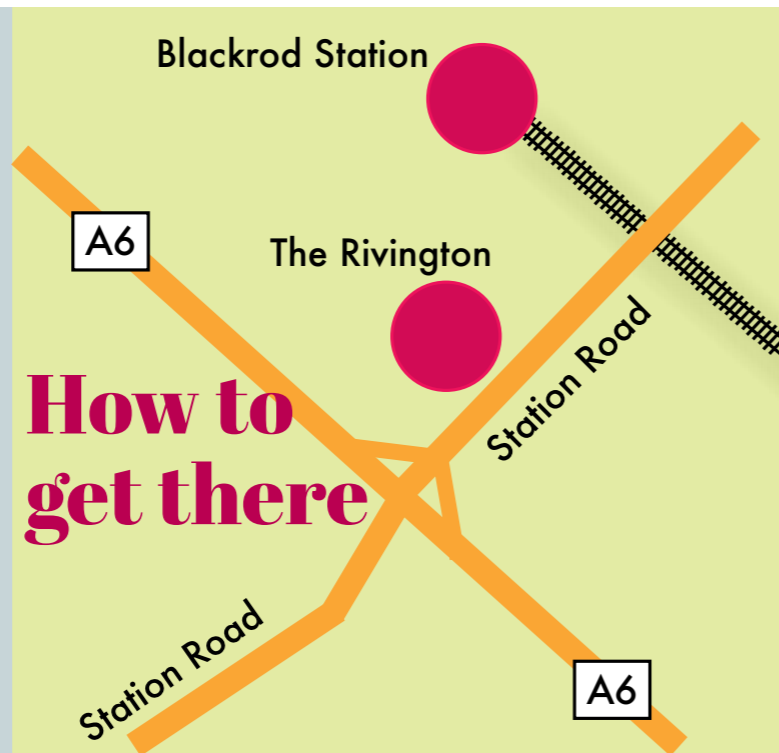


## New Year Dinner

The date is February 24 and the venue is The Rivington Pub and Grill, Station Road, Blackrod, Bolton BL6 5JF 1.00 for 1.30pm.

The cost of a roast dinner is £7.99 excluding starter and dessert but diners can also choose from the a la carte menu if they wish. If your name is on the Highfield list Eileen has paid your deposit and if you then can't make it you will have to pay Eileen the £5 deposit.

Anyone wishing to go by train can leave Bolton at 12.48 arriving at Blackrod Station at 13.00pm. There is a return train at 15.16 and 16.15. Check times before travelling.



## How to get there

## Caran d'Ache Demo

There is a possibility of organising a Caran d'Ache demonstration using watercolour pencils if enough people would be interested. We would need to have at least 20 members and friends to arrange the demo. There would be a small charge to cover tea & biscuits only. A signing list will be put up at Highfield, if you would like to come just add your name.

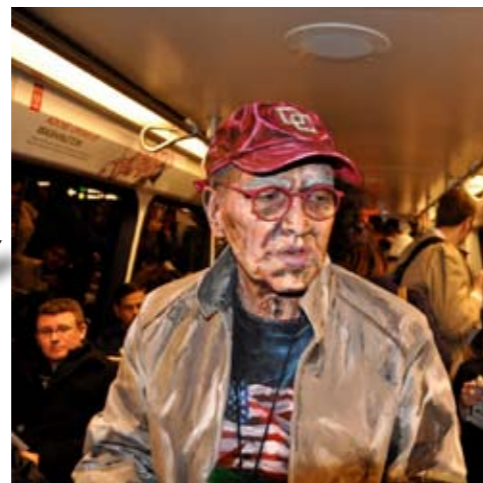


We currently stand at **94** members



## Artist of the Month

<https://alexameade.com/>



Alexa Meade's work may look like something you would see hanging on the wall in an art gallery, but Meade isn't like any other artist. The artist's work is different in that she literally paints human beings, face, hair, clothes, turning them into living, breathing portraits. Alexa creates the illusion of a world where 2D and 3D have become one.



# Picture Post PictEXTRA

As there is not a lot to report this month I have decided show more of the member's artwork, also I do have a bit of a backlog to get through!

◀ **Lyndsay Cook** 'View of Rivington'  
Acrylic and Chalk.

▼ **Dan Thewlis** 'Four Fishermen and a Pot Of Tea'  
Acrylics

## Art Challenge

Is there a member who would be interested in undertaking a repair on an oil painting? You will deal directly with the owner.

Contact Frank Findlow on 07411 431007 or [ffindlow@icloud.com](mailto:ffindlow@icloud.com) if you are interested in this interesting project.



▼ **Ted Holden** 'Deep Water' Acrylics



▲ **Bill Usher** 'Duck on Water' Acrylics

