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Extended 11th Open Studio Event 2018

Friday 24th to Monday 27th August.

Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd September.

10am - 5pm

Our annual Red Dot Studio Trail is one of Argyll's premier visual arts events which allows members to showcase their work and provides a substantial boost to the local economy. For the first time this year some of the artist studios will be open on the weekend of 1st & 2nd of September, as well as the usual August Bank Holiday dates. Check individual member's pages for details of when their studios are open.

The red dot trail guides visitors to artists' studios by a network of numbered red dots and direction arrows. A warm welcome is extended to art lovers at studios and venues from Glencoe in the north to Campbeltown in the south.

The six day event over two weekends is an opportunity to visit artists in their studios, to see how they work, without the pressure to buy – although if you do fall in love with a piece, you have the joy of meeting the artist and seeing how the work is made. In many studios there are opportunities to try out the technique or craft the artist employs and to browse their sketchbooks to see how they develop their ideas.

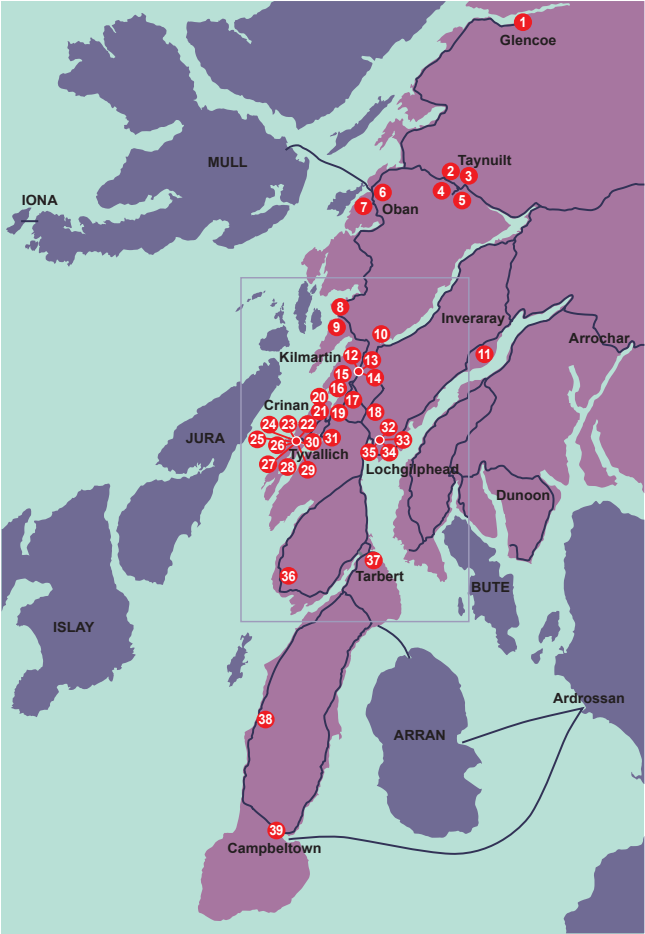
We hope you enjoy Argyll's cultural diversity and to say thank you for visiting the Open Studio event we are offering a prize draw of £200 to spend in the studio of your choice. To enter just pick up a red dot sticker available in every studio and collect 8 or more for your chance to win.

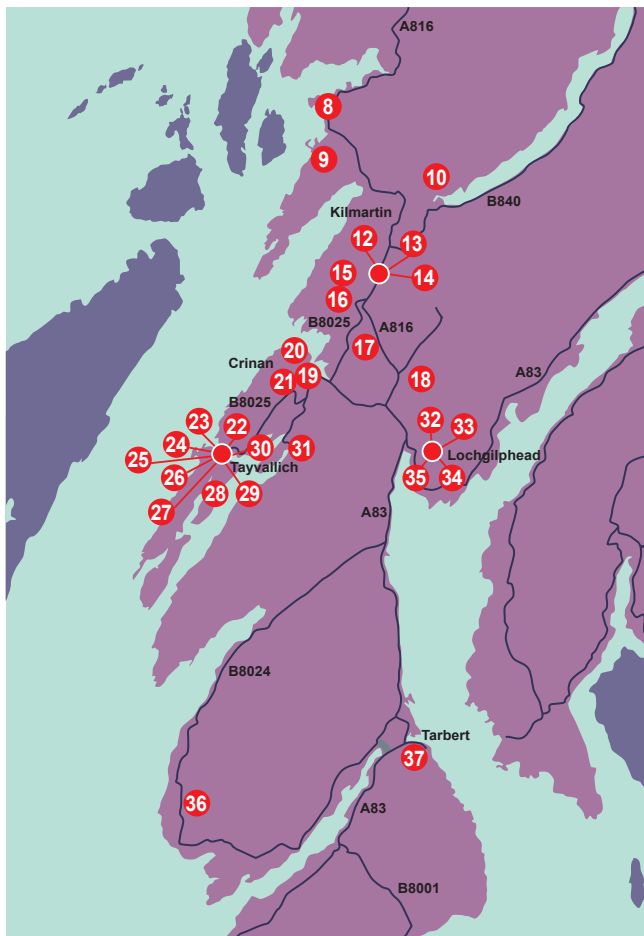
Some Artmap members and invited artists are also showcasing work over the summer at Taynish NNR as part of the SNH Taynish Art Trail, now in its 4th year. Their work is based on the themes of water and the natural environment.

