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WORKSHOPS, EXHIBITIONS & ARTIST TALKS



Welcome to the Cowal Open Studios Weekend, 24th-27th September 2010

Now in its third year, Cowal Open Studios remains a unique opportunity to be welcomed into artist's studios to see a rich diversity of art and craft. This vibrant, and delight-filled weekend offers visitors the chance to experience first hand the processes that go into making finished works and talk to artists about their inspirations. It is rapidly becoming one of the 'must see' events on the West Coast of Scotland. Take pleasure in discovering creative Cowal and exploring the hidden parts of this inspirational environment, long treasured as the 'hidden jewel' of Scottish tourism.

The COS Committee

What visitors said about last years event

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Even in the rain Cowal looked beautiful.

Good to see people who are really seeing things - their environment - and expressing what is there so beautifully.

Fantastic - the work and venue. What a hidden treasure.

Inspiring work!

A great way to showcase the area! And local talent!!

I would certainly recommend it. The warmth of the welcome was impressive

Highly recommend - wonderful day out and a chance to experience art.

Friendly artists and fascinating studios and work.

Feel totally inspired! Fantastic

Fantastic way to explore areas we don't know - and seeing all this talent!

Very interesting mix and great locations.

So much talent in Cowal and friendly people!

Wonderful work and a warm welcome.

It was a fascinating experience.

It makes me want to hurry home to paint.

Very enjoyable visit and some magnificent art.

Stunning and vibrant - hugely enjoyable

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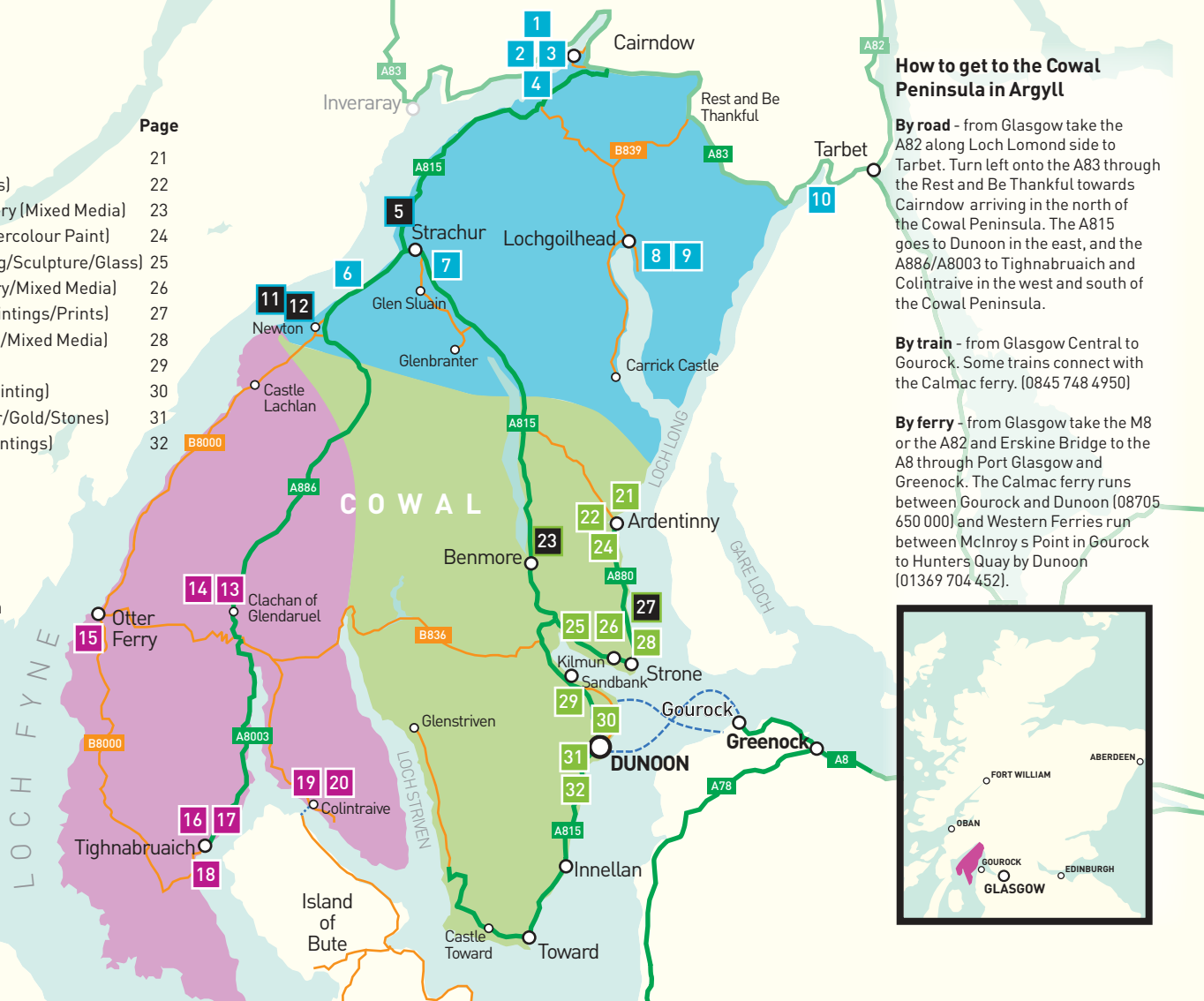
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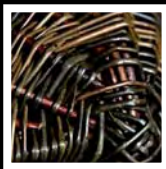
How to get to the Cowal Peninsula in Argyll

