

## Exhibition Programme: Aug - Dec 2010

### Life is Just a Box of Chocolates

28th Sept – 9th Oct

Experimental mixed media on the theme of identity.  
Exhibitors: Julie Cooper, Susan James Dean, Barbara Jepps, Terry Sadler and Julie Scarr.



### Inspired by Verse

#### The Six of Us

12th Oct – 23rd Oct

A group of female artists, with work inspired by an eclectic selection of poets including Omar Khayyám, Thomas Hardy and Mark Doty.



### Palimpsest

26th Oct – 6th Nov

Graduate artists who hold similar conceptions in the making of art but relate their own ideas and aims of expression.

Exhibitors: Anne Allanson, Jean Atkinson, Elaine Etkind, Mitzie Green, Paula Stanley and Fiona Zobole.



### Impressions of Languedoc

#### Various Artists

9th Nov – 21st Nov

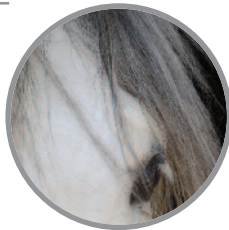
Shows the work of 6 artists inspired by Matisse's Collioure, vineyards & castles when they travelled to paint together in May 2010.



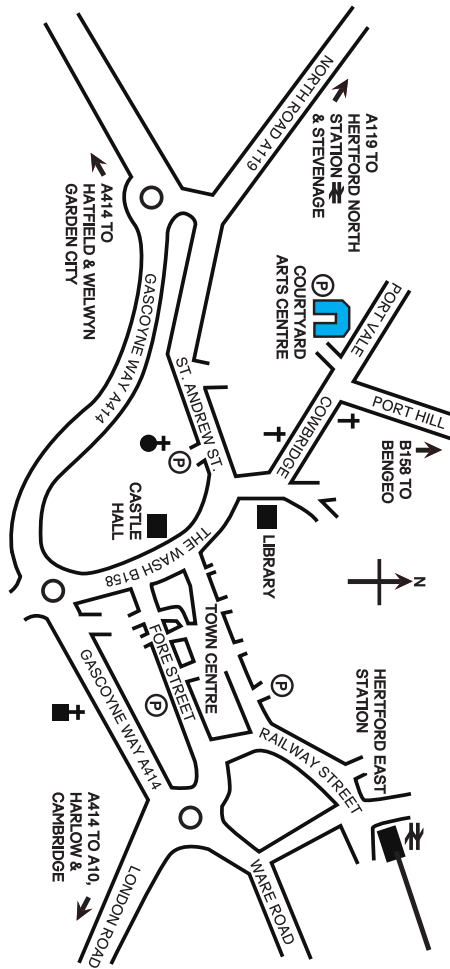
### Horse: Julie Cooper

23rd Nov - 4th Dec

An exhibition of drawings and paintings by Julie Cooper and photographs by Lucie Cooper on the theme of HORSE.



Courtyard Arts Members' Christmas Show 7th Dec - 24th Dec



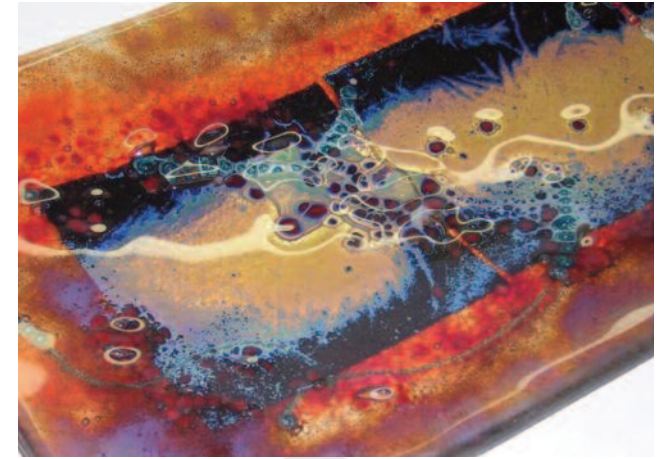
### Travelling to Courtyard Arts

Hertford North railway station (First Capital Connect Great Northern line) is approximately 8 minutes walk.  
Hertford East railway station (National Express East Anglia line) is approximately 15 minutes walk.

Various buses are available from Harlow, Ware and Welwyn Garden City.

For travel information telephone Traveline: 0871 2002233.

## Courtyard Arts Events Programme Aug - Dec 2010



# Gallery / Gifts Café / Art Classes Ceramic Studio Children's Parties

Hertford's leading visual arts venue

Opening hours:

Tuesday - Thursday: 10:00am - 4:00pm  
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**Artist In Residence 2010**

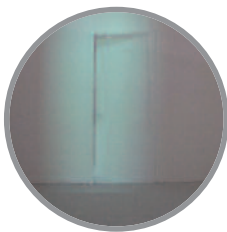
**Loraine Perry**

**2nd Aug – 28th Aug**

This year invited Fine Artist Loraine Perry will be taking up the residency, focusing on time and space and light and culminating in a week long exhibition.

The exhibition will begin with 3 evenings of work, film and projections accompanied by acoustic sets:

**Thurs 19th Aug:** Accidental Happiness, **Fri 20th Aug:** Owen Jones, **Sat 21st Aug:** TBC **Times:** 7:00pm -10:00pm each evening



**Open Studios Showcase**

**31st Aug - 11th Sept**

An exhibition showcasing work by **Open Studios** participants in East Hertfordshire, of differing disciplines.

