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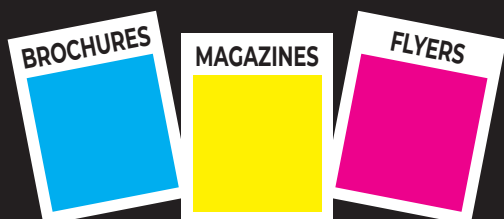


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Exhibition, installation view,
RWA, 2022, Alice Hendy.

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November and December 2022



Exhibit A

Tim Booth: They're Coming

Photograph

ARTIST'S STATEMENT: "Circus was once exclusively family-led and animal-based entertainment, but in our more enlightened times animals are now seldom used and as a result the focus of circus has shifted. Whilst circus is still very much a collaborative performance, it now concentrates more on the individual skillset of a shifting tide of contemporary performers. *Circus* sets out to highlight their commitment, self-discipline and the punishing physical exertion needed to produce their performances. Clearly showing that 'Running away to join the circus' should no longer be considered as a cop out, but as a phenomenal commitment."

'CIRCUS'

4 November - 4 January: Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 9UG. Tuesday - Saturday 10am - 9pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

Tonia Gunstone x Jonathan Loxley
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Visual Arts

November and December 2022

JOYCE RINGROSE

Until 5 November

Hatch Gallery, 7a Church Street,
CHRISTCHURCH, BH23 1BW.
Tuesday - Saturday 11am - 4pm.
07787 517958 / hatchgallery.co.uk.

ROBIN SEWELL: 'LIGHT WATER REBELLIONS'

Until 6 November

The Whittox Gallery, RISE, Whittox
Lane, FROME, BA11 3BY. Tuesday -
Saturday 9am - 4pm. 07712 523734.

BRIDGET SYMS

Until 6 November

Gallery On The Square, Queen
Mother Square, DORCHESTER, DT1
3BL. Monday - Saturday 9.30am -
5pm, Sunday 11am - 4pm. 01305
213322. *Paintings and prints.*

DORSET INDEPENDENT PHOTOGRAPHERS: 'TIME AND LIGHT'

Until 6 November

Sou'-Sou'-West Arts Gallery,
Symonds Estate, BRIDPORT,
DT6 6HG. 10.30am - 4.30pm. 01308
301326 / sousouwest.co.uk.

NEW DORSET ART GROUP

Until 8 November

The Gallery, Shaftesbury Arts
Centre, Bell Street, SHAFTESBURY,
SP7 8AR. Monday - Saturday 10am -
4pm. 01747 855243. *"Varied work by
Dorset artists."*

LES MATTHEWS

Until 9 November

Studio 3 Gallery, Clevedon Craft
Centre, Moor Lane, CLEVEDON,
BS21 6TD. 11am - 4pm. 07557 331967
/ studiothree.art.

NICK BERKELEY

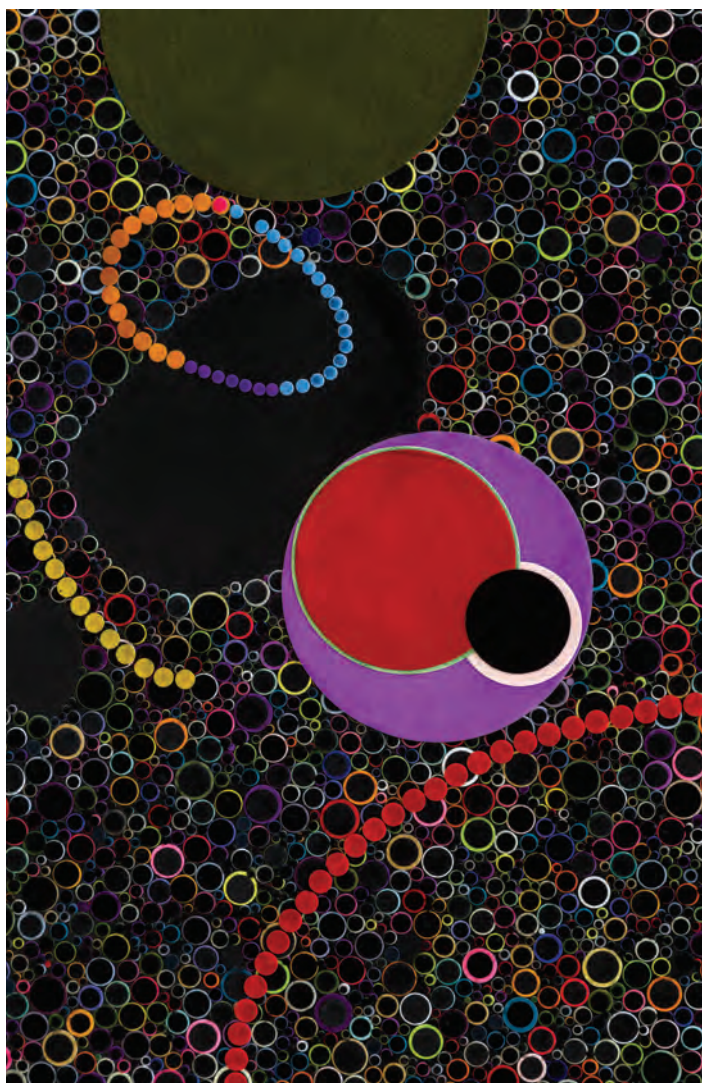
Until 12 November

Bridport Arts Centre, 9 South Street,
BRIDPORT, DT6 3NR. Tuesday -
Saturday 10am - 4pm. 01308
424204. *Photographs.*

MARTYN BREWSTER: 'COAST LINES'

Until 12 November

Sladers Yard, WEST BAY, Bridport,
DT6 4EL. 10am - 4.30pm. 01308
459511 / sladersyard.co.uk.



'BLIND MATTER, DARK NIGHT' (2017)

Bharti Kher: The Body is a Place

"Explore the alchemical practice of internationally renowned artist Bharti Kher, in a major solo exhibition of drawing, sculpture, and the spaces that lie between."

Until 29 January: Arnolfini, 16 Narrow Quay, BRISTOL, BS1 4QA.
Tuesday - Sunday 11am - 6pm. 0117 917 2300 / arnolfini.org.uk.

SARA TRENCHARD: 'THE ARRANGEMENT OF COLOUR'

Until 13 November

Heart of The Tribe Gallery, 74 High
Street, GLASTONBURY, BA6 9DZ.
11am - 5pm. heartofthetribe.com.



RICHARD CORBETT: 'POETRY OF NATURE'

Until 13 November

Sou'-Sou'-West Arts Gallery,
Symonds Estate, BRIDPORT,
DT6 6HG. 10.30am - 4.30pm. 01308
301326 / sousouwest.co.uk.

Above: 'Serenity'

LOUISA CRISPIN: 'FLIGHTPATH'

Until 19 November

ACE Arts, Market Place,
SOMERTON, TA11 7NB. Tuesday -
Saturday 10am - 5pm. 01458 273008
/ acearts.co.uk. *"Drawing, painting,
stitching, collage, cutting and
printing."*

HAYLEY POTTER: 'WINGS'

Until 19 November

ACE Arts, Market Place,
SOMERTON, TA11 7NB. Tuesday -
Saturday 10am - 5pm. acearts.co.uk.

HELEN BARFF: 'I WRAP MY FEAR AROUND ME LIKE A BLANKET'

Until 20 November

Brewhouse, Coal Orchard,
TAUNTON, TA1 1JL. 10am - 4pm.
tauntonbrewhouse.co.uk.

