

Art Palette – 1 December 2022

Favourite Painting

I am pleased to announce that the painting which was voted the favourite artwork in this year's exhibition was 'Towards the Pyrenees', oil on board, by Marcus Carrigan.

Marcus is a graphic designer and joined the acrylics classes this term. His will hang in the Club Café until the end of January.

Coming close behind were Peter Hollom, John Sawyer and Sarah Owens with a special mention for Kathy Barker's portraits.



Exhibition Opening Reception



Exhibition opening and drinks

Wynona and Peter Hollom

I hope that you all had the opportunity to view this year's exhibition. Thank you to the nineteen volunteers who helped organise and hang it; that includes Wynona and Peter Hollom who organised the dinner and quiz.

You may recall that when Sir Thomas Allen opened the exhibition, he mentioned his friend David Hockney listened to music (a silent electric car as his hearing deteriorated) while driving in California. He painted his emotions through the rise and fall of the roads through the mountains. Here is an example



Art Classes and Master Classes

I hope that students are enjoying the final week of the autumn term. The mixed media Master Class by Daisy Drummond, starting next week, is full and lots of students have told me they are really looking forward to it.

We must do more Master Classes next year! Thanks to Peter Hollom for organising these with Sarah.

Art Lectures 2023

Save the dates in your diaries

7th January - *Modigliani* - Lucrezia Walker

21st February - *Dali – A Renaissance Artist in the 20th Century* - Julia Musgrave

21st March - *Crafting the Kimono* - Suzanne Perrin

18th April - *Beckman, Dix and Grosz German Degenerates* - Frank Woodgate

16th May - *Mad Men and Artists How the Advertising Industry has exploited Fine Art* - Tony Rawlings

19th September - *Dazzling Dufy: Invitation To a luminous feast with Raoul Dufy* - Mary Alexander

17th October - *Edward Seago* - James Russell

I will post lots of images from the classes in the next few weeks.

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