
MID-PENNINE ARTS

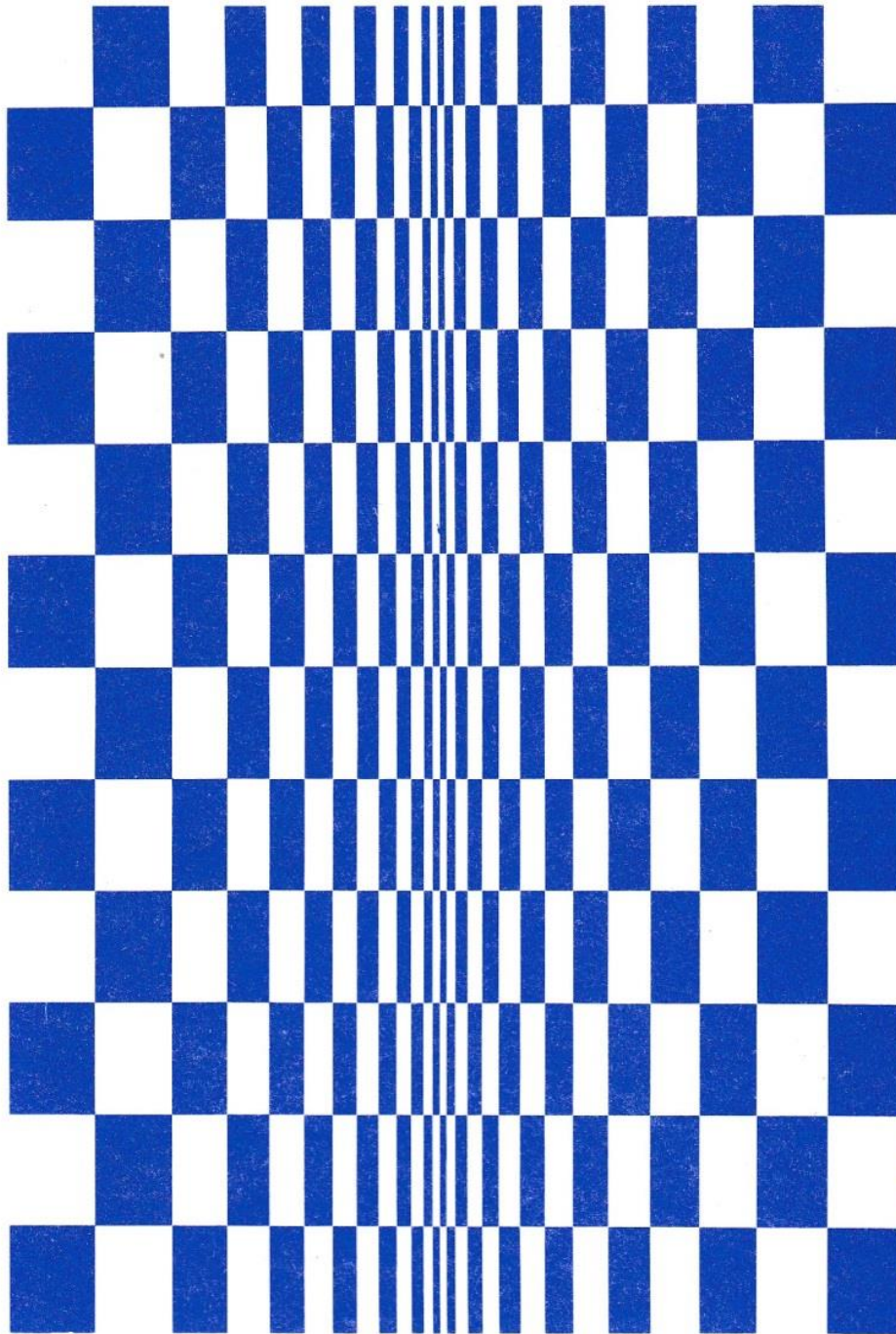


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AUGUST and SEPTEMBER
1992

HOW TO BOOK

TICKETS FOR PERFORMANCES, EXCURSIONS AND WORKSHOPS

IN PERSON: Call in at The Gallery Downstairs, Yorke Street, Burnley.

OPENING HOURS

Monday – Saturday 10am to 5pm
except Thursday 1pm to 5pm

BY TELEPHONE: By ringing **0282 21986/29513**

CREDIT CARD BOOKINGS: Be sure of your tickets. You can book by credit card either by calling in or by telephone. All Access, Eurocard, Mastercard and Visa cards are accepted.

