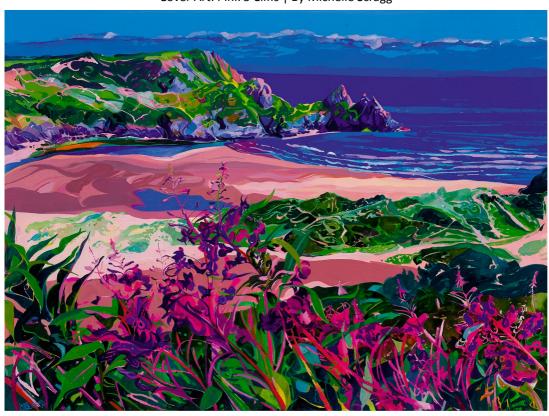




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## SHAUN HALL **RAKU POTTERY**

Shaun has been working in Raku since the early 2000's and is inspired by archaic pottery tradition and modernist style sculpture and ceramics. His work is raku fired at his home studio in Earls Colne, Essex. Shaun formerly exhibited at the Erwood Station Gallery at Builth and is always pleased to exhibit in Wales and the borders!

Currently you can see Shaun's work at The Bluetree Gallery, York. The Old Lock Up Gallery, Matlock, Derbyshire, Ship of Fools- Orkneys and Buckenham Galleries in Southwold, Suffolk.

Visit Shaunpots Instagram or ShaunPots Etsy to buy online. web:

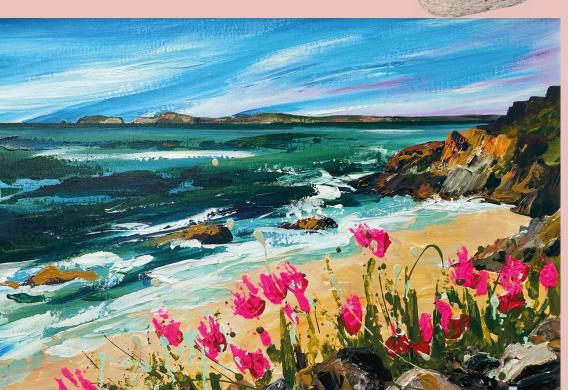
www.shaun-hall-raku.com



#### Sara McKee, FRSA

# Curatorial

At Life: Full Colour, we believe that art is more than decoration - it's the soul of a space. Our curating service is designed for those who appreciate quality and wish to elevate their environment with carefully chosen pieces. Whether you're enhancing your home, creating a memorable atmosphere for guests, or adding a distinctive touch to your space, we tailor our approach to suit your unique style.





Led by curator Sara McKee FRSA, with her blend of art history expertise and a passion for connecting with clients, we offer a personalised, stress-free experience. Sara takes the time to understand your tastes, engaging in thoughtful conversations about your preferences and vision. We provide access to exclusive, high-quality artworks from a network of talented artists, ensuring that each piece resonates with your aesthetic. At Life: Full Colour, we transform spaces into inspiring, beautiful environments that truly reflect who you are.

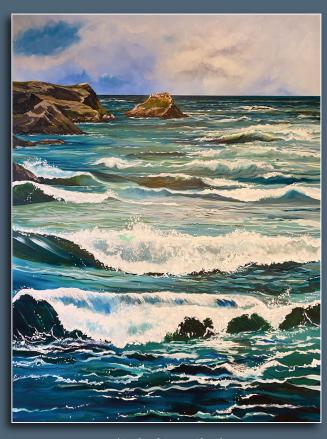
Contact Sara on hello@lifefullcolour.com to arrange your personal consultation



### Commissions for Christmas!

## Jill Jones Fine Art

A few spaces left. My commissioned pieces are no dearer than my gallery selection pieces. Secure yours now!



'Garland Stone Glory.' Large feature piece commissioned in 2024.

#### www.jilljones.co.uk



A special abstract commissioned late 2023

Whether it's a special place you'd like a painting of, a montage of important memories or simply a striking painting of your house and surrounds, contact me on art@jilljones.co.uk to discuss your own private piece in either oils or acrylics.



'Rock Splash Sunset', commissioned 2024.



