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# The New Art Gallery Walsall

# SUMMER FAMILY PROGRAMME

## JUNE – AUGUST 2022

### HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS



#### WEDNESDAYS FOR ALL

Fun, creative workshops for all the family.



#### THURSDAY SKILLS

Learn new techniques in a variety of mediums and take away a masterpiece!



#### CREATIVE SATURDAYS

Explore, play, make, create.

### MONTHLY WORKSHOPS



#### MINI MAKERS

Get creative, explore art materials and build fine motor skills.



#### BABY & ME

Multi-sensory sessions for parents, carers & their babies.

### ONLINE WORKSHOPS

Now over 90 workshops to discover! Available on our website and YouTube channel.



### SUMMER SPECIALS

#### PLATINUM JUBILEE FAMILY DAY

Join us for a cuppa and a cupcake at our tea party!

#### A DAY OF STORIES

The Play House return with interactive, multi-sensory spider stories.

#### CREATIVE WELLBEING WORKSHOPS

Combining arts and crafts with movement.

#### PRIDE CELEBRATION

Join us to follow the Rainbow Heart Road.

### BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Celebrate your child's Birthday with us!



**\* BOOKING ESSENTIAL – CALL 01922 654400 OR VISIT OUR RECEPTION**



## > MONTHLY WORKSHOPS

### MINI MAKERS

• 11am – 12pm • Age 2–4 with carer • £2 per child. Book.\*

28 June - Circles and Squiggles:

Paint onto giant cardboard circles with sponges, stencils and big brushes.

26 July - Splatter T-Shirts: play with patterns and fabric paint.

30 Aug - Clay Leopards: model a spotty African leopard inspired by our Cameroon stool.



### BABY & ME

• 10.30am – 12pm & 12.30 – 2pm • Age 0 – 24 months • £2 per child. Book.\*

8 June, 13 July, 10 August

## > HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

### WEDNESDAYS FOR ALL

• 11 – 3pm • All ages welcome  
• Free. Drop-in.

27 July - Funky Fun Fans: draw with coloured pens and crayons onto paper and fold into summery fans.

3 Aug - Spinning Plates: build a layered artwork with paper plates and oil pastels.

10 Aug - Tapes & Ribbons: draw architecture-inspired compositions with coloured tape.

17 Aug - Salty Inky Paintings: draw with dip pens and add salt to inky wash to make magical patterns.



### THURSDAY SKILLS

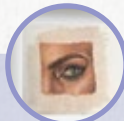
• 11am – 12.30pm: age 4+ • 1.30 – 3pm: age 7+  
• £3.50 per child. Book.\*

28 July - Eye- Eye!: learn how to draw eyes with detail and accuracy.

4 Aug - Still Life Painting: create an acrylic painting on canvas of our display of fruits and flowers.

11 Aug - Creative Crochet: learn how to make your own wool chains.

18 Aug - Snazzy Screen-prints: Combine watercolour painting with stencils and print to create jazzy screen-prints.



### CREATIVE SATURDAYS

• 11am – 3pm • All ages welcome  
• Free. Drop-in.

23 July - Cyanotype Sun Prints: expose objects onto light-sensitive paper for unique photos.

30 July - Mini Garden Dioramas: design little landscapes with clay, stones, sticks and other natural materials.

6 Aug - Tiki Soap Carving: carve a Maori Hei Tiki - a pendant traditionally worn for protection and good luck!

13 Aug - Shoe Prints: draw into polystyrene and print with bright coloured inks.

20 Aug - Strike a Pose! : make plastercine models inspired by figures in our Here&Queer exhibition.



## > SPECIAL EVENTS FOR SUMMER

### Platinum Jubilee Family Day

Sat 4 June • 11am-3pm • All ages welcome • Free. Drop-in.

Join us for a cuppa and a cupcake at our tea party, make lolly-stick Queen's guards and platinum paper crowns, plaster cast your own coin design, decorate the building with red, white and blue wool, and contribute to our giant collaborative collage inspired by Hew Locke's *Jungle Queen II*, in the Gallery's Collection.



### Follow the Rainbow Heart Road

Sat 27 Aug

• 11am-3pm  
• All welcome  
• Free. Drop-in.



Join us to celebrate the end of the Twenty Twenty Collection exhibition and the start of the Here&Queer exhibition. Make a rainbow heart road with artist Yasmin Agilah-Hood, sharing messages of hope and inclusion for Pride, and contribute to the Gallery's mural with colourful rainbows and hearts.

### A Day of Stories: Spiders!

Sat 2 July • 11am-3pm • All ages welcome • Free

The Play House return with interactive, multi-sensory spider stories including Incy Wincy and Anansi. 12pm session- for all ages and abilities. **2pm session is autism-friendly and exclusively for children with ASD.** Make woolly woven webs in our craft workshop. • **Booking essential / places limited.\***



### Creative wellbeing workshops

*Combining arts and crafts with movement*

26 July, 9, 11, 16, 23 & 30 August

**Dragons and Fire:** paper dragon puppets, fire-breathing dragon craft, canvas painting, a big happiness jar and dragon-inspired Tai Chi.

**27 & 28 July: Nature Makers:** mindful, nature inspired art and craft.

• All workshops 10-11.30am (additional workshops on 11 & 30 Aug, 12-1.30pm)

METTAMINDS



These workshops form part of Walsall Council's HAF Programme - a holiday programme for children and young people aged 5 to 16 who are eligible for benefit related free school meals.

A small number of places are reserved for children outside of the HAF programme.

• Booking essential. Places limited.  
For more information and to book email [lovemettaminds@gmail.com](mailto:lovemettaminds@gmail.com)

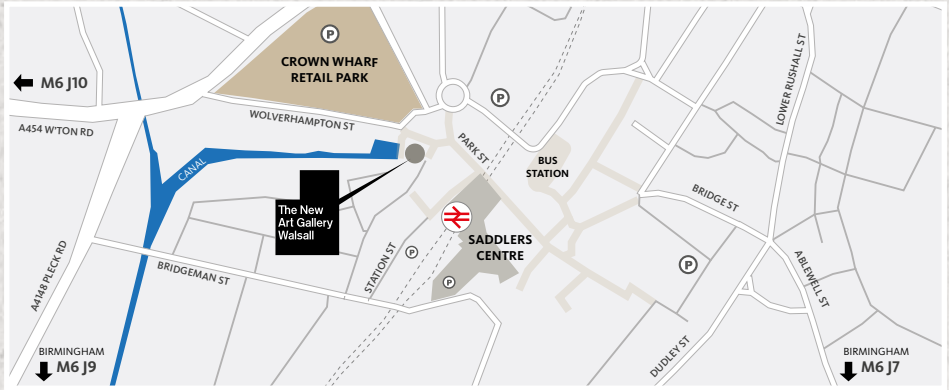




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### Opening times

Tuesday – Saturday 10am-5pm  
Sunday 12noon – 4pm  
Closed Mondays and Bank Holidays

The New Art Gallery Walsall  
Gallery Square, Walsall WS2 8LG

01922 654400

**Free WiFi available throughout the building.**



Baby changing facilities are available on the ground floor.



Toilets with disabled access on Ground Floor and Floors 1 & 4



The lifts provide access to all floors



Our friendly, trained staff are always available to provide assistance

Access guides and alternative versions of all printed materials are available on request. For more information please contact 01922 654400.

### Shop

Our shop stocks a range of gallery souvenirs and children's gifts.

### Costa

Monday – Saturday 8.30am-5pm  
Sundays 10am-4pm

### Mailing List

Sign up to our free e-bulletin to receive Preview invitations and event information.



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