BY POST: Please enclose an S.A.E. and send bookings to:
MID-PENNINE ARTS,
The Gallery Downstairs,
Yorke Street, Burnley BB11 1HD
Please make cheques payable to MPA

CONCESSIONS: Concessionary rates are offered to those in full-time education, unemployed people, senior citizens, registered disabled people, members of Bury Metropolitan, and now to our members.

GROUP REDUCTIONS: If you buy ten tickets you will receive one extra ABSOLUTELY FREE.

WHY JOIN MID-PENNINE ARTS?

Becoming a member of MPA is easy, cheap and could save you money. What do members get?

- PERSONAL INVITATIONS to Gallery openings.
- 5% DISCOUNT on anything bought in the gallery by cheque or cash
- THE CHANCE to loan our theatre equipment, children's play inflatables and sound equipment.
- CHEAP TICKETS at most MPA events.

ALL THIS FOR £9 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP AND JUST £4 FOR STUDENTS, THE UNWAGED AND SENIOR CITIZENS.

Becoming a member is simple. Either drop in during office hours or write to us for a membership form. Once we get the form - and your payment! - back you become a member immediately.

BUY YOUR TICKETS LOCALLY

Mid-Pennine Arts tickets are available from:

ACCRINGTON	ALTHAMS TRAVEL SERVICES, 26 Blackburn Road HYNDBURN LEISURE, Gothic House, St James Street
BACUP	PUBLIC LIBRARY, St James Square FIRST STEPS (Business Consultants), Fiscal House, 27 St James Street
BARNOLDSWICK	TOURIST INFORMATION, Fernlea Avenue
BLACKBURN	ALTHAMS TRAVEL SERVICES, 12 Ainsworth Street
BURY	BURY METROPOLITAN, Derby Hall, Market Street
CLITHEROE	ALTHAMS TRAVEL SERVICES, 20 King Street TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE, Church Walk
COLNE	ALTHAMS TRAVEL SERVICES, 13 Albert Road PENDLE LEISURE SERVICES, Bank House, 61 Albert Road
HASLINGDEN	PUBLIC LIBRARY, Deardengate
NELSON	ALTHAMS TRAVEL SERVICES, 1 Scotland Road TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE, 20 Scotland Road
RAWTENSTALL	CENTRAL LIBRARY, Queens Square TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE, 41-45 Kay St.
TODMORDEN	ALTHAMS TRAVEL SERVICES, 15 Halifax Road BEARS WHOLEFOODS, 29 Rochdale Road

FILM CLUB

The thrills of the big screen come to Burnley as a new organisation, Burnley Film Society, bring cinema to the Mechanics with a season of exciting and controversial movies.



Coming soon...

- BARTON FINK, 27th OCTOBER
- BOYZ N THE HOOD, 24th NOVEMBER

ALL TICKETS AT £2.50/£1.50 CONCS.

BFS IS A MEMBERSHIP ORGANISATION...£6 BUYS ENTRY TO ALL THREE FILMS!

FILM CLUB
presented by
Burnley Film Society

TIE ME UP! TIE ME DOWN!

(1989 102 mins. Cert 18)
Director PEDRO ALMODOVAR

TUDOR ROOM, BURNLEY MECHANICS
MONDAY 28th SEPTEMBER, 8pm

Ricky is just out of a psychiatric hospital. Marina is a B-movie porno starlet and the target of Ricky's desires...Kidnap, intrigue and black comedy meet in Almodovar's offbeat and often disturbing film. (Subtitles).

MUSIC

MUSIC...WITH A DIFFERENCE

QAWALI with ABDUL HAMID and PARTY

CIVIC THEATRE, NELSON
SATURDAY 8th AUGUST, 7.30pm
TICKETS £3.00

P.W.A. (Nelson) host a return visit from this ever popular Bradford based group with music that is compulsive, rhythmic and trance like. Playing the devotional music of the Sufi mystics the bands sound is both unique and hypnotically beautiful.

A joint promotion with P.W.A. (Nelson).

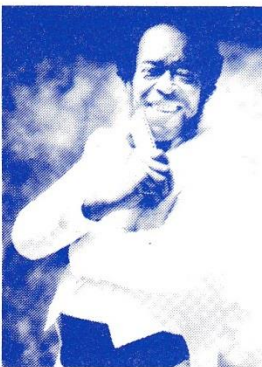
MUSIC...SOUND!

