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VIRTUAL ONLINE ART FAIR 2020 BROCHURE





### A message from our Directors

Chester Arts Fair 2020 will be showcasing and selling quality work by Emerging and international Artists. Now in our ninth year running, we are approaching this year's event a little differently.

Like many, Covid-19 has brought a halt to our annual physical event. This year Chester Arts Fair proudly presents our most ambitious Fair yet. Taking place between 13th November – 13th December is our Virtual Fair. We have been working hard creating an accessible Virtual Gallery that will provide our visitors the opportunity to enjoy the exhibition experience safely and remotely.

To our artists, visitors, and everyone involved in the Chester Arts Fair, we are incredibly grateful. You are all part of making our vision a reality. 'Art has become more important than ever during the pandemic, helping mental health and uniting the nation. We hope that by moving the Fair online and making it free, it will offer a much need opportunity to lift people's spirits by enjoying a new type of art experience from the comfort of their own homes. We are pleased to be raising much needed funds for charities that are affected by the pandemic'

Laura O'Hare & Shirley-Ann O'Neill - Fair Directors



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## CreateArt 4Hope (CA4H)



We are a fund raising appeal created by The Visual Artists Association, to support mental health charities in delivering front line services. By donating to the appeal, you will be helping to save lives.

Proceeds go to mental health charities. By way of thanking you for your donation, leading British artists have donated a limited edition set of prints which you can claim (just pay postage & packaging).

To support this appeal, we have also created a social media movement #CREATEART4HOPE to connect people during this period of uncertainty and social isolation. #CREATEART4HOPE is launching a NEW limited edition set of prints to conicide with #CAF20. Funds raised from this NEW collection will be donated to Maggie's Merseyside.

#CA4H collection 1 comprised of four A3 size limited edition prints worth hundreds of pounds generously gifted by four award-winning artists' including international sculptor Emma Rodgers; London based illustrator' Carne Griffiths; Scottish fine landscape artist, Michael Batey; and contemporary animal painter, Tammy Walters. Funds from this collection will be donated to Mind and The Hive, Wirral. Our #CA4H collection 2 is shown below.



## Andrew Alan Johnson

"In particular Alan Andrew Alan Johnson paints wild flowers relishing painting all kinds of floral pieces. Producing landscapes and forest art (nature and its energy influencing subject matter once again). Mainly using acrylics and enjoying applying the paint in thick layers and manipulating it on the board or canvas."

## Samantha Messias

"My life and the process of creating my drawings have developed through turning something dark into something light. My work is about enhancing the tiniest of details, intensifying them, changing contrasts and textures, awakening emotion, life and curiosity into the heart of the observer not just in the art work itself."



### Jacob Chan

"Jacob Chan's work is mainly a combination of wheel thrown and hand built Chinese based vessels decorated heavily in slips, oxides and other raw materials. For the Create Art 4 Hope Campaign Jacob has donated a ink and bleach drawing."





## Frances Ackland-Snow

"Frances completed a Fine Art Foundation Course at Oxford before specialising in painting at Brighton University, where she achieved a first class degree in Fine Art Painting. Frances has donated this wonderful print called Guiding Light."

## Andrew Alan Johnson

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#### 'The Tranquil Dawn' - £845

Early morning of a bright summer's day and the butterflies and bees are already up and about! A really heavenly, tranquil scene that's been created here to bring peace, joy and brightness to the viewer.

Size: 24 x 24 inches (unframed) Framed Size: 30 x 30 x 1.5 inches (sold framed) Materials: Acrylics and art sculpting clay

#### Festival

£595, Acrylics and 3d sculpting clay. This one off, original creation is an uplifting representation of summer and the plentiful bounty for our bees and insects. Wildflowers bloom in beautiful colour under the sun's warmth. There is one of my trademark hand sculpted bumblebees and a hand sculpted butterfly too in amidst the mix of hand made flowers and delicious textures. Varnished in a glossy varnish with UV protection to preserve my colours and supplied with a certificate of authenticity for future provenance. This piece is framed in a broad, luxurious high quality wooden frame that is strung at the back, ready for hanging.

Size: 13.75 x 11 inches (Unframed) 20 x 17 x 1.5 inches (Framed).





There is a force within us all'

Acrylics on canvas, £345. This painting in acrylics, has a fitting title to show that through the storms of life we also have a mighty power within us to ride it out in times of challenge. Art Canvas Size: 16 x 24 inches.



Mothering Sunday - £795 - Acrylics and 3d sculpting clay

This is a beautifully bespoke, one off original acrylic painted piece of relief work. Two pieces in one...not only a carefully crafted sculpture, but also a stunning painting too.It is the evening of Mothering Sunday and a mother hare has given birth to three leverets.Hidden in the grasses and wildflowers of a meadow, they sit beneath a beautiful full moon.This creation is full of texture, love and has gold leaf in areas also Size: 16 x 20 inches -unframed 21 x 25 x 1.5 inches-framed (Sold Framed)

## Anna Bartolo

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1) Grace, Oil on canvas, £1795, 100\*80 cm. The accomplishment of joy through unadulterated affiliation.



3) Blacknoses, Oil on canvas, £1795,80\*70 cm (framed). The unity and strength of a young flock.





2) Fighting, Oil on canvas,£1995, 120\*100 cm. The passage of love fought through two competing affections.

4) Twins, Oil on canvas, £1575.90\*80cm . The next generation in unison and perfect harmony.

## Anne Johnston Gill

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### 2) "The last stand" Oil on canvas, £2400, 100 x 75cms. I wanted to go quite big so decided what better to paint but not just one stag but 3.

1) "Stampede"

dramatic scene.

what to paint on it. This wood was

screaming horses to me so I did a

3) "Freedom" Oil on reclaimed wood, £950, 100 x 60cms. Oil on canvas. I've been painting on wood for a few years £2800, 75 x 120cms. and I prepare the wood before I decide My largest oil to date. I wanted to go dramatic again and love painting horses so decided to do 3 very different

looking horses.





