Art Palette – 8th May 2025



Here are some wonderful examples of the ever-improving standard of artwork by students in our classes; the main exhibition in November is going to be amazing.









Dates for your Diary

- 1. Art Lecture in the marguee on the Family Croquet Lawn on 20th May
- 2. Art Group summer garden party on 28th May

Art Group Summer Garden Party Wednesday the 28th May from 6 to 7.30pm

Booking required.

Art Group members and their guests are invited to enjoy an early evening summer garden party around the fountain at the Club. There will be a glass or two of wine with a selection of canapes.

You will need to book, as there is limited space around the fountain, we need to know numbers for catering and also for a wet weather option in the marquee.

Over a hundred people have booked already leaving just a few spaces left available.

The charge is £10 for Art Group Members and £15 for their guests. Call reception to book and pay.

May Art Lecture Tuesday the 20th May at 8pm

Andy Warhol
by Lucrezia Walker
We will be live in the marquee in the Club's gardens!
Free for art group members only who may bring external guests
paying £10 cash on the door; no need to book.

Andy Warhol was a pioneer of pop art. His New York Studio, The Factory was the place to be in the 1960s and 70s. Illustrator, printer, filmmaker, manager of rock band The Velvet Underground, founder of Interview magazine, author of numerous books and creator of iconic pop images of Marilyn



Monroe, Jackie Kennedy and Elvis – Warhol's own fame continues long after his death as prince of pop art.

Lucrezia is an Art Historian and author of twelve books on modern and contemporary art. She works for the Education Department of the National Gallery where she teaches and gives public lectures and she gives talks on current exhibitions at Tate galleries and the Royal Academy.

Reading Room Exhibition Jonathan Collard and Graham Hatt

Make sure to see their artwork during May.





Join a Summer Art Class

Try a single Art Class with 'Pay Per Class'

If you've always wanted to try an Art Class and don't want to commit to the whole term, you can now book an individual class – subject to availability – on a Pay Per Class basis. Just pay a one-off fee of £30 for Life Drawing, Pastels and Painting or £23.50 for other available classes.

Classes are now running for five weeks from Monday 28th April until Monday 9th June. These are held in the Art Studio and will be led by our experienced tutors Kathy Barker, Shaun Carey and Daisy Drummond.

Why not try our flagship Life Drawing, Pastels and Painting class with Kathy Barker on Wednesday morning 10 am – 1 pm?

This class now includes drawing in charcoal and pastels as well as painting. With a live model each week, you'll learn key techniques through demonstrations, drawing exercises and lots of one-to-one teaching. You'll need some basic drawing experience to get the best from this class.

Life Drawing, Pastels and Painting with Kathy Barker
Wednesdays 10am – 1pm
30th April – 4th June
No Class 21st May
£30 per three-hour class including live model
Click here for the syllabus
Click here for the materials list

We also have a small number of spaces available to book in the following classes:

Discovering Watercolour with Shaun Carey

Mondays 10am – 1pm

28th April – 9th June

No Class 5th May and 26th May (Bank Holidays)
£23.50 per three-hour class

Click here for the syllabus

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Watercolour, Pen, Ink and Mixed Media with Shaun Carey
Mondays 2pm – 5pm
28th April – 9th June
No Class 5th May and 26th May (Bank Holidays)
£23.50 per three-hour class
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Painting in Acrylics with Daisy Drummond
Thursdays 4.15 – 7.15pm
1st May – 29th May
£23.50 per three-hour class
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How to book your Pay Per Class

Before your class either visit Reception or call the team on 020 8480 4200 (option 4). All Pay Per Class bookings are subject to availability.

Art Group Membership

You do not initially have to join the Art Group to take a Pay Per Class session. However, if you decide to join a regular art class and / or would like to take advantage of other Art Group benefits including regular lectures, Art Group Membership will be payable.

Richard Ramsey, Art Group Chair