'YONDER'

Until 20 November

32 Upper York street, Stokes Croft,
BRISTOL, BS2 8QR. Friday 5 -
10.30pm, Saturday 3 - 10.30pm.
07702 430808 / tomillerart.net.
*"Exhibition by Bristol artist Miller,
showcasing a vibrant collection of
contemporary surrealism."*



DAVID INSHAW *from 19 Nov*
recent paintings, drawings & prints
PETTER SOUTHALL furniture

MARTYN BREWSTER at 70
Coast Lines: recent paintings *until 12 Nov*
PETER HAYES ceramic sculpture

*Left: David Inshaw Willow Tree with Swifts at Avebury
Right: Martyn Brewster Along the Coast 4 (detail)*

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Visual Arts

'THE JURASSIC COAST ON CERAMICS'

Until 4 December

Rotunda Gallery, Lyme Regis Museum, Bridge Street, LYME REGIS, DT7 3QA. Tuesday - Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday 10am - 4pm. £5.95. lymeregismuseum.co.uk. "Original drawings, ceramic vases and boxes."

'A YEAR ON HENGISTBURY HEAD'

Until 4 December

Red House Museum, Quay Road, CHRISTCHURCH, BH23 1BU. 10am - 4pm. 07969 436921. "New work by Sarah Humby and Jayne Soakell."



LAURA FORD: 'REVEAL AND CONCEAL'

Until 2 January

East Quay, WATCHET, TA23 0AQ. 10am - 6pm. 01984 263103 / eastquaywatchet.co.uk. "This new exhibition showcasing current and existing works by Laura Ford will feature a reconvening of characters from the past two decades as well as new work that she has created for this show."

MIXED AUTUMN EXHIBITION

Until 6 January

Tincleton Gallery, The Old School House, TINCLETON, near Dorchester, DT2 8QR. Friday - Monday 10am - 4pm. 01305 848909 / tinctongallery.com.

RICHARD SMITH: 'KITES'

Until 8 January

The Edge, University of Bath, BATH, BA2 7AY. Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday and Bank Holidays 11am - 5pm. 01225 388569 / holburne.org. "Richard Smith was one of the most innovative and celebrated painters in Britain in the 1960s and 1970s. Seen as the father of Pop Art, he repeatedly sought to reinvent the language of painting."



'WILLOW TREE WITH SWIFTS AT AVEBURY'

David Inshaw

"David Inshaw's paintings are alive with light effects, trees, birds in flight, bonfires and figures not posing but caught up in their own inner lives. He paints the things that matter to him, from the planes he loved as a boy living at Biggin Hill to clouds that stop him in his tracks. His landscapes are real places, interpreted through his memory and dream in paintings that are both intensely personal and universal in their potency. David has seen West Bay and its environs as a place of inspiration since the seventies. His famous Cricket Ground paintings are set at Little Bredy, just up the road. This current show includes over thirty paintings with three major drawings and a selection of his etchings."

19 November - 21 January: Sladers Yard, WEST BAY, Bridport, DT6 4EL. Wednesday - Saturday 10am - 4.30pm. 01308 459511 / sladersyard.co.uk.



Rachel Huggett

Boilerhouse Gallery

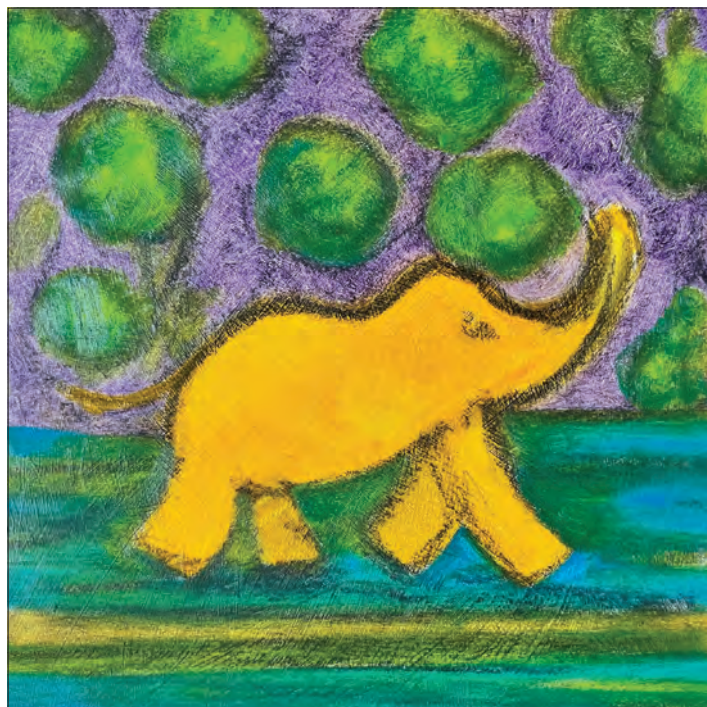
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Frances Pollard



Percy Lizzard

RECENT PAINTINGS

7 - 20 December

The Gallery in the Foyer, Shaftesbury Arts Centre,
11 - 13 Bell Street, Shaftesbury, SP7 8AF
10am - 4pm • 07979 590790 • Instagram: @percylizzard



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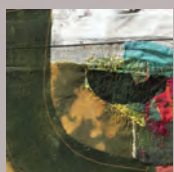


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the best coffee

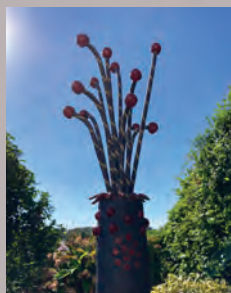
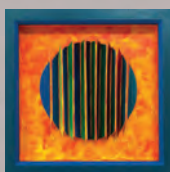


The Slade Centre, The Square, Gillingham, Dorset SP8 4AY
Tuesday - Saturday 9am - 4pm • 07775 431652 • sladecentre.com

Pergaudeo III



Sarah Turnbull
Andrea Jenkins
Alan Brain
Tonia Gunstone
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Jan Dagley



23 Nov - 6 Dec 2022

The Gallery

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www.shaftesburyartscentre.org.uk

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RODIN AND DEGAS

Until 8 January

The Holburne Museum, BATH, BA2 4DB. Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday and Bank Holidays 11am - 5pm. £11. holburne.org.

ELISABETH FRINK: 'STRENGTH & SENSUALITY'

Until 8 January

The Holburne Museum, BATH, BA2 4DB. Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday and Bank Holidays 11am - 5pm. £11. holburne.org.

Sculptures, drawings, etchings and screen prints.



NALINI MALANI: 'MY REALITY IS DIFFERENT'

Until 8 January

The Holburne Museum, BATH, BA2 4DB. Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday and Bank Holidays 11am - 5pm. £11. holburne.org. "New video animations featuring famous paintings in the National Gallery and the Holburne Museum, Bath."



ANDY SCAYSBROOK: 'UNMASKED'

Until 8 February

Dorset Museum, High West Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1XA. Monday - Saturday 9am - 4.30pm, Sunday and Bank Holidays 10am - 4pm. dorsetmuseum.org. "Andy Scaysbrook's photography project began with lockdown in March 2020, when Covid-19 literally stopped the world as we knew it. It records NHS keyworkers in Dorset and their thoughts and feelings at the time."



MATTHEW BURROWS 'STILL MOVEMENT' (Oil on board, 180 x 149 cm, 2019)

169 Annual Open Exhibition

"The RWA's renowned Annual Open Exhibition is returning for its 169th year in their newly refurbished galleries. This dynamic and varied exhibition includes painting, drawing, printmaking, photography, sculpture, installation and mixed media and is a showcase of some of the most exciting artists from across the country."