Soft pastels and pastel pencils, Framed in a white distressed wooden frame, £850, 60 x 80 cm incl frame. I've painted quite a few wolves but decided to do a close study and this is the result. All the individual hairs took quite a while.

my oils on canvas are unframed to allow the buyer to choose

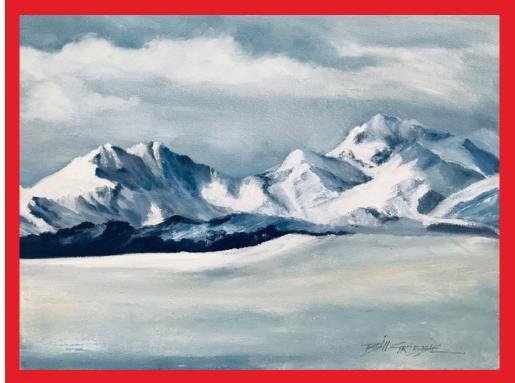
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## Art North Wales - Bill Gribble

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1) 'West Shore Llandudno Incoming Tide' Oil Painting 40cm x50cm £175.00p.





2) 'Winter Snowdonia' Oil Painting' 40cm x 50cm £125.00p. This work is unframed.



3) 'Night Flight' Oil Painting' 60cm x 40cm. £250. This work is framed in a crisp 3cm wide brushed aluminium Plain moulding.

4) 'Llanddwyn Kittiwakes' Oil Painting 60cm x 175cm approximately. £450.00p. This work is beautifully framed with a narrow silver slip and a broad, hand finished off-white moulding.



Art North Wales - Jennifer Suellen Rye

### 1)Light

Acrylic on canvas, £950, 80 cm x 60 cm. The relationship between tradition and the complete overthrow of the projection of one's own narrative.



### 3) Pink Flow

Mixed Media on paper, £350, 22 cm x 30 cm. Something once lost, forgotten and misplaced has been found again.





### 2) Hidden

Mixed Media on paper, £350, 30 cm x 36 cm. One has to remember, of course, that changes take place, and their reality is the sense of our current circumstances.



### 4) Dream

Acrylic on canvas, £850, 60 cm x 80 cm. The landscape is always an unfolding of pathways with blades of grass. It is never finished or completed; it is a container of events and stories.  $\overline{\mathbf{X}}$ 

## Art North Wales - Jilly Turl

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### 1) Title - Crab 1

Medium - Pastel, £195, 325mm x 245mm. Original painting in soft pastel on premium quality sanded card. Painting is supplied unframed.





2) Title - Crab 2 Pastel, £195, 325mm x 250mm. Original painting in soft pastel on premium quality sanded card. Painting issupplied unframed.



3) Lobster 1

Pastel, £195, 325mm x 250mm. Original painting in soft pastel on premium quality sanded card. Painting is supplied unframed.

4) Lobster 2 Pastel, £195, 305mm x 250mm. Original painting in soft pastel on premium quality sanded card. Painting is supplied unframed.



## Art North Wales -Mark Albrow

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1) Snakes and Ladders Oil on Paper, £350.00, 51 x 68 cms. Exploring the look of a game of snakes and ladders and its philosophic origins . Fate, random luck or is everything predestined? The game originated in India ,possibly as long ago as 2 B.C. ,and was used as part of children's moral instruction. Ladders stood for virtue, Snakes for evil.Originally there were more snakes than ladders!



2) Sunset over the West Shore,Llandudno Print, £135, 42 x 59 cms. A treated and layered image based on a photographic image expressing the view of the sun setting over the West Shore in Llandudno.



### 3) Squirrel Print from original painting, £85, 30 x 30 cms, Fine art print from original painting based on my daughter's drawings.

### 4) Welsh

Landscape, Oil and pencil on paper, £350, 51 x 68 cms. An oil painting using washes and pencil based on a view across the Conwy valley showing the Castle and utilising text to name elements of the landscape in Welsh. Exhibited at the RCA Open 2020.



## Art North Wales -Paul Pigram

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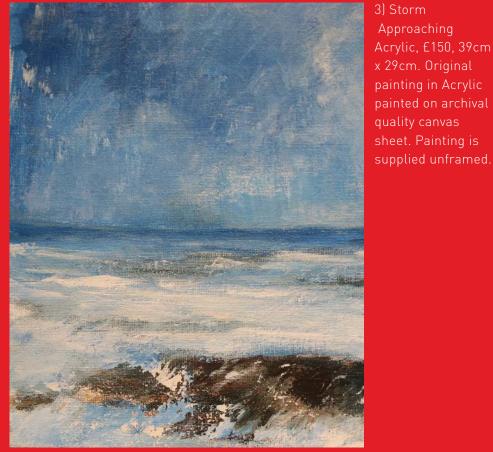
### 1) Peacock

Acrylic, £450, 80cm x 1 metre. Original painting in Acrylic painted on a stretched canvas ready to hang.





2) Eye of the Tiger Acrylic, £350, 60cm x 80cm. Original painting in Acrylic painted on a stretched



4) Stormy Sea Acrylic, £150, 28cm x 38cm. Original painting in Acrylic painted on archival quality canvas sheet. Painting is supplied unframed.



Approaching

## Art North Wales -Peter Moore

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### 1) Crib y Ddysgl 1

Acrylic ink, £475, 30 x 38 cm. 'The abstracted quality of the dark clefts and rock outcrops, with ice on the Snowdon volcanic's, lit by the raking light of a frosty sunrise.





### 2) Mountain

Acrylic ink, £475, 14 x 65 cm. Abstracted mountain theme of rock ice and dark cliffs, are back lit by the sun whose power to sweeps away the remaining grey mists.

