

CAS Newsletter – June 2023

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Dear Members,

We had a good turnout for Ronnie Ireland's illustrated talk about the wonderful painting of Joan Eardley and Anne Redpath. Ronnie's talk was interesting, informative and entertaining as always.

Sketching Days

Sharon's group of sketchers have been very lucky with the weather so far- I do hope that's not famous last words. They have sketched at Chichester Canal, Fishbourne Meadows, Stanstead House/Gardens and Chichester Allotments, attached are some photographs of members sketching at the allotments.



Sketching Dates for June

Monday 5th June - The Trundle

The Trundle is an iron age hill fort on St Roche's Hill about 3 miles north of Chichester. We meet on the side with the two-tier carpark, which is a right turn if you approach from the direction of the Weald and Downland Museum and left if come via Lavant and past the racecourse.

Wednesday 21st June - Bosham Harbour

Pretty views of boats in the harbour and Bosham Church and Village. Cafes and toilets are available. From the A259 turn south from the roundabout north of the village, into Delling Lane. At the T- junction turn right and follow the road until you see the Craft Centre on the right. The pay carpark is on the left.

Sharon will meet you at both venues just before 9.30am.

Programme

Thursday 1st June - Rick Holmes will be demonstrating a landscape in mixed media.

(Morning meeting - 10.15am to 12.15pm - doors open 9.30am)

Rick is very popular with CAS and is a member of The Wapping Group, along with Roger Dellar, amongst other well-known groups and societies. He uses a roller and acrylic ink as a base for his painting before using acrylic paint and pastel to complete it.

Thursday 15th June- Stephen Foster with demonstrate a semi=abstract landscape in Acrylic
(Evening meeting - 6.45pm to 8.45pm - doors open 6.00pm)

Stephen is well known for his technique of mixing his colours on the painting rather than on a palette, which is very liberating and great fun.

Stewarding

Those of you who are exhibiting at our summer exhibition will have received an email from Chris Shaw asking you to give him the dates and times you are able to steward at the exhibition. You are only required to do one slot. To enable him to organise the rota please reply to him as soon as possible.

CAS May Publicity Update

From Christine Wheeler:

The publicity for the exhibition continues: -

Sponsors

Rosy has confirmed our sponsors for the exhibition; Bond a Frame, Stride, Rowdens, Super Signs and a donation from Buzby & Blue. Glanvilles are unable to sponsor this year.

Leaflets

The Society's general leaflets have been updated and will be available at the exhibition. The exhibition leaflets are also printed and have been distributed to the library, Novium, Travel Lodge, Assembly Rooms, Bond a Frame and will be available to members at meetings.

The Chichester Observer and online Sussex Worlds newspapers.

An article about the exhibition and what the Society offers to the art community have been sent to the editor along with a great photograph taken at "Painting with Friends".

Further event entries have been submitted to:

- . The Village Magazine
- . The Festival of Chichester leaflet (see page 23) and website are now published and include our event in their leaflet and online.
- . The Great Sussex Way E-Newsletter - a new Tourist Information website.

What can you do to help?

- . Please invite your friends and family to the Private View evening at the Oxmarket Contemporary - 18.30 to 20.00 Monday 26th June.
- . Private View E-invite - will be coming into your inbox in June, please email to family and friends, there is plenty of room at the venue so please cast your net widely.
- . Please distribute some exhibition leaflets to friends and family, groups you are involved with, and local venues. They will be available at meetings.
- . Please post the exhibition details on your social media, using the Exhibition Leaflet which was sent out to you as an email attachment.

Thank you, your support is so important for a successful exhibition. Christine

Looking forward to seeing you at the next meeting on the 1st June.

Regards, Maggie.

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Art
Society*

SUMMER EXHIBITION

of Original Artwork

OXMARKET CONTEMPORARY
St Andrews Court (off East Street)
Chichester PO19 1YH

27th June - 9th July

**10.00 - 16.30, 16.00 Sunday 9th,
closed Monday 3rd**

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