**Artists featured include:**

- Marilyn Andreotti - Ceramics & Glass
- Helen Curtis - Glass & Jewellery
- Moya Evans - Painting
- Connie Flynn - Glass & Textiles
- Linda Gifford - Textiles
- Julie Kimber - Ceramics & Sculpture
- Sarah Lamb - Glass & Jewellery
- Karen Murphy - Glass
- Tracey Turner - Printmaking
- Tessa Verrecchia - Glass
- Artshed Arts - Paintings from The Artshed Guild members

Front cover & above right: Helen Curtis. See their work here first and then visit their studios. **(Open Studios - 11 Sept to 3 Oct 2010)**

Further information from: [www.hvaf.org.uk/open-studios](http://www.hvaf.org.uk/open-studios)

**Unpeopled Places: New Photographs**

**Ashley & Annabel Friedlein**

**14th Sept - 25th Sept**

Ashley and Annabel Friedlein present new, large-scale photographs taken in Reykjavik, Iceland; Penzance, Cornwall and Capri, Italy.

The images explore the identity of busy places and much-used objects when people are absent, with reference to the Eric Ormsby poem *Transient Magic*.



**Adults' Classes**

Term Dates: 18th Sept to 4th Dec. Half Term: 23rd Oct to 30th Oct

Day	Class	Time	Tutor	Cost / no. of weeks
Monday	<b>NEW!</b> *Stitching for Beginners	10:00am - 12:00pm	Marian Murphy	£80 / 10 weeks
	Supported Arts	1:00pm - 3:00pm	Sue Pegg	£80 / 10 weeks
Tuesday	<b>NEW!</b> *Stitching for Beginners	7:00pm - 9:00pm	Marian Murphy	£80 / 10 weeks
	<b>NEW!</b> Ceramics	8:00pm - 9:30pm	Debbie Bent	£65 / 10 weeks
	Mixed Media	1:00pm - 3:00pm	Gillian Mackenna	£80 / 10 weeks
Wednesday	Pottery	7:30pm - 9:30pm	Gordon Cornell/Debbie Bent	£87 / 10 weeks
	Ceramics	10:00am - 12:30pm	Aila Simpson	£102 / 10 weeks
Thursday	Watercolour	10:30am - 12:30pm	Barbara Wardley	£80 / 10 weeks
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	Life Drawing	7:30pm - 9:30pm	Jane Davalle	£120 / 10 weeks
	Ceramics	7:30pm - 9:30pm	Aila Simpson	£87 / 10 weeks
Friday	Ceramics	10:00am - 12:30pm	Aila Simpson	£102 / 10 weeks
	Mixed Media	1:00pm - 3:00pm	Gillian Mackenna	£80 / 10 weeks
Saturday	Mixed Media	10:30am - 12:30pm	Gillian Mackenna	£80 / 10 weeks
Saturday	<b>NEW!</b> *Fused Glass	12:00pm - 4:00pm	Melanie Oyzer	(starts 11th Sept) £80 / 4 wks

**Children's Classes**

Term Dates: 18th Sept to 4th Dec. Half Term: 23rd Oct to 30th Oct

Day	Class	Time	Tutor	Cost / no. of weeks
Tuesday	Tiny Artists (1 - 5 years)	9:15am - 9:45am	Polly Kiernan	£30 / 10 weeks
	Tiny Artists (1 - 5 years)	10:00am - 11:00am	Polly Kiernan	£50 / 10 weeks
Thursday	Fun Art (5 - 10 years)	4:00pm - 5:00pm	Virginia Brooks	£59 / 10 weeks
Friday	Tiny Artists (1 - 5 years)	1:10pm - 2:10pm	Polly Kiernan	£50 / 10 weeks
	Tiny Artists (1 - 5 years)	2:10pm - 3:10pm	Polly Kiernan	£50 / 10 weeks
Saturday	Fun Art (5 - 10 years)	10:00am - 11:30am	Virginia Brooks	£62 / 10 weeks
	*Clay Sculpture (6+ years)	11:00am - 1:00pm	Debbie Bent	£70 / 6 weeks
	*Clay Sculpture (6+ years)	1:30pm - 3:30pm	Debbie Bent	£70 / 6 weeks
	Art for Pre-Teens (11+ years)	11:45pm - 1:15pm	Virginia Brooks	£62 / 10 weeks
Saturday	*Little Screen Film Club (8-17 yrs)	2:00pm - 4:30pm	Loraine Perry	£80 / 10 weeks

**\*Selected Class Details**

**Stitching for Beginners:** New ways of working with traditional stitches, use of colour and threads, design, fabric dyeing and printing resulting in a gorgeous completed work (*right image*.)

**Clay Sculpture (6+ years):** This is on alternate Saturdays. **Dates:** 18th Sept, 2nd, 16th & 30th Oct, 13th & 27th Nov. Price includes clay & glazing.

**Fused Glass:** Designing unique pieces of jewellery and beautiful decorative items for gifts or the home.

**Fused Glass cont'd:** Four workshops giving the rare opportunity for all ages to experiment with this media. **Dates:** 11th & 25th Sept, 9th & 23rd Oct (*far right image*.)

**Little Screen Film Club:** 2D Stop Motion Animation and Film Workshops - create films, watch film shorts, learn some Film History and be involved in termly screenings of completed work. Materials and DVD copies of completed projects included.