3) Snowdon and Glaslyn from Crib Goch Acrylic ink, £475, 30 x 38 cm. 'Swirling snowstorms surrounding Snowdon. From the pinnacle'd ridge of Crib Goch, Llyn Glaslyn lies dark and brooding at Snowdon's foot.'



### 4) Bera Gwyn 2 Ynys Mon

Acrylic ink, £455, 31 x 45 cm. The dramatic white sea arch of the Bera Gwyn on Anglesey's west coast. Blue sea and shadowy reflections punctuate this vibrant scene.



## Art North Wales -Ronnie Drillsma

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1) Lady in Red



2) Cool Blues

I love Life drawing, and have continued

to attend Life Drawing classes for many

es, developed using my Paint & Collage technique.The Art Nouveau period is a particular favourite of mine, and by using

my own patterned papers, I have tried to capture that beautiful decorative style. All pictures are created using Acrylics &

All Paintings in this series are priced at

£550, Square Pictures are approx 20" x 20"

years. These are a selection of my sketch-



### 3) Reflections in Pink



4) Quiet Repose



## Barry Davies

Email: bdsculptor@gmail.com Website: www.barrydaviessculptor. co.uk 1) Anatomical study of a lion Bronze 6/9, £5,730, 48cm H x 68cm W x 18cm D. This bronze sculpture was designed and modelled to convey the strength and magnificence of this regal animal.





3) Scottish blackface ram Bronze 6/9, £4,250, 60cm H x 62cm W x 42cm D. Modelled in clay and cast in bronze, this portrait of a ram with its magnificent horns wildly spiralling outwards occupying an active use of space, is lifesize and exudes a strong physical presence.



### 2) Perseus

Bronze 3/9, £4,230, 74cm H x 37cm W x 32cm D. Son of Zeus and Danae and founder of Mycenae, Perseus defeated Medusa and saved Andromeda with the help of Pegasus. 4) Anatomical study of the horse

Bronze 1/25, £3,760, 36cm H x 43cm W x 12cm D. Davies modelled this hunter/thoroughbred type horse in a way that exhibits the beauty of its skeletal shape, musculature and positioning of the arteries and veins. This sculpture is a study and celebration of the Anatomical mechanism of the horse.



# Barry Laden

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### 2) And In Those Fields

Acrylic on Canvas. Framed in white, £495, 91 x 61 x 2cm. A celebration of England's football team and the fans waving the St George's flags in appreciation. This is the first in my "Roar of the Crowd" series, several of which have entered public and private collections across the world. I really enjoyed painting the variety of flag shapes and the scene is a snapshot of a moment at Wembley. Framed and strung so ready to hang. Signed and dated on the front. Also signed, named and dated on the back.

1) Barcode Geo

17 days over 3 weeks to create.

and dated on the reverse.

A development in my Barcode series, I





3) A Triptych. Barcode I,II & III £649. 120 x 30 x 2cm. The first three in my series of Barcode paintings. With no painted lines but only thousands of layered and carefully placed brushstrokes or dots on the canvases, this group of three canvases is sold as one triptych work.

Strung individually so ready to hang, although you may wish to frame them as a group. Each canvas is signed, named and

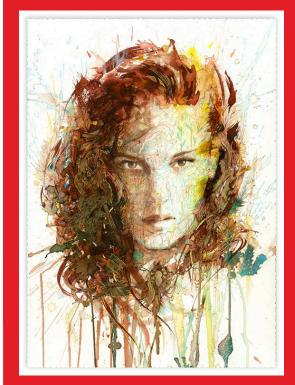


4) Moon Rise Acrylic on canvas, £295, 40 x 30 x 2cm. Painted on the 50th anniversary of the moon landings, I felt I had to note it through my art. Thousands of tiny brushstrokes make up the scene. Strung and ready to hang. Signed, named and dated on the back



## Carne Griffiths

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### 2) The Brooch

1) The Crown

Ink and tea with 24 carat gold leaf on

framed with UV protective and anti

of the nature's riches series.

bockingford watercolour paper, museum

reflection glass. £4000, 86 x 66 x 5cm, part

Ink and tea with 24 carat gold leaf on bockingford watercolour paper, museum framed with UV protective and anti reflection glass. £4000, 86 x 66 x 5cm, part of the nature's riches series. 4) Nature's Riches Ink and tea with 24 carat gold leaf on bockingford watercolour paper, museum framed with UV protective and anti reflection glass. £4000, 86 x 66 x 5cm, part of the nature's riches series.



### 3) The Meadow

Ink and tea with 24 carat gold leaf on bockingford watercolour paper, museum framed with UV protective and anti reflection glass. £4000, 86 x 66 x 5cm, part of the nature's riches series.



## Danny Byrne

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2) Old Sea Dog Oil and Acrylic, £1,200.00 framed, 55 cm x 80 cm, Exhibited at the, Royal Society of Marine Artists, Mall Gallery, London 2020.

1) The Queen Oil and Acrylic, £1,800.00 Framed, 84 cm x 71 cm, Contemporary interpretation of the Queen.





3) Blue Dragon Brook. Oil and acrylic on panel, £850.00, 48cm x 35cm, Contemporary landscape painting.



4) Selfie and the Dragon Oil and Acrylic with 42 carat pure gold leaf background, £4,000.00.

One of a series of paintings in the style of religious icons. The traditional religious images, provide for a metaphor for the devout contemporary followers, of social media and particularly, for i-devices.



# Fay Palkimas

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Charred Oak and Cast Iron, Sold, 50cm x A characteristic slab of charred oak fused





2) 'Three Towers' (2017) Charred Wood and Cast Iron. £545, 5cm x 5cm x 40cm each (approximately). Three slender and delicate towers of charred wood stabilised by direct-cast iron bases.

