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Welcome to issue 17 of our Education at 20-21 Newsletter for 2016. We hope you have all had a great year and are looking forward to your Christmas break.

We have lots of innovative and engaging ways for schools to get the most out of our exhibitions during 2017

20-21 Visual Arts Centre offers the following for future interest.

- Self guided tours which are free, we just ask that you let us know that you are coming.
- Guided tours which cost £15. A Learning Assistant will take you around the gallery and give you additional information on the building and exhibitions.

Both the above can be enhanced by booking the Activity Table for £1 per child where they can create a piece of work relating to the exhibitions.

We also offer core workshops and bespoke workshops. Starting from just £3.50 per pupil.

- Core workshops are workshops that have already been planned and are slightly cheaper. They are drawing, clay, print and shadow puppet based.
- Bespoke workshops are designed to your chosen topics.

The above can be delivered here at 20-21 or as outreach at your school, except for our screen print workshops which are delivered at 20-21 Visual Arts Centre only.

We also offer project work, after school clubs and teacher training.

Please contact us with any questions you may have regarding what we can offer.



New Exhibition

19 November 2016 to 28 January 2017 Radical Craft:

Alternative Ways of Making

In this exhibition from Craftspace and Outside In, 34 artists who express themselves in different ways have come together to transform our understanding of modern craft. As well as featuring well-known "outsider artists," many of those included are self-taught and face barriers to the art world due to health, disability or social circumstances.

Those schools who have visited this exhibition already have thoroughly enjoyed it and found inspiration for the workshops they had booked with us.

The exhibitions has excellent links to Art and Design subjects as well as helping to raise awareness and discussion around health, disability or social circumstances. There is also accompanying information booklets to aid understanding.



Please contact us if you would like to book a workshop or visit this exhibition.



A new Core, Observational Drawing Workshop for 2016/17

This workshop focuses on specific drawing techniques where pupils explore the use of charcoal and pastels whilst being given still life display to study.

This workshop can link to classroom themes or specific exhibitions. Suitable for all key stages.

A half or full day workshop can be booked as outreach or here at 20-21. Please contact us for details.



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New for 2017, Artivities Extra

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Just something to share with your pupils and their families.

Artivities Extra are free Saturday afternoon workshops in or Education room, led by a visiting artist or one of our helpful gallery assistants, it's fun for all the family!

Jan 28: Glass painting

Feb 25: Treasure Hunters Compass

March 25: Mother's Day Tote Bags/Treasure Sacks

April 1: Clay workshops with Karen Raithby

May 6: Ship in a Bottle

June 3: Lego Printed T shirts (bring your own or buy one of ours to work on)



Due to the popularity of our workshops attendees must book in advance.

To reserve a space for you and your family, please call: 01724 297070.

Project work at

20-21 Visual Arts Centre

20-21 Visual Arts Centre is committed to supporting education for all ages. If you have any ideas or projects you would like to develop we are more than happy to help. We have experience in Teacher Training, After School Clubs, Whole School Art Development, Arts Award delivery, Community Artist led projects and more.

If you would like more information or just a chat about any of the above please contact us.

After School Art Clubs

Did you know that 20-21 offers after school art clubs to schools in North Lincolnshire?

20-21 has worked with a number of primary schools to provide after school sessions which not only focused on art and design using a range of materials, but also had elements of maths, science and literacy incorporated in them too. These sessions have helped to provide quality work for art exhibitions and could be a useful tool for the Artsmark.

If you are interested in 20-21 Visual Arts Centre running an after school art club at your school, please get in touch.

New Exciting Exhibition for 2017 by artist Luke Jerram Treasured City, 18 February to 29 April 2017

In collaboration with North Lincolnshire Museum, internationally recognised artist Luke Jerram has created five solid gold replicas of items from the museum collection. Each, worth over £1000, are hidden around Scunthorpe. Visitors, treasure hunters and codebreakers are invited to find them by deciphering clues concealed in a series of paintings. The accompanying exhibition will tell the stories behind the objects and their making, as well as giving a few hints as to where they might be hidden.