Keep this brochure for further reference because most of the studios can be visited all year round by appointment.

www.artmapargyll.co.uk

facebook.com/artmap







From my small and informal studio in Glencoe, I produce pastel drawings and studio glass of Scottish land and seascapes. Using the texture and colour of pastel I aim to capture the dramatic contrasts of light and dark in the land, sea and sky.

Like pastel, glass is also a tactile and vibrant medium. However, as my pieces are kiln fused, outcomes are usually more of a surprise!

Opening Arrangements:

● Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Open yearly Monday to Friday 11am to 4pm. Viewings outwith these times are welcome and can be arranged by phoning ahead.

Address: Glencoe Studio Gallery,
Tigh Phuirt, Glencoe, Argyll PH49 4HN.

Directions: You can find us just off the A82
near Glencoe crossroads.

W www.glencoestudiogallery.co.uk

M 07900933752

**Opening Arrangements:**

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: c/o Airds Bay House,
Taynuilt, Argyll PA35 1JR.

Directions: From Oban, Take the A85 north, continuing through Connel towards Taynuilt. Almost immediately as you enter the 30mph zone for Taynuilt, turn left (sign post, Airds Bay). Continue down this single track road then taking the first left (stone gate posts, open gate). You will come to a fork in the lane where you will see the Airds Bay House. Please keep left.

W www.ewenmunrophotography.com

Ewen's passion for photography began whilst studying woven textile design in the early 80s.

His enthusiasm for creating images has developed from a close interest in the unique characteristics of light and colour found in Argyll alongside the rich textures of rust and decay. Recent photographic adventures have taken Ewen to many of the enigmatic islands of the Outer Hebrides, creating vivid images which can be viewed during Artmap 2018.

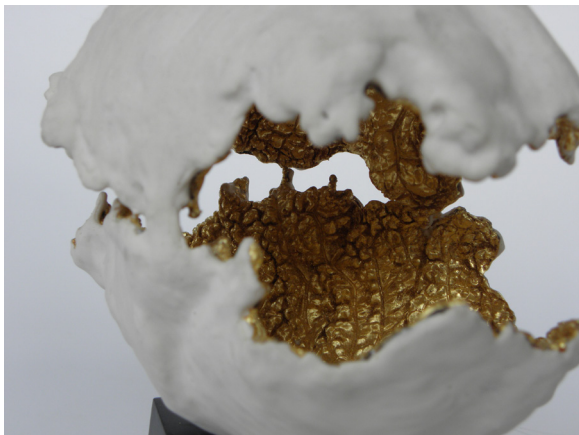
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LUCY GRAY

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Lucy Gray completed a Fine Art Sculpture Degree at Central School of Art where she achieved a 1st class Honours Degree. Following a printmaking Diploma she began her training in the restoration of lacquered and gilded surfaces. The influences of her continued work in this field can frequently be found in her sculpture.

"In my work I translate an idea through natural forms, capturing the tipping point, the metamorphosis"

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- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

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Taynuilt, Argyll PA35 1JR.

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Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Address: Ardchuan, Glen Lonan,
Taynuilt, Argyll PA35 1HY.

Directions: From the A85 take the Glen Lonan road from the village of Taynuilt in a southerly direction for 0.8 of a mile. I am on the right, before Airdeny Chalets. The Sat Nav is accurate for this address.

W www.carolodesign.com

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This year I am developing the gutta and wax effects of painting on silk. New methods of surface design are being experimented with.

The production of silk scarves and paintings being the focus.

Jewellery – Is taking a metamorphosis and changing the style of the finished product. A more organic and less controlled image is emerging. New lines are under development.

Trained at Sir John Cass School of Art, London.



Fiona's paintings are becoming less about fish, lemons and pots and more to do with colour, form and space, with an apparent simplicity of construction.

Although they are still life paintings their roots are in the natural environment. Spring greens, summer blues, autumn hues and winter days. This year I hope to exhibit some construction paintings made for a lifetime of beach combing finds from throughout the Hebrides and beyond.

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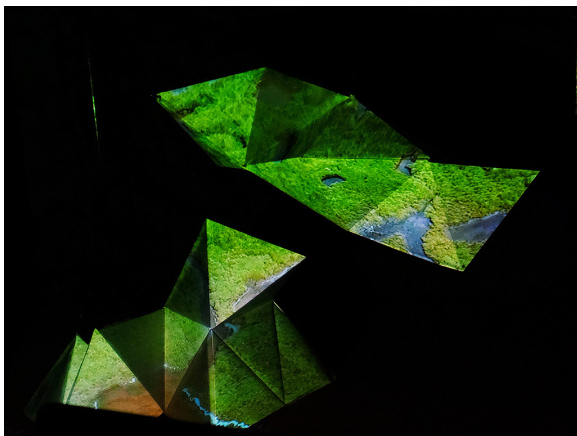
Address: Achnahannait, Glen Lonan, Taynuilt, Argyll PA35 1HY.

Directions: Turn off beside the Taynuilt Hotel to Glen Lonan. Aprox 1 Mile up glen road.

W www.fionamacrae.com

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**Opening Arrangements:**

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: Oban Communities Trust,
Linnthu House, 19 Stevenson Street,
Oban PA34 5NA.

Directions: The Rockfield Centre is located
on the corner of Stevenson Street and Hill
Street, Oban. Stevenson Street runs off the
A85 (George Street).