4) 'Vlemicks' (2019) -Commission Charred Sycamore and Cast Aluminium. Sold, 40cm round (approximately). Charred sycamore round with carved pattern and direct-cast

3) 'Manchester' (2018) Charred Scaffold Boards, £1080 (Sold), 86cm x 86cm x 3cm (apboards with carved outline of Greater Manchester and M60 ringroad, finished with oil and wax.



## Gray Eaton

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Driftwood, bark and stone from North Wales, 78 x 59cm, wall hanging, £850





3) The Dusk Flight In Driftwood and bark from North Wales, 92 x 60cm, wal hanging, £450

### 4) The Tiger Fish In Driftwood, stone and sea glass with 60 million year old fossil shark teeth. 70 x 53 cm, wall hanging, £490.

2) Humpback WhaleA sculpture in Driftwood from North Wales,138 x 52cm, wall hanging, £985.





# Hamish Young <sub>- VAO</sub>

2019 winner

Email: : hamishrsyoung@gmail.com Website: www.hamishyoung.net These are part of a series of works concerned with formalising 'in between' spaces drawing on feelings associated with loss and abandonment from my childhood experiences. In this series of drawings I explore the edge of the Severn Estuary, a physical space which, with one of the world's largest tidal ranges exists between states. Through allusions in my work I seek to trigger metaphors and personal associations, allowing the viewer to contemplate ambivalence.



1) Adoption (Old Pier #2), Graphite on tracing paper, 2019, 60 x 42 cm (76 x 59 cm framed), £995



3) Adoption (Turn #1), Graphite on tracing paper, 2020, 60 x 42 cm (76 x 59 cm framed), £995

4) Boarded (Old Pier #1), Graphite on tracing paper, 2020, 42 x 30 cm (59 x 47 cm framed), £695

2) Adoption (Marsh #1), Graphite on tracing paper, 2020, 60 x 42 cm (76 x 59 cm framed), £995



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## lain Holman

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2) Spectator Oil on canvas, £2,350, 80 x 80 cm. City street life observation - Edinburgh Festival. Comes with a handmade black frame, ready to hang.

### 1) Visitor II

Oil on canvas, £2,350, 80 x 80 cm. Studio based portrait themed study. Comes with a handmade white frame, ready to hang.





3) Indignant
Oil on canvas, £2,800,
90 x 90 cm, City
street life observation - Prince Albert
statue,George Square,
Glasgow. Comes with
a handmade white
frame, ready to hang.





4) Jubilant Lilies Oil on canvas, £2,350, 80 x 80 cm. Studio based floral still life study. Comes with a handmade white frame, ready to hang.

## lan Marlow

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### 1) NEW WAVE 2020 (large)

Stainless steel on matte black base, £3,000.00, 53 x 50 x 35 cms, One of a series of individual sculptures based on the theme of a rolling Wave. Each sculpture is unique with in size and roll of the wave.



### 2) TOGETHER (large)

Stainless steel (it's photo in garden), £6,000.00, 250 x 50 x 50 cms, One of a series of individual sculptures based on the theme of Togetherness. Each sculpture is unique with in size and design of the two pieces. You can commission a sculpture with more pieces in different heights to suit

### 3) TOGETHER (small).

Stainless steel on Granite block (it's photo with black background), £2,000.00, 120 x 15 x 15 cms. One of a series of individual sculptures based on the theme of Togetherness. Each sculpture is unique with in size and design of the two pieces. You can commission a sculpture with more pieces in different heights to suit.



4) SEEDS (large) Stainless steel, £4,500.00, 160 x 30 x 30 cms. One of a series of individual sculptures based on the theme of seeds in an open pod. Each sculpture in the series is unique.

## Jacob Chan

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1) Dragon Ginger jar 'The Lonely Dragon' Soda Fired Ceramics, 50cm (h) x 26cm (w), £980. 3) Blue Ginger Jar 'Oriental Blue Ginger Jar' Soda Fired Ceramics, 30cm (h) x 18cm (w), £120.



4) Wall Mounted Dragon 'Strength in Flight' Soda Fired Ceramics, 53cm (h) x 43cm (w), £380.

2) Freestanding Dragon 'Jaded Strength' Soda Fired Ceramics, 26cm (h) x 38cm (L) x 10cm (w), £580.



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## John Parker

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1) Only form Darkness Cometh the Glory Oil on canvas laid on board, £1800, 122 cm x 98 cm frame 48mm wood grey.





2) The Dawning of a New Era

Oil on canvas laid on board, £1800, Framed size - 97 cm x 120 cm, frame 48mm wood white. Produced with oil paint, thixotropic medium and calcium carbonate, giving a thick buttery consistency.





3) Sailing Bright Sailing Strong Oil on canvas laid on board, £1800, Framed size – 122 cm x 98 cm, frame 48mm wood white.

4) Time for Contemplation Oil on canvas laid on board, £1600, Framed size – 96 cm x 113 cm, frame 48mm wood white.

## Julie Oldfield

Email: www.julieoldfield.com Website: julieoldfield2000@hotmail.com Julie specialises in skies and landscapes. Her techniques have evolved through a number of developmental phases; initially applying texture and site- specific earth materials on canvas, alongside natural weathering to subtly change and slowly soften her images. Julie's growing reputation as an innovative artist producing beautiful work has led to three consecutive years exhibiting at the prestigious Mall Galleries 'Society of Women Artists' annual autumn exhibition, London. 3) Radiance Mixed media in burnt copper using acid and alkili and weathering, 70x140cm.





Copper Light
 Mixed media on burnt copper sheet,
 60x50cm.



2) Copper RaysMixed media on burnt copper sheet,50x50cm.

4) The Journey Mixed media on Copper sheet, 50x50.