ACCRINGTON, OAK HILL PARK (MANCHESTER ROAD)
16th AUGUST 12noon - 6pm
FREE

Indie thrashers, hard rockers and dangerous dance rhythms as OAK HILL PARK forms the setting for an amplified celebration of local bands and musicians. Live music, stalls, street entertainers - including the Topple Twins - and sideshows.

STOP PRESS... The Mill Town Brothers will be headlining

A joint promotion with Hyndburn Borough Council.



MUSIC...BLUES

COLNE MUNICIPAL HALL
MONDAY 10th AUGUST, 8pm
TICKETS £10 and £9

'I am the blues', says JAMES COTTON, and with a lifetime spent playing with everyone from MUDDY WATERS and HOWLIN' WOLF to STEVE MILLER and JOHNNY WINTER the big daddy of blues harmonica might just be right. Expect nothing less than raw jumpjoint blues from one of the blues world's American heroes, backed by his very own eight piece band. A unique opportunity to catch a blues legend. Support from CATFISH KEITH.

A joint promotion with Leisure in Pendle.

ENTERTAIN

MUSIC cont...

MUSIC...OF ASIA

RAMZAN and PARTY at ASPECTS OF ASIA '92

COLNE ROAD LIBRARY, BURNLEY
5th SEPTEMBER 1pm - 4pm
FREE

A live music performance of past and present melodies from the hit films of India brings this three day celebration of Asian culture to a close.

ASPECTS OF ASIA runs 3rd SEPTEMBER to 5th SEPTEMBER at COLNE ROAD LIBRARY.

MUSIC...JAZZ

GARY COX with the COLIN GALBRAITH TRIO

BLUE NOTE CLUB, TODMORDEN
THURSDAY 17th SEPTEMBER, 8pm
TICKETS £4/£2.50 CONCS.

Tenor sax wizard GARY COX learnt his trade with the Dankworth Big Band, Ronnie Scott and Maynard Ferguson. Cox comes to the Blue Note via a warm up gig at London's Ronnie Scotts and is tonight joined by Preston pianist Colin Galbraith, bass virtuoso Matthew Miles and Jed Lynch on drums for an evening of mood changing jazz music.

THEATRE




HORSE AND BAMBOO present A STRANGE AND UNEXPECTED EVENT

YOUTH AND COMMUNITY
CENTRE, GREAT HARWOOD
TUESDAY 4th AUGUST, 7.30pm

KELBROOK PARISH HALL
THURSDAY 6th, 7.30pm

TICKETS £4/£2.50 CONCS.

Welcome to a Mexico of devils, death rituals and fantastical masked drama as HORSE AND BAMBOO return with an extraordinary show mixing live music and spectacle based on the prints of Mexico's most popular artist, J.G. Posada. Expect the unexpected as the company arrive with horses, showmans wagons and a Street Band. SPONSORED BY  ENGLISH ESTATES

THE HAIRY MARYS present HELICOPTERS WITH BROGUES/NO SNAKES, PLEASE - WE'RE IRISH

ROSSENDALE COLLEGE, RAWTENSTALL STUDIO
WEDNESDAY 16th SEPTEMBER, 7.30pm
TICKETS £4/£2.50 CONCS.

HELICOPTERS is the latest battering boot-bash from this all woman Irish company. 'Irish dancing as you've never seen it', say the MARYS, 'complete with shamrocks and shoe horns, tantrums and trophies, slydigs and slippjigs'. SNAKES continues the wicked and wild humour with a hotch-potch pantomime lampooning Anglo attitudes to the Irish.



A joint promotion with Accrington and Rossendale College.

FESTIVAL EVENTS

DAY ON THE GREEN

CENTRE VALE PARK, TODMORDEN
SATURDAY 1st, 12 noon - 6pm
FREE

A day of eco-issues, stalls and family fun including onsite percussion and the talking drums of K'DUM OF THE NORTH.

NELSON BRASS BAND at NEWCHURCH RUSHBEARING CEREMONY

NEWCHURCH, PENDLE
SATURDAY 8th AUGUST
FREE

This popular local brass band will be leading the festivities. The procession starts at 2pm.