W www.therockfieldcentre.org.uk

The Rockfield Centre is a new,
community-run, creative space in
the heart of Oban.

Our Artmap exhibition will feature
contemporary photography from
Under The Skin Camera Club,
alongside portfolio work from
emerging young artists, supported
by talc.



In 1980 I had a one-man show of semi surreal work called "Perfect Imperfection". Since then I have continued to paint and developed a fascination with the impact of light on the Scottish landscape.

I have dedicated myself to recording this in paint, and to transport the joy of the moment to the viewer.

I feel that this is a testament to the validity of my artistic journey.

Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Any other time by appointment.

Address: Willowbank, Glenshallach Road,
Oban, Argyll PA34 4PP.

Directions: After the junction where
Lochavullin Rd meets Glenshallach Rd.
My house is situated up the first lane on
the right.

W www.artistalexsummers.co.uk

M 07502903133

**Opening Arrangements:**

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Open 9.30am - dusk. Entrance to hotel via main reception doors. Meals, drinks and light refreshments all day.

Address: Arduaine, Argyll,
Oban PA34 4XG.

Directions: A816 18 miles south of Oban,
18 miles North of Lochgilphead

W www.lochmelfort.co.uk

T 01852 200233

Stunningly located - the views are a picture worth taking!

Various artists will be exhibiting in the hotel and why not visit our garden maze?



Colin's works are admired for their depth, drama and acutely observed detail. In the words of one of his clients, "His insight into nature is amazing". He has also learned and refined the traditional art of painting with a woodcock's pin-feather, and these small, beautiful paintings are highly sought after.

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10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: The Studio, Kennels Cottage, Lunga, Lochgilphead PA31 8UU.

Directions: Follow signs to Craobh Haven Marina, turn left to Lunga Estate, Kennels cottage is on the left just before the Stables.

W www.wildart.co.uk

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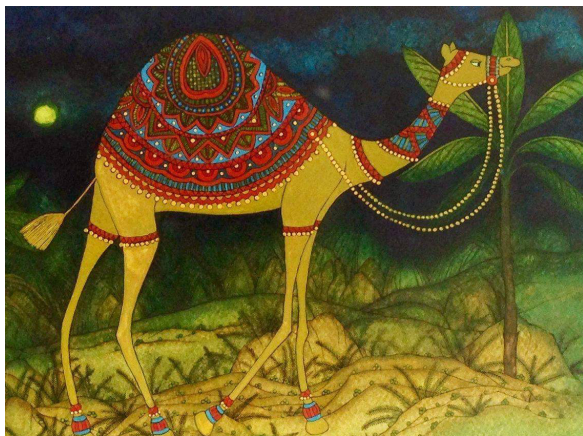
All year by appointment.

Address: Caorann, Ford,
Argyll & Bute PA31 8RH.

Directions: Follow A816 through Kilmartin towards Oban for 1 mile. Turn right on to B840 to Ford. After Ford continue towards Dalavich for 1 mile. Caorann is on the left overlooking Torran Bay on Loch Awe. I'm in the garage studio.

Working in a range of media, I try to capture the distinctive character of the West Coast landscape as well as the colours and moods of the changing seasons. This year along with my landscape and forest paintings I will also be showing work developed from sketches made on a recent extended stay on the island of Hoy in Orkney.

W www.arthurker.com
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I trained as a textile designer and won the Royal Society of Arts Award: Home Furnishings in 1992 but my first love is painting. That's why, when I had the opportunity, I moved to Argyll to establish my own studio in an old croft overlooking Loch Fyne. I love the inspiration this gives me and working with watercolour and gouache I create local landscapes, caricatures and other more exotic work.

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- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: Kenmore Top House,
Inveraray, Argyll PA32 8XT.

Directions: From Inveraray travel 2 miles west on A83 to just past turning to Argyll Caravan Park. After red postbox take shore road for approx 2 miles. Top House is next to road on Left. from Lochgilphead take A83 east for 15 miles. Turn right into Furnace and continue on shore road through quarry and on for approx 2 miles. Top House is next to road on right.

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- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
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Address: The Old Manse,
Kilmartin, PA31 8RQ.

Directions: Entering Kilmartin from the North The Old Manse is the fifth building on the left. Entering Kilmartin from the South drive passed the museum and down the hill. The Old Manse is 100 meters past the Kilmartin Garage and on the right.

W www.turning.me.uk

T 01546 510202

David uses the natural form of wood in everyday objects, using native woods that are mainly windfall or removed due to disease or for safety reasons.

He takes on commissions and develops bespoke works as well as progressing his own ideas. He also teaches woodturning.

His work bridges a craft to an artform by using the natural beauty of wood which is enhanced by colour, texture, and/or piercing.



Kilmartin Museum is a renowned centre for archaeology and landscape interpretation. Our shop offers many goods from local craftspeople and the walls of our café are adorned with vibrant works of art created by local artists, many inspired by the unique atmosphere of Kilmartin Glen. During 2018 we are planning a number of different exhibitions - full details available from our website.