## Lizzie Foster

Email: quercuscarvings@gmail.com Website: www.quercuscarvings.co.uk Lizzie uses traditional carving techniques to explore historical styles and bring them into a modern setting, incorporating her own influence and ideas into her work. She works in a diverse array of styles from medieval and baroque, transforming them into modern and functional art pieces. Lizzio works on a mixture of personal art and commission pieces.

3) Acanthus bracket Lime, £150.





1) Gothic Mirror Oak & mirror, £200.



2) Geometric Clock Lime, £200.



4) Gryphon head Lime, £150.  $\overline{\mathbf{X}}$ 

# Martin Rolt

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### 1) Love Torn Apart

Pen and Ink on Paper, £2,500, Dimensions:27x36cm (Framed dims: 56x65cm. Pen and Ink stipple drawing made up entirely of ink dots. 143 hours to complete. The drawing is an amalgamation and celebration of Joy Division album artwork. The drawing is professionally framed. Limited Edition of 200 numbered prints available at £95.00 each + P&P.



### 3) Ataraxia

Acrylic/Mixed Media on Canvas, £945.00, 80x80cm. Highly textured and atmospheric seascape. Turquoise, teal and green with copper. Rich in texture, the painting appears highly tactile. Ataraxia, an excellent word, is a synonym for 'tranquillity'.





2) The Beach: Afire Acrylic/Mixed Media on Canvas, £595.00, 60x60cm. Highly textured and atmospheric seascape. Warm and vibrant reds with black and

gold. Rich in texture, the painting appears highly tactile with sparkling golden mica flakes.



4) The Beach: Delicate Energy Acrylic/Mixed Media on Canvas, £1350.00, 90x90cm. A highly atmospheric and textured beach scene/seascape. Mother Nature is a delicate creature, we need to treat her kindly. An extremely tactile painting due to the high degree of texture used in the painting's creation. A highly atmospheric and textured beach scene/seascape. Mother Nature is a delicate creature, we need to treat her kindly. An extremely tactile painting due to the high degree of texture used in the painting's

## Mathew Edenbrow

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 "Love is in the air" King penguin (Aptenodytes patagonicus)
 Stoneware and applied underglazes, £900 pair, 47cm x 15cm x 13cm (each individual). Each year king penguins engage in highly ritualised courtship behaviours that strengthen the bonds between the breeding pair. The sculpture aims to capture the beauty of this intriguing behaviour.



### 2) "Stealth" Bengal tiger (Panthera tigris)

Stoneware and applied underglazes, £450, 42cm x 18cm x 10cm. Tigers are one of the most widely recognisable animals in the world and unfortunately are also facing the threat of extinction. With this sculpture I want to capture the grace of this beautiful species in motion. 3) "Chief" Mountain
Gorilla (Gorilla beringei)
Stoneware and applied
underglazes, £500,
37cm x 32cm x 17cm. I
have been fascinated by
Mountain gorillas since
my childhood and with
this sculpture I wanted to
capture the power of the
silverback as he stands
and surveys his domain.





4) "Malayan Tapir" (Tapirus indicus) Stoneware and applied underglazes, £550. Malayan tapirs are a strange but beautiful species. This sculpture was based on observations at several UK zoological gardens where I repeatedly observed these animals sitting and relaxing the day away.

## Matt Sparrow

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### 1) Blur - Parklife

Released in 1994, the album cover photo showing two greyhounds was taken at Walthamstow Greyhound track. The theme running through the 'Parklife' album is a celebration of British 'caff' culture, so a doorstep bacon sandwich and the quintessential bottle of HP brown sauce created fitting accompaniments.



Matt Sparrow is a self taught artist, who focuses on photorealism. Originally concentrating on portraiture, his most recent works have moved towards still life, with his inspiration coming from his love of music and British culture and the inextricable link between the two. All prints are Giclee on Museum heavy quaitly paper. All Music Prints 3 available sizes 800 x 800, 650 x 650, 500 x 500 (millimetres) £200, £150 and £100 respectively (signed and numbered 200) Storm in a Teacup 300 x 750 mm £120.



### 2) Oasis - Definitely Maybe

With the intense rivalry between the two bands, Oasis were the obvious follow-up to Blur. The album cover itself is hugely interesting, with a photo of the iconic George Best in the background highlighting the band's Manchester roots. Matt chose a bottle of Blue Moon Craft Beer which alludes to the anthem which Manchester City football team. walk onto the pitch to. The packet of Benson and Hedges can be spotted on the album cover (see if you can spot it!) and again as part of the still life subject matter, the packaging is contemporary with the album release in 1994.

3) De La Soul - 3 feet high and rising Matt selected this album as it includes a sample from one of his favourite songs, 'Peg' by Steely Dan and because of the fantastically vibrant album cover which was a lot of fun to paint. Just before the track '3 is the magic number', the fictional game show host asks the question 'how many fibres are intertwined in a Shredded Wheat biscuit'. Ludens cough sweets are referenced at least 4 times in the album, which sees the 30th anniversary of it's release in 2019 with De La Soul touring the album to commemorate the occasion.



### 4) 'Storm in a teacup'

A derivation of the album series, this painting again includes archetypal British subject matter, classic Heinz tomato ketchup, alongside two perfectly poached eggs. The painting shows humour with the Stormtrooper in the foreground searching for the missing 'Finn' from 'The Force Awakens' peeping out from behind the ketchup bottle.



## Matthew Ellwood

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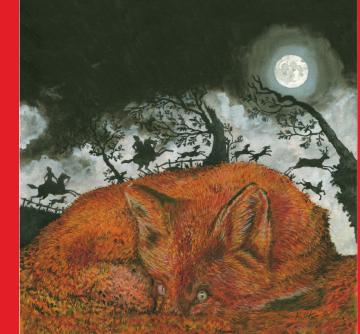


1) The Tower of Scotland's Whisky Distilleries Watercolour, Ink and Gouache, 60"x39" (1500x1000mm), £38,000. All the Distilleries of Scotland are depicted in

e massive Tower.