This exhibition will be of interest to Design Technology subjects, Numeracy and Literacy. Also the mapping and coding element will be of keen interest for geography topics. Please contact us if you are interested in this exhibition.

Treasured City is supported by the National Lottery through funding from Arts Council England.

Genetic Moo, Love in Idleness, 11 February to 6 May 2017

Did your school take part in the North Lincolnshire Council Shake Shakespeare 2016 project with Genetic Moo? If so then the work has now been put together and will be exhibited here at 20-21 Visual Arts Centre.

Created to celebrate the 400th anniversary of
William Shakespeare's birth, the exhibition is a combination of
Shakespearean plays, cutting-edge technologies and simple
coding experiments all culminating in digital art pieces revealing
tales and characters from A Midsummer Nights Dream.
Come along and have a look you may see someone you know or
your own work.



<u>Treasures of North Lincolnshire Funday</u> <u>Saturday 25 March, 10am to 4pm</u>

Linked to Luke Jerram's Treasured City exhibition, we're holding one of our fantastic fundays!

Make your own treasure chest, charm bracelet or magnetic puzzle. We are also offering an Artivities extra workshop where children can decorate a Totes Bag. Plus as it's Mother's Day, why not treat your mum to 10% off in the 20-21 café

All our events are free and suitable for all.

Children must be accompanied by a participating adult.

20-21 Open Exhibition 2016 12 November to 4 February

We are delighted to welcome the return of our Open Art and Sculpture exhibition, featuring work from talented artists

across the region selected by special quest judges.

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Why not book a free self guided tour to inspire your school's budding artists.



04 February to 22 April 2017 Beverly Porter's

Circus Dogs, Retro Royals and Other Deadly Sins

Beverly Porter's contemporary ceramics are inspired by the history of ornaments and their display. Quirky, colourful and kitsch, the artist uses traditional techniques to explore everything from dogs to retro royal figurines.

To accompany this exhibition why not book one of our popular clay workshops, focusing on exploring sculpture and methods used to create 3D objects. Includes looking at our sculpture handling collection.

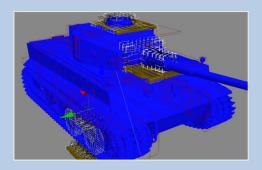
Suitable for KS1 and KS2.



6 August 2016 to April 2017

Peter Mountain, Courtyard Sculpture

The Construction and Deconstruction of an Army Tank



Other Exhibitions at



The culmination of a research period spent at Salford University's Department of Virtual Environments, sculptor Peter Mountain will build a life-sized sculpture of a US army tank, working from data downloaded from a website that supplies virtual objects for the computer games industry. Created using a complex jigsaw of CNC milled wooden boards and pallets, the completed sculpture has involved deconstructing every element of the digital model and then working out how this can be translated into the new dramatic sculptural form.

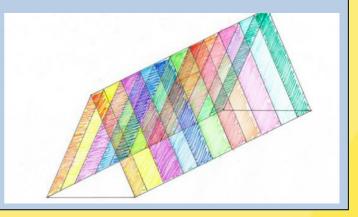
This large scale sculpture will be of interest to DT, IT teachers and pupils.

The Deconstruction and Reconstruction of an Army Tank by Peter Mountain is supported by the National Lottery through Arts Council England.

04 February to 22 April 2017 Drawing for Sculpture

Featuring everything from rough sketches and experimental artworks to detailed technical drawings and three-dimensional digital models, Drawing for Sculpture includes work from over 20 sculptors who use drawing as part of their creative process.

Along with Art and Design, this exhibition will be of interest to Maths and Science curriculum subjects too. We would be happy to design a workshop to include these subjects.



There are a number of educational opportunities available with all our exhibitions, from self-guided tours to workshops created just for you on any topic. For more information, please get in touch.

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