FABULOUS SALAMI BROTHERS at BRIERFIELD GALA

BENT HEAD PLAYING FIELDS, BRIERFIELD
SATURDAY 8th AUGUST, from 12 noon
FREE

The Salami's are back but will they survive the knives-in-the-box trick? Stunts, laughs and fearless family fun.

TOPPLE TWINS and BRASS BAND

GATTY PARK, ACCRINGTON
SUNDAY 9th AUGUST, from 2.30pm
FREE

Bizarre uni-cycling stunts from the wizards of one wheel, the Topple Twins.

In association with Hyndburn Borough Council.

BARNEY THE CLOWN at COTTON ON TO BURNLEY CELEBRATION

BANDSTAND, ST. JAMES STREET, BURNLEY
SATURDAY 15th AUGUST, 11 - 3pm
FREE

What can you do with a balloon? See BARNEY and you'll be asking another question 'What CAN'T you do with a balloon' as this well known performer brings face painting and magic to Burnleys summer festivities.

A joint promotion with Burnley Play Association.

PENDLE COMMUNITY ARTS FESTIVAL

PLACE DE CREIL, TOWN CENTRE, NELSON
SATURDAY 22nd AUGUST, ALL DAY
FREE

Live music, Bhangra sounds, stalls, street entertainers and a heady carnival atmosphere at this all day multi-cultural celebration ranging from family fun to hardcore dance grooves.

CIRCUS SENSIBLE at BPA GREEN FESTIVAL

TOWNELEY PARK, BURNLEY
SUNDAY 23rd AUGUST, PERFORMANCE TIMES 12 noon and 1.15pm
FREE

CIRCUS SENSIBLE bring their own brand of wayward circus skills to BURNLEY PLAY ASSOCIATIONS GREEN FESTIVAL with a knockabout show combining clowns, jugglers, stiltwalkers and weird and wild antics. Small company, big fun.

A joint promotion with BPA.

FESTIVAL EVENTS cont...

CIRCUS SENSIBLE at MERCER PARK

CLAYTON-LE-MOORS
SUNDAY 23rd AUGUST, from 2.30pm
FREE

In association with Hyndburn Borough Council.

ERIC The flea who gets shot out of a cannon.



MIMIKA present SIDESHOW

WEAVER'S TRIANGLE VISITORS CENTRE, BURNLEY
MONDAY 31st AUGUST, 11am - 4pm
FREE

Presented as part of a festival afternoon at Burnley's Canal Wharf MIMIKA bring a comic mix of clowning, fire-eating, juggling and magic to their often hilarious show. Watch out for the world's only magnetic giraffe and ERIC, the flea who gets shot from a cannon!

BARNEY THE CLOWN/MIMIKA at THE HERITAGE FAYRE

HERITAGE FAYRE, DUNKENHALGH HOTEL, CLAYTON-LE-MOORS
SUNDAY 6th SEPTEMBER, 11am to 4pm
FREE

BARNEY returns with clowning, balloon skills and face painting alongside MIMIKA'S mime theatre at today's HERITAGE FAYRE event.

A joint promotion with Accrington Lions.

TOPPLE TWINS at HASLINGDEN STREET FAIR

HASLINGDEN
SATURDAY 12th SEPTEMBER Performances 11am to 2pm
FREE

Return of the one-wheel wonders...

A joint promotion with Rossendale Borough Council.



THE CHUFFINELLES GREATEST HITS

VALE CENTRE, CORNHOLME
SATURDAY 12th SEPTEMBER, 8pm
TICKETS £5 INCLUDING GLASS OF WINE

Centrepiece to Cabaret Night at Cornholme Community Arts Festival THE CHUFFINELLES are back with their fifth anniversary show, 'The Greatest Hits of the Chuffinelles', a new hour long riot of comedy action. Expect further surprises, shocks and laughter with a Cabaret Night line up mixing music and stand up comedy. Bar.

Cornholme Community Arts Festival dates Thursday 10th - Sunday 13th September.

OPENING

THE INFORMATION SHOP

BROADWAY, ACCRINGTON
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19th 1pm ONWARDS

Whats the problem? If you're under 26 you can probably find a solution, or at least advice on where to go, from this new project providing information on everything from jobs to homelessness.

Pop along and find out more at the launch of the Info Shop as local bands, graffiti artists and entertainers take to the streets.