Jill Jones Fine Art, West Coast Studio, Talbenny, Haverfordwest, Pembs SA62 3XB t: 01437 781386 • m: 07971 794431 • e: art@jilljones.co.uk



Norman Richards art exhibition at Giles Gallery 7th to 28th September.

painter, Norman paints mainly from memory influenced by challenging conditions and colours.

His preferred media, watercolour on Mica.

Not an easy technique to master but he finds a smooth surface of Mica enables him to capture movement and atmosphere which has been instrumental in achieving some award winning works. Norman finishes his paintings with acrylic and wax. This brings out the highlights of the watercolour. His future aim is simply to keep leaving footprints and keep painting memories.









Jayne Brodrick art exhibition October 5th - November 2nd



Rwy'n artist acrylic hunanddysgedig. I am a self-taught acrylic artist.

Abstract art is about breaking free from literal representation. I live on the coast and enjoy walks on both the coastal path and in the countryside. We are very fortunate where we live as we can walk to the coast or be in the countryside just as easily.

This series of paintings 'Wedi'r glaw' has been inspired by the changing seasons that we

experience in Wales. Wedi-r glaw translates as After the Rain. After the rain we experience the beauty of colour in nature.

I find that painting enables me to explore the unknow, capture energy and express feelings which can be interpreted personally by every individual.





he Golden Bough
Gallery is a new
partnership between
Dorothy Morris and Janis
Fry.

They feature their own artworks alongside other professional artists and makers. The gallery is open from 11 to 4 pm. Wednesday to Saturday.

Dorothy Morris: 07505455978 or Janis Fry: 07726 325263 The Golden Bough, 5 Carmarthen Street, Llandeilo, SA19 6AE

## **GREENSPACE GALLERY**

Calon y Fferi Community Centre, Ferryside, Carmarthenshire, SA17 5TE

Greenspace Gallery is currently showing the work of a variety of artists and makers for the Water Exhibition in aid of Carmarthen Together.

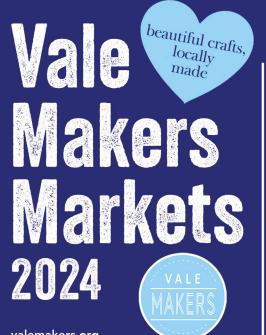
And in October we will be displaying The FALL.

Artists are invited to to submit up to 3 pieces of artwork for this exhibition by mid September.

For more information contact: dorothy\_morris@hotmail.com







valemakers.org

10.00am - 4.00pm

Saturday
September 28th
Cowbridge Town Hall

Saturday
October 26th
Cowbridge Town Hall

Sunday ★ Christmas Market
November 10th
Penarth Pier Pavillion

Saturday ★ Christmas Market
November 23rd
Parish Hall, Dinas Powys

Saturday ★ Christmas Market November 30th Cowbridge Town Hall

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footstools









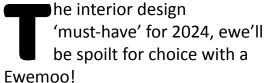












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Long Three Cliffs - Watercolour.

Quiet Three Cliffs - Watercolour.



"I have been given several commissions of Three Cliffs in the Gower. Secret Garden 3 Cliffs was very large 250 cm x 140 cm, took 7 months to complete! Strong colour, has become my signature style. Colour, space & shape, pitch of tone, need to harmoniously sit side by side, before I know a painting is complete."

Limited Edition Prints are available.

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Secret Garden 3 Cliffs - Acrylic on Canvas.

3 Cliffs 2 - Acrylic.

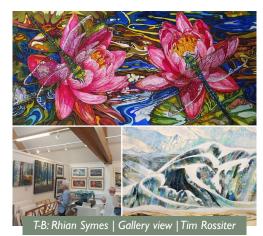




pecialising in handmade prints, paintings, sculptures, ceramics, textiles and jewellery the Oriel CRiC Gallery shows the work of a large number of regional and visiting artists with a new exhibition every two months. Situated in the heart of the picturesque town of Crickhowell which nestles in the beautiful Usk Valley, it has gained a reputation for exhibiting an extensive range of high quality work. The gallery atmosphere is open and welcoming giving visitors the opportunity to interact with the artwork within the setting of the attractive gallery space – a lovely destination on a daytrip.

