

Arts mile

Harborne 2014

6th & 7th Sept. 10am - 4pm



Crafts



Painting



Fashion Design



Music



Storytelling



Drawing



**EDGBASTON
ARTS FORUM**

Plus many more...

FREE arts activities

for all the family in shops, pubs, restaurants
and coffee shops along Harborne High Street

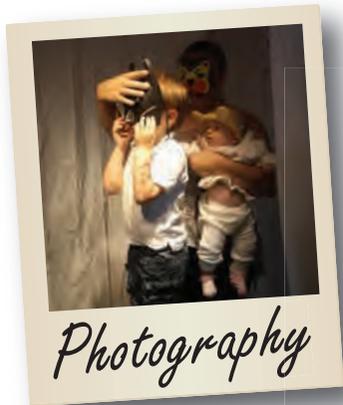
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returns to Harborne but this year it's over twice as large, four times as long and ten times more exciting! Seeing, listening, making and having a go at all sorts of creative activities guided by all sorts of artists in 21 shops, cafes, wine bars, restaurants dotted along the High Street. It's for **EVERYONE** and it's **FREE**. Re-charge your batteries by starting at one end on Saturday morning and finishing at the other on Sunday afternoon!



Photography



Making



Sketching

ARTSMILE really is for everyone - young and old, whatever your background - and you don't have to be artistic to enjoy it... just stroll along (there's a map inside to help you) seeing what you can do or make with the help of local artists. And, what's more, you can sample delicious food, have a cuppa, a coffee, a glass of wine or simply a beer as you do so. Turn the weekend into a late summer weekend break for all the family!

**A mile of art...
...A mile of smiles**

Programme

Saturday 6th September

- 10am** **ARTSMILE** opens to the public with activities on offer in venues (see map inside for full details)
- 2pm** Formal opening by Gisela Stuart MP for Edgbaston at **ARTSMILE** Office, located in The School Yard
- 4pm** **ARTSMILE** closes

Sunday 7th September

- 10am** **ARTSMILE** opens to the public with activities on offer in venues (see map inside for full details)

SUNDAY ONLY ART EXHIBITION in marquees on the wide pavement, opposite The School Yard.

Local people: a group of potters (Quinton) people from Karis Neighbourhood Centre (North Edgbaston), from The Haven Centre (Welsh House Farm), and The Elizabeth Gunn Centre at Focus Birmingham (Harborne) and our **international friends** from the Czech Republic (Studio Jarmily Tyrnové in Kohoutov and Eruditio Publica in Brno) and from Spain (Mentalia Puerto in Valencia) will exhibit their artworks. These exhibitions form part of two year international programme of collaboration between Edgbaston Arts Contact Group, Studio Jarmily Tyrnové and Eruditio Publica and Mentalia Puerto.

- 4pm** **ARTSMILE** closes

FREE arts activities for all the family

- 1 Relax a bit and learn how to create poetry with JASMINE and LORNA in the quiet calm of BAREFOOT YOGA
- 2 Re-invent yourself at THE GREEN MAN and help SELINA build a map of who you are, where you live and what you do
- 3 Be ingenious at CHERRY TREE INTERIORS with SANDRA turning scraps into rag dolls...and then take them to 10 below to create their stories
- 4 An ANGEL will guide for making 'angel' cards with wishes and healing stones at LOVE, LIGHT AND PRESENCE
- 5 Have your cake and make it - but with fabric and beads - at CAFE BOUTIQUE with SALLY
- 6 Re-cycle things to make jewellery with ANGELA at ST MARY'S HOSPICE SHOP... and see what MATTHEW'S DOG did with unwanted woolly hats
- 7 Don't worry at URBAN COFFEE if you spill your drink because CRAIG will show you how to create pictures with it
- 8 Get involved in fabulous food stories brought to life by CATRIONA at BOSTON TEA PARTY
- 9 Make a spectacle of yourself and tell others about it - but in a nice way - with BRIAN at BRITAIN'S OPTICIANS
- 10 At COSTA COFFEE, create stories with SHAKIRA and then go to 3 above and make the people in your stories
- 11 Imagine the Italian sun shine with SUE as you create a mosaic mat for your wine glass at EMPORIO MARIA
- 12 Help transform ARCO LOUNGE by wrapping your chair EVA will guide you in some surprising ways of doing it
- 13 Be on the pulse at BRITISH HEART FOUNDATION, create your own stylish fashions with SHIRLEY
- 14 Get fired up with FIONA and her friends, have a drink and later collect the pots you make from THE PROVERBIAL
- 15 Zero in on CAFFE NERO, listen to music and have a go at playing an instrument with another FIONA and her friends
- 16 EMMA at THE JUNCTION will help you write stories and turn them into your own family book to take away with you
- 17 Find out how you can move about and create your own music by magic with TONY at THE NEW INN
- 18 See how a gallery works and talk with the curator DOMINIQUE at HARBORNE ART GALLERY
- 19 Eastern promise: Creating gorgeous flowers and exotic animals with SOPHIE at SABAI SABAI
- 20 Learn the many secrets of flower arranging with an expert ANGELA at FLORAL SCENTER will show you how
- 21 Join in at THE VINE and beat it Have a go at playing all sorts of drums with LYNN



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This shows where ARTSMILE activities are on offer between 10am and 4pm each day. You don't have to visit venues in their numbered order: You can choose wherever you want to go, though, of course, artists will need breaks from time to time. Please note also that we may have to make some last minute unavoidable changes on the day.

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ARTS FORUM**

About Us

Creative people at work across Bartley Green, Edgbaston, Harborne and Quinton. This network is for you; the artists, musicians, actors, writers, curators, painters, singers and academics from across the Edgbaston constituency.

We generate opportunities for artists and local residents to work creatively together, and we initiate local, regional and international projects.

We are one of ten localised Arts Forums: One in each of the Districts of Birmingham.

Edgbaston Arts Forum is a network of imaginative people engaging with a wide range of arts and communities in the four wards of Bartley Green, Edgbaston, Harborne and Quinton in Edgbaston District.

The Forum is supported by Birmingham City Council and works closely with Edgbaston Arts Champions, The Drum.

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