CALENDAR

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
AUGUST		
Finishes 8th	MAGIC CARPET RIDE	The Gallery Downstairs
Sun 1	DAY ON THE GREEN	Vale Park, Todmorden
Mon 3 - 29	LIFE IN THE HILLS <i>Exhibition</i>	Public Library Colne
Tues 4	HORSE AND BAMBOO	Great Harwood Youth Centre
Thurs 6	HORSE AND BAMBOO	Kelbrook Parish Hall
Sat 8	CARPET WEAVING <i>Demonstration</i>	The Gallery Downstairs
Sat 8	NELSON BRASS BAND	Newchurch, Pendle
Sat 8	QAWALI	Civic Theatre, Nelson
Sat 8	FABULOUS SALAMIS	Brierfield Gala
Sun 9	TOPPLE TWINS	Gatty Park, Accrington
Mon 10	JAMES COTTON BAND	Colne Municipal Hall
Sat 15 - 19 Sept	A GATHER OF GLASS	The Gallery Downstairs
Sat 15	BARNEY THE CLOWN	Burnley
Sun 16	SOUND!	Oak Hill Park, Accrington
Sat 22	PENDLE COMMUNITY ARTS FESTIVAL	Town Centre, Nelson
Sun 23	CIRCUS SENSIBLE	Clayton-le-Moors
Sun 23	CIRCUS SENSIBLE	Burnley
Mon 24 - 29	ASIAN CRAFTS <i>Exhibition</i>	Civic Theatre, Nelson
Mon 31	MIMIKA	Weavers Triangle Visitors Centre, Burnley

SEPTEMBER

Thurs 3 - Sat 6	ASPECTS OF ASIA	Accrington Central Library
Sat 5	RAMZAN AND PARTY at ASPECTS OF ASIA	Colne Road Library, Burnley
Sat 5	TERRY KIRMAN <i>Watercolour demonstration</i>	Haworth Art Gallery, Accrington
Sun 6	BARNEY THE CLOWN/MIMIKA	Heritage Fayre, Clayton-le-Moors
Thurs 10 - 20	WOMEN IN THE ENVIRONMENT <i>Exhibition</i>	Rossendale Groundwork Trust
Sat 12	THE CHUFFINELLES	Cornholme Community Arts Festival
Sun 12	THE TOPPLE TWINS	Haslingden Street Fair
Weds 16	THE HAIRY MARYS	Accrington & Rossendale College
Thurs 17	GARY COX with COLIN GALBRAITH TRIO	Blue Note, Todmorden
Sat 19	OPENING <i>Information shop</i>	Broadway, Accrington
Sun 20	HEATHER COOK <i>Jewellery demonstration</i>	Whitewell Bottom Women's Festival
Sat 26 - 31 Oct	READY STEADY GO <i>Exhibition</i>	The Gallery Downstairs
Mon 28	TIE ME UP, TIE ME DOWN <i>Film</i>	Burnley Mechanics

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

5 - 9 Oct	READY STEADY GO	Schools workshop
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CAMERATA SERIES

CAMERATA, one of the country's leading chamber orchestras, return to Colne Municipal Hall on THURSDAY 29th OCTOBER, THURSDAY 26th NOVEMBER and in 1993, FEBRUARY 4th and MARCH 4th. Renowned for their performances of a varied programme of 18th, 19th and 20th century orchestral music the Camerata series at Colne includes the music of Bach, Handel, Mozart and Vivaldi.

For further details, booking information and a programme, contact:

Mid-Pennine Arts on 0282 21986.

A joint promotion with Leisure in Pendle.

THE GALLERY DOWNSTAIRS

15th AUGUST - 19th SEPTEMBER

MAGIC CARPET RIDE until August 8th

This exotic and unique collection of rugs, kilims, furniture and textiles brought from the East by the Gordon Reece Gallery continues.



A GATHER OF GLASS

Can glass be art? This wide ranging selection of work by artists who create in the medium suggests a positive answer. Including the striking plaques of Alison Kinnaird, Charles Bray's sculpture and the strange peephole boxes of Royal College graduate Amanda Whittle, this exhibition offers a unique perspective on what is known as 'studio glass'.

Over twenty artists working in glass appear in this show offering a public platform for both internationally acclaimed exhibitors and younger artists.

