

Sharing the craft: Winchcombe's master potters and their trainees: an exhibition based on the museum's collection of work by many who worked or trained at Winchcombe.

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Gas Green Community Centre
Baker Street, Cheltenham GL51 9HQ

Saturday 5 September, 10am - 4pm

**Tetra Pak Printmaking Workshop
With Jo Biggadike – Ambling Press**

A fun one-day workshop, inspired by the sensational seed heads of Autumn. Suitable for beginners.

Learn how to create wonderful and original prints using the humble 'throw away' Tetra Pak drinks carton. . **£65**

For more information and booking visit: amblingpress.co.uk

Holst Victorian House
4 Clarence Road, Pittville,
Cheltenham, GL52 2AY
holstvictorianhouse.org.uk

20 September, 10 – 12pm

Victorian Sketch Club:
A NEW Monthly session, with this month's theme **Harvest in the Victorian kitchen. £15**

Explore mark-making, observation and visual storytelling inspired by the Victorian age. Guided by Operations Manager and artist Martha Kelsey

The sessions are relaxed and supportive. We'll start with 30 minutes of drawing warmups, after which you are free to draw individually from the composition or elsewhere in the house. We'll have top tips and suggestions if you're not sure where to start!

Tea, coffee and materials provided. You are also welcome to bring your own dry materials. Please note, paints and charcoals are not permitted in the Museum.

Please book your place below, as spaces are limited . Everyone is welcome, from complete beginners to practicing artists.

THE YARD

Upper Bath Street, Cheltenham
theyardartspace.com

the **yard:ARTspace** offers a focal point for those who want to make printmaking an important part of their creative process.

25 September**Dry Point With A Collagraph Twist**

This dry point technique has all the qualities of a traditional looking etching without the chemicals. Add a collagraph twist to the technique by adding tapes to create volume and tone to the image. Chine colle will also be explored. **£100 inc most materials**

26 - 27 September, 10am - 4pm daily**Collagraph With A Lino Print Twist.**

Spend 2 days learning how to make collagraph plates using glue and wall papers printed together with a lino print feature. The workshop will cover registration of images, chine colle and a variety of inking techniques.

This is an ideal workshop for artists who want to extend their printmaking knowledge and beginners who want to learn some basic printmaking. **£220 to inc most materials**

For all details visit on forthcoming courses and workshops visit:
theyardartspace.com or email
suebrown@theyardartspace.com

**Nicky Millington**

The Art Studio
cheltartstudio.com

Art Classes – Booking for the Autumn term**Children's Art Club**

- Tuesday Y7 - Y9, 5 - 6.30pm
- Wednesday Y6 - Y7, 5 - 6.30pm

£18 per week, paid for in advance for a course of between 6 and 8 weeks.

Adults:

- Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri 10am – 12pm
- Thursdays, 2 - 4pm

£20 per week, paid for in advance for a course of between 6 and 8 weeks.

The Art Studios art classes give adults and children the opportunity to discover and develop their creativity, increasing their skills of observation and application of a wide range of different media.



For more information and how to book, please visit: cheltartstudio.com

Cheltenham School of Fine Art

32 Wellington Lane
Cheltenham, GL52 2AG
cheltfineart.co.uk

Autumn Term Starts 14th September

Tutors Viv, Jessie and Tom are running a full programme of weekly classes covering watercolour, acrylic and oil techniques, looking at still life, landscape, life drawing and portraiture, including weekend workshops.

All the taught workshops include materials and are suitable for all levels of ability and experience.

19 September - Introduction to Oil Painting in Still Life, **£70**

Sunday 11 October 10-4pm
Life Drawing Workshop, **£80**

Untaught Sunday Life Drawing 10-1pm
Next date: **Sunday 20 September, £26**

Saturday 7th November - Lino & Drypoint Etching Print Workshop, **£70**

Autumn/Summer School

Human Form Summer School had to be postponed due to the heatwave and is now being run in October half-term.