Until 8 January: RWA, Queen's Road, BRISTOL, BS8 1PX. Tuesday - Sunday 10am - 5pm (Wednesday 10am - 8pm). £8.90. rwa.org.uk.

'TELLING TALES: THE STORY OF VICTORIAN NARRATIVE ART'

Until 5 March

Russell-Cotes Art Gallery and Museum, East Cliff, BOURNEMOUTH, BH1 3AA. Tuesday - Sunday 10am - 5pm. £8.50 / £4.50. 01202 128000 / russellcotes.com. "Exhibition exploring Victorian attitudes."

SOUTH WEST ACADEMY ANNUAL OPEN EXHIBITION

1 - 12 November

Kennaway House, Coburg Road, SIDMOUTH, EX10 8NG. 10.30am - 4.30pm. 01395 515551 / southwestacademy.org.uk. Painting, photography, sculpture, textiles, jewellery, glass and ceramics.

ELLA SHEPARD: 'THE INFINITE NOW'

1 - 28 November

Pen Gallery, 28 Kingland Crescent, POOLE, BH15 1TB. Tuesday 10am - 5pm, Wednesday 10am - 5pm, Thursday 10am - 5pm, Friday 10am - 5pm, Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday 11am - 4pm. pengallery.co.uk.

MARTIN GOOLD: 'MOONLIT HORIZONS'

2 - 25 November

Artwave West, MORCOMBELAKE, DT6 6DY. Wednesday - Saturday 10am - 5pm. artwavewest.com.

DAWN JORDAN

4 - 14 November

Seaglass Gallery, The Strand, LYMPSTONE, EX8 5ES. 10.30am - 4pm. seaglassgallery.co.uk.

'STORM OF CERAMICS'

4 - 18 November

Hengistbury Head Visitors Centre, Broadway, Southbourne, BOURNEMOUTH, BH6 4EW. 10am - 4pm. eastdorsetpotters.com.

TONIA GUNSTONE: '63°N 19°W'

4 November - 24 December

The Vanner Gallery, 45 High Street, SALISBURY, SP1 2PB. Tuesday - Saturday 10am - 5pm. 01722 501551 / vannergallery.com. "In the winter of 2021, Tonia visited the south Icelandic coast. The trip inspired her latest body of work, a series of abstract landscapes which seek to capture the wonder and majesty of Iceland's iconic geography and in so doing what these vistas mean for the human experience."

SOUTHWEST ART AND DESIGN SHOW

5 and 6 November

Dunster Tithe Barn, Priory Green, DUNSTER, TA24 6RY. 10am - 4pm. 07767 893136.

'OUT LOUD'

5 - 26 November

Trowbridge Town Hall, Market Street, TROWBRIDGE, BA14 8EQ. 10am - 4pm. 01225 774306. "Work by artists, makers and individuals showing a variety of responses to the significant personal and societal issues caused by alcohol or drug addiction."

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'PLAY ME, I'M YOURS'

Luke Jerram

Luke Jerram's workspace at Paintworks in Bristol is calm and quiet despite the pressures of working on so many projects at once. Two people are busy painting *Mars*, constantly checking the templates for the colour and craters that are laid out on the floor. In another unit a deflated *Gaia* is suspended from the ceiling, its fabric trailing across the floor. Once transported to a particular location these, and there a quite a few of them, are inflated and measure seven metres across. Most recently one has been installed in Wells Cathedral.

As a student studying Sculpture and Performance at Cardiff watching someone on stage, Jerram came to the conclusion that the performer was getting more out of their performance than the audience. He decided that he wanted to turn this around and make sure that it was the public who were getting the most out of the experience. This idea manifested itself in the street piano project. Its aim was to place the members of the audience centre stage as performers themselves.

Luke draws people together, quietly encouraging them to move out of their comfort zone and take part, to get involved. *Play Me, I'm Yours*, his street

piano project does exactly that. Pianos sitting in a station forecourt or on a street corner invite people to play them. They are quite simply irresistible and passers-by, who would never dream of playing in public or performing in front of an audience, are seduced by the apparent abandoned availability of these musical instruments. They sit down to play anything from chopsticks to a Beethoven Sonata.

It is quite magical. People take ownership. To date Jerram has overseen the installation of over 2000 pianos worldwide and it has sparked a global movement with places picking up the project and installing pianos in public. Luke has no problem with his idea being hijacked, for him the proof of a good idea is that people take it and make it their own.

Streetpianos.com holds a special place in Luke's heart because of the many lovely stories that arose from it. People met and got married, others got licenses for music events and musicians were offered recording contracts. Jerram clearly delights in listening to and sharing those stories and other anecdotes arising from or contained within his works. Another sharing of stories is part of his installation

Crossings which is a collaboration with BBC Radio4 producer Julian May. Nine rowing boats were floated on the lake at Compton Verney in Warwickshire and visitors could row the boats out onto the lake and select an audio 'story' from around the world to listen to.

Two of Luke Jerram's artworks are currently on show at the Royal West of England Academy in Bristol. *Clothed with Protection* is a video of a project in Kampala in Uganda. Ten fashion designers were commissioned to design clothes that would promote Covid vaccination for pregnant women throughout Africa.

The second artwork at RWA Bristol is his *Covid 19* glass sculpture. Since 2004 Jerram has been working with glass microbiology. Scale is very important to him, hence the scaling up of viruses by a million times into beautiful complex glass sculptures. He has collaborated with glassblowers Brian Jones and Norman Veitch to make increasingly challenging larger forms. There is an exquisite irony that these beautiful objects represent something so deadly.

The thread that connects all of Jerram's projects is collaboration. He not only works across disciplines, he collaborates with musicians, scientists, manufacturers and others. He harnesses the wind, the sun, changing weather patterns and tides to make his art works. Sound is a vital element for many of them and he often commissions composers to write new music for him inviting them to incorporate sounds from the natural world. It is another form of collaboration and crisscrossing of boundaries.

Active participation is another vital ingredient. His work requires an audience and participation to make the artwork come alive. He puts people at the centre of his practice and his works bring communities together. That participatory, performative aspect is part of his personal language as an artist.

Fiona Robinson

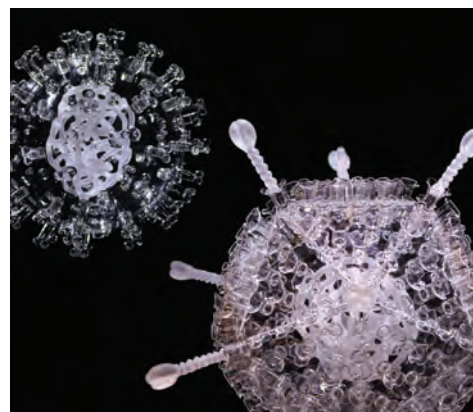
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'MUSEUM OF THE MOON'



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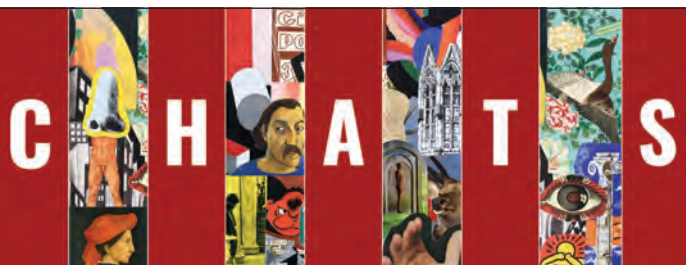
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11.11.22 Jo Baring, writer and

Director of the Ingram Collection, in

conversation with artist and sculptor, Olivia Bax. They will discuss

Jo's new book,

Revisiting Modern British Art, the influence

and enduring impact of art made in 20th century Britain

and consider the legacy of artists such as Sir Anthony Caro on Bax's own sculptural practice. Book signing after the talk.