By road - from Glasgow take the A82 along Loch Lomond side to Tarbet. Turn left onto the A83 through the Rest and Be Thankful towards Cairndow arriving in the north of the Cowal Peninsula. The A815 goes to Dunoon in the east, and the A886/A8003 to Tighnabruaich and Colinttraive in the west and south of the Cowal Peninsula.

By train - from Glasgow Central to Gourock. Some trains connect with the Calmac ferry. (0845 748 4950)

By ferry - from Glasgow take the M8 or the A82 and Erskine Bridge to the A8 through Port Glasgow and Greenock. The Calmac ferry runs between Gourock and Dunoon (08705 650 000) and Western Ferries run between McInroy's Point in Gourock to Hunters Quay by Dunoon (01369 704 452).

Marcia Clark



VENUE 1

Description of Venue: Sharing space at Bachie Bhan with Peter and Sarah Sumsion

Media: Basketry

Venue Address: Bachie Bhan, Cairndow, Argyll PA26 8BE

Home Address: Balliemeanoch Cottage, Strachur, Cairndow, Argyll PA27 8DN

Using mainly brown willow grown in Argyll and some local hedgerow material, I make small to medium-sized baskets and hand woven pieces.

Directions: From either A83 or A815 into Ardinglas Estate, where signs will direct you to the house, on shore of Loch Fyne.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times:

COS Weekend Event: Friday, 4-8pm. All other days open 11am-6pm. All Other Times: please contact.

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Peter Sumsion

VENUE 2

Description of Venue: Studio in residence

Media: Painting and Drawing

Address: Bachie Bhan, Cairndow, Argyll PA26 8BE

Peter interprets things seen, and works through drawing to oil painting, and other two-dimensional media.

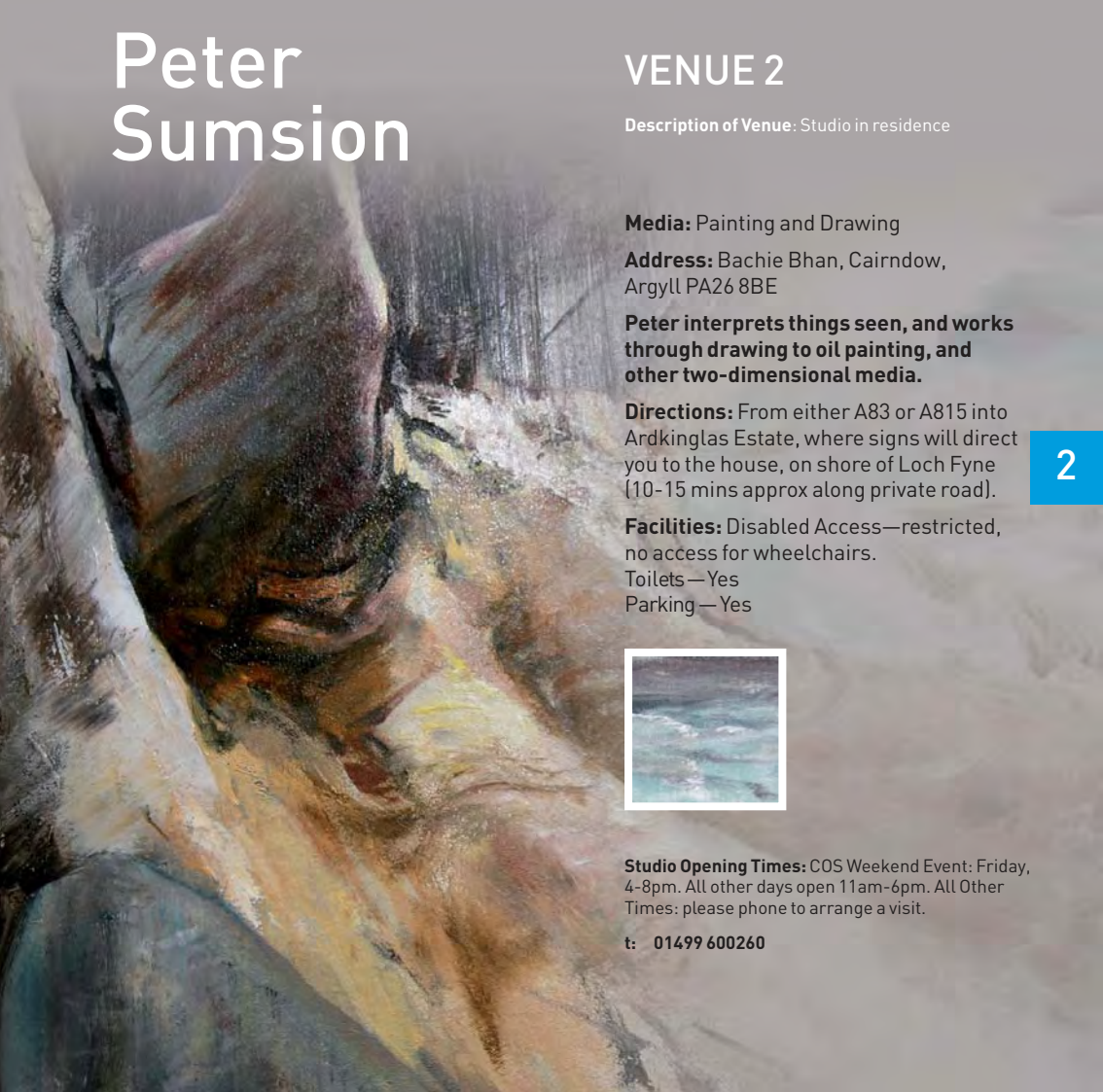
Directions: From either A83 or A815 into Ardinglas Estate, where signs will direct you to the house, on shore of Loch Fyne (10-15 mins approx along private road).