2) The Tower of Chester Watercolour, Ink and Gouache, 40"x30" (1000x760mm), £29,000. All the iconic building of Chester are depicted in one Tower. 3) Still Hunting on Fox Hill IV
Watercolour, Ink and Gouache, 11"x7" (280x180mm), £745.
The Fox has gone to ground whilst the Hunt are still abroad.





4) Muck Spreader "Yan" Watercolour, Ink and Gouache, 10.1/2"x7" (270x180mm), £675. A contemporary pastoral scene.

## Max Morawski

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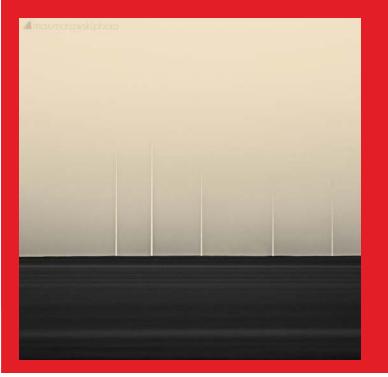
Max Morawski is a professional photographer and artist, below he describes his thinking:

"To create is human. We all create. all of us, with no exceptions. We can't help it. We can't help it because we all live and dream. Some write, some paint, photograph or draw, some dance, but we all dream and we all experience the world.

People drew on cave walls millennia ago as they felt the need to share experiences and enjoy the beauty and magic of art. Some things don't change. I create photographs of real places, yet they don't document the places. They are visual poetry.









# Michael Batey

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1) The Yarrow Print, 45 x 63 cm with mount unframed, £100- + postage. The Yarrow is terminology for a long valley.



3) Autumn Birch Oil on canvas, 40 x 40 cm framed £1300- + postage. The beautiful bark of a Silver birch tree excels in the autumn light.





2) The Old Salmon nets Print, 46 x 63 cm mount, unframed £100- + postage. The old Salmon nets portray the ruined no longer used nets of the old salmon fisherman printed on Hahnemuhle 308 gms.



### 4) Staffa

Oil on canvas, 41 x 24 cm framed, £950 - + postage. Staffa is a famous West coast Island in the outer Hebrides it has powerful rocks which look like church organ pipes and is famous for its cave "Fingals Cave".

# Sally Fairclough

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1) Three Pots

Acrylic on canvas, £350, 60 x 90 cm, image of 3 pots of succulents.



3) Across the Sea
Framed giclee print,
£145, framed size - 73
x 60 cm. Abstracted
landscape, across the
sea to the mountains.

4) Blue Jug Acrylic on canvas, £450, Canvas size - 122 x 92 cm. Falling flowers with a blue jug.





2) Stocks in Black Oil on canvas, £180, 30 x 60 cm, Stocks in white vase with black background.

# Samantha Messias

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2) Marilyn Monroe

### 1) Leopard (Part of the "Into The Wild" collection)

Pencil and charcoal drawing on Strathmore bristol vellum paper with black brusho paint powder and water, £1000, 17 x 14 inches (without frame) This Leopard drawing is part of a collection bringing awareness to endangered wildlife, drawing this beautiful big cat in my usual hyper-realistic pencil style, but adding a splash of colour for the background, I really wanted to experiment with adding a type of water colour powder to this collection to make the art works stand out and add something different.



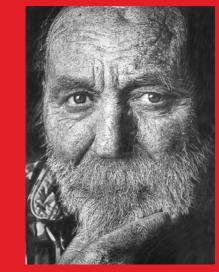
Pencil and charcoal drawing on Strathmore bristol vellum paper, £2000, 14 x 17 inches (without frame). I have always been inspired to draw Marilyn Monroe for her personal story of surviving what happing to her in childhood I can resonate with also, her resilience to keep moving forward and achieve her dreams was deeply inspiring.

"Marilyn Monroe was an American actress, model, and singer. she became one of the most popular sex symbols of the 1950s and early 1960s and was emblematic of the era's changing attitudes towards sexuality. She was also a survivor of childhood sexual abuse and moved around care homes as a child too, from this she struggled many times, was indeed an incredibly strong soul and spoke out about injustice to create change"

#### 3) Fruits Of Love

Coloured Pencil drawing on Strathmore bristol vellum paper, £4000, 19 x 24 inches (without frame). Fruits Of Love was inspired for my absolute love of Fruit, it's textures, deep colours and beautiful unusual shapes, merging them all together to form a big love heart! This was my first ever hyper-realistic pencil drawing done using coloured pencil in collaboration with Arteza pencils. All though it was a challenge using colour at first because it's not just one colour fits all for example the banana consisted of 13 colours, 6 different shades of yellow to get the right colour, I did enjoy every bit of creating this piece and I hope you enjoy it too.





### 4) The Alchemist

Pencil and charcoal drawing on Strathmore bristol vellum paper, £3500, 23.5 x 16.5 inches (without frame).

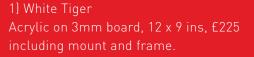
The inspirational and insightful Book entitled "The Alchemist" by Paula Coelho was the inspiration behind this drawing I called the Alchemist and my depiction of a weathered, bearded man gazing fixedly towards the viewer.

This was one of my larger more detailed portraits pushing the subject to the foreground and inviting the viewer to observe the microscopic details that comprises this piece such as the deep crevices of wrinkles and clusters of sunspots, stray hairs, and various imbedded skin textures.

It took hundreds of hours to create and standing back from my finished work always reveals a wonderful sight.

## Stan Brookfield

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2) cheetah night dream Acrylic on 3mm board, 12 x 9 ins, £225 including mount and frame. 4) Hudson Bay wolf12 x 9 inch Acrylic on 3 mm board,£225 include mount and frame paidroyalty fee wildlife reference.