08.12.22 Hettie Judah, chief

art critic of *The i* newspaper and writer,

will talk to Gemma Brace, writer and

Exhibitions Producer at the Arnolfini, about

Hettie's two very

different books,

published this Autumn:

Lapidarium - The Secret Lives

of Stones and *How Not to Exclude Artist Mothers (and Other Parents)*. Book signing after the talk.

Photo: Alex Schneideman



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Visual Arts

'GATHERING GROUND'

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SOUTH WEST TEXTILE GROUP:

'FRAGMENTED'

8 - 19 November

Somarton Gallery, 1 West Street, SOMERTON, TA11 7PS. 10am - 5pm. somarton.org.

WELLS PAINTING GROUP

8 - 19 November

Wells and Mendip Museum, 8 Cathedral Green, WELLS, BA5 2UE. Tuesday - Saturday 10am - 4pm. 07779 259190.

SANDY ROBERTS AND SALLY

DHRUEV: 'JUST TWO'

9 - 15 November

The Gallery, Shaftesbury Arts Centre, Bell Street, SHAFTESBURY, SP7 8AR. Monday - Saturday 10am - 4pm. 01747 855243.

L PAUL MATTHEWS: 'OPEN HOUSE'

11 - 13 November

23 High Street, PUDDLETOWN, DT2 8RT. Friday 7 - 9pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am - 5.30pm. 01305 848780. Paintings.

'COLOURWORKS'

11 - 17 November

The Malthouse Gallery, The Town Mill, LYME REGIS, DT7 3PU. 10am - 4pm. townmill.org.uk. "Sue Barnes, Chris Neaves, Sarah Rose and Steve Rose showcase their collective creativity."

'MEMORIES'

12 - 27 November

Sou'-Sou'-West Arts Gallery, Symonds Estate, BRIDPORT, DT6 6HG. 10.30am - 4.30pm. 01308 301326 / sousouwest.co.uk.

INGA STREET: 'MEMORIES

REFLECTING TIME'

15 - 22 November

The Italian Villa, Compton Acres, 164 Canford Cliffs Road, POOLE, BH13 7ES. comptonacres.co.uk.



HANNAH BROWN 'HEDGE 6' (Oil paint on linen, 200 x 130 cm, 2018 - 2019)

Expanding Landscapes: Painting After Land Art

"This new exhibition brings together historical works by artists associated with Land Art, as well as prints from Turner Prize nominee Ingrid Pollard's 2001 *Landscape Trauma* series and six contemporary artists who engage directly with landscape through the language of painting. Works by artists including Nancy Holt, Andy Goldsworthy, Robert Smithson, Richard Long, Michelle Stuart and Roger Ackling will be on show alongside contemporary works by painters such as Hannah Brown, Onya McCausland, Fred Sorrell and Jessica Warboys."

11 November - 23 February: Hestercombe Gallery, Hestercombe, TAUNTON, TA2 8LG. 10am - 5pm. hestercombe.com.

STUDIO 90

16 - 22 November

The Gallery, Shaftesbury Arts Centre, Bell Street, SHAFTESBURY, SP7 8AR. Monday - Saturday 10am - 4pm. 01747 855243.

'MICHAEL AT THE MUSEUM'

22 November - 3 December

Wells and Mendip Museum, 8 Cathedral Green, WELLS, BA5 2UE. 10am - 4pm. 07774 457416. "For many years Michael Brobson sailed and taught navigation, and much of his work shows his fondness for the sea."

'PERGAUDEO'

23 November - 6 December

The Gallery, Shaftesbury Arts Centre, Bell Street, SHAFTESBURY, SP7 8AR. Monday - Saturday 10am - 4pm. 01747 855243. "Andrea Jenkins and six invited artists show contemporary abstract art."

NORTH BRISTOL ART TRAIL

26 and 27 November

Venues throughout NORTH BRISTOL. 10am - 5pm. 07771 888992 / northbristolartists.org.uk.

SEAM COLLECTIVE: 'A VISIBLE THREAD'

26 November - 24 December

ACE Arts, Market Place, SOMERTON, TA11 7NB. Tuesday - Saturday 10am - 5pm. 01458 273008 / acearts.co.uk. Textiles.

RAY BALKWILL: 'SPIRIT OF PLACE'

3 and 4 December

The Studio Gallery, Thistledown, Marley Road, EXMOUTH, EX8 4PP. 10am - 5pm. 01395 270278 / raybalkwill.co.uk. "Recent paintings of the Exe Estuary and beyond."

'CELEBRATED TREASURES'

6 - 18 December

Somarton Gallery, 1 West Street, SOMERTON, TA11 7PS. 10am - 4.30pm. somarton.org. "Personal treasured artefacts and memories have inspired a new collection of work for this eclectic exhibition."

PERCY LIZZARD

7 - 20 December

The Gallery, Shaftesbury Arts Centre, Bell Street, SHAFTESBURY, SP7 8AR. Monday - Saturday 10am - 4pm. 01747 855243. Paintings.



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ROBIN MACKENZIE



Wessex Winter Guide 2022



RAMP (Thelma Hulbert Gallery)



CLARE O'NEILL (Fisherton Mill)



PHIL CLAYTON (Sou'-Sou'-West Gallery)

As the nights draw in and mornings find our landscapes shrouded in mist and dripping with dew, it is clear that winter is almost upon us. The beauty of our surroundings are still enticing but it is easy to stay close to home and snug and warm. The WESSEX WINTER GUIDE is designed to give you a seasonal tour around the region, focussing on what our artists and makers have on offer at this time of year.

With such a wealth of creativity available to us we want to encourage you to venture out to visit these venues, and to shop independently and creatively for the festive season. We wish to highlight the magical and reengage you with the wonder and excitement of what is happening around us. See our performance listings and take in a show or concert, and relish being able to choose to do such things.

There are some fabulous collaborative shows at this time of year, including one by new printmaking collective Citizens of Printland. They will take over GALLERY BY THE LAKES to present their debut exhibition *Look Up! A journey through Printland*. The collective features nine artists who share a passion for printmaking in all its forms and come from a mix of backgrounds including fine art, graphic design and illustration. This promises to be a vibrant exhibition; as well as works on paper there will be a number of sculptural interventions – printmaking that is making a three-dimensional leap and blurring the boundaries with sculpture. Opening with a bang on Bonfire Night, go and see the work of these new 'citizens' and see how they have responded to their title *Look Up!*

The seasonal exhibition at ACE ARTS is *A Visible Thread* by the Seam Collective. It aims to encourage visitors to "rethink their relationship to thread, be aware of its materiality, its possibilities and limitations, to take part and play". Engaging with textiles is a popular winter pursuit, and as well as their current show they have a fabulous contemporary craft shop where they showcase ceramics, jewellery, prints and paintings, and more, all made by regional artisans. Currently fundraising to purchase their building and secure this important visual arts venue for Somerset, it is well worth a visit to Somerton.

In Corfe Castle you will find the BOILERHOUSE GALLERY hosting an impressive portfolio of Purbeck artists. An eclectic mix of makers and fine artists, this collective is renowned for putting on a




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PAUL CLEDEN 'CLOUDS OF CANDYFLOSS' (Sculpture by the Lakes + Dorset County Hospital)

spectacular seasonal show in their multi studio site opposite the vintage railway station.