Tuesday 28, 29 & 30 October
Human Form A well-structured 3-day course covering portrait, life drawing and figures in wider interior contexts, cafes and the landscape **£240**

Saturday 17th October '26
Introduction to Wet Felting Workshop,

Further details and booking online, visit cheltfineart.co.uk or call **07522 003024** or email. cheltfineart@proton.me

Gemma Hastilow Art Classes
gemmahastilow.co.uk**Gemma Hastilow - Art Classes**

Weekly Autumn classes in Winchcombe and Bishop's Cleeve.

- **Mondays** - Life Drawing: Hone your drawing skills working from live models.
- **Tuesdays** - Art for beginners Unleash your creativity, learning all the basics.
- **Wednesdays** - Beginners Acrylic Painting:
- **Fridays** - Watercolours for Beginners

Saturday 19 September, 10am - 4pm
Weekend Acrylics**Paint a Cotswold Sheep**

Paint your very own colourful canvas featuring the iconic Cotswold Sheep at this fun workshop.

All materials (including a box canvas) provided and tea, coffee and biscuits. **£80 per person**

Venue - The Cleeve Room, Abbey Fields Community Centre, Winchcombe.



Plus, all info, including costs and how to book on the **2026** programme of **weekend workshops, weekly classes and more**, visit gemmahastilow.co.uk

Gas Green Community Centre
 Baker Street, Cheltenham GL51 9HQ
artforallmentalhealth.org.uk

Art for All Mental Health is an Arts and Mental Health Charity.

They aim to help people achieve sustained mental well-being through the practice of being creative. Offering a variety of groups to take part in, these including: **general painting and drawing, nature journaling and photography, craft, mindful art, women's group and printmaking.**

All classes are facilitated by experienced Arts and Mental Health tutors and are free* to attend. This includes materials, though you are welcome to bring your own (a voluntary contribution is suggested to help towards refreshments and materials of **£2/class**).

To enquire/apply for a place in one of their groups please visit :

artforallmentalhealth.org.uk
 or contact
enquiries@artforallmentalhealth.org.uk



Gas Green Community Centre
 Baker Street, Cheltenham GL51 9HQ
flowilde@hotmail.com

Life drawing tutored sessions
3rd Saturday of the month.
10 – 12pm - £15 session

**Autumn Dates: 19 September,
 17 October, 21 November**



Tutor: Julie Smith - Any skills level, from novices to practicing artists, who want a supportive and stimulating environment in which to learn about the perceptions and mark-making capabilities required for making successful drawn responses from the nude figure. Julie comes with many years' experience working with artists, students and interested individuals. You will experience different approaches to making 'informed' drawing within a framework.

What should you bring to the class?

- Pencils & charcoal, & any materials you like to use,
 - A2 cartridge paper pad, sketchbooks drawing board, masking tape, clip,
 - Erasers – plastic & putty rubber
- We will be working with chairs rather than easels. You are welcome to bring your own easel if you have one or anything you would like to use to create from life

To confirm your attendance, email Julie Smith: flowilde@hotmail.com

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Alexandra Woods Art Classes alexandrawoods.com/shop

SEPTEMBER Courses At Cheltenham Art Club Studios, Normandy House, GL50 3HW.

Tuesdays 14.00 - 16.15

8 September - 13 October 2026

Painting And Drawing

Ideal for beginners and those wishing to refresh their skills.

For each activity, there will be options to suit all levels of experience.

Following demonstrations, you will develop your skills in colour mixing, recording proportions, light and shade whilst exploring a range of media and techniques.

£160.00. All materials and equipment will be provided.

Portrait With Oils course

Tuesdays 17.15 - 19.30

8 September - 13 October 2026

Ideal for beginners and experienced artists.

You will develop your understanding of the human face and head through painting techniques with oils paints

£160. All materials and equipment will be provided.

To book, visit

alexandrawoods.com/contact or
email hello@alexandrawoods.com



ALEXANDRA WOODS 

Cheltenham Art Club

Normandy House, 305-309 High St,
Cheltenham GL50 3HW

cheltenhamartclub.co.uk

Cheltenham Art Club has been a valued presence in the town for over fifty years. It currently has over a hundred members.

