

Take a Break

Enrolling on an art course is a fantastic way to sharpen your skills or test drive a new medium altogether. Here's a list of residential courses around the country that may be to your liking.

DEBORAH LAST

Enjoy painting in North Devon's dramatic landscape. Visit her website www.deborahlast.co.uk

ST IVES SCHOOL OF PAINTING

Learn with our team of skilled artists in stunning studios overlooking the ocean. Two- to five-day courses with all materials provided. Visit the website <https://schoolofpainting.co.uk/> or call 01736 797180 for more details.

HAWKWOOD COLLEGE OF ART

Experience Ancient Byzantine Icon Painting with expert teaching from the Prosopon School at Hawkwood in the Cotswolds. Go to www.hawkwoodcollege.co.uk or call 01453 759034

COOMBE FARM STUDIOS

Unlock your creativity, paint fresh vibrant watercolours, get to grips with oils or experiment with acrylics year-round in Dartmouth, Devon. Website www.coombe-farmstudios.com
Tel 01803 722352

THE COURTYARD ART STUDIO

Newly opened in the summer of 2017 and nestled in the heart of Claydon Estate, home to the National Trust's Claydon House, Buckingham. Website www.thecourtyardartstudio.com
Tel 01296 733200 (office hours)

CALLINGTON SCHOOL OF ART

Three and six-day residential courses for artists of all abilities. Four-star accommodation, small groups, good home cooking, individual tuition, excellent studio and excursions to Cornish beaches and countryside. Website <https://callingtonartschool.com>
Tel 01579 383491 or 01579 381058



NEXT DEMO
Nikki Parmenter,
mixed media, textile based.
Tuesday October 10th
7-30 to 9-30 at
Highfield Community
Centre
£4 admission

STOP PRESS
Frank is hoping
to organise another
Urban Sketching
day out during October.
Details to follow.



Artists & Illustrators invite you to submit your artwork for Artist of the Year 2018.

Enter now for the chance to gain national exposure, win amazing prizes and your own solo show at a prestigious gallery. This competition is a fantastic opportunity to introduce your art to a new audience.

The winner will receive a £1,000 cash prize, a brush bouquet from Rosemary & Co and the chance to work towards a solo exhibition with Panter & Hall, a prestigious gallery in central London. Don't miss the deadline! Submit before noon on 3 November 2017 FREE for members of Artists & Illustrators or join for £24.99 per year. Go to www.artistsandillustrators.co.uk for details.

Art For Sale

THE MANCHESTER CONTEMPORARY

The Manchester Contemporary is holding a Buy Art Fair/Exhibition at Manchester Central (old Central Station) Friday 27 - Sunday 29 Oct. Admission is £15 on the door on opening night or £5 on the door on Saturday (10.00 - 18.00) or Sunday (10.00 - 17.00) Launched in 2008, The Manchester Contemporary is committed to encouraging and developing a market for critically engaged contemporary art in the region. It provides an opportunity for audiences to access high calibre contemporary art by exhibiting international artists alongside those that are new and emerging. This is a major exhibition and well worth a look.

Bolton Art Circle on the internet



We have both a Facebook page and a Web page that members can take advantage of. You will need to be a member of Facebook to see their page but the Web page is open to anyone, both pages offer tremendous opportunities for members to sell their artwork for FREE to large audiences. If you are a facebook member you can post your pictures yourself, for the web page contact Ian Trotman, our Web manager, and he will post the pictures for you. There are some pictures in our Web gallery but there is always room for more so send your artwork images to Ian by email, iantmn@hotmail.co.uk, and he will do the rest.



Art by Elise
Pastel Animal Workshop
- Colourful Greys -
Sunday 22nd October
10am - 3pm at
The John Holt Community Centre,
Birch Avenue, Westhoughton,
BL5 2NR
£25 including tea, coffee & biscuits
bring your own packed lunch!
Call Elise on 0779 646 3852
or email me: ArtByElise@outlook.com
or get in touch on Facebook [f Artby Elise](https://www.facebook.com/ArtbyElise)

One Day Workshop

Elise Nimmo is holding a workshop 'Colourful Greys' on October 22 at John Holt Community Centre on Birch Avenue, Westhoughton, BL5 2NR. Let her know know by ringing 07796 463852 if you would like to attend, a £10 deposit secures a place with the remainder payable by Thursday 12th October.

Online Course

Artists & Illustrators Magazine have sent details of an online course 'The Ultimate Guide to Drawing Hands' by Richard Pace available for £28.25 or £14.12 if you enroll to the Craftsy online studio. So if you are struggling drawing hands this could be a course for you! (Only available online) Go to www.craftsy.com for full details.