W www.kilmartin.org

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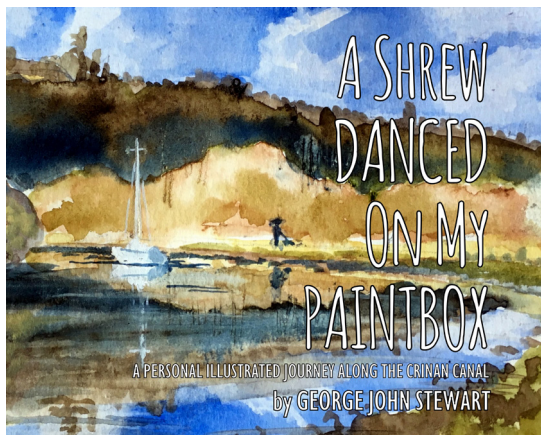
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- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: Kilmartin Museum,
Kilmartin, Lochgilphead PA31 8RQ.

Directions: From Lochgilphead follow the A816 signposted Oban.

After approximately 8 miles you will enter the village of Kilmartin and the Museum car park can be found on the left. From Oban follow the A816 signposted Lochgilphead. Kilmartin is approximately 30 miles south of Oban and the Museum car park is on the right about 1 mile after entering Kilmartin.



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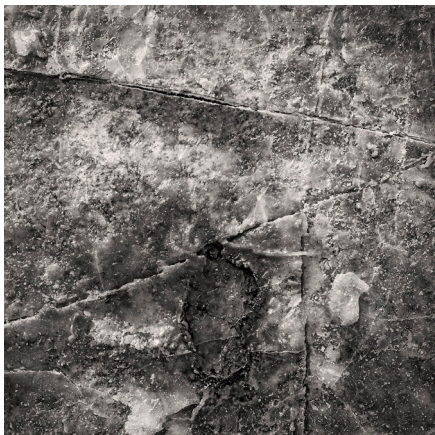
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10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: Dove Cottage, 7 Kilmartin,
Kilmartin, Argyll PA31 8RN.

Directions: Park at Living Stones Centre.
Walk down lane (passed 'Hazel Cottage'
on right), and follow down slope to old
Kilmartin. Walk a few yards to left and
Dove Cottage has a light blue-painted
summerhouse in the garden.

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Welcome to Dove Cottage Studio
2018.. I am currently rediscovering
the joy of my first artistic love -
illustration! The thrill of using a
variety of skills to create something
with a life beyond finishing a work or
the brief showing at an exhibition -
and hopefully imparting the
enthusiasm to readers, brings a
particular satisfaction.
Artwork on sale will include some
work from 'A Shrew Danced On
My Paintbox'.



listen... listen ... come in... come...
income..... talk.... talk.... to me.....
to me... talk..... I am..... what...
forty- five..... what... forty five...
what... fifty.... yes... breathing....
breathing oxygen... oxygen hot...
dangerous... dangerous...
how.... how should I transmit...
should I transmit...
transmit now twenty-one...
transmission begins
this-way... I can see a flame...
aflame... thirty-two... thirty-two...
I will re-enter... Terranought.

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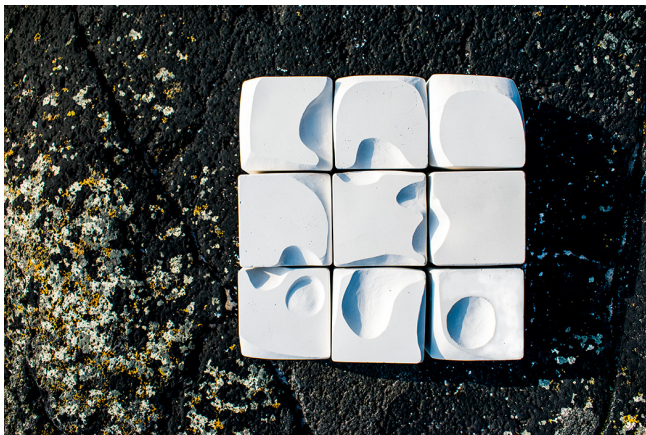
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I will be sharing the studio with
Sian MacQueen.

Address: Smiddy House,
Slockavullin, Kilmartin PA31 8QG.

Directions: Slockavullin is a mile south of
Kilmartin village and is tucked in behind
Temple Wood Standing Stones - Turn off the
A816 at Baluachaig, take the 1st right
at the bridge. Follow the road until you see
the sign for Slockavullin continue through
the village turning left onto the gravel drive
before the Village green and the bridge over
the burn. Follow the drive to the very top.



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Year round by appointment.

Address: Mill Cottage, Slockavullin,
Kilmartin PA31 8QG.

Directions: For the 2018 Open Studios I will be sharing a space again at Smiddy House Slockavullin with Eno Deka. Follow the directions to Slockavullin and continue through the village turning left onto the gravel drive before the green. Follow the drive to the very top and look out for red dot signs** Slockavullin is a mile south of Kilmartin village and is tucked in behind Temple Wood Standing Stones - my year round studio at Mill Cottage is first on the left as you enter the village.

Rocks or clouds?

I search for familiar lines in three dimensions. Materials and process are important to me with the relationship between the lines providing both comfort and discomfort.

Relief sculptures, paintings and prints.

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The tactile delight of pulling weft through warp creating designs which emerge slowly and absorb my mind absolutely, brings a sense of fulfilment and joy I couldn't live without.

There is a contemplative element to hand weaving as it demands patience while the simplicity of the process allows for freedom to create images which begin with a pen drawn line and evolve in the texture and warmth of wool.

W www.louiseoppenheimer.com

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- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Outwith Open studio dates the studio is open all year round by appointment or do feel free to take a chance if passing, to knock on the door where a warm welcome awaits.