The Club has a studio in Normandy House, which is large, airy and well equipped, where members of all abilities can enjoy painting together in a mutually supportive environment. Sessions are lighthearted and fun, with tea and coffee, and many friendships can develop.

Members can also take advantage of

- An extensive Library is available for Members to browse and to borrow from. Please click here to see the list of publications.

- regular workshops covering all aspects of painting media and techniques

- twice yearly exhibitions in Montpelier's Gardens Gallery

- organised plein air painting in the summer months

We also offer classes for non-members who want to learn to paint.

The Club is a not-for-profit organization run by volunteers. Members of all abilities can enjoy painting together in a mutually supportive environment.

For more information visit their website cheltenhamartclub.co.uk

Cheltenham
ART CLUB

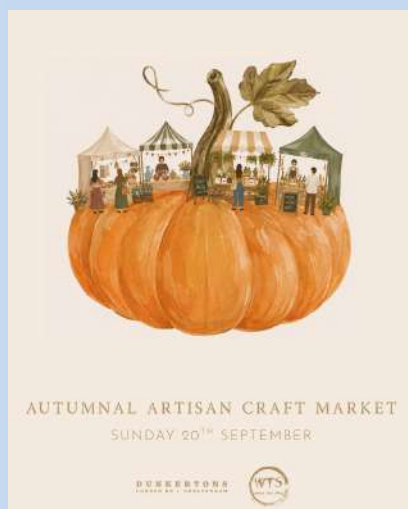
**Watch This Space Collective
Artisan Market
wtscollective**

**Autumnal Artisan Market Date:
Sunday 20 September, 10-3pm**

**Dunkerton's,
Dowdeswell Park, London Road,
Cheltenham, GL52 6UT**

We are very excited about our next market date and back at the lovely **@dunkertonspark**, featuring another thoughtfully curated selection of gorgeous, handcrafted artisan products, including prints and illustrations, handmade cards, jewellery, ceramics, printed textiles and accessories, cut flowers plus a range of natural and organic beauty products.

Meet the makers - come and say hello and chat with them about their craft. The whole family is welcome, including dogs. No need to book and free to attend.



WTS Collective curate's vibrant artisan markets alongside creative events and craft workshops, celebrating the skill, creativity and individuality of talented designer-makers.

**Watch This Space
Collective
wtscollective**

More workshops now **LIVE** in the shop

Evening at Hatchard's

**Wed 21 October, 6.30 pm – 9pm.
Ceramic Animals. Guinea Fowl -**
Hand building With professional tutor
Ros Ingram. **£65pp**

**Wed 18 November 6.30 – 8.30pm.
Introduction to Letterpress:** Make
Your Own Greeting Cards with **the**
amazing Martyna Sabadasz . **A new**
print workshop £45pp

**Three Masterclasses
Whittington Village Hall, Whittington,**

- **Willow Basket Weaving**
Friday 16 October, 10 – 4pm
Spend the day learning to weave a
fabulous, functional basket with
professional weaver Susie Early. **£70pp**

- **Collagraphs**
Friday 13 November, 10am - 3pm
Come and enjoy a fantastic Collagraph
Workshop, with the experienced
printmaker Jane Sasanow. Collagraphs
are central to Jane's print making
practice along with lino and
letterpress. **£65pp**

**Introduction To Linocut:
Design Your Own Garland**
Friday 13 November, 10am - 3pm
Create a fabulous handmade
garland. with talented artist and
printmaker, Jen Whiskerd, Perfect for
complete beginners or anyone looking
to explore printmaking. **£65pp**

To book visit: **Wtscollective.co.uk**

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Pete Garrard
Ceramic Courses
@studioceramicgloucester

5 October – 11 December
With a 2-week break from 2 – 15 Nov

Autumn
Hand Built Ceramic Sculpture And
Pottery Course

with a wide range of sculptural or functional projects that Pete uses to guide the complete beginner through a variety of basic techniques. More experienced artists are supported in the development of their own projects. Classes are limited to a maximum of 10, and students are encouraged to develop their own style and interests. Pete is a professional tutor with extensive experience in secondary and further education and a practising artist and sculptor (1st class BA hons).

