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MID PENNINE  
ARTS 

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JUNE • JULY • AUGUST

## 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:** Ring 0282 421986/429513

**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 your bookings to: FREEPOST BU 874, Burnley, Lancs BB11 1BR (no stamp required). Please make cheques payable to MPA

**Concessions:** Concessionary rates are offered to our members, those in full-time education, unemployed people, senior citizens, registered disabled people and members of the Met Arts Centre, Bury.

**Group reductions:** Buy ten tickets and you will receive one extra absolutely free.

## SAVE MONEY AS A MEMBER

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

- Cheap tickets at most MPA events.
- 5% discount on anything bought in the gallery by cheque or cash.
- The chance to borrow our theatre equipment, children's play inflatables and other equipment.
- Personal invitations to Gallery openings.

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 back with your payment you become a member immediately.

## BUY YOUR TICKETS LOCALLY

Mid Pennine Arts tickets are available from:

<b>ACCRINGTON</b>	The Information Shop, 3 Abbey Street Hyndburn Leisure, Town Hall
<b>BACUP</b>	Public Library, St. James Square First Steps (Business Consultants), Fiscal House, 27 St. James Street
<b>BARNOLDSWICK</b>	Tourist Information, Fernlea Avenue
<b>BLACKBURN</b>	Althams Travel Services, 12 Ainsworth Street
<b>BURY</b>	The Met, Derby Hall, Market Street
<b>CLITHEROE</b>	Althams Travel Services, 20 King Street Tourist Information Centre, Church Walk
<b>COLNE</b>	Althams Travel Services, 13 Albert Road Pendle Leisure Services, Bank House, 61 Albert Road Public Library, Deardengate
<b>HASLINGDEN</b>	Tourist Information Centre, 1 Bridgegate
<b>HEBDEN BRIDGE</b>	Althams Travel Services, 1 Scotland Road
<b>NELSON</b>	Tourist Information Centre, Town Hall Central Library, Queens Square Tourist Information Centre, 41 - 45 Kay Street
<b>RAWTENSTALL</b>	Althams Travel Services, 15 Halifax Road
<b>TODMORDEN</b>	Bear Wholefoods, 29 Rochdale Road

## PROJECTS WITH PEOPLE

### THE MUGHAL TENT PROJECT

Following their trip to the V & A Museum in London, multi-cultural groups of women from Burnley and Nelson have now begun work on their own wall hangings as part of this national project.

*In association with E.L.A.A.F. NWAB, Lancashire Youth & Community Service Burnley District, Lancashire County Council Arts Unit, Burnley 700.*

### LIVE MUSIC NOW!

*Padiham Town Hall*

- **Monday, 20 June, 10.30 am**

*Bacup Leisure Hall*

- **Thursday, 23 June, 10.30am**

This term there are concerts at both of our usual venues for the Live Music Now! scheme for children with special needs.

*For further details contact Elaine Sagar or Jacky Riddell on 0282 421986.*

*In association with Live Music Now!*

### PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

Send us your favourite baby photograph and you could win a prize.

You must have taken the portrait yourself and the baby must have been between three months and two years when the photograph was taken. It can be either black and white or colour. It can have a story to tell or simply be fun. All entries will be displayed in The Gallery Downstairs during the exhibition 'The Babies'.

Closing date for entries is Friday 29 July. *For further information on how to enter please contact Sheenagh on 0282 421986.*



## OUT AND ABOUT

### Leger's Circus

*Haworth Art Gallery*

- **Saturday, 4 June - Sunday, 3 July**

Fernand Leger, one of the great innovative artists of the twentieth century, had a lifelong passion for the circus. This exhibition comprises 37 beautifully printed lithographs showing all the verve and brilliance of his late work.

Cyclists, acrobats, performing horses, clowns, colour and light celebrate Leger's delight in the spectacle and idea of the circus.