Address: East Cottage, Drimvore
Kilmichael Glassary, Lochgilphead,
Argyll PA31 8SU.

Directions: From Lochgilphead on A816, pass Dunadd then turn next left onto Crinan Ferry Road. East Cottage is 3rd on right. Red dots and sign Weaving studio are clear on driveway. Parking on drive by side of house.

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- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

By appointment outwith the
Open Studio Weekend.

Address: 1 Fernoch, Ford,
Kilmichael Glassary, Argyll PA31 8RL.

Directions: From the A816 turn into
Bridgend, follow the road around until you
see a sign for Kilmichael Glen, turn up
there drive past the Church and School
and continue on the road for 3 miles. I am
the first blue/green wooden house on the
right- if you get to a Loch you have gone a
wee bit too far.

Artmap Argyll Open Studio offers a
great chance to catch up with us or
maybe meet us for the first time.
Our creative space has a warm
welcome and new work will be on
show. I specialise in glass art and
having worked in my field for over
15 years now, I still continue to
expand, develop, learn and love
what I do.

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Creative inspiration from the landscape is inescapable in Argyll. Everyday is exciting, the bold shapes and colours of the meeting of sea and land, the rocks and plants are a constant resource for interpretation in mixed media, and multicolour printmaking. Architect turned Wallpaper and Fabric Designer, Artist and Printmaker, she now lives, works and runs inspiring creative residential art holidays in Tarbert - www.whitehouseart.co.uk

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Opening Arrangements:

● Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Main studio open year round by appointment at Whitehouse Studio, Glenreasdale House, Whitehouse, Tarbert, Argyll PA29 6XR.

Address: Braeface House, Bellanoch, by Lochgilphead, Argyll PA31 8SN.

Directions: Follow the A83 north from Lochgilphead and turn left at Cairnbaan to follow the Crinan Canal towards Crinan. Do not turn left to Tayvallich but continue along the canal to the Bellanoch yacht basin, the exhibition is in the first building on the left.

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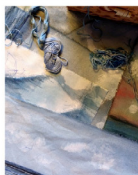
● Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Address: Crinan Hotel,
Crinan, Argyll PA31 8SR.

W www.ross-ryan.com

M 0776627818

Although a landscape painter Ross's main inspiration is the human presence in nature. He feels the history of places acutely, and his series from the Auschwitz Birkenau woods explore the beauty in one of man's darkest places. His sketches from Berlin with accompanying diary entries offer insight into an artist who thrives on chance, fleeting moments and often an element of danger. Tommy Zyw, The Scottish Gallery, Edinburgh.



Landscapes, Lampshades & Lessons. Living on the west coast of Scotland, Kate's hand-painted textile lampshades & landscapes echo her environment.

Gathering inspiration from Argyll's land & seascape, photographs and her imagination, subtly painted sea scenes with stitch overlay are one of her favourite subjects.

Kate also teaches sewing & creative textile skills to children & adults.

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- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: Studio Barn Argyll,
Leac na Ban, Tayvallich PA31 8PF.

Directions: Take the road to Tayvallich, the right-hand fork at the Achnamara/Tayvallich junction. In apx ¾'s of a mile look out for the big red signs & bunting! Turn right and drive up the hill (it is a bumpy track but worth the trip) not only is there a splendid view of artwork, but the view of the landscape is pretty spectacular too.

W www.needlesmiths.co.uk

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- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September

Opening Friday 24th Saturday 25th
12 noon – 9pm

Sunday 26th 12.30pm – 9pm

Monday 27th 12 noon – 9pm

Saturday 1st – 12 noon – 9pm

Sunday 2nd 12.30 pm – 9pm

NB times reflect the hours that we serve
food from Easter – November

Address: Tavallich Inn,
Tayvallich PA31 8PL.

Directions: When you arrive in Tayvallich
you will see the Inn on the right hand side
as you drive around the bay.

W tayvallichinn.com

T 01546 870687

Fresh local food with a beautiful view, serving food all day, all summer! Our resident artists will be exhibiting, along with some guest artists over both weekends. The perfect spot to plan your Artmap tour of Tayvallich. Enjoy fresh seafood, sample Sound of Jura Seaweed or try some local real ale or gins, while getting a taster of the Open Studios you can go on to visit in the village.



As a year-round snorkeller and swimmer in the beautiful Sound of Jura, I am fascinated by the realm of seaweed beneath me. I see it as secret and unexpected treasure - underwater kelp forests and ocean meadows gracefully riding the ebb and flow of the tides and currents. Diving for eye-catching specimens, I then collage, arrange and press them into artwork to capture their exquisite colour and diverse and extraordinary forms.

W www.soundofjuraseaweeds.com
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Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Visitors are very welcome throughout the year but please phone me beforehand.

Address: Sandwood, Tayvallich,
Lochgilphead PA31 8PN.

Directions: Turn right in Tayvallich center towards Carsaig. Please park at Carsaig Green, as parking is limited beyond this point. Facing the sea, turn right and walk about 200 metres along the road, take the right fork up the hill. Walk up to Sandwood, a white house with a large wooden balcony. It's about 300 metres from Carsaig Green. A flight of steps limits disabled access.

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I am inspired by Argyll's wildlife and nature. I work with stone. I love its quality, bringing a sense of timelessness to the subject. This year I will be showing at Lottie Goodlet's home.