THE THELMA HULBERT GALLERY in Honiton houses a permanent collection of the artist's work, as well as hosting contemporary art and craft exhibitions. *Present Makers* has been running for the last 15 years and is a leading annual selling exhibition in the UK craft calendar. This year's theme is nature, and focusses on jewellery and ceramic collections, as well as showcasing emergent makers.

In Salisbury you'll find FISHERTON MILL, the largest independent arts complex in the south-west. It's always worth a visit, but especially at Christmas when all is bright and sparkling. Their Christmas exhibition entitled *Not Just Camels...* is again an eclectic collective show. They

launch their festive season on 11 November with a shopping evening accompanied by mulled wine, seasonal snacks and live music.

In Symondsburry, on the edge of Bridport, SOU'-SOU'-WEST offer both a festive exhibition *Unwrapped* and a *Winter Open*. This gallery and shop in a pretty courtyard setting always has a full programme. The deadline for open entries is not until 28 November, so for the creatives amongst you there's still time to submit work!

From 18 November until 23 December HEART OF THE TRIBE GALLERY will be hosting their *Winter Open*. Filled with the work of a huge selection of artists, it is the perfect opportunity to view work by established and emerging artists at this, very much community orientated, gallery in Glastonbury.

At BLACK SWAN ARTS in Frome from 19 November you'll find Group 7. This established collective always produce a quality show, celebrating colour, surface and composition in a mix of mediums, this exhibition *Connections* is no exception. There is also an excellent Makers gift shop, café and artists' studios onsite.

LANACRE BARN GALLERY in the heart of Exmoor opens its Christmas show on 19 November. A celebration of the Moor in many mediums, this exhibition features work by Slade schooled fine artists, jewellers, printmakers and photographers, as well as slipware ceramics in their north Devon origins. There are refreshments on offer for those that venture that way.

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MICHELLE GRIFFITHS 'RECIPE FOR DISASTER'

Group 7: Connections

"A new show at Black Swan Arts by the Group 7 collective of artists features paintings, prints, sculpture and drawings, with an emphasis on colour and abstraction. *Connections* includes work by Brian Bishop, Martin Brewster, Bonnie Brown, Michelle Griffiths, Ursula Leach, Stephen Powell and Peter Symons. Each member is an established artist with a distinct artistic practice and identity, but they all share common ground in the predominantly painterly language of colour and abstraction."

19 November - 22 January: Black Swan Arts, 2 Bridge Street, FROME, BA11 1BB. Monday - Sunday 10am - 4pm. 01373 473980 / blackswanarts.org.uk / group7.org.uk.

Visual Arts

PAUL CLEDEN

Until 9 January

Main Corridor, North Wing, Dorset County Hospital, DORCHESTER, DT1 2JY. 8am - 6pm. 01305 253424 / dchartsinhospital.org.uk. "Paul Cleden's printmaking focuses on linocuts. His ability to capture figurative movement gives us a collection of vibrant, dynamic pieces that bring joy to all who see them. The exhibition with its dramatic colours and sweeping lines will be a fabulous winter show for staff, patients and visitors alike."

'LOOK UP!'

5 November - 23 December

Gallery by the Lakes, Pallington Lakes, PALLINGTON, Dorchester, DT2 8QU. Wednesday - Sunday 10am - 5pm. 07979 812083. "The Citizens of Print Land are 9 artists who share a love of printmaking techniques, including wood engraving, linocut and screenprint, and use these to create vibrant images that celebrate the beauty of our landscape, both in the country and the city. Featuring work by Paul Cleden, Lisa Takahashi, Robin Mackenzie, Colin Moore and others."



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'RETURN OF THE MAKERS'

5 November - 24 December

The Creative Gallery, St John's Hill, WAREHAM, BH20 4NB. Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm. 01929 551505. *Ceramics, metal, sculpture, textiles and wood.*

'HEADS AND TALES'

5 November - 24 December

Little Box Room, 2 Bath Street, FROME, BA11 1DG. Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday 11am - 3pm. 07493 943845 / littleboxroom.com. *"Catherine Phelps and Robert Lee show ceramic vases, bowls and chickens alongside assemblages of found objects in reclaimed boxes."*

'NOT JUST CAMELS...'

5 November - 31 December

Fisherton Mill, 108 Fisherton Street, SALISBURY, SP2 7QY. Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm. 01722 415121 / fishertonmill.co.uk. *"Fisherton Mill's annual Christmas exhibition features no less than 18 talented artists and makers with a dazzling array of exciting and original gift ideas, including, as you would expect, some brilliantly quirky ceramic Christmas camels!"*

'UNWRAPPED: A FESTIVE EXHIBITION'

16 November - 8 January

Sou'-Sou'-West Arts Gallery, Symonds Estate, BRIDPORT, DT6 6HG. 10.30am - 4.30pm. 01308 301326 / sousouwest.co.uk. *"Get your festive preparation done early with the opening of a special selling exhibition featuring some of the best handmade decorations, tableware, greetings cards and gift inspiration our local artistic community has to offer."*

WINTER OPEN 2022

18 November - 23 December

Heart of The Tribe Gallery, 74 High Street, GLASTONBURY, BA6 9DZ. 11am - 5pm. 01458 832167 / heartofthetribe.com.

LANACRE BARN GALLERY CHRISTMAS EXHIBITION

19 November - 4 December

Lanacre Barn Gallery, WITHYPOOL, TA24 7SD. 11am - 5pm. moorlandart.com



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Handmade for Christmas

Established makers Rose Hatcher and Kate Osman's annual exhibition *Handmade for Christmas* is a down-to-earth, honest approach to collaborative exhibiting, featuring 70 guest makers from Dorset and the surrounding counties. The last ten years has seen the show grow in both size and confidence, every square inch of space is utilised with ingenious display ensembles, it is quite literally filled to the rafters and the antithesis of a white cube space.

The focus here is very much on hand-making skills with an immovable green ethos. Traditional crafts are celebrated but you can also find the weirdest and wackiest of contemporary pieces! Modern mosaics sit alongside superbly turned wooden bowls, handwoven scarves and millinery next to ceramics, blacksmithing, silversmithing and glass work that seems to sing in the chapel environment. This merely scratches the surface, every year it becomes bigger and better.

Suzu Rushbrook

Until 31 December: The Workhouse Chapel, Bath Road, STURMINSTER NEWTON, DT10 1DS. 9.30am - 4.30pm (closed Christmas Day and Boxing Day). 07900 580716 / workhousechapel.co.uk.

'FOR MIDWINTER'

19 November - 31 December

Clifton Contemporary Art, 25 Portland Street, Clifton, BRISTOL, BS8 4JB. Tuesday - Saturday 10am - 5pm. 0117 317 9713 / cliftoncontemporaryart.co.uk. *"Woodland paintings by Sally Stafford, dramatic landscapes by Parastoo Ganjei, original printwork by Chuck Elliott, studio pottery by Trevor Lillistone and beautifully crafted jewellery by Anthony Feiler."*

'WISH LIST'

26 November - 17 December

Andelli Art, Mendip House, Upper Breach, South Horrington, WELLS, BA5 3QG. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 10am - 5pm. 07790 030506 / andelliart.com. *"20th Century and contemporary art, jewellery and ceramics."*



BEAR FLAT ARTISTS CHRISTMAS ART FAIR & MARKET

3 December

Methodist Church Hall, Bruton Avenue, BEAR FLAT, BA2 4QJ. 10am - 5pm. bearflatartists.co.uk. *"Unique artwork and handmade gifts for sale."*

SOU'-SOU'-WEST WINTER OPEN

3 December - 8 January

Sou'-Sou'-West Arts Gallery, Symonds Estate, BRIDPORT, DT6 6HG. 10.30am - 4.30pm. 01308 301326 / sousouwest.co.uk. *"Annual winter open, featuring the work of artists and makers from all over the south west region."*

EELES POTTERY

7 - 31 December

The Gallery, Shaftesbury Arts Centre, Bell Street, SHAFTESBURY, SP7 8AR. Monday - Saturday 10am - 4pm. 01747 855243. *"Over 300 new pieces ready for Christmas gifts!"*

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'TWISTED CHRISTMAS'

2 December

Village Hall, WINTERBORNE STICKLAND, DT11 0NT. 7.30pm. £12 / £6. 01258 880920 / artsreach.co.uk. "A darkly comic evening of macabre mini plays all with a festive flavour!"

