

# CREATIVE LEARNING SUMMER 2019



# WELCOME TO OUR CREATIVE LEARNING PROGRAMME SUMMER 2019



Art Outdoors: Drawing & Printmaking



Free Expression with Acrylic Paints

**This year's summer programme has been carefully put together, with the best artists and craftspeople in the region on hand to share their skills.**

Whether you simply want to dip your toe in one of our taster sessions or take the plunge on a fully immersive summer school, we've got the excuse you need to broaden your artistic horizons.

We're also excited to launch our new family workshops, where mums, dads, grandparents and kids can get creative... together.

Workshops can book up quickly, so check the website for full details and book early!

Kate Lund, Creative Learning Adult and Visual Arts Manager

## GIFT IDEAS

What do you get the person who has everything? Our classes and workshops are the perfect gift idea for those 'hard to buy for' friends and relatives.

# SUMMER SCHOOLS

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## Upholstery Summer School

**Sat 8 & Sun 9 Jun**  
**10-5pm each day**  
**Fee: £125 | Tutor: Rachel Cabble**

Give a footstool, modern dining or drop-in chair a stylish new lease of life on this two-day summer school.

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## Contemporary Jewellery Summer School

**Mon 17 - Wed 19 Jun**  
**Mon 1.30-5.30pm**  
**Tue & Wed 10.30-5.30pm**  
**Fee: £165 | Tutor: Jo Dix**

Explore and develop your ideas over three days to create a unique piece of jewellery in the supportive and relaxed environment of our workshop. Suitable for all levels.

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## Life Drawing Summer School

**Tue 16 - Thu 18 Jul**  
**10.30-4.30pm each day**  
**Fee: £165**

**Tutor: Catherine MacDiarmid**

Take your drawing skills to another level with this intensive course covering mark-making, observational skills and techniques for improving measuring for accuracy. Led by Catherine MacDiarmid, semi-finalist in TV's *Sky Arts Portrait Artist of the Year 2019*.



All summer schools include morning refreshments.

# PRINTWEEK

## Line Etching

**Tue 18 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £63 | Tutor: Jamie Barnes**

Follow in the footsteps of Rembrandt and explore the process of making an etching using a series of lines and different marks to build areas of detail, tone and texture. Suitable for all.

## **NEW!** Cyanotypes

**Wed 19 Jun | 10.30-4pm**  
**Fee: £63 | Tutor: Janis Young**

Learn how to produce handmade prints on paper and fabric using a modern version of the 180 year old process known today as Cyanotype printing.

## **NEW!** Screenprint a Tote Bag

**Thu 20 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £63 | Tutor: Katie Edwards**

Create a one-of-a-kind tote bag with your own hand-crafted design with printmaker Katie Edwards.



Cyanotypes

### Experimental Etching

**Fri 21 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £63 | Tutor: Karen Lester**

Experiment with resists such as soft ground, ink, oil pastel and marker pens on aluminium plates to create prints. A chance for experienced etchers to try different approaches.



Screenprinting

### Collagraph Print the Landscape

**Sat 22 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £63 | Tutor: Penny Hunt**

Make your own set of prints of a favourite landscape using collagraph - a technique in which a collaged printing plate is made, sealed, then inked and printed from to make a small edition.

Print workshops are limited to 6 people. All materials are included.

## TASTER SESSIONS

**New to Printmaking? Come along to one of our evening taster sessions and give it a try! All sessions £15 and run 6.30-9pm.**

### Lino Print Your Own Postcards

**Mon 17 Jun**  
**Tutor: Penny Hunt**

Make your own set of postcards using linocut, a technique in which a lino block is carved and printed to make a two colour print and a small edition.

### Screenprinting

**Tue 18 Jun**  
**Tutor: Katie Edwards**

An exciting introduction to the basic techniques you'll need to create your own unique piece of art work.

### Drypoint Printmaking

**Wed 19 Jun**  
**Tutor: Karen Lester**

This introduction to Intaglio printmaking will help you create prints from your own photos using drypoint techniques on perspex sheets.

# CREATIVE WRITING AND MEDIA

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## Nature Writing

Sat 11 May | 10.30-4.30pm  
Fee: £59 | Tutor: Karen Lloyd

Stimulate your nature writing in the springtime woodlands around the National Trust's Footprint building near Windermere. Suitable for writers of all abilities.

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## **NEW!** The Art of Blogging

Wed 5 & 19 Jun  
7-9pm each evening  
Fee: £55 | Tutor: Beth Pipe

Whether you're blogging for fun or for business this course will help you come up with new and creative ways to reach your audience.

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## **NEW!** Stop Worrying, Start Writing

Wed 12 & 26 Jun  
7-9pm each evening  
Fee: £55 | Tutor: Amy Arnold

Write what you really want to write! This short course aims to give you the freedom to write bravely and in your own voice. Amy Arnold is the winner of the Northern Book Prize 2018.

# PHOTOGRAPHY

**NEW!** **Photographing People: The Art of Portrait Photography**

Sat 18 May  
10.30-1pm | Fee: £40

**Tutor: Carolyn Mendelsohn**

Carolyn Mendelsohn will help you improve your portrait photography using her exhibition *Being Inbetween* as your inspiration. Packed with useful tips and tricks.

**NEW!** **Beginners Guide to Street Photography (Black and White Film)**

Sat 8 Jun | 10-4.30pm  
Fee: £63 | Tutor: Tim Murray

An introduction to the exciting world of black and white street photography. This practical workshop covers capturing images, processing film and developing prints in our darkroom.

**NEW!** **Beginners Guide to Digital Street Photography**

Sat 13 Jul | 10-4.30pm  
Fee: £55 | Tutor: Tim Murray

Develop your photographic skills out on the streets of Kendal and learn to look at the world in a different way!