The Inner-what is it if not intensified sky, hurled through with birds and deep with the winds of homecoming. by Rainer Maria Rilke.

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10am - 5pm

Visitors welcome after hours or anytime.
Please phone to make sure I am here.

Address: Carnan, Tayvallich
Lochgilphead, Argyll PA31 8PN.

Directions: Turn right in the middle of Tayvallich towards Carsaig. Go over the little hill, then take 3rd right, on to the house in the corner with the steeply pitched roof.

W libbyandersonartist.com

T 01546 870660



Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
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10am - 5pm

I'm also happy to see visitors during the week (28th - 31st Aug) by appointment.

Address: Dunbhronaig, Tayvallich,
Lochgilphead, Argyll, PA31 8PN.

Directions: I am 100yds up the Carsaig road out of Tayvallich, second opening on your left, at the brow of the hill. My studio is the garage and you can park there.

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E mail@carolinehunterart.com

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Caroline grew up in Orkney, studied History of Art at Aberdeen University and began painting in 1994.

Well known for her understated yet powerful seascapes and subtle still-lives, her work has a timeless, contemplative quality. Mussel shells, a porcelain bird, birch-woods, bracken and winter seas at dusk are expressed in the muted, vibrant tones of Argyll's light and landscape. She has been a contributor and prize-winner at the RGI and RSA.



I use screen printing and will demonstrate this technique during Open Studio Weekend. I will also be selling original artwork from my book, *Wild Island*, about the wildlife of the Hebrides. I am a member of the Society of Wildlife Artists and exhibit annually with them in London.

W janesmithwildlifeart.blogspot.com

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Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Year round, visits welcome by appointment, but not at this address, so please phone beforehand.

Address: The Cube @ Carsaig Beach, Tayvallich, Lochgilphead PA31 8PN.

Directions: Halfway around Tayvallich Bay, turn right at the sign for Carsaig. "The Cube" is at the beach, where there is also parking. Disabled access. Shop, coffee shop and pub nearby.



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- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
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10am - 5pm

There are no restrictions to visiting this al fresco exhibition.

Address: Scottish Natural Heritage,
1 Kilmory Estate, Lochgilphead,
Argyll PA31 8RR. (NOT the address
of the trail - please use the map)

Directions: Set along the Mill track at
Taynish National Nature Reserve. From
Tayvallich Hall, keep left and follow the
road down to Taynish NNR, park at the
Mill Car Park then follow the signs
along the path to the mill.

Art Trail at the Mill.

Taynish reserve is delighted to be
hosting another art exhibition during
2018. This year the exhibition theme
will be 'water' in all its wondrous
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Argyll Artists will be joined by four
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Argyll - the inspiration. From my first visit it's rugged coastline, islands, empty golden beaches with seapinks clinging to the rocks, it's wildlife and dramatic skies have drawn me in.

My paintings represent my journeys and adventures around this most beautiful area.

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● Friday 24th to Monday 27th August

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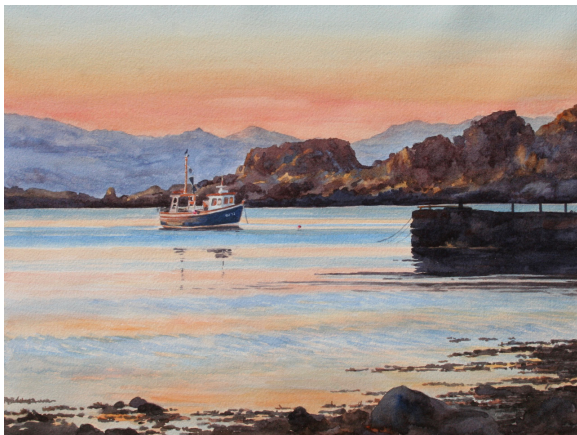
● Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September

10am - 5pm

Outwith Open Studio Event; year round by appointment.

Address: Kilmichael, Tayvallich, Argyll PA31 8PN.

Directions: Rounding Tayvallich bay turn right at Carsaig sign. Follow the road over a small bridge. Kilmichael is the last house on the main road of the small cul-de-sac on your right. Parking in driveway just past tall hedge and church like sunroom.



Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Visitors welcome all year round.

Address: Karswick House, Tayvallich
LOCHGILPHEAD, Argyll PA31 8PN.

Directions: Half way round Tayvallich bay, turn right at Carsaig sign. Just before the sea you will see a white house with red doors on the left. Parking in driveway. Disabled access.

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Working in watercolour I am drawn to the shore. From home I follow otters along sheltered sea lochs, scramble over rocky tidelines and trail deer through the stillness of the wood. Days later, the oily silver colour of reflected sky on a wet coat, the breaking sea patterns of mirrored land, might have led to a painting, or not.

Visit my studio and gallery to see how it's going.



Kerrien lives in Achnamara on the coast of Argyll and is inspired to paint by the wild beauty of this ever changing landscape. She enjoys experimenting with the textures and effects that she can achieve with acrylics in particular, and uses these to give movement and light to her paintings.

Her work is regularly exhibited in galleries across the West Coast.

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Opening Arrangements:

● Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Address: Innisfree, Achnamara,
Lochgilphead PA31 8PX.