RICK WAKEMAN: 'GRUMPY CHRISTMAS STOCKING TOUR'

2 December

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk. "Rick Wakeman's Christmas shows have become a must-see feature of the festive season. Performing on a grand piano and electric keyboards, he always manages to bring a new twist to his unique musical arrangements for songs from his own career and others, as well as delivering a few surprises, all punctuated by his hilarious stories."

'TWISTED CHRISTMAS'

3 December

Royal Manor Theatre, PORTLAND, DT5 1LT. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 03336 663366. See 2 December.

THE RIDGEWAY SINGERS & BAND: 'WEST GALLERY CAROLS'

4 December

St Gregory's Church, MARNHULL, DT10 1PZ. 4pm. £8 / £5. 01258 820458 / artsreach.co.uk. "A joyous celebration of Christmas past and present."



Snow Angel

"Subversive, anarchic, darkly hilarious and shamelessly festive, *Snow Angel* is a Christmas show that threatens to blow the cover off Elsa and Anna, *The Snowman* and a poor little drummer boy. Santa will never be the same. Expect the unexpected. And a rather touching Eskimo. Mad-capped, joyous and at times preposterous, this is an evening of festive frivolity with a tiny sparkle of magic that will delight. Charlie Bicknell and Louise Innes present a shamelessly festive cabaret show celebrating all that is Christmassy."

9 December: The Mowlem, SWANAGE, BH19 1DD. 7.30pm. £12 / £6. 03336 663366 / artsreach.co.uk.

10 December: Memorial Hall, STURMINSTER MARSHALL, BH21 4BQ. 7.30pm. £12 / £5. 07903 057427 / artsreach.co.uk.

'TREASURE ISLAND - THE PIRATE PANTO'

5 - 10 December

Studio Theatre, Ashley Road, SALISBURY, SP2 7TN. 7.30pm. £12 / £8. studiotheatre.org.uk.



'THE JOLLY CHRISTMAS POSTMAN'

6 - 24 December

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.



'CINDERELLA'

8 - 31 December

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

BSO BRASS: 'CHRISTMAS FANFARE'

9 December

Village Hall, LYTCHETT MATRAVERS, BH16 6DD. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 07795 467666 / artsreach.co.uk.

'CHRISTMAS AT THE OPERA'

9 and 10 December

The Exchange, Old Market Hill, STURMINSTER NEWTON, DT10 1FH. 7.30pm. £30. 01258 475137 / stur-exchange.co.uk.



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16 December: Village Hall, MARTINSTOWN, DT2 9JY. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01305 889738 / artsreach.co.uk.

18 December: Village Hall, STUDLAND, BH19 3BT. 4pm. £10 / £5. 01929 450587 / artsreach.co.uk.

THE CHURCHFITTERS: 'CHRISTMAS CRACKER'

15 December

Memorial Hall, CRANBORNE, BH21 5PZ. 8pm. £10 / £5. 07770 227095 / artsreach.co.uk. "Foot-stomping fiddle mixed with infectious funk-rock rhythms."

THE CHURCHFITTERS: 'CHRISTMAS CRACKER'

16 December

Village Hall, WINFRITH, DT2 8JR. 7.30pm. £12.50 (includes festive supper). 01305 853783 / artsreach.co.uk. See 15 December.

THE CHURCHFITTERS: 'CHRISTMAS CRACKER'

17 December

Comrades Hall, BROADWINDSOR,

DT8 3QP. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 07796 454203 / artsreach.co.uk. See 15 December.

BSO: 'LAST NIGHT OF THE CHRISTMAS PROMS'

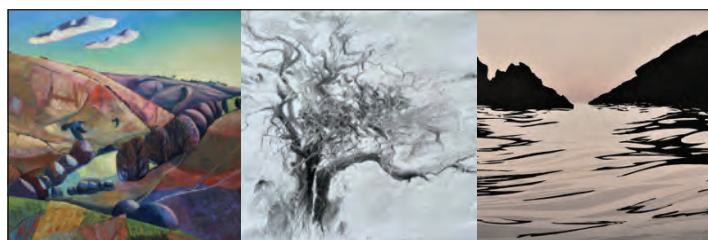
17 December

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk. "A fun-packed concert for all the family, featuring classics old and new, all wrapped up with a sprinkling of magic and sparkle."

BSO: 'CELEBRATION OF CHRISTMAS CAROLS'

23 December

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.



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BSO: 'MELODIC ALCHEMY'

2 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

CATE

3 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA.
7.30pm. £8.50. thelouisiana.net.

MARTIN HARLEY

4 November

The Corn Exchange, High East Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1HF.
7.30pm. £17 / £15. 01305 266926 / dorchesterarts.org.uk.

THE FLATMATES + HELEN MCCOOKERYBOOK + PHIL WILSON

5 November

New Lion Brewery, Meadowbrook Community Centre, Shinner's Bridge, DARTINGTON, Totnes, TQ9 6JD. 8pm. £11. 01803 226277.

SARAH MCQUAID

6 November

St John's Place, Lower Road, Bemerton, SALISBURY, SP2 9NP.
7pm. £12. 07790 287062.

INDIGO SPARKE

7 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA.
7.30pm. £10. thelouisiana.net.

BSO: 'FANTASTIC FAIRYTALES'

9 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

SARAH MCQUAID

9 November

The Bridge Inn, TOPSHAM, Exeter, EX3 0QQ. 7pm. £14 / £12. 01392 873862.



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10 November

The Thunderbolt, 124 Bath Road, Totterdown, BRISTOL, BS4 3ED.
7.30pm. £9. 0117 373 8947.

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10 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

NOEMI NUTI QUARTET

11 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 8pm. lighthousepoole.co.uk. Jazz.



FIRELIGHT TRIO

11 November

Village Hall, WOOTTON FITZPAINE, DT6 6NF. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01297 560948 / artsreach.co.uk. "European folk music that is evocative, inventive, and endlessly exciting."



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The Monochrome Set

"The Monochrome Set formed in 1978, and were heavily influential in the 'post-punk' scene that evolved after the initial scorched earth of punk. The band's early releases were on the legendary Rough Trade Label before signing with Virgin offshoot Din Disc. They also released several albums on the Cherry Red label, making a notable appearance on that label's well known *Pillows and Prayers* compilation. Though they split in 1985 the next decade saw several reunions for both live gigs and further studio recordings. After a hiatus of over a decade the band reformed full time in 2010 and have since toured all over the UK, Europe, Japan and the USA, whilst also releasing seven new, critically acclaimed, studio albums. Now in their 44th year, and featuring original members Bid and Andy Warren, with newest recruit Athen Ayren on keyboards, they are beginning a new series of gigs promoting their latest album *All Hallowtide* and playing songs old and new."

