



### **Newsletter 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023**

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## **Annual General Meeting: Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2023**

Hartlepool Art Gallery, Christ Church, Church Square, Hartlepool, 7.00pm – 9.00pm (doors open 6.40pm)

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2023, 7.00pm to 9.00pm in the Hartlepool Art Gallery, Church Square (doors open at 6.40pm) The agenda and papers for this meeting have already been circulated and those members attending should, as far as possible, bring along their own copies. The usual refreshments will be available.

## **Golden Lion changeover**

The next changeover at The Golden Lion Inn, Dunston Road, Hartlepool, TS26 0EN, will be on **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2023, from 10.00 to 11.00am.**

Just turn up with your painting. We currently have 28 hanging spaces available to us and we give priority to members exhibiting for the first time. All work exhibited should be available for sale, so should be adequately framed and corded for hanging. Art Club cards should be used to describe the painting. A supply will be available at the changeover. Golden Lion commission on sales is 10% and the Club also takes 10%.

## **Art Club Painting Group**

Painting days are held on the second Saturday of every month. **This month it's Saturday 8<sup>th</sup>.** Sessions are held at the Salvation Army Community Hall in Park Road Hartlepool TS26 9HT between 10am and 2pm. Beverages are available and you may bring a packed lunch if you wish.

We have use of the private car park, although it is only about 400 yards from York Road bus stops. There is a **£4 per head contribution**, to help pay for the accommodation and non-members are welcome. Please note that there is no tutor at most sessions, although we do sometimes hold workshops with renowned artists, when a higher contribution is payable, towards their fees. You will need to bring your own materials, although there is a limited stock of paints, pencils and paper, for people who fancy trying different media and help is willingly given by other members. It is a lively, friendly group and you can decide how long you care to stay.

If you would like further information email [info@hartlepool-art-club.co.uk](mailto:info@hartlepool-art-club.co.uk) or ring / text Alan on **07866 551460**

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## **Dabble in Art**

**Every other Saturday, every month**, 10.00am – 12.00 noon at Hartlepool Art Gallery. The next class is today, **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April**. For further information please contact the Gallery Information desk on 01429 869706 or Keith Robson on 07824971666. Organised and run by members of the Club with help from parents and grandparents, Dabble provides children of all ages with the opportunity to take part in exciting art activities in various media. Children must be accompanied by an adult for the duration of the session.

## **Drink & Draw at The Blacksmiths**

Held every Tuesday evening, 7 – 9pm in its new venue at The Blacksmiths Arms, Stranton, Hartlepool, TS24 7QT. All are welcome. Contact Keith on **07824971666** for more details. Volunteers to sit as models are always needed!

## **10<sup>th</sup> Coastal Cornucopia Exhibition, The Station, Richmond**

**Our 10<sup>th</sup> Coastal Cornucopia exhibition at The Station will be held from 1<sup>st</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023.** As previously explained, the cost of exhibiting has risen significantly this year so we have hired only the Artisan area (through the double doors and down the corridor to the brewery and ice cream shop). We expect to be able to hang around 70 paintings, with space for unframed original work in browsers. The entry form and guidance notes are attached and will also be included with next month's newsletter. **Because of the restricted wall space, the guidance notes have been changed to reflect the new arrangements. Please ensure you read them carefully when considering your entries and completing the entry form. The closing date for entries is Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023.**

If you have any questions at all about the arrangements, please contact me on the email or mobile below.

Best wishes

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