The mixed summer exhibition celebrates the exceptional creativity of the region's artists who are regularly represented by the gallery as well as original work and prints by visiting artist Edward Woolley. As summer gives way to autumn, regular exhibitors such as Martin Truefitt-Baker, Lee Wright, Tim Rossiter, Rhian Symes and others will be joined in mid-September by gallery favourites

Ali Edgson and Nick Pritchard – both esteemed landscape artists, and printmaker Beth Knight.



Opening Hours are Monday - Saturday: 10am - 5pm, with Bank Holidays: 10am - 5pm and is wheelchair accessible.

Oriel CRiC Gallery,
Crickhowell Resource & Information
Centre, Beaufort Street,
Crickhowell, NP8 1BN
www.orielcric.wales





Jewellery by Annamarie







## Apple Store Gallery



h.Art @ ASG
Studio Artists & Guests
from Artsite3 & Studio6
28th Aug to 21st Sept





Open daily 7th to 15th September, 10am to 5pm Other times Wed to Fri 10am to 3pm Saturday 10am to 1pm

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#### Kim & Maggie Davis

Kim and Maggie live and work in The Marches area bordering the Herefordshire, Shropshire and Wales.

Maggie is a Mixed Media Artist working on paper and cloth producing vibrant visual art that hopefully resonates with the viewer. The three pictures below are from a new body of work based on the Outer Hebrides which Maggie will be showing at h-Art and The Secret Severn Art Trail. She is a member of Ludlow Art Society, Hereford Art & Craft Society and Head to Art Collective and shows throughout The Marches and bordering counties.



Kim is a wood turner working with both native and more exotic hardwoods, producing tactile vessels and forms in a constant search for that perfect piece. The simplicity of vessel forms created display the grain, natural and stained colour of the woods being used, function becomes peripheral. His creating is a response to the nature of the wood and is intuitive and emotional. Kim's working philosophy is; 'From the hands of the artist to the heart of the beholder'.

Maggie and Kim will be showing at h-Art at h.Art@leintwardine, St Mary Magdalene Church, Leintwardine, SY7 OLB 7th – 15th September

Also Secret Severn Art Trail at Footprint Gallery, Jackfield, Tile Museum TF8 7AP 6th – 16th September

Kim is also a member of The Artists Gallery, The Ludlow Farm Shop, Ludlow, SY8 2JR who are also taking part in h-Art.









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#### **WONDERS OF WILLOW WORKSHOPS 2024/25**

Special Offer Workshops during Herefordshire Art Week - September 2024

Saturday 7th and 14th at 11am | Foraging basket - £50 Sunday 8th 12 o'clock onwards weave a dragonfly, wind catcher, birdfeeder or flower - £25

Both held at Jenny Pickford & friends venue C3 Lower Newton, HR6 0PF

Tuesday 10th | Warehouse 701 Rotherwas, HR2 6NS venue D3 from I lam drop in weaving for kids and adults from £5

Wednesday 11th September at Jenny Pickford and friends from 12 o'clock, drop in weaving for donations

Thursday 12th Warehouse 701 from 10am weave a dragonfly, platter, birdfeeder or flower - £25

Please email helen@wondersofwillow.co.uk to book your place.

Hellens Manor, Much Marcle, Ledbury HR8 2LY | 2025

All workshops at Hellens include materials, refreshments and lunch in the Haywain barn at Hellens cost £110 Tuesday January 14th - Asymmetric Basket Basketry Residential 21st-23rd February projects and tutors tbc Tuesday March 4th - Foraging Basket Tuesday April 8th - Willow Shoulder/handbag Tuesday May 13th - Irish Skib (potato basket)

Tuesday June 17th - Round stake and strand Basket





Helen has a wonderful creative and inspiring space at Warehouse 701 where she showcases her handmade willow baskets, chairs, lampshades and much more, as well as other local makers including silver jewellery, hand forged items and green woodwork. Alongside willow weaving workshops in Helens Wonders of Willow room at Warehouse 701 there are a number of other crafts you can try including silver jewellery workshops with Kate Plant www.kateplantjewellery.com and spoon carving workshops with Maurice Clother www.touch-wood.co.uk