Directions: A scenic detour from the Tayvallich road - follow the signs to Achnamara (fork left at Barnluasgan Loch by the celtic cross). Travel 3 miles along this road to the village of Achnamara. Go through the village to the white house facing the road on the left hand side, with a stone wall and turquoise door. If you go over the bridge and reach the village hall you have gone too far!



Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Visitors are welcomed all year round
by appointment.

Address: 73 Argyll Street,
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Directions: No 73 is located diagonally
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My artwork usually begins outside in nature as sketches from life. The wild remote landscapes of the West and North of Scotland provide constant opportunities to observe closely the ever-changing light, sky and sea. I feel like a fortunate explorer discovering new places, revisiting familiar locations to reveal poetic, meaningful connections to nature. Studio work includes small works on paper to larger scale oils and hand-built ceramics.



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Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

We are open throughout the year as an educational facility.

Address: Argyll College,
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Directions: Facing North on Argyll Street in Lochgilphead, take the first left on to Lorne Street. Argyll College is the last building on the left.

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Opening Arrangements:

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Studio welcomes visitors throughout the year by appointment.

Address: The Studio on the Brae,
Manse Brae, Stronvay, Lochgilphead,
PA31 8QZ.

Directions: Facing the church at the north end of Argyll Street in the centre of Lochgilphead - take 2nd exit. Follow road up-hill to bend (left) in road. 3rd on the right leads you into Manse Brae (signposted). 100 yards on (shore side) is house and studio. Look for RED dots!

I work with a combination of process and skills - 2D and 3D - indoors and out. Responding to the landscape and environment is intuitive and keeps me attuned to nature in a physical, mental and challenging way. I enjoy working to themes through both dimensions. Ideas develop through observation and drawing and scrutiny.

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The Dochas Centre doubles as a Gallery and Carer's Centre. We exhibit the work of the centre's founder John Paterson as well as exhibitions from local groups and artists. We run support groups and we work closely with all external agencies e.g. Alzheimers Scotland, Parkinson's Society, Macmillan Cancer Support etc. Artmap Argyll Associate Members will be showing in the Dochas Gallery during August.

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**Opening Arrangements:**

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

You can visit Richard in his gallery and studio from May until late September - 11.00am to 5.00pm. He is open Wednesday to Sunday but will be available for all of the Artmap Weekend.

Address: Bole the Gallery, Fieldhouse Kilberry, Argyll PA29 6YD.

Directions: From Lochgilphead turn south towards Campbeltown (A83) After 4 miles turn right, signposted Kilberry (B8024) From Tarbert travelling in either direction take the turn signposted Kilberry (B8024).

Winner of "Craft & Design" magazine's selected maker of the year wood and metal category, Richard has been creating Wood Art for several years. Each piece takes several weeks to make due to the intricate detail. Richard has made work that's displayed around the world. A member of the Register of Professional Turners, he is committed to producing some of the finest turned art available in the country today.

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Wilma is a fulltime glass engraver. Using either copperwheel or diamond drill, each piece is completely unique. Wilma has been engraving since 1977 (when she started as an apprentice with Edinburgh Crystal) and specialises in engraving wildlife and calligraphy-inspired designs.

Opening Arrangements:

● Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm

Monday to Saturday 10am - 5pm all year.

Address: East Most Store, Harbour Street
Tarbert, Argyll PA29 6UD.

Directions: The workshop is located on the south side of Tarbert Harbour opposite the Fish Quay. Follow road to Cowal Ferry.

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**Opening Arrangements:**

- Friday 24th to Monday 27th August
10am - 5pm
- Saturday 1st to Sunday 2nd September
10am - 5pm

Address: Saltwater Studio,
Muasdale, Kintyre PA29 6XD.

Directions: Saltwater Studio can be found on the landward side of the A83 in the village of Muasdale, just a few miles south of Tayinloan and the Gigha ferry. There is ample parking at the rear of the studio.

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I am a seascape painter working from my new studio in Kintyre. Inspired by the coastlines and skies of Argyll and the paintings of William MacTaggart, I paint predominantly in oils with occasional charcoal pieces. I have an intimate knowledge of the ocean and in my work, I endeavour to take you for a quiet wander along peaceful sands or plunge you shamelessly into the heart of powerful, crashing waves!