Following days and times available:

Mondays 5.45-9.15pm
Thursdays 1-4.30pm
Fridays 9.30am-1pm

Each session is 3.5 hours which gives you plenty of time to be creative and enjoy a cuppa and cake or biscuits during our break. **The 28 hour / 8-week course costs £266 tuition.**

For more information contact:
petergarrardceramics@yahoo.com

You can see the work of Pete and his students: **@petegarrard** or
 FB **@Peter Garrard Ceramics**



Artist Residency
at The Park Campus

University of Gloucestershire's Elwes Gallery is hosting the first artist-in-residence at Park Campus in Cheltenham.

Professional sculptor **Natasha Houseago** is working outdoors in the **Park Campus** grounds over the University's spring and autumn academic terms.

As a wood carver who works mainly with locally sourced wood that has fallen naturally, Natasha combines her own studio practice with exhibiting, teaching carving, community and public art projects, and residencies in the UK and abroad.

Elwes Gallery is a curated exhibition space in the centre of Park Campus which creates dialogue between the past and future of visual arts practice.

As the first Elwes Gallery artist-in-residence, Natasha's work will bring contemporary sculptural practice directly on to campus. Students, staff, and visitors can find Natasha in Park Campus grounds near Broadlands Villa. Pop along and see Natasha at work.

To receive updates about exhibitions and events at University of Gloucestershire email
artsandculture@glos.ac.uk



Nicky Harvey Workshops
artworks-glos.co.uk

Nicky Harvey Workshops 2026

The Redding's Community Centre in Cheltenham

5 September, 10-4pm - Chinese watercolours with Nick Dawe. £65 plus £10 for materials. Come and explore the art of Chinese brush painting. You will learn authentic brush strokes and paint plum blossom, bamboo, fish, mountains, figures and finish with a small, completed landscape painting. **2 SPACES LEFT**



3 October, 10-4pm - Arctic wolf in acrylics with Nick Dawe. £65. 6 SPACES LEFT

The Boy's Brigade in Tewkesbury

31 October, 10-4pm - Textures in watercolours with Ian Ridley. £70 SPACES LEFT

For More Information on all other workshops and locations coming up Visit artworks-glos.co.uk , Or call Nicky on 07531 837045



Nature Journaling

Nature Journaling with Debbie Kersley is a gentle, creative practice of observing and recording the natural world. Through drawing, writing and noticing, we deepen our connection to nature and to ourselves. Everyone is welcome.

- Practice simple drawing & observation skills
- Create a personal record of the seasons
- Grow creativity and mindfulness
- Slow down and notice more

*** At Debbie's studio in Cheltenham (GL53), with time in the garden when weather is good. 4-week block: £55, Single sessions: £15**
Mondays 6:30-8:30pm
Tuesdays 10:30-12:30pm
Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm

*** Monthly 'Oak Hour' on Lott Meadow (GL53): Free/ Pay what you can. Next class is 15 September, 12-1pm**

*** 7 September and 13 September Westonbirt Arboretum Workshops**
A series of half-day and day sessions spent outdoors sketching and journaling the wonderful trees at Westonbirt, based at the immersive Community Shelter in Silk Wood. All materials provided, sliding scale ticket prices. Full details and booking here: buytickets.at/debbiekersley

hello@debbiekersley.co.uk or call 07971 106157



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Oil Painting Tuition

Jessicableasbyart.com

One to One Oil Painting

Private, personalised oil painting instruction tailored to your skill level and artistic goals. Perfect for beginners through to advanced artists.

Sessions led by professional painter Jessica Bleasby BA/Hons (Fine Art Painting). Flexible scheduling. In person at studio/location.