*A National Touring Exhibition supported by BT.*



### Leger Workshops

*Haworth Art Gallery*

- **Monday, 13 June & Tuesday, 14 June**

Jacky Riddell will work with junior school children at the Haworth Art Gallery. Using the exhibition as a focus she will explore circus through visual art and drama. *For further details, call her on 0282 421986.*

### Celebration of Colour

*The Vale Centre, Cornholme*

- **Monday, 6 June - Sunday, 12 June**

A cavalcade of colour in this range of traditional tin glazed earthenware by Majolica Works, one of the North West's leading craft partnerships.



### Craft Profile

*Public Library, Rishton*

- **Monday, 4 July - 30 July**



Stephen Williams' bronze sculptures are abstractions of the human figure based on aspects of emotion. Tension and balance of contrasting shapes play a major role in his work. He is interested in the effects of the form on the subconscious and how the viewer relates to it.

# L I V E   E N T E

## FAMILY FUN DAYS

### CORNHOLME FESTIVAL OF COLOUR

Vale Community Centre, Cornholme

- **Sunday, 12 June, from 12 noon**

Four days of creativity celebrating the spectrum of colour conclude with a day out for all the family. There's craft stalls, exhibitions of photography and of ceramics by Majolica Works (see "Out and About"), climaxing in a family theatre show. For details of this and of the full four-day programme, call Red Water Arts on 0706 815328.

### PENDLE COMMUNITY ARTS FESTIVAL

Town Centre, Nelson

- **Saturday, 25 June, 12 noon - 8pm**

Now in its fourth year, Nelson's annual arts celebration takes over the pedestrian precinct and offers something for everyone. The multicultural programme features live music of all kinds on two stages, dozens of stalls and activities, and exhibitions all the preceding week in a number of local shops. And it's all free!

### ROSSENDALE CARNIVAL

Town Centre, Bacup

- **Sunday, 26 June**

Carnival time in Bacup and Mid Pennine contributes to the fun. The Phoenix New Orleans Parade Band brings the sound and spectacle of New Orleans as they lead the crowds through the streets to the lively sound of ragtime and swing.



A joint promotion with Rossendale Borough Council.

### BRIERFIELD GALA

Bent Head Playing Fields, Brierfield

- **Saturday, 13 August**

The parade moves off at noon and the five piece Phoenix New Orleans Jazz Band will be at the heart of Brierfield's Gala. Presented IAW Brierfield Gala Committee.

### GREAT HARWOOD CHARTER FAIR

Streets of Great Harwood

- **Sunday, 21 August, from 12 noon**

These quiet streets will fill with tens of thousands as Great Harwood puts on the style to celebrate one of Lancashire's oldest town charters (1338). Join the throng and enjoy marching bands, morris dancers, fun fair, stalls and more. Mid Pennine presents an authentic West Indian steel band. In association with Great Harwood Civic Society.

### ST MONDAY CELEBRATIONS

Weavers Triangle Visitor Centre, Burnley

- **Monday, 29 August**

Festival day at the wharf and the celebrations will include many and varied stalls, attractions and entertainers. In association with The Weavers Triangle Trust.

## CABARET

### LIVE POETS SOCIETY

Henry Normal

Lemn Sissay

Johnny Dangerously

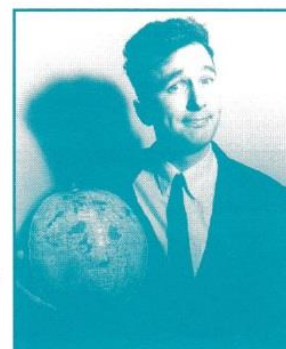
Town Hall, Accrington

- **Tuesday, 7 June, 8pm**

Admission £4.50/£3 concessions

Henry returns to East Lancs with his 'Live Poets Society', featuring new work from his radio 4 series 'Encyclopaedia Poetica', plus Mancunian with attitude Lemn Sissay and talented singer/songwriter Johnny Dangerously, co-presenter on Granada T.V's 'Juice'.

Presented in association with Hyndburn Borough Council.



## MUSIC

### 7 DAYS OF SOUND

Accrington

- **Monday, 8 August - Sunday, 14 August**

A week in August is devoted to the celebration of the local Accrington music scene. 7 days which will include street bands, live bands and workshops. The week culminates on Sunday in SOUND '94 at Oak Hill Park.