# ARTS & CRAFTS

## APRIL/MAY/JUNE

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### **Sculpture in the Outdoors**

**Mon 29 April - 8 July (8 weeks)**

**10-12.30pm | Fee: £140**

**Tutor: Amy Williams**

Get close to nature and make art in the outdoors or inspired by natural forms at the stunning Footprint building and surrounding woodlands near Windermere. Experiment with a range of materials and processes - mould, paint, construct and weave to create 3D artworks.

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### **Willow Tipis for your Garden Climbers**

**Sat 11 May | 10.30-5.30pm**

**Fee: £59 | Tutor: Hannah Ehler**

Willow tipis are pyramid-shaped structures that give delightful vertical accents to your garden. Make your own using the traditional principles of willow and hedgerow weaving.

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### **NEW! Seasonal Summer Bouquets**

**Tue 4 Jun | 7-9.30pm | Fee: £50**

**Tutor: Green House Floristry**

Learn how to make your very own hand-tied bouquet using beautiful seasonal blooms and fabulous wild natural foliage. Toast your creation with a complimentary glass of wine!





Seasonal Summer Bouquets

Check our website for full details, including what you may need to bring.

### **NEW!** Silk Shaded Viola

**Tue 11 & Wed 12 Jun**  
**10.30-4.30pm | Fee: £120**  
**Tutor: Sara Dennis**

Learn how to master the beautiful technique of silk shading. Beginning with the basics we will work on some samples before stitching a lovely printed viola. All abilities welcome including beginners.

### **NEW!** Make a Skirt in a Day

**Thu 13 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £55 | Tutor: Caren Threlfall**

Make a skirt of your own design in a day! Learn how to create a pattern using your own body measurements, then design, cut and sew your skirt, to take home and wear with pride.



Bind a Book in a Day

### **Bountiful Round Baskets**

**Tue 25 & Wed 26 Jun**  
**10.30-5.30pm each day**  
**Fee: £120 | Tutor: Hannah Ehlert**

Make a round basket and create something unique, beautiful and useful!



Bountiful Round Baskets

### **Bind a Book in a Day**

**Sat 29 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £63 | Tutor: Sophie Martin**

Make a simple, soft-backed book using different bookbinding techniques as well as a hard-backed book to take home for yourself or for a handmade gift.

### **NEW!** Mixed Media Wire Sculpture

**Thu 27 Jun | 10.30-4.30pm**  
**Fee: £59 | Tutor: Priscilla Edwards**

Explore materials including wire, wax, and fabric to create small sculptures that can be embellished with buttons, beads and found ephemera.



# LANGUAGES

FILMS, FOOD AND DISCUSSION IN FRENCH AND SPANISH



## Diner, Film et Conversation

Tue 11 & 18 Jun | 5.30-10pm

Fee: £25 each screening  
or £45 for both

Tutor: Dominique Pluskwa

After sampling some delicious French food, Dominique Pluskwa will introduce the movie and after the screening will lead a discussion about French suburbs, integration and education... all in French!

## Tapas, Película y Conversación

Thu 6 & 13 Jun | 5.30-10pm

Fee: £25 each screening  
or £45 for both

Tutor: Pilar Valera

Enjoy an evening of tapas, film and lively debate in Spanish in our relaxed film screenings in the Warehouse.

Book any  
two sessions  
for £45!

# ARTS & CRAFTS

## JULY

### **NEW!** Beginners Pottery

Tue 2 & 16 Jul | 10.30-4.30pm

each day

Fee: £120 | Tutor: Chris Barnes

An intensive introduction which will equip you with the pottery skills you'll need... quickly. Take the shortcut to success with clay.

### **NEW!** Free Expression with Acrylic Paints

Sat 6 Jul | 10.30-4.30pm

Fee: £55 | Tutor: Frances Winder

Develop free use of acrylic paint using different methods and materials including gesso, rags and card, impasto techniques and collage work.

### **NEW!** Art Outdoors: Drawing and Printmaking

Mon 15 Jul | 10-4pm

Fee: £59 | Tutor: Karen Lester

A day for those who love nature and would like to spend the day drawing and printmaking in beautiful surroundings at the National Trust's Footprint building near Windermere.

### **Animals in Acrylic on Canvas**

Thu 4 Jul | 10.30-4.30pm

Fee: £59 | Tutor: Thuline De Cock

Create the perfect portrait of your pet or favourite animal with well-known local artist Thuline De Cock.

### **NEW!** Textile Landscapes

Thu 11 & Fri 12 Jul

10.30-4.30pm each day

Fee: £65 | Tutor: Kay Leech

Combine a variety of techniques, including painting and adding texture with layers of fabric and stitch, to create a textured textile landscape including trees, hills or a flower meadow.

# NEW! FAMILY WORKSHOPS

## FAMILY PRINTMAKING

**Sat 1 June**

4-7 years | 10.30 - 12.30pm

8-12 years | 1.30 - 3.30pm

£16 for 1 Adult + 1 Child (additional person £8)

## FAMILY POTTERY

**Sat 22 June**

4-7 years | 10.30 - 12.30pm

8-12 years | 1.30 - 3.30pm

£16 for 1 Adult + 1 Child (additional person £8)

## ART IN THE OUTDOORS

**Sat 27 July**

A day of making art at the Footprint building and surrounding woodlands.

5-12 years | 10 - 3pm

£32 for 1 Adult + 1 Child (additional person £16)

## FAMILY ART IN LANGDALE

**Wed 31 July**

10 - 12pm - Natural weavings

2 - 4pm - Paper flowers

£10 adult, £8 child each session. Ages 6+

Includes **FREE** use of Leisure facilities at Langdale Hotel!

**For more information on family workshops please visit our website**