Facilities: Disabled Access—restricted, no access for wheelchairs.
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes



Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Friday, 4-8pm. All other days open 11am-6pm. All Other Times: please phone to arrange a visit.

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Sarah Sumsion



VENUE 3

Description of Venue: Studio in own residence

Media: Textiles

Address: Bachie Bhan, Cairndow, Argyll PA26 8BE

Sarah's work includes woven hangings, scarves and mixed media. Sketches and notes are the starting point, which change and develop as the work progresses. She dyes the fabrics and yarns herself.

Directions: From either A83 or A815 into Ardkinglas Estate, where signs will direct you to our house, on shore of Loch Fyne (10-15 mins approx along private road).

Facilities: Disabled Access—restricted, no access for wheelchairs.
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

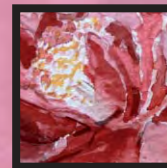
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Fiona McLeod

VENUE 4

Description of Venue: Private residence with studio and interior spaces displaying works of several artists



Media: Mixed

Venue Address: Bachie Bhan, Cairndow, Argyll PA26 8BE

Home Address: The Square, Ardkinglas, Cairndow, Argyll PA26 8BG

Fiona makes willow and papier mache mosaics using locally sourced materials where and when possible.

Directions: From either A83 or A815 into Ardkinglas Estate, where signs will direct you to Bachie Bhan, on shore of Loch Fyne.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Friday, 4-8pm. All other days open 11am-6pm. All Other Times: By appointment throughout the year, please contact by phone.

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The Creggans Inn

VENUE 5

Description of Venue: Hotel with bar and restaurant

Media: Mixed Media Exhibition of all participants work

Address: Strachur, Argyll PA27 8BX

The Creggans Inn is on the stunning Loch Fyne. It is the ideal location to enjoy the talents of various local artists and experience our award-winning food or just simply have a drink in the bar while you're here.

Directions: Going South on the A815 just as you enter Strachur.

Facilities: Disabled Access — with assistance
Toilets — Yes
Parking — Yes

Exhibition Opening Times: COS Weekend Event-Daily, 10am—Late. All Other Times: Daily 10am-late.

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Bob Brown

VENUE 6

Description of Venue:

Boathouse restaurant attached to main Inver Cottage restaurant and fitted out temporarily as a gallery viewing space. Internal access to all restaurant facilities

Media: Painting in Acrylics

Venue Address: Inver Cottage, Strathlachlan, Argyll PA27 8BU

Home Address: Courtyard Cottage, Letters Farm, By Strachur, Cairndow, Argyll PA27 8BZ.

Land/sea/township paintings using acrylic paint on a variety of supports. Subjects mainly but not exclusively Scottish.