### URBAN STRAWBERRY LUNCH WORKSHOPS

New Era Youth Centre

- **Monday, 8 August - Wednesday, 10 August**

The intriguingly-named 'Urban Strawberry Lunch' design and make instruments and sound sculptures from junk and scrap, from gas pipes and hub caps, plastic barrels, fire extinguishers, scaffolding, old tin cans and even the kitchen sink! They will be running workshops in music making throughout the week available to anyone who wants to have a go. If you are interested get in touch with us now on 0282 421986. This is your opportunity to participate in the big day of SOUND '94 in Oakhill Park.



### AN EVENING OF CABARET

Venue to be confirmed

- **Thursday, 11 August**

### SOUND BITES

Accrington Town Hall

- **Friday, 12 August**

A variety of local bands will feature in this taster for the big day.

### DANCE SPECTACULAR

Accrington Town Hall

- **Saturday, 13 August**

# ENTERTAINMENT

## SOUND '94

*The Bandstand, Oak Hill Park, Accrington*

• **Sunday, 14 August, 12 noon – 7pm**  
Admission FREE

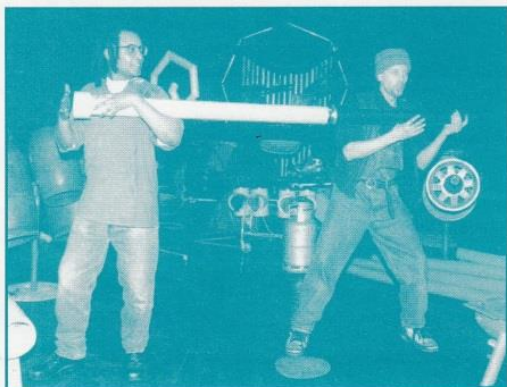
Last year's event attracted nearly 4000 people and is firmly established as one of the highlights of Hyndburn's summer calendar. The wonderful mixture of music promised for this year will suit all tastes and this free event has something to offer the whole family.

There's exciting sound from 'Urban Strawberry Lunch', the best local musicians, stalls, children's rides, entertainments and workshops, food, stalls and fun....come along and join the carnival atmosphere.

### URBAN STRAWBERRY LUNCH

Fusing traditional rhythms and melodies from across the world with House, funk, Latin, Go-Go, Jazz, Rock and much more gives this band a universal appeal.

Their exuberant, thoroughly entertaining performance style extends the boundaries of contemporary music, you name it, USL can play it. Sure to attract the crowd in 'The Park' will be the open drum session, giving the audience chance to have a bash!



*In association with Hyndburn Borough Council, Sound Steering Group.*

## AT A GLANCE

Date	Event	Venue
<b>JUNE</b>		
Sat, 21 May – Thur, 23	<b>The Print Show</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Sat, 4 – Sun, 3 July	<b>Leger's Circus</b>	Haworth Art Gallery
Sat, 4	<b>Family Print-making Workshop</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Mon, 6 – Sun, 12	<b>Majolica</b>	The Vale Centre, Cornholme
Tues, 7	<b>Live Poets Society</b>	Town Hall, Accrington
Sat, 11	<b>Printing on Ceramics</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Sun, 12	<b>Cornholme Festival of Colour</b>	Vale Community Centre, Cornholme
Mon, 13 – Tues, 14	<b>Leger Workshops</b>	Haworth Art Gallery
Fri, 17	<b>Grupo Pa'Lante</b>	Blue Note, Todmorden
Mon, 20	<b>Live Music Now!</b>	Padiham
Thurs, 23	<b>Live Music Now!</b>	Bacup
Sat, 25	<b>Pendle Youth Festival</b>	Nelson
Sat, 25	<b>Craft Market: Paper &amp; Paint</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Sun, 26	<b>Phoenix New Orleans Parade Band</b>	Bacup
<b>JULY</b>		
Sat, 2 – Thur, 4 August	<b>The Babies</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Mon, 4 – Sat, 30	<b>Stephen Williams</b>	Public Library, Rishton
<b>AUGUST</b>		
Sat, 6	<b>Craft Market: Textiles</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Mon, 8 – Sun, 14	<b>Seven Days of Sound</b>	Accrington
Sun, 14	<b>Sound '94</b>	Oakhill Park, Accrington
Sat, 13	<b>Phoenix Jazz Band</b>	Brierfield Gala
Sat, 13 – Thur, 15 Sep	<b>New Fibre Art</b>	The Gallery Downstairs
Sun, 21	<b>Charter Fair</b>	Great Harwood
Mon, 29	<b>St. Monday</b>	Weavers Triangle, Burnley