26 November: The Thunderbolt, 124 Bath Road, BRISTOL, BS4 3ED. 7.30pm. £15 / £13. 0117 373 8947 / headfirstbristol.co.uk. *The Monochrome Set + Poor Performer + The Lovely Basement*

WISHBONE ASH

11 November

Exeter Phoenix, Gandy Street, EXETER, EX4 3LS. 7.30pm. £25 / £23. 01392 667080 / exeterphoenix.org.uk. "The legendary classic rockers celebrate the 50th Anniversary of their groundbreaking 'Argus' album by performing it in its entirety for the first time ever!"

NICK HART

11 November

Village Hall, PENSELWOOD, BA9 8LS. 7.30pm. £12 / £8. 01747 840680 / takeart.org. "One of the most acclaimed traditional singers of his generation."

NICK HART

12 November

Holford & District Village Hall, HOLFORD, TA5 1SD. 7.30pm. £11 / £8. 07843 348057 / takeart.org. See 11 November.

'CHOIRS IN CONCERT'

12 November

Taunton Minster, Church Square, TAUNTON, TA1 1SA. 7.30pm. £12.50. 01823 432495 / 07507 993657 / tauntondeanemvc.com. "Joint Taunton Deane and Minehead Male Voice Choir concert."

CHARLIE HICKEY

12 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA. 7.30pm. £10. thelouisiana.net.

FIRELIGHT TRIO

12 November

Village Hall, BRIANTSPUDDLE, DT2 7HT. 7.30pm. £10 / £6. 07788 100273 / artsreach.co.uk. See 11 November.

WISHBONE ASH

12 November

Cheese & Grain, Market Yard, FROME, BA11 1BE. 8pm. £25 / £22. 01363 455420 / cheeseandgrain.com. See 11 November.

THE FB POCKET ORCHESTRA

12 November

The Corn Exchange, High East Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1HF. 7.30pm. £15 / £13. 01305 266926 / dorchesterarts.org.uk.

THE GLASTONBURY BRASS BAND

12 November

Martock Church, MARTOCK, TA12 6JL. 7.30pm. £12 / £10. martockonline.co.uk.

BSO: 'SMOOTH CLASSICS'

12 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

FIRELIGHT TRIO

13 November

Portman Hall, SHILLINGSTONE, DT11 0SF. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01258 860319 / artsreach.co.uk. See 11 November.

NICK HART

13 November

North Curry Church, NORTH CURRY, TA3 6LJ. 7pm. £15. takeart.org. See 11 November.

BSO FLUTE, CELLO & HARP TRIO: 'SERENADE'

13 November

St Christopher's Church, WINFRITH, DT2 8HB. 2.30pm. £10 / £5. 01305 853783 / artsreach.co.uk.

TOM MCGUIRE & THE BRASSHOLES

13 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA. 7.30pm. £12.50. thelouisiana.net.

FAKE FRUIT

14 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA. 7.30pm. £10. thelouisiana.net.

BSO: 'AN ITALIAN AFFAIR'

16 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.30pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

AMY MONTGOMERY

16 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA. 7.30pm. £10. thelouisiana.net.



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18 November

Corn Exchange, BLANDFORD, DT11 7AG. 8pm. £12 / £5. 01258 480698 / artsreach.co.uk. "Serbia's leading Roma violinist Branko Ristic and UK accordionist Faith Ristic perform high-energy original Roma and jazz influenced music."



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18 and 19 November

Tincleton Gallery, The Old School House, TINCLETON, near Dorchester, DT2 8QR. 7.30pm. £15. 01305 848909 / tinctongallery.com. Jazz.

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19 November

Bridport United Church, East Street, BRIDPORT, DT6 3LJ. 7pm. £12 / £10. 01308 427109.

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19 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA. 7.30pm. £10. thelouisiana.net.

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19 November

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CHRIS HODGKINS: 'TRIBUTE TO HUMPH'

25 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 8pm. 01202 280000. Jazz.

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25 November

The Ropemakers, 36 West Street, BRIDPORT, DT6 3QP. 9.30pm. 01308 421255 / theropemakers.com.

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30 November

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THE HEAVY HEAVY

30 November

The Louisiana, Wapping Road, Bathurst Terrace, BRISTOL, BS1 6UA. 7.30pm. £12.50. thelouisiana.net.

SARAH MCQUAID

1 December

The Village Pump @ The Lamb Inn, 127 Mortimer Street, TROWBRIDGE, BA14 0NH. 7.30pm. £15 / £12. 01225 755947 / thepumptrowbridge.co.uk.

THE JAZZ DEFENDERS

2 December

Red Brick Building, GLASTONBURY, BA6 9FT. 7.30pm. £12 / £10. redbrickbuilding.co.uk.

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3 December

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November and December 2022

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2 November

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'RICHARD THE SECOND'

4 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7pm. 01202 280000. See 2 November.

'A NIGHT AT THE NOVELTY THEATRE'

4 and 5 November

The Alma Tavern & Theatre, 18 - 20 Alma Vale Road, BRISTOL, BS8 2HY. 8pm. £12 / £7. 07876 706976. "A blissful evening of original music hall entertainment featuring baffling eccentric dances, breathtaking musical virtuosity, brand new songs and some very old jokes."

'RADIUM GIRLS'

4 - 12 November

Bristol Old Vic, King Street, BRISTOL, BS1 4ED. 3 and 8pm. 0117 987 7877 / bristololdvic.org.uk.



'WITCH HUNT'

5 November

The Corn Exchange, High East Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1HF. 7.30pm. £14 / £12. 01305 266926 / dorchesterarts.org.uk. "A cautionary fairy tale for our time"



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26 November: Axbridge Town Hall, AXBRIDGE, BS26 2AY. 7.30pm. £12 / £7. 01934 732128 / takeart.org.

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JESSICA FOSTEKU: 'WENCH'

6 November

Bristol Old Vic, King Street, BRISTOL, BS1 4ED. 8pm. £14. 0117 987 7877 / bristololdvic.org.uk.

'SHOCK HORROR'

9 November

The Corn Exchange, High East Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1HF. 6.30pm. £12 / £10. 01305 266926.

THOMAS GREEN + LUKE HONNORATY + LOUISE LEIGH

10 November
The Corn Exchange, High East Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1HF. 7.30pm. £12. 01305 266926 / dorchesterarts.org.uk. Comedy.

DAVID MYNNE: 'THE ODYSSEY'

11 November

Memorial Hall, PIDDLTRENTHIDE, DT2 7QF. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 07786 880676. "Cornish actor David Myne presents a compact piece of theatre magic, with more Greek stuff than you can shake a stick at!"

CALLUM PATRICK-HUGHES:

'THIRST'

11 November

Black Swan, LANGPORT, TA10 9RQ. 7.30pm. £10. takeart.org. "A show about love – love of pubs, love of community, love of family. And a reminder that not everything you love is necessarily good for you."

DAVID MYNNE: 'THE ODYSSEY'

12 November

Village Hall, SHIPTON GORGE, DT6 4NA. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01308 897407 / artsreach.co.uk.

PAUL THORNE + KATIE PRICE + MICHAEL FABBRI

12 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 8pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk. Comedy.

DAVID MYNNE: 'THE ODYSSEY'

13 November

Village Hall, LANGTON MATRAVERS, BH19 3HA. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01929 423834. See 11 November.