Directions: Located in Strathlachlan on the east shore of Loch Fyne in Argyll, 6 miles south of Strachur on the B8000.

Facilities: Disabled Access - Yes
Toilets - Yes
Parking - Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Fri/Sat: 10:30am — 7:00pm/Sunday: 10:30am — 4pm. All other times: At Courtyard Cottage — 7 days (best to phone in advance).

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Diana Mave Ferrari

VENUE 7

Description of Venue:
Workshop within home



Media: Pottery

Venue Address: The Cromlech,
Cromlech Rd, Sandbank, By Dunoon,
Argyll PA23 8QH

Home Address: Glensluain Pottery, Strachur,
Argyll PA27 8DH

Diana Mave Ferrari uses reduction-fired stoneware clay to make a variety of hand built dishes, vases and wall pieces. Coil building, glass and textured slabs are among the techniques used.

Directions: Coming from Dunoon on the shore road, pass Lazaretto point and then turn first left up Fir Brae. The Cromlech is the big house on the right before the crossroads with Cromlech Rd. The entrance is on Fir Brae.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes, but limited on drive, can park on street.

Studio Opening Times: Exhibiting at Ann Baxter's studio for COS Event: Fri, Sat and Mon, 10am-5pm; Sun, 12-5pm. All other times: By appointment only, please ring to arrange a visit.

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Derek Prescott

VENUE 8

Description of Venue: Office/Gallery
with adjacent framing workshop



Media: Photography

Address: 'Creaganiver', Inverlounin Road,
Lochgoilhead, Argyll PA24 8AJ

Artists have the world around them for inspiration. Painters add to a blank canvas, stopping before it gets overworked. Landscape photography is the opposite, starting with an over -complex scene and leaving out unwanted elements.

Directions: From Glasgow—take A82 to Tarbet, then A83 to the Rest and be Thankful; turn left at the top of the "Rest" and follow signs for Lochgoilhead. From Dunoon — drive north on A815 two miles past St Catherines, turn right to Lochgoilhead. In the village continue past car park at P.O. for 200m to large green sheds at the jetty then a further 100m to "Creaganiver".

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking—300m from venue, in village

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Daily, 10am-5pm. All Other Times: Phone to confirm.

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Sue Prescott



VENUE 9

Description of Venue: Workshop within own home

Media: Picture Framing

Address: "Creaganiver", Inverlounin Road, Lochgoilhead, Argyll PA24 8AJ

Sue offers a complete picture framing service at competitive prices. She also produces folding books and cards using handmade paper and Derek's photographs. Send us your own photographs and we will produce an individual mini book for that special occasion.

Directions: From Glasgow—take A82 to Tarbet, then A83 to the Rest and Be Thankful, where you turn left for Lochgoilhead. From Dunoon—drive north on A815 two miles past St Catherines, turn right to Lochgoilhead.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Limited near house, but large car park in the village 300m away.

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Daily, 10am-5pm. All Other Times: Please ring to arrange a visit.

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Tom Butcher

VENUE 10

Description of Venue: Ceramics Studio and Craft Gallery

Media: Ceramics

Venue Address: Mansefield Studios, Mansefield House, Arrochar, Loch Long, Argyll G83 7AG

Tom produces both sculptural pieces and functional tableware from his studio on the shores of Loch Long. The Gallery at Mansefield Studios showcases superb quality ceramics, jewellery, photography and textiles.

Directions: Take A82 Loch Lomond road to Tarbet. At Tarbet, take the A83 to Campbeltown. Arrochar is 1.6 miles past Tarbet. Arriving in Arrochar, turn left at the Arrochar Hotel (signposted Helensburgh), continue along lochside for approximately one mile, Mansefield Studios is on left, just before the Village Inn pub/restaurant.

Facilities: Disabled Access—Yes
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Daily, 10.30am-5.30pm. All Other Times: Feb-Dec, times as above, Tues-Sat. 10.30am-5.30pm (We are happy to open at any other time - just call).

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Don McNeil

VENUE 11

Description of Venue: Working studio with own work on display

Media: Paint —Oils/Acrylic/Watercolour

Address: The Hidden Gallery, Higher Mid Village, Newton, Argyll PA27 8DB

Don creates emotional and colourful statements of the ever-changing rugged landscape. By setting himself a time limit he avoids a boring topographical copy.

Directions: Take A815 to Strachur (north or south) then take A886 Colintrave /Tighnabruaich road from Strachur. Fyne Studios is signposted 3 miles from Strachur at the Newton turn off (B8000). Similar signs will direct you into Newton and to the Studios.