## JAZZ AT THE BLUE NOTE

### GRUPO PA'LANTE

• **Friday, 17 June, 8pm**  
Tickets £4.50/£3 concs

This 12 piece Salsa band is firmly established on the U.K Latin scene. Pa'Lante has appeared at all the major festivals and tour extensively throughout the country. They describe themselves as 'a New York style full big band'. Their influences and personal favourites are the classic musicians: Ray Barreto, Bobby Valentin, Hector Lavoe and many more.

*Presented in association with The Blue Note and supported by YHA*



# VISUAL ARTS

## THE GALLERY DOWNSTAIRS

21 MAY - 23 JUNE

### THE PRINT SHOW

This exhibition features local and national artists working in an imaginative range of styles. Prints which spotlight individual perceptions and impressions of people, places and homespun episodes. From the humorous to abstract-form as a means of expression, the Print Show offers something for everybody. A series of workshops and demonstrations is planned (see under workshops).



### CRAFTS



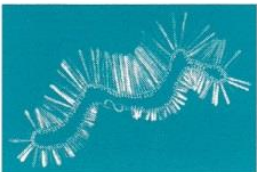
The showcase features decorative ceramics and printed textiles. Etchings on paper porcelain; stamping, sponging and monoprinting on ceramic forms; linoprint techniques used directly onto soft clay, introduce another dimension to Printing.

### JEWELLERY

**Trevor Forrester**  
Inspired by travel and film titles, all Trevor's brooches have a story to tell. Subtle grey pewter contrasting beautifully with yellow brass, metals that have been used together for centuries, provide a range that is fun to wear.



**Lisa Hamilton**  
Using forged and oxidised silver, Lisa links each piece through chain to create light and flexible designs. Each piece explores movement and highlights the textures of the metals she uses.



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### THE BABIES



This remarkable set of photographs taken by Sue Packer over several years are a tribute to her skill and patience. Inspired by her collection of Victorian child portraits they reveal a fascination with this difficult territory which has seldom been given serious attention.

Her efforts avoid tradition and sameness, the sentimental approach of the high-street studio or the clichéd snapshot. She succeeds in creating portraits which although formal, are fresh and unfamiliar.

#### COMPETITION

Sue Packer's distinctive vision will highlight endless possibilities for developing your own compositions. Bring in your own special photographs for inclusion in this exhibition and you could win a prize. See under 'competition' for further details.

### CRAFTS

#### Toucan Play

To fit the holiday mood the Showcase features creatures of the deep. Shoals of fish all colours, shapes and sizes, swim around rubbing fins with octopus. These painted wooden toys will appeal to every adult child.

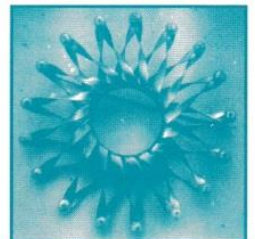
### JEWELLERY

#### Heidi Yeo

In designing her jewellery, Heidi's starting point is invariably architectural. She looks for the simple and understated, achieving a visual elegance, clarity and delicacy of form. Her pieces are restrained, harmonious and the essence of classic.

#### Janet Perry

Using sheets of softly textured silver folded and twisted into 3D forms these simple methods of construction become very decorative and are further adorned with semi-precious beads and pearls.