You will learn:

- Colour theory and mixing –
- Understanding all tools and materials and mediums
- - preparation and planning an artwork
- - painting and blending techniques and much more

Choose your area of interest, still-life, landscape or portrait. Explore your own style from gestural, impressionistic to photorealistic.

Book your first session today
(2 hr recommended for first session)
£40 per hour or £70 for 2 sessions

Call **Jessica Bleasby** on **07846478170**
or email: jessicableasby@hotmail.com



The Potthouse Collective

Unit 2, Crooks Industrial Estate
Croft St, Cheltenham, GL53 0ED
thepotthouse.co.uk

The Potthouse Collective is a Pottery Studio and Artist Space located in Cheltenham.

They run:

- Pottery Classes
- Seasonal One-Off Pottery Classes
- Masterclasses

To browse their available classes & courses, use their booking system. You can also look at their Studio Schedule to see what's coming up!

You can join them for Pottery Classes or Courses, use the studio for your Independent Pottery or even have a pottery party with your friends and family. If you're a local artist they also offer private studio space for you to use for your practice



Visit thepotthouse.co.uk for more information

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Jackson's Art Supplies Stroud
Griffin Mill Trading Estate, London
Road, Stroud, GL5 2AZ
jacksonsart.com

Sarah Middleton
History of Art Lectures
sarah-middleton.co.uk

A varied programme of Day
Workshops and Artist Demo's at
Jackson's Art this Autumn including;

Saturday 5 September, 12pm – 2pm

***Oil Painting Demonstration with
Maria Rose ROI, £10***



Saturday 10 October
**Watercolour Still Life with Mark
Entwistle**, visiting tutor from National
Portrait Gallery

17, 18, 24, 25 October.
Autumn Arts Trail — lectures, free
demo's, workshops, exhibition and
Open Studios – all welcome

Saturday 7 November. Acrylic
Painting Demonstration with David DJ
Johnson

For all other workshops coming up or
to book this online, please visit the
website

jacksonsart.com/jackson-s-oil-painting-workshop-demonstration-with-maria-rose Or call **01453 886560**

HISTORY OF ART LECTURES
with Sarah Middleton at local venues
including The Painswick Centre
Autumn 2026

Autumn series of lectures exploring the
history of art. New this season are
drawing and painting sessions woven
in with history of art. A creative &
cultural boost for art lovers. All
bookable online.

23 September, 4 - 6pm - Turners
Watercolours + painting session £25
at The Painswick Centre

27 September - The Art of Looking at
The Wilson + drawing session

7 October - Groundbreaking Women
Artists

18 October - Women of the Arts &
Crafts Movement at Jackson's Art
4 November - Salvador Dali at The
Painswick Centre

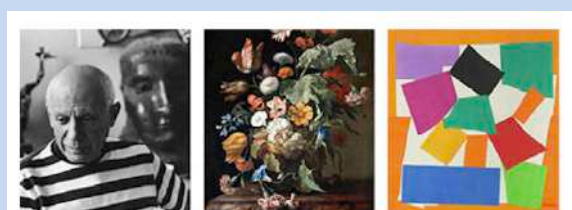
Double Acts: **25 November** - Jane
Morris at The Painswick Centre

2 December - Dante Rossetti (book
both for £30)

9 December, 4 - 6pm - Matisse Cut
Outs £25 at The Painswick Centre

Book online

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GPC

Griffin Mill, Stroud.

www.gpchq.co.uk



There are a host of external exhibitions and workshops by GPC members planned to celebrate this milestone.

WORKSHOPS & COURSES - For a list of workshops including **screen-printing course**., **Foundations in printmaking 8-week course**, **screen-printing on fabric**. A **6-week course**, **letterpress** and more.



For all the information or to book a course, visit gpchq.co.uk or to sign up for the newsletter email info@gpchq.co.uk

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The Arts Society, Cheltenham

**The Pavilion, Hatherley Lane,
Cheltenham GL51 6PN
Tuesday 98 September at 7.15pm**

**Arts Lecture: The Art of Friendship
Lecturer: Juliet Heslewood**

How can an artist portray friendship? Love or hate, maternity, childhood - these themes have recognisable motifs that add to the portrayal. But friendship is less easy to illustrate. Artists over the centuries have made portraits of their friends and still managed to convey the relevance of the unique relationship.