Facilities: Disabled access: Yes to one studio.
Toilets: Yes
Parking: Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: 10am-9pm. All other times: 10am-5pm or by appointment.

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Jean Bell

VENUE 12

Description of Venue: Working Studio with own work on display

Media: Paint —Oils/Acrylic/Watercolour

Address: The Hidden Gallery, Higher Mid-Village, Newton, Argyll PA27 8DB

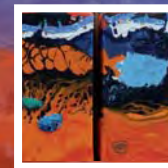
My background is creative dance and painting and I like to encourage the paint to dance and move over the canvas, creating exciting and unique shapes and colours. I also likes the challenge of painting 'en plein air'.

Directions: Take A815 to Strachur (north or south) then take A886 Colintrave /Tighnabruaich road from Strachur. Fyne Studios-The Hidden Gallery is signposted 3 miles from Strachur at the Newton turn off (B8000). Similar signs will direct you into Newton and to the Studios.

Facilities: Disabled access: Yes to one studio
Toilets: Yes
Parking: Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: 10am- 9pm. All other times: 10am-5pm or by appointment.

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Sandi Anderson

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VENUE 13

Description of Venue:
Part-time residence/
studio/gallery



Media: Painting

Address: Glendaruel Caravan and Camping Park, Glendaruel, Colintrave, Argyll PA22 3AB

I am a figurative painter based in the West of Scotland where the light and colours continue to inspire and challenge in equal measure, whatever the subject.

Directions: From A815 at Strachur, take A866 for Colintrave. After 11 miles take the entrance for Glendaruel Caravan Park on the right. Over the wooden bridge, take right fork into the park. Follow signs at T-junction to park at RIGHT fork beside white buildings. If walking take LEFT fork to caravan studio (100 yards on level track) beyond wooden lodge. Venue is last van on left with decking.

Facilities: Disabled access - No
Toilets - Yes
Parking - Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend event:
Friday 7am-9pm. Saturday and Sunday 10am-6pm.
Monday 10am-2pm.

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Anne E. Ferguson

VENUE 14

Description of Venue:
Residence / Studio



Media: Stained Glass

Address: Chapel Cottage, West Glendaruel, Argyll PA22 3AA

Anne is fascinated by the qualities of light, colour, pattern and texture achievable in glass. She is strongly influenced by the Scottish coast and landscape and her textile design roots.

Directions: Chapel Cottage (former private chapel) is situated up a track from the West Rd behind Glendaruel Caravan Park, between the Mill House and a modern bungalow. Access on foot or 4-wheel drive.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets — at Glendaruel Caravan Park
Parking — at Glendaruel Caravan Park

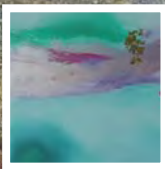
Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend event: Daily, 10am - 6pm. All other times: By appointment.

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Event workshop: An introduction to Leaded Stained Glass. Saturday 10am-4.30pm. Introduction to the basic techniques of traditional leaded glass making. Participants will have the opportunity to produce a small panel of their own design. Course costs £55 including materials. Please contact Anne for further information.

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Susan Smith



VENUE 15

Description of Venue: Residence

Media: Paint — Acrylic, Pastel, Oil

Address: North Lodge, Otter Ferry,
Tighnabruaich, Argyll PA21 2DH

Contemporary artist working mostly in acrylics and pastels, Susan explores both land and seascapes but is currently focusing on abstracts as a meditation on light, form and colour.

Directions: On the B8000, between the shore at Otter Ferry and the C11 junction.

Facilities: Disabled Access: Limited

Toilets: No
Parking: Yes

Studio Opening Times:

COS Weekend Event: Fri: 2-6pm; Sat, Sun,
Mon: 11am-5pm. All other times: By appointment.

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Andrew Graham-Weall

VENUE 16

Description of Venue:

Attractive Gallery on the beautiful Kyles of Bute

Media: Landscape Photography

Address: Tighnabruaich Gallery,
Tighnabruaich, Argyll PA21 2DR

Photographic monoprints collaged together, from the local land and seascapes.

Directions: Follow signs to Tighnabruaich,
the gallery is in the centre of the village.

Facilities: Disabled Access-Yes

Toilets - Yes
Parking - Yes

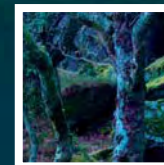
Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event:

10.30am-4.30pm. All Other Times: Easter to Fireworks
Night, 10.30am-4.30pm.

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Anne Hewitt



VENUE 17

Description of Venue: Studio and gallery space, residence

Media: Oil, Acrylic and Mixed Media

Address: Craigengower, Shore Road, Tighnabruaich, Argyll PA21 2EA

Working in oil, acrylic and mixed media, I am inspired by portraying spirit and action. I specialise in animals, yachting and seascapes and offer commissions, prints, cards.