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Holyrood Academy, CHARD, TA20 1JL. 6.30pm. £10 / £5. 01460 260131 / takeart.org. "Destiny dreams big. She dreams glamour. If J-Lo can make it out of the Bronx, then Destiny can make it off the Hill Rise estate in Chippenham."

OPERA HOLLOWAY: 'OPERA GALA'

18 November

St Andrew's Church, YETMINSTER, DT9 6LG. 7.30pm. £12 / £5. 01935 873546 / artsreach.co.uk.

MI FLAMENCO

19 November

The Corn Exchange, High East Street, DORCHESTER, DT1 1HF. 7.30pm. £18 / £16. 01305 266926 / dorchesterarts.org.uk. Dance.

GONZO MOOSE: 'IS THAT A BOLT IN YOUR NECK?'

19 November

Village Hall, STALBRIDGE, DT10 2NF. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01963 362978 / artsreach.co.uk.

SUZI RUFFELL + PETER RETHINASAMY + ANDY ASKINS

19 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 8pm. 01202 280000. Comedy.



SONIA SABRI COMPANY: 'ROSHNI'

19 November

The Exchange, STURMINSTER NEWTON, DT10 1FH. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01258 475137 / artsreach.co.uk. "A beautifully intimate crafting of dance and live music."

SONIA SABRI COMPANY: 'ROSHNI'

20 November

Royal Manor Theatre, PORTLAND, DT5 1LT. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 03336 663366 / artsreach.co.uk. See 19 November.



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20 November: Caryford Community Hall, Maggs Lane, CASTLE CARY, BA7 7JJ. 7.30pm. £12. 01963 350980. See 18 November.

GONZO MOOSE: 'IS THAT A BOLT IN YOUR NECK?'

20 November

The Allendale Centre, WIMBORNE, BH21 1AS. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01202 887247 / artsreach.co.uk.

'BLOOD BROTHERS'

22 - 26 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 7.45pm (Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday matinees 2.30pm). 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk. "Willy Russell's legendary musical tells the captivating and moving tale of twins separated at birth."

'HOLY COW!'

23 November

Village Hall, SYDLING ST NICHOLAS, DT2 9NX. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01300 341777. "Storytelling and music."

'HOLY COW!'

24 November

Village Hall, BURTON BRADSTOCK, DT6 4QD. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01308 897421. See 23 November.

THE MIDNIGHT FLORISTS: 'DROWNING IN THE SOUND'

24 November

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 8pm. 01202 280000 / lighthousepoole.co.uk.

JOHNNY FLUFFYPUNK

24 November

The Art Bank Café, SHEPTON MALLETT, BA4 5AA. 7pm. £10. takeart.org. "A funny, absurd and touching pilgrimage across London with a dead dog and an epiphany beside a derelict canal."

JOHNNY FLUFFYPUNK

25 November

The Bridge Bakery, LANGPORT, TA10 9RB. 7pm. £10. takeart.org. See 24 November.



'ENG-ER-LAND'

26 November

Village Hall, BROADOAK, DT6 5NL. 7.30pm. £10 / £5. 01308 424922 / artsreach.co.uk. "An energetic play about who's really on your team."

'ENG-ER-LAND'

27 November

Village Hall, BROADMAYNE, DT2 8EW. 8pm. £9 / £5. 07443 659912 / artsreach.co.uk. See 26 November.

MATT RICHARDSON + GARETH RICHARDS + DINESH NATHAN

3 December

Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, POOLE, BH15 1UG. 8pm. 01202 280000. Comedy.

MIRANDA PENDER: 'CENSORED!'

3 December

Weymouth Library, Great George Street, WEYMOUTH, DT4 8NN. 10.30am. £3. 01305 750557.

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3 December

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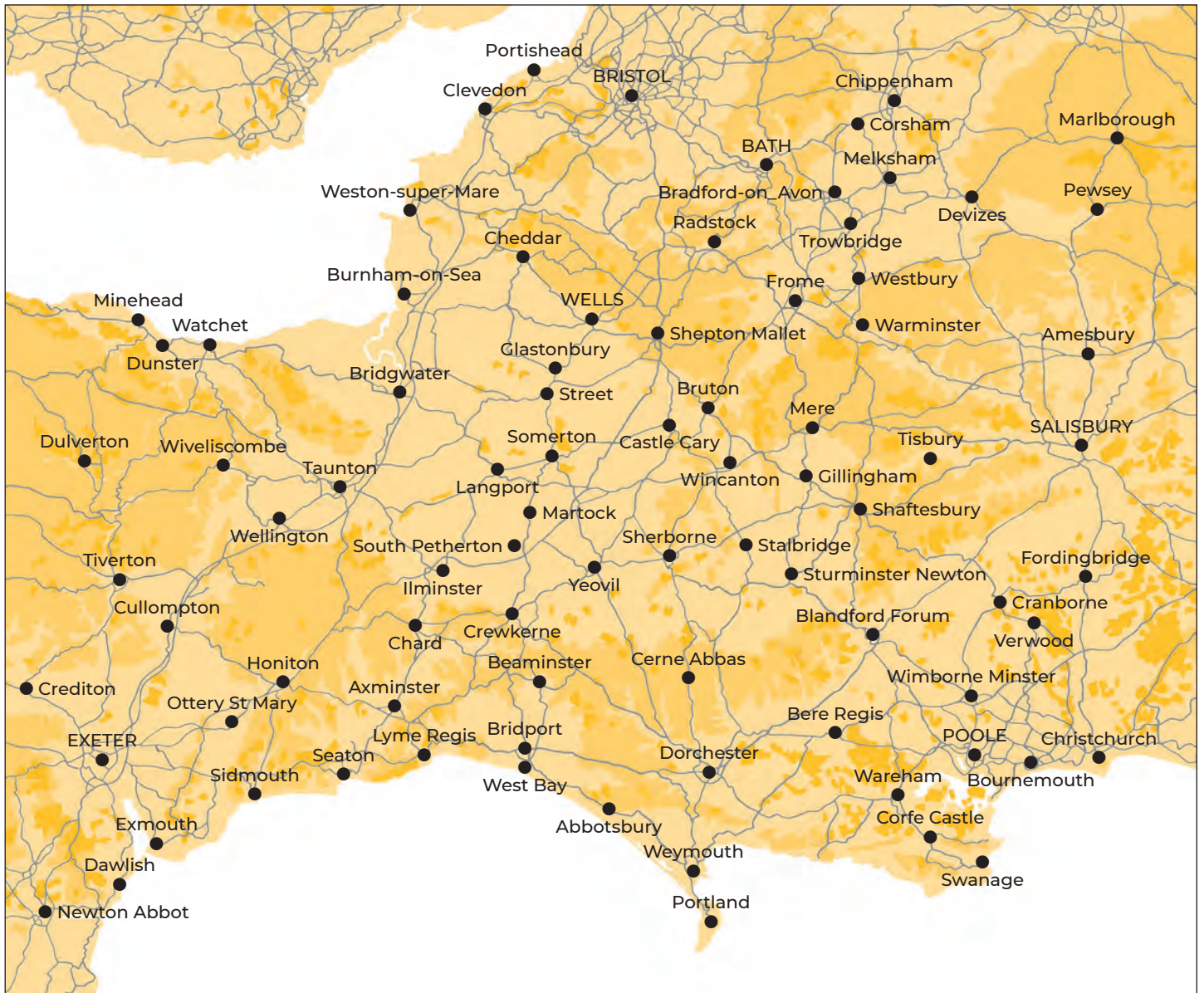
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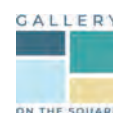
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