The lecture is free to members and visitors are welcome for a fee of **£8**

Cafe Arts - a regular informal, morning social event, open to both members and visitors for a **cost of £6** for unlimited coffee and delicious biscuits.

**Tuesday 22 Sept 10.30am - 12
The Bowling Club, Suffolk Square,
Cheltenham GL50 2DX**

For more information about these events contact
info.cheltenham@theartsociety.org

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Papyro Studio

Bath Road, Cheltenham

@Papyro_studio

**Open Wed, Thurs, Fri 9.30am - 4pm
Sat 9.30am – 5pm & Sun 10am – 3pm**

Papyro Studio have moved!

Some of you might know Papyro Studio from Royal Well Place next to @scandinaviancoffeepod, they have relocated to a new shop on Bath Road!

They have prints and original art from local artists to discover, as well as all the work from their previous space.

Go down and say hello ...



For more updates follow them
@papyro_studio

Gloucestershire Guild

18 Rotunda Terrace

Montpellier Street

Cheltenham GL50 1SW

guildcrafts.org.uk

The Gloucestershire Guild Shop is the place to buy contemporary craft in Cheltenham. You will find beautiful handmade work by our selected professional makers including contemporary jewellery, ceramics, textiles, furniture, leatherwork, glass and baskets.

Shop Open

Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm.

Call **07562 516545** or email
guildcrafts.shop_18@icloud.com

Founded in 1933, the purpose of the Gloucestershire Guild is to foster and promote fine craftsmanship and good design. These aims came out of the vibrant Arts and Crafts Movement in the Cotswolds at the turn of the 20th century.

The Guild's members are all professional makers. They are amongst the top craftspeople in the UK working across many disciplines including ceramics, glass, woodwork, textiles, jewellery and leather goods, creating unique functional and decorative objects.

Visit **guildcrafts.org.uk**



Cheltenham Arts Network

**Next event: 16 September 6 - 7.30pm
At Common Ground..
(a new community venue in Chelt)**

New shoots, collaborations & groups

Thinking about setting up a collective, or arts organisation, or working collaboratively?

Join a panel of experts who have successfully established and grown their own organisations and initiatives. They'll share their journeys, the lessons they've learned, and the practical realities of choosing the right structure and governance model and answer any questions you have.

To keep up to date, on future events and how to register please visit FB: **Cheltartsnetwork** or if you'd like to join their mailing list or have suggestions for future meetings, contact cheltartsnetwork@gmail.com



Enabling artists to create opportunities and address challenges facing practitioners in the town through meetings, events and sharing information. Created to support the ecology of artists and producers in the Cheltenham area.

Jackson's Art Store

Griffin Mill, Thrupp, Stroud, GL5 2AZ
01453 886 560 / jacksonsart.com

**Open from Monday – Saturday
9am – 5pm. Please do go and visit**

NEWS! Since January, Pegasus Art is now a **Jackson's Art store**

Housed in the 18th century mill building, rich with creative heritage and in the heart of the Cotswolds, they will continue to go from strength to strength.

Now managed by Sarah Edmonds and the knowledgeable team, they are excited to offer an even wider range of products at competitive prices, including a growing programme of art classes and workshops.

Please call ahead if you have a specific art materials request or would like to talk to one of the staff about classes and workshops on **01453 886 560**

Create Gloucestershire creategloucestershire.co.uk

CREATE GLOUCESTERSHIRE

supports the cultural and creative industries in Gloucestershire. You'll find the **programmes** they are working on directly accessible from the drop-down tab in the navigation. Also added is clearer signposting to all the resources they have to share - such as **job and volunteering opportunities** and **ideas for getting into creative careers**.

Visit the website,
creategloucestershire.co.uk/the-noticeboard

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