Directions: From the A886 take the B8003 into Tighnabruaich. Turn left and travel through the village to Tighnabruaich pier. Craigengower is immediately opposite the pier.

Facilities: Disabled access — No
Toilets — Yes
Parking — Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: 10.30am — 6.00pm. All other times: by arrangement. Please call to arrange Studio visits.

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Eileen Stewart

VENUE 18

Description of Venue: Studio at top of garden plus further exhibits in the house

Media: Drawings, Paintings and Prints

Address: Bryn Teg, Tighnabruaich, PA21 2ED

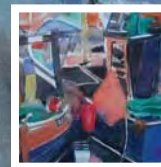
I draw and paint using acrylics, watercolour, pastels and inks. I also experiment with printing techniques including mono block, lino cut and dry point on paper or board.

Directions: Past Tighnabruaich Pier towards the Boatyard. Bryn Teg is the 10th last house.

Facilities: Disabled Access — No
Toilets — Yes
Parking — Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Daily, 10.30am–6pm. All other times: By appointment.

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Ray Beverley

Media: Furniture Maker

Venue Address: Colintraipe Village Hall,
Colintraipe, Argyll PA22 3AE

Home Address: Mecknoch, Rothesay,
Isle of Bute PA20 0QA

Inspired by his beautiful surroundings overlooking Arran, Ray designs and makes furniture and mirrors. Each piece is individually crafted using the finest hardwoods and veneers and hand-finished with oil.

Directions: South from Strachur on A886 to Colintraipe. The Village Hall is 50 yards beyond the Colintraipe Hotel, on the left hand side.

Facilities: Disabled access—Yes
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Fri, Sat, Sun, 10.30am-4pm. All other times: By appointment only, please ring to arrange a visit.

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VENUE 19

Description of Venue: Mixed Media exhibition at Colintraipe Village Hall.



Ruth Slater

VENUE 20

Description of Venue: Mixed Media Exhibition at Colintraipe Village Hall

Media: Painter

Venue Address: Colintraipe Village Hall, Colintraipe, Argyll PA22 3AE

Home Address: Sealladh Breagha, Ballianlay, Isle of Bute PA20 0QG

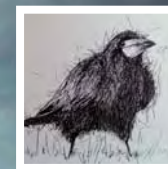
With her witty Moo Coo range and sophisticated wire art canvases nestling alongside sweeping Bute landscapes, Ruth Slater's portfolio is a chocolate-box delight for art lovers of all styles.

Directions: South from Strachur on the A886 to Colintraipe. Village Hall is 50yds beyond the Colintraipe Hotel on the left hand side.

Facilities: Disabled Access—Yes
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Fri, Sat, Sun, 10.30am-4pm. All other times: By appointment, please ring or email to arrange a visit.

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Guy Elder

VENUE 21

Description of Venue: Workshop/House

Media: Wood

Venue Address: The Stable, Glenfinart, Ardentinn, Dunoon, Argyll PA23 8TS

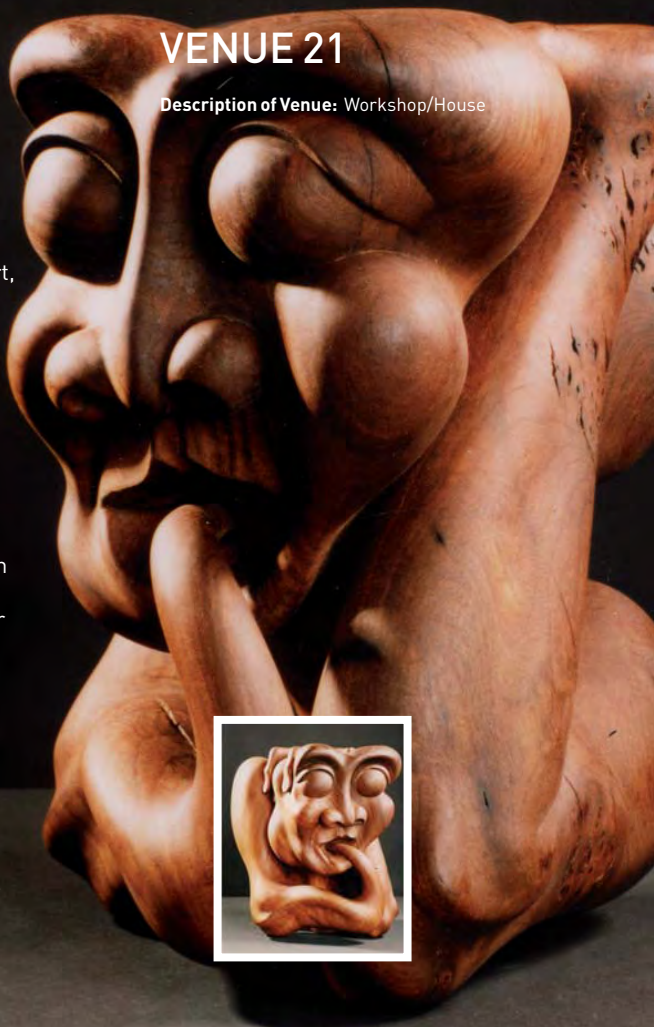
Designs, shapes and carves wood into various forms of all sizes and applications. Using the Argyll location and the nature and spirit of wood to create truly unique and inspired works.