GALLERY SHOWCASE

UNTIL 8th AUGUST

Display from the Gordon Reece Gallery

JIM ROBINSON CERAMICS

The landscape, megaliths and rock formations of the Pennines are the inspiration to these dramatic and imposing clay sculptures. Working and living in the Pennines, Robinson both exhibits and lectures throughout the U.K. and many of his pieces are to be found in collections in Europe and the U.S.A.

JEWELLERY SHOP

UNTIL 8th AUGUST

JILL NEWBROOK and ALDYTH CROWTHER



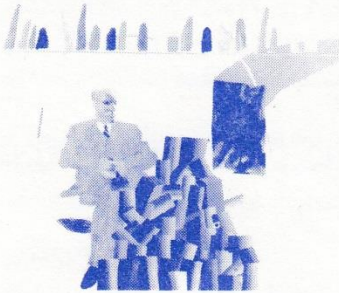
TAMARA FIRST

Aztec patterns, suns, moons and camels are all featured in Tamara's evocative jewellery with its distinctively South American feel.

MARY FARRELL

Working in silver plated wire, glass tones and perspex Mary draws inspiration from sources as diverse as the animated TV cartoon 'Mr. Ben' and the ornaments of the Catholic church. The resulting jewellery is richly colourful and playful.

26th SEPTEMBER - 31st OCTOBER



READY STEADY GO

Sometimes provocative, frequently vivid and colourful this Arts Council Collection highlights the paintings of the 60's - the era of Pop music, Swinging London and Beatles hysteria. Including the 'Op Art' of Bridget Riley, David Hockney's early paintings and the pop imagery of Peter Blake **READY STEADY GO** arrives in Burnley after a highly successful tour of the UK and much critical acclaim.

A South Bank Centre Touring Exhibition.

STOP PRESS: A talk on this exhibition has been arranged for **SATURDAY 24 OCTOBER**. The talk will be given by Lancashire artist and lecturer **GEOFF WOODHEAD**.

GALLERY SHOWCASE

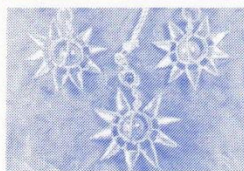


26th SEPTEMBER - 31st OCTOBER

EMILY MYERS CERAMICS

'The strength of my work lies in its simplicity' says Myers of her distinctive and bold ceramic works, 'I find inspiration in metal objects, particularly ones which have been broken down by time'.

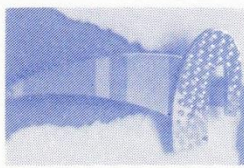
JEWELLERY SHOP



26th SEPTEMBER - 31st OCTOBER

JOLENE SMITH

With a strong African and tribal theme to her jewellery Jolene's use of simple yet elegant shapes is a hallmark of her rings, brooches, earrings and studs.



RUTH HILLIER

Both texture and contrast feature strongly in the work of this contemporary jeweller. Stripes, curved shapes and subtle colour are also important in Ruth's collection of tie-pins, brooches, cuff links and tie tacks.

AND CRAFTS

ACTIVITIES

SATURDAY 8th AUGUST 10am - 4pm CARPET WEAVING DEMONSTRATION

A chance to see how the geometric designs of the rugs and kilims featured in MAGIC CARPET RIDE are created with a demonstration by staff from the Gordon Reece Gallery. A ground loom will be in the gallery to show techniques of weaving and knotting techniques and staff will be on hand to tell the fascinating story behind the intricate patterns and designs of MAGIC CARPET RIDE.

5th - 9th OCTOBER READY STEADY GO - FOR SCHOOLS

Aimed at 11 to 14 year old students these one day workshop sessions are designed to enable an understanding of Pop Art and 2-D and 3-D design as it relates to the READY STEADY GO exhibition. The workshops will include practical work, discussion and demonstrations. Contact Sheenagh Mayo at MPA for further details.

OUT AND ABOUT

ASIAN CRAFTS EXHIBITION

CIVIC THEATRE, NELSON 24th AUGUST - 29th AUGUST

Arts and crafts imported directly from Pakistan will be on display courtesy of the Gordon Reece Gallery, this countries leading specialists in the import of artifacts from the sub-continent. Plus calligraphy exhibition.

A joint promotion with P.W.A. Nelson.

THE PRINT SHOW

UNTIL 29th AUGUST PUBLIC LIBRARY, RAWTENSTALL

A selection from MPA's highly successful Print Show exhibition including work by local artists.