Helen can also offer one to one tuition at her studio/showroom at Warehouse 701, Contact her to discuss options. New dates always being added to Helen's website www.wondersofwillow.co.uk follow her on Instagram @wondersofwillow I 23

Helen is also part of a cooperative of local artists at the new Take 4 Gallery, The Homend, Ledbury HR8 IBT, where they will be putting on a special exhibition for hArt week. We are an eclectic gallery with 24 artists, exhibiting paintings, sculpture, ceramics, textiles, jewellery, baskets, woodwork and much more. Follow Take 4 on Instagram @take4 artists











### 7 - 15 September

Artist encounters in home studios, pop up exhibitions & galleries. Opportunities to discover something special you've never seen or been.

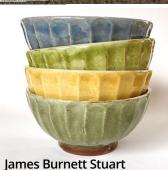












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THE GALLERY HOSTS WORKS FROM A RANGE OF LOCAL ARTISTS AS WELL AS ART WORKS AND SURFACE PATTERN DESIGN BY SALLY.

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## BIWMARES WORKSHOPS





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#### **Cardiff Christmas Market 2024**

Thursday 14 November to Monday 23 December
Trading Hours:
Monday to Saturday 10am to 6pm
Sunday 10am to 5pm

Craft\*folk have organised and developed the Cardiff Christmas Market in the pedestrian heart of Cardiff City Centre for 30 years. We continue to be committed to providing a platform for artists, crafts people and food and drink producers to exhibit and sell their exceptional work directly to the general public. In today's economic climate it is more important than ever to protect our arts and crafts heritage, to ensure that there is always a place in retailing for originality and diversity. We hope that this is one of the reasons why our Christmas Market has been featured among the best top ten markets in the UK for the many years.

Our beautifully decorated wooden stalls are located outdoors in St John Street, Working Street, Trinity Street and Hills Street. These pedestrian streets are very wide and so present no problem in allowing everyone to browse and shop safely. Not everyone takes part for the full event so you will find new exhibitors work to browse, interspersed among those with us for the full event, making the market an interesting place to visit every week.

Unlike the Christmas Markets you may find in other cities, when you visit Cardiff, you can be assured that you will be purchasing

original work from each and every one of our talented makers: bespoke silver jewellery, wooden turned gifts, original artwork across all mediums, beautiful fused glass work, hand-thrown ceramics, handmade quilts and textiles and luxurious creams and candles to name just a few, combined with a variety of seasonal food and alcohol producers to create a vibrant Christmas atmosphere. You can also chat with them about their work, the making process, and discuss commissions if you wish.

Whilst we welcome returning exhibitors none of them rest on their laurels. As their craft is also their business, they are always creating new pieces of work thus ensuring that their stalls always look fresh and innovative. You will also see lots of new faces, testing out the market with their own work in our Taster Stalls, located in Trinity Street.

A comprehensive list of all participants can be viewed on our website shortly, including their trading dates.

Craftfolk 07974561514

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# Garry Jones Ceramics...see his work in River Island stores throughout the UK!

ell known for his vibrant humour filled character, which translates so well into each and piece of his incredible works of art, Garry Jones and his unique ceramics have been on quite a journey. Creating "ceramics that make you smile" has long been his tagline and that has never wavered. Going from strength to strength, Garry's wonderful work comes in all shapes and sizes and has recently caught the attention of UK retailer River Island.

You can now see Garry's commissioned work in River Island store, as a part of their beautiful displays, throughout the whole of the UK. Most recently he has produced dragon themed work for their Cardiff store and work for their Ireland stores too.

Garry also attends several events throughout the year. He will be a part of Herefordshire Art Week, more commonly known as h-Art, from the 7th - 15th September. He will also be attending the 2024 Royal Welsh Winter Fair on Monday 25th and Tuesday 26th November.

Visit Garry's studio at Motte House, Walford, Nr. Leintwardine, SY7 OJT. Christmas opening dates/times tbc.

Get in touch to discuss his ceramics courses and accommodation.

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# Bluestone Gallery



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