Directions: From Dunoon: take the A815 - A880 to Ardentinn. First right after caravan park, second building on the right. From Glasgow: A82 - A83 - A815 Left to Ardentinn. First left after Deer Farm, second building on the right.

Facilities: Disabled Access — No
Toilets — Yes
Parking — Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend event: 10am — 4pm. All other times: By appointment.

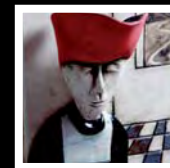
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Bill Williamson

VENUE 22

Description of Venue: Own studio



Media: Ceramics

Address: 1 Ardfin Avenue, Ardentinn, Argyll PA23 8TR

Sculptures in stoneware and raku-fired thrown pots.

Directions: From A815 turn on to A880. Ardentinn is located along this road, on the shores of Loch Long. Park in car park next to church and take path opposite car park.

Facilities: Disabled Access — No
Toilets — No
Parking — Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend event: 10am-5pm. All Other Times: please phone first.

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Benmore Courtyard Gallery

VENUE 23

Description of Venue: Dedicated gallery and studio space

Media: Mixed Media

Address: Benmore Botanic Garden, Dunoon, Argyll PA23 8QU

The Courtyard Gallery is located within the beautiful setting of Benmore Botanic Garden and hosts varied exhibitions and events throughout the year. Please see website for exhibition details and times.

Directions: Benmore Botanic Garden is located on the A815, 7 miles north of Dunoon.

Facilities: Disabled Access—Yes
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Daily—10.30am–5.30pm. All Other Times - 1st March to 31st October open daily from 10.30am. Please Note: Garden admission prices.

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Freda Waldapfel

VENUE 24

Description of Venue: Own Studio

Media: Oil Paint

Address: 5 Swedish Houses, Ardentinny, Argyll PA23 8TR

My latest paintings are inspired by my garden and the colours of summer. This year I am having a SALE as I urgently need more space — paintings, sketches and cards....

Directions: From the A815 turn onto the A880. Ardentinny is 7 miles from the junction. No 5 is near the middle of the row of black wooden houses — look for the yellow door.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—No
Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: 9am–5pm, daily. All Other Times: By appointment.

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Andy McClintock

VENUE 25

Description of Venue: Studio
and residence



Media: Drawing, Painting (Oils,
Pastel, Encaustic)

Address: Lindsay Cottage, 19-20
Grahams Point, Kilmun,
Argyll PA23 8SA

**I am inspired by the landscape and
people around me and am constantly
seeking ways to represent them in
mixed media.**

Directions: From the A815 turn on to
the A880 for Kilmun. A quarter of a
mile after Kilmun Pier Hotel turn left
at the end of a high grassy bank
opposite play park - the second
entrance to Grahams Point.
Studio at rear of residence.

Facilities: Disabled Access—Partial
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Limited

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend
Event: 12 - 6pm. All Other Times:
By telephone arrangement.

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Ann McClintock

VENUE 26

Description of Venue: Studio and residence

Media: Painting, Embroidery,
Jewellery

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19-20 Grahams Point, Kilmun,
Argyll PA23 8SA

**Much of my inspiration, in both
embroideries and jewellery, comes
from richness of historical, ethnic
and stage costumes and the colours
and textures in natural scenes.**

Directions: From the A815 turn on to
the A880 for Kilmun. A quarter of a
mile after Kilmun Pier Hotel turn left
at the end of a high grassy bank
opposite play park - the second
entrance to Grahams Point. Studio at
rear of residence.

Facilities: Disabled Access—Partial
(studio only)
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Limited

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Daily,
12-6pm. All Other Times: By telephone appointment.

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Pam Glennie



VENUE 27

Description of Venue: Gallery and Coffee Shop

Media: Original Paintings, Prints and Cards

Venue Address: Blairmore Gallery,
Pierhead, Blairmore, Argyll PA238TJ

Pam will be exhibiting her colourful new works at Blairmore Gallery. Original pastels, bright mixed media, new 'impasto' oil paintings, prints and cards. Colourful art in a stunning lochside location.