3) The General

Acrylic on 3mm board, 14 x11

inch, £375 include mount and

# Susan Crowe

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2) The light through the trees. Water mixable Oils, £225.00, 49.5 x 39cm. Framed original oil painting on board. Thorpe Wood near Wynyard Co Durham. Loved the light.

1) Roseberry Topping from across the Yorkshire Moors. Water mixable Oils. £435.00. 111 x 91

cms. Framed original oil painting on a canvas. Beautiful Yorkshire landscape painting.

#### 3) La Jolla Cove.

Water mixable Oils, £295.00, 42 x 59cm. Original Oil painting on a canvas. Up close with the sea lion was amazing as was the sea spraying against the rocks.







4) Highland Cow in the Lake District.
Original Oil painting on a canvas,
£245.00, 40 x 50cm. This beauty was
in the field opposite our cottage.
So friendly and so beautiful.

## Tammy Walters

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2) Stag II Mixed Media on Linen Paper, £450.00, size tbc.

Collection of Wild Animals hunted in their habitat. Tammy uses a toned grey palette and bold accent colour to create a modern contemporary feel to this Collection.



Mixed Media on Linen Paper, £325, size



3) Fawns Mixed Media on Linen Paper, £450.00, size





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The VAO art competition is currently celebrating in its fifth consecutive year and is open to both amateur and professional artists.

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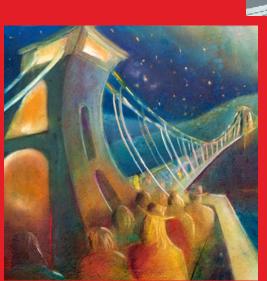
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### Painting & Mixed Media Finalists



Entry: 410 Marie Lenclos Artwork: Pink Morning £2400

Entry: 867 Simon Wright Artwork: Clifton Crossing £1400



Entry: 922 Tammy Walters Artwork: Indian Prince

Entry: 605 Lee Eveson Artwork: Sea scape No 5 NFS

Entry: 1035 Skye Holland Artwork: Lioness II £3450





### Painting & Mixed Media Finalists

Woolstencroft

Pendle Hill

£925

Artwork: Mist over

Entry: 722 Daniel Ibbotson Artwork: Sleep Patterns £2500



Entry: 363 Lesley Anne Derks Artwork: Tiny Yellow Taxis, New York £2750



Entry: 201 Kim Pragnell Artwork: The demise of dungeness £2000

Entry: 675 Iain Holman Artwork: Indignant II SOLD



### Photography & Digital Finalists



Entry: 194 Anne Veck Artwork: Toxic Fashion Price N/A



Entry: 768 Diana Jane Artwork: Beyond the Passage 1 £150



Entry 696 Claire Burnett

£350

Artwork: Listen to the Water,



Entry: 1183 Tat Supreme Artwork: Noli £895

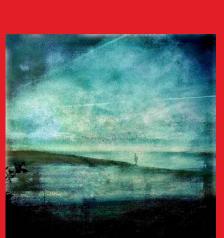
Entry: 968 Yasna Khan Artwork 1: Susana is still vulnerable £1000





Entry 624 Anatoliy Anshin Artwork: Compassion £1,050 £800 (print only)

Entry 462 Mellony Taper Artwork: Hey Doll, You're Bound to Fall £250



### Sculpture Finalists





Entry 1195 Nic Acaster Artwork: Rye Oystercatcher £645

Entry 341 Kira Fröse Artwork: naakt fluweel £2, 250

> Entry 368 Angela C. Smith Artwork 3: Thames Tribute £3000

Entry 317 Charmaine Maw Artwork: Cloud Burst £1200





Entry 249 Jane King Artwork: Untitled, Fold series, pink and green £350

Entry 158 Kira Phoenix K'inan Artwork 1: Constructure in Red £1500



### Drawing & Illustration Finalists



Entry 518 Simon Biggs Artwork: The Gunmakers' Loft £25 (Limited Edition prints)

Entry: 961 Leina Artwork : Spring alone £2500





Entry: 600 Janina Cebertowicz Artwork: A Painter's Sandals No.6 £410



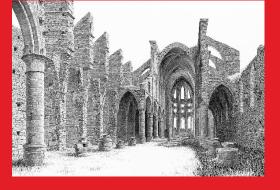
Entry: 735 Carl Gaffney Artwork: plastic with plastics £745

Entry: 753 Eleanor Mill

de Villers-la-Ville £7700 (P&P Included)

Artwork: In time. Abbaye

Entry: 177 Samantha Messias Artwork: Sorry My Child £3500



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### Young Artist (16-24) Finalists



Entry: 960 Linda Virbale Artwork: Feminine and Masculine 800 euros



Entry: 386 Rebecca Potter Artwork: Frankel £300

Entry: 1292 Amrita Krishnan Artwork: Bird in Paradise Ibis

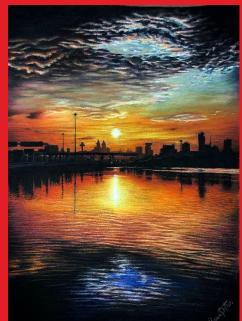


Entry: 906 Andrew D Clark Artwork: Dao £3000

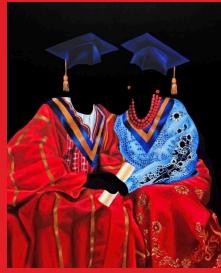


Entry: 1079 Victoria Andrusyschyn Artwork: The Ukrainian Dancer £1500





Entry: 386 Rebecca Potter Artwork: Liverpool Skyline (Sold)



Entry: 510 Sharon Adebisi Artwork: Mine or Yours (2020) £850

Entry: 881 Yom Bo Sung Artwork: 5 Year Plan £2500 (P&P included)