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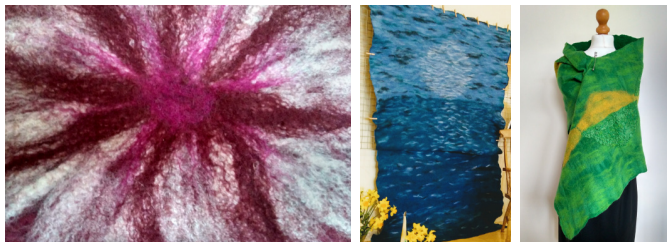
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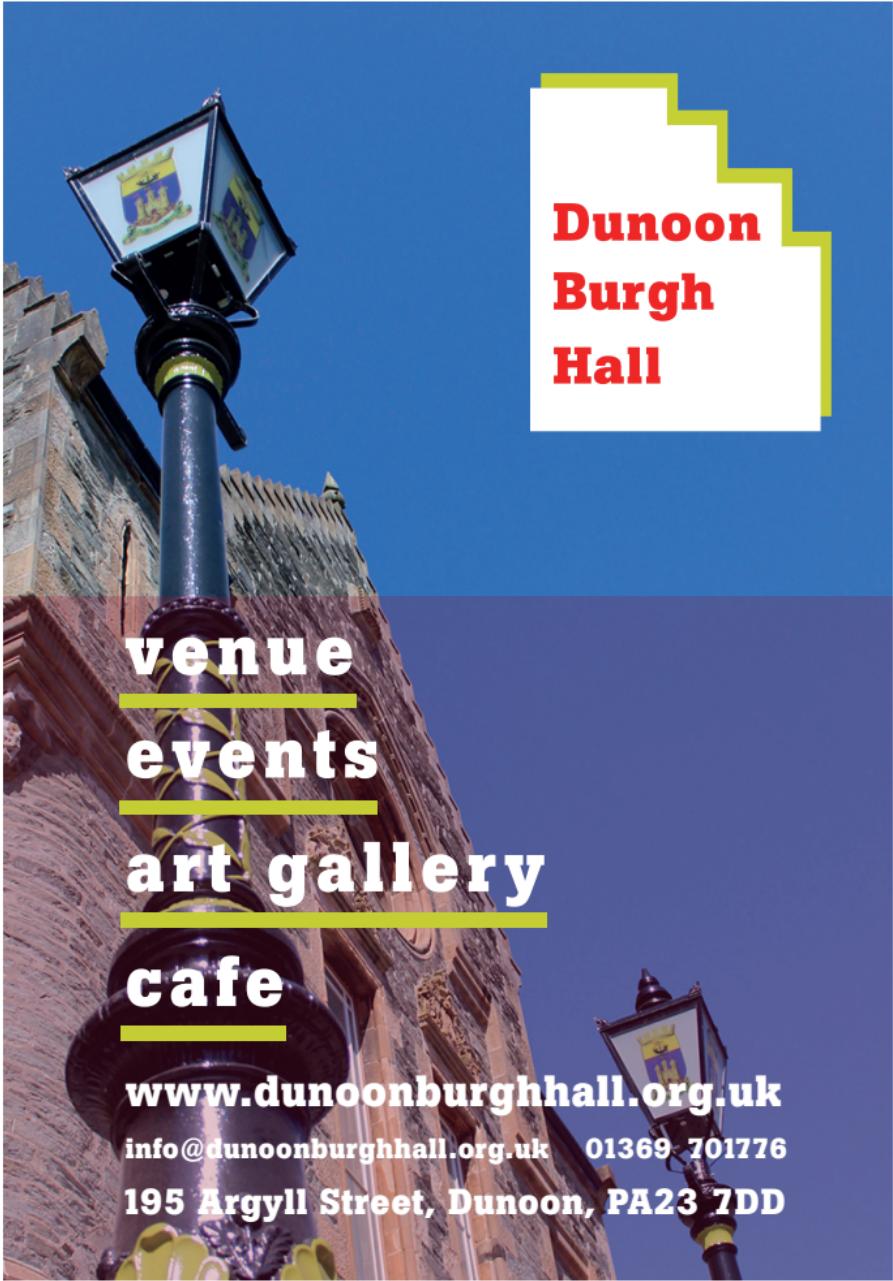
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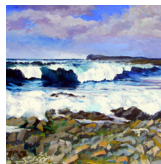


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Artmap Argyll is a network and membership organisation open to professional and aspiring artists alike. We help artists network with each other and to share their work and experience with a wider audience.

Our vision is to ensure that Argyll is recognised as a vibrant, creative hub. We deliver a range of events, public art installations and workshops that offer artists opportunities to collaborate on art projects, share ideas and exchange information.

Our annual Red Dot Studio Trail is Argyll's premier visual arts event and it is evident that sales and revenues provide a boost to the local economy.

As a social enterprise company, all our funds are used for activities that benefit Argyll's artists and communities. We are looking for new artists to join us so we can help them share their work through studio visits and sales.

Full and Associate Member fees are £30 per year. Young Associate Members and Friends pay £15 per year. Full Members taking part in the Open Studios event pay an additional fee.

If you're interested in joining Artmap Argyll, please go to artmapargyll.co.uk/join-artmap/ or e-mail us at members@artmapargyll.co.uk

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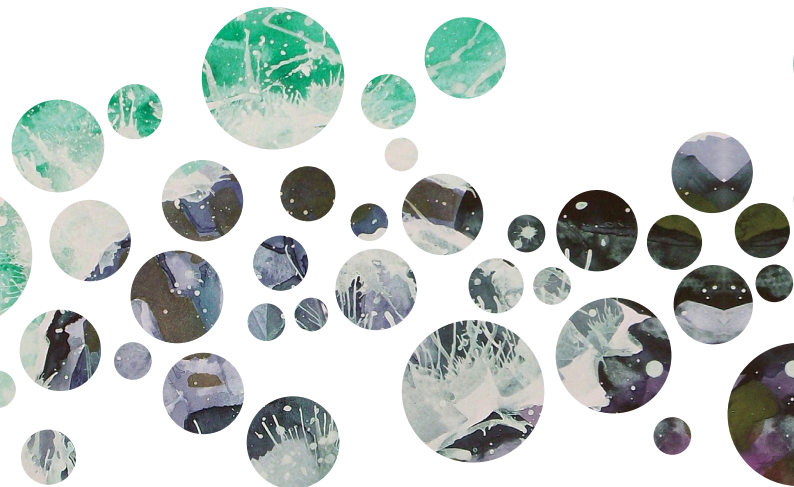
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Friday 24th to Monday 27th August.



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