Directions: From the A815 take the A880 to Kilmun. Pass through Kilmun and Strone. The Blairmore Gallery and Coffee Shop is situated opposite Blairmore Pier.

Facilities:

Disabled Access—Yes

Toilets—Yes

Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Fri & Mon 10am-4pm. Sat & Sun, 12pm-4pm. All Other Times: Please check Gallery for seasonal times — contact details above.

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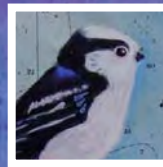
w: www.pamglennie.com



Elizabeth Bruce

VENUE 28

Description of Venue: House



Media: Painting, Printing

Address: Fairy Glen Cottage, Blairmore,
Dunoon, Argyll PA23 8TE

Painting in acrylics and mixed media, printing, lino-cuts, etchings and monoprints. Responding to the beauty of nature and everyday objects.

Directions: About halfway between Strone Point and Blairmore Pier, look out for colourful flag at gate.

Facilities: Disabled access—No

Toilets—Yes

Parking—Yes

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Daily, 11am - 5pm. All other times: By appointment.

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Ann Baxter

VENUE 29

Description of Venue: Workshop within home

Media: Jewellery

Venue Address: The Cromlech,
Cromlech Rd, Sandbank, By Dunoon,
Argyll PA23 8QH

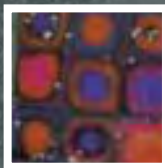
My jewellery combines textured fine silver with inlaid polymer clay and semi-precious stones inspired by the intricate patterns in nature that abound in the hills and coastlines of Argyll.

Directions: Coming from Dunoon on the shore road, pass Lazaretto point and then turn first left up Fir Brae. The Cromlech is the big house on the right before the crossroads with Cromlech Rd. The entrance is on Fir Brae.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking—Yes, but limited on drive, can park on street

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Fri, Sat and Mon, 10am-5pm; Sun, 12-5pm. All other times: By appointment only, please ring to arrange a visit.

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Rosemary Graham

VENUE 30

Description of Venue: Workshop

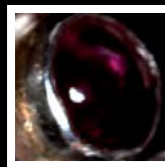
Media: Silver, Gold, Precious and Semi-Precious Stones

Address: The Design Workshop, Edgemont,
34 Argyll Rd, Dunoon PA23 8EL

Original one-off pieces of jewellery and small silver ware, from christening spoons to engagement rings. Flowing shapes made from precious materials. Commissions taken.

Directions: In Dunoon turn off Argyll Street at police station into Argyll Road, opposite Park Road, where parking is available.

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—No
Parking—In Park Rd



Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend event: Friday, 6.30 - 8.00pm; Sat, Sun and Mon, 11am - 5.00pm. All other times: By appointment only.

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Letitia Smith-Burnett

VENUE 31

Description of Venue:
Small studio



Media: Painting

Venue Address: Flemingford, 66 Victoria Rd,
Dunoon PA23 7AE

Letitia paints with mixed media including acrylic, watercolour and pastel to create imaginative land and seascapes, emphasising colour, light and texture.

Directions: Park in Hanover St car park. From here turn right up Victoria Rd, No. 66 is about 50 metres on the left hand side. Studio is located at the rear of the property.

Facilities: Disabled Access—Yes, but not for wheelchairs—please phone first
Toilets—Yes
Parking — In Hanover St car park, 50m from venue

Studio Opening Times: COS Event: Fri, 4-8pm; Sat, Sun and Mon, 11am-5pm. All other times: By appointment, please phone to arrange a visit.

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Brian Phillips

VENUE 32

Description of Venue: Home / studio

Media: Acrylic Paintings

Address: The Studio, Glengarr House,
Bullwood, Dunoon, Argyll PA23 7QL

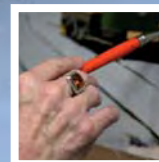
Popular Cowal artist Brian Phillips offers visitors a warm welcome to his studio and home. His lively, colourful work covers local scenes, landscapes, still life, etc, in his unique style. Make a game of looking for his hidden 'items'.

Directions: Take A815 out of Dunoon towards Innellan. After 2 miles look for yellow signs on seaward side of road. Follow arrows up to the house (150yds).

Facilities: Disabled Access—No
Toilets—Yes
Parking— Limited

Studio Opening Times: COS Weekend Event: Fri eve: 7pm-9pm; Saturday: 10am-5pm; Sunday: 11am-4pm. All Other Times: By appointment only.

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