











Recent artwork by students in our art classes

Art Palette

I hope that you all have a happy Christmas and a great new year.

We have another full programme of lectures, classes and exhibitions throughout the year.

Thanks to all of the volunteers who arrange these and to our professional tutors and lecturers

I am looking forward to seeing you all again soon.

Book now for Spring Term Art Classes 2023

Spring Art Classes will run in the Art Studio for 10 weeks starting Monday, 9th January.

Whatever your experience - beginner, improver or more advanced – our tutors, Kathy Barker and Shaun Carey, are experts in teaching students at all levels.

You'll enjoy the welcoming and friendly atmosphere in the classes, learning and developing your skills alongside fellow students.



I painted this influenced by the tree on the Club piazza!



Full details of the classes are as follows:

Spring 2023 Art Classes Timetable

All classes run for 10 weeks with a break for half term 13th - 17th February

Discovering Watercolour with Shaun Carey

Mondays 10 am - 1 pm 9^{th} January -20^{th} March Tuesdays 2 - 5 pm 10^{th} January -21^{st} March £165 for 10 sessions.

Watercolour, pen, ink and mixed media with Shaun Carey

Mondays 2 – 5pm 9th January – 20th March £165 for 10 sessions

Pastels Class with Kathy Barker

Tuesdays 10 am – 1 pm 10th January – 21st March £165 for 10 sessions

Life Drawing with Kathy Barker

Wednesdays 10 am – 1 pm 11th January – 22nd March £198 for 10 sessions including live model.

Beginners and Improvers Drawing and Painting with Kathy Barker

Wednesdays 2 – 5 pm 11th January – 22nd March £165 for 10 sessions including live model for one class.

Painting in Acrylics with Kathy Barker

Fridays 10 am – 1pm Fridays 2 – 5 pm 13th January – 24th March £165 for 10 sessions.

Book now

Book with the team at Reception or give them a call on 020 8480 4200 (option 4). You can pay using your credit card.

Classes are available to Art Group members only. When booking, please let Reception know whether you are already an Art Group Member. If you are not, you will be able to join for £20 for the whole of 2023. This will also give you the ability to attend the seven art lectures during the year at no cost.

Booking closes on 4th January 2023. We look forward to seeing you at an art class soon! For any queries, please email artgroup@roehamptonclub.co.uk

Visit our December Reading Room Exhibition of paintings by Keith Tottem

As many of you know, we run a monthly exhibition of Members' work in the Reading Room. This month we are exhibiting work by talented artist, Keith Tottem.

Keith Tottem:

'I've painted all my life, though rather intermittently to fit around work and other activities. Until, that is, Covid came along and locked us in our homes looking for something to keep our brains and hands active. The Roehampton Club Art Group and our art tutors, with keen support from the Club, responded brilliantly to the situation by swiftly reinstating our art classes on 'Zoom', alleviating our confinement with weekly creative challenges and brightening our lives by reconnecting us with our fellow artists.

Many of the paintings here stem from this period'.

The exhibition is on now and runs until the end of December. I hope you enjoy seeing Keith's work.

Art Lectures 2023Save the dates in your diaries

17th 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

Richard Ramsey, Art Group Chairman