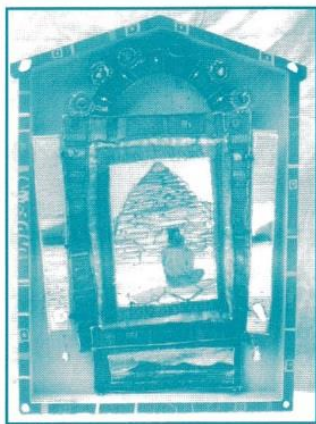


# AND CRAFTS

13 AUG - 15 SEPT

## NEW FIBRE ART

New Fibre Art is a national exhibiting group of artists working in fibre. These textiles are a lively and visual delight. The compositions incorporate complex machine stitching with the intricacies of papermaking, printing and knitting, embroidery and mixed media. This exhibition draws on traditional craft based techniques combined with experimental methods of construction. The work is provocative and dramatic and breaks away from convention, cosiness and comfort. Exciting, inspiring, this is a must for all fibre fanatics. Not to be missed.



## CRAFTS



### Who is the Fairest...?

Step through the looking glass in this month's showcase. Take your pick between the brightly coloured and decorated wooden mirrors by Jason Cleverly and the elegant sophistication of Saraj Guha. There's a mirror for every room in the house in every material imaginable and one to suit every mood.

## JEWELLERY

### Maria Hanson

A range of silver and gold large body-pieces that at first appear impractical, but once against the body become very personal and sensual things. The work has a sense of fluidity alongside its geometry.

See our next brochure for details of workshops with Maria.



### Joanna Veevers

A range of ceramic earrings & brooches resembling miniature mosaic in subtle colours with delicate patterns.

## WORKSHOPS/DEMOS

### WOOD ENGRAVING by Anne Desmet

• **Saturday, May 28, 10am - 4pm**

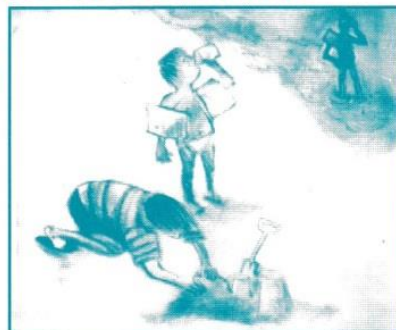
A precise image is achieved by incising across the grain and Anne will demonstrate the techniques and skills required to create a wood engraving.

### DRY POINT/EMBOSSING with Frances Noon

• **Saturday, 4 June**

This family workshop offers a chance to create your own original print using drypoint and embossing techniques. Frances Noon will show you how.

Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Please book early as places are limited to twelve. Registration £5, children under 10 Free.



### PRINTING ON CERAMICS by Paul Scott

• **Saturday, 11 June**

Paul will reveal the innovative techniques combining etching and monoprinting with ceramics to create unusual and decorative hanging pieces.

## CRAFT MARKETS

### PAPER AND PAINT

• **Saturday, 24 June, 10am - 4pm**

Prints, paintings and handmade paper in a summer spectacular for you to buy and take away.

### TEXTILES

• **Saturday, 6 August**

Rugs, fashion and framed pieces by new and established makers to tempt you.

### FURNITURE AND WOOD

• **Saturday, 17 September**

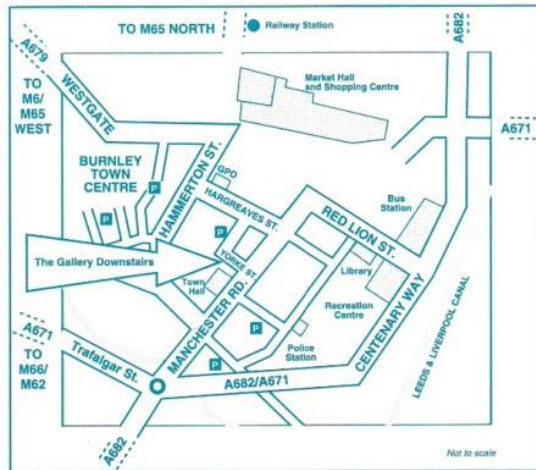
Talk to the maker about new designs and traditional techniques.

In association with Burnley Market Charter



# The GALLERY Downstairs

YORKE STREET, OFF MANCHESTER ROAD, BURNLEY, BB11 1HD. TELEPHONE: 0282 421986/429513



## 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

Wheelchair users can gain access via our ramp. Guide dogs are welcome. If you need help you only have 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 421986 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.



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