LIFE IN THE HILLS

UNTIL 29th AUGUST PUBLIC LIBRARY, COLNE

A revealing photographic study of working life in the hills of Northern England by John and Eliza Forder.

WATERCOLOUR DEMONSTRATION



TERRY KIRMAN at HAWORTH ART GALLERY, ACCRINGTON SATURDAY 5th SEPTEMBER, 2 - 5pm FREE

Terry is well known locally as a water colour artist with a particular interest in landscapes. Today he gives a demonstration of the techniques he uses.

OUT AND ABOUT

WOMEN'S FESTIVAL

JEWELLERY MAKING at WHITEWELL BOTTOM WOMENS FESTIVAL WHITEWELL BOTTOM COMMUNITY CENTRE SUNDAY 20th SEPTEMBER 10am - 4pm

HEATHER COOK will be demonstrating her jewellery techniques using materials that would more usually be disposed of - feathers, paper, offcuts - and offering a 'hands on' opportunity to women to create their own jewellery.

WOMEN IN THE ENVIRONMENT EXHIBITION

ROSSENDALE GROUNDWORK TRUST NEW HALL HEY, RAWTENSTALL 10th - 20th SEPTEMBER

A diverse range of artworks related to the environment and ecological issues by women artists are on show as part of the WHITEWELL BOTTOM WOMENS FESTIVAL.

Promoted by M.P.A., Rossendale Groundwork Trust and Whitewell Bottom Community Centre.

WALLSPACE

WALLSPACE is a picture loan service offering small-scale collections of original paintings, prints and wall hangings by exceptional British artists. It is available to local businesses and meeting places for free.

Until AUGUST 19th the following artists work is on show:

Shelia Tilmouth - Dr. Greenwoods Surgery Bacup/Dr. Vallhuri's Surgery Rushton

Milena Dragic - Dr. Singh's Surgery Burnley

Jeremy Turner - Rawtenstall Town Hall

From AUGUST 19th to 30th SEPTEMBER

Jeremy Turner - Dr. Singh's Surgery Burnley

Sean Brasier Creagh - Dr. P. Valliri's Surgery, Rushton

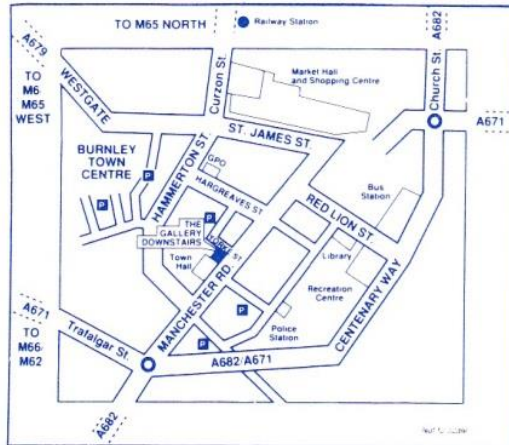
Milena Dragic - Rawtenstall Town Hall

Sheila Tilmouth - Bear Wholefoods, Todmorden (Until 9th SEPT).



The GALLERY Downstairs

YORKE STREET, BURNLEY, BB11 1HD
TELEPHONE: BURNLEY 0282 21986 / 29513



ADMISSION IS FREE

OPENING HOURS

Monday – Saturday 10am to 5pm
except Thursday 1pm to 5pm

Thursday 10am to 1pm - educational groups only.
Please book in advance.

DISABLED PEOPLE ARE WELCOME

and wheelchair users can gain access via our ramp. Guide dogs are welcome.
If you need help you have only to ask. We have adapted toilet facilities.



TO ALL TEACHERS AND GROUP LEADERS

On Thursday mornings your class or group can work or enjoy a lesson in The Gallery Downstairs without interruption, as the Gallery is reserved exclusively for educational purposes until 1pm.

Please telephone Julian Pearce on 0282 21986 for further information, or to book your time.

Mid-Pennine Arts aims to increase the enjoyment and understanding of contemporary visual arts, and we offer facilities for practical workshops, study sessions, talks and seminars to schools and colleges and to other interested groups. Let us know what you would like to learn about.

Mid-Pennine Arts gratefully acknowledges the financial assistance of the Borough Councils of Burnley, Hyndburn, Pendle and Rossendale, the Township of Todmorden, North West Arts Board, Yorkshire and Humberside Arts and Lancashire County Council.



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