### Create Art4Hope Finalists



Entry: 1044 Liz Murray Artwork: Fighting For Life £6000



Entry: 1245 Jonathan Harvey-Thomas and Holly Parr Artwork: Foxes in Bloom £274.95



Entry: 1031 Gala Artwork: Winter song £1200

Entry: 985 J.V. Marzo Artwork: Our Saviours £150GBP that will be donated

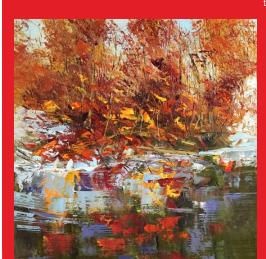


Entry: 1031 Gala Artwork: Waterlilies £200

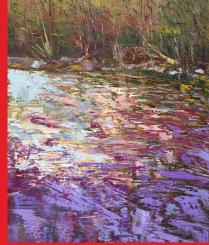


Entry: 1256 Bethany Walker Artwork: Connection £1600





Entry: 1031 Gala Artwork: The autumn leaves £600



Entry: 1031 Gala Artwork: Purple twilight £750

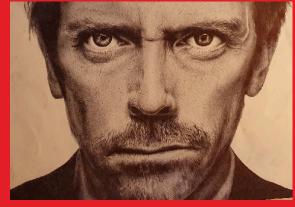
### Children's Award (15 years and under)

Entry: 159 Matika Halleday Artwork: Enid - My centenarian NFS





Entry: 1229 Arabella Stell Artwork: An Elephant came out of my head and sat on a Sofa £2000 all money will go to Christian charity in China called New Day Foster Home





Entry: 429 Anging Deng Artwork: Chillies £300



Entry 209 Vanessa Ayotte Artwork: Hugh £50 (print only)

Entry 576: Daisy German Artwork: "Oliver" in summer meadow NFS

The Visual Artists Association Emerging Artists Award 2020



Barry Davies Artwork: Anatomical Study Of The Horse £3760

Toby Michael Artwork: They Think I'm Sweet + Gentle £600



Katya Granova Artwork: French coastline £4100



Julie Lawrence Artwork: Cloud Burst £400

Jacob Gourley Artwork: New Reality £595





Toby Michael Artwork: The Three Brexiteers £3000



The Visual Artists Association Emerging Artists Award 2020

Barry Davies Artwork: Paranthropus Robustus £3800



Jacob Gourley Artwork: 86 – St Johns to Smithdown Rd £795



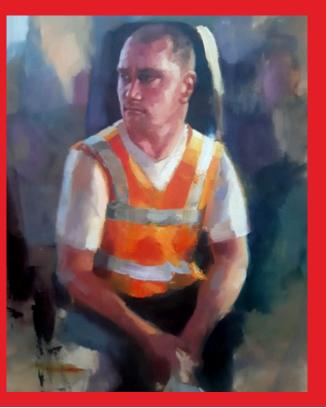
Toby Michael Artwork: Scrolling £1800



Jacob Gourley Artwork : Northern Line – Liverpool Central to Sandhills' £895



Julie Lawrence Artwork: Distant Light £350



### Visual Artists Association (VAA):

The VAA offers members the right tools to succeed including; access to a range of training, business advice services, online resources, events, as well as access to a supportive and progressive community. The Association is open to new and emerging artists as well as established artists.

The VAA is excited to invite applicants to apply for the VAA International Art Exhibition 2021.

This will be an online space for Artists & Collectors to connect. The event is an ambitious exhibition expanding across four virtual gallery spaces, featuring the work of over 2000 talented Artists. All works are available to purchase direct from the Artist; buyers can simply click on the artwork for details. The event is an opportunity for emerging artists to be discovered internationally by buyers, gallery representatives, publishers and art agents.



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features and more

- Network with other artists online during exhibitor only gathering

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### Charity Auction:



#### CARNE GRIFFITHS | Just Out Of Reach

Working primarily with calligraphy inks, graphite, liquids such as tea and alcohol, Carne Griffiths' fascination with drawing focuses on the creation and manipulation of the drawn line.



#### LIZ ELLIS | Moonstruck

Clay is one of the most fundamental materials for Liz Ellis. Form, balance, expression and the allusion of movement are all hand built into her figures and centre her practice.



#### David Harper | Thespians

David Harper is a modernist artist as well as a BBC TV Art / Antiques presenter and writer. He's been a regular face on BBC shows such as Bargain Hunt and Antiques Road Trip since 2005.



#### Frances Ackland-Snow | Sea Spray

Frances Ackland-Snow paints from her core and puts passion and power into her work through vigorous brushwork, use of multi-layered paints and a rich colour palette.



#### Helen Brough | Giungla No.1

A poetic thread runs through Helen Brough's work reflecting the force of nature in the process of being. Her subjects include urban, botanical, sea and landscapes.



#### Kwame Akpokavi | Discovering The True Self

Kwame Akpokavi has a unique style of collage with fabrics. He does not follow or try to impose a trend of thought but instead challenges the viewer to look and see things differently.







After two decades of playing professional football and has devoted his time to being a professional artist working closely with a limited number of galleries.



#### Nel Whatmore | Breath Taking

Nel Whatmore is a fine artist who works predominantly in pastel and oil, as a contemporary colourist her paintings are both expressionist and evocative.



Kathryn Callaghan | Standing Proud

Award-winning Northern Ireland artist, Kathryn Callaghan specialises in a self-taught technique of free-pouring homemade inky mixes from mid-air.



#### James Buttifant | Sunny.. (Some Showers Later)

Drawing inspiration from passers-by, James Buttifant holds up a 'penguin shaped mirror' to our lives and loves. He hopes his work will bring a smile to your face.



#### Gill Bustamante | Mother and Baby Zebra

Gill Bustamantes paintings often have slightly mystical elements within them. She trys to instill energy & answers in them to help bring good fortune to their buyers.



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