

The New Art Gallery Walsall

Family Programme

May – August 2024



LOOK INSIDE FOR OUR LATEST WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS

SUNDAY ART CLUB MINI MAKERS WEDNESDAYS FOR ALL THURSDAY SKILLS

For information on future workshops follow us on Facebook and Instagram.
Share pictures of your fabulous creations with us!



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[thenewartgallerywalsall](https://www.instagram.com/thenewartgallerywalsall)

+SOUTH ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH +FANTASTIC JOURNEYS +MORE

SUNDAY ART CLUB

Our weekly art club for children and young people. Meet artists and creatives, learn to paint, print, sculpt, craft and more!

12-3pm

Ages 4+

FREE

Drop-in



- 5 May Kolams - Drawing with Rice Flour
- 12 May Casting Handprints
- 19 May Make a glitter ball!
- 26 May Eye Collages



- 2 June Activist Slogans: Poly-prints
- 9 June Cardboard TVs
- 16 June Shiny Glam Costumes
- 23 June Eye See You! Decorated Mirrors
- 30 June Cellophane Circle Art



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- 7 July Drawing reflections in spheres
- 14 July Dream Catchers
- 21 July Wish Trees
- 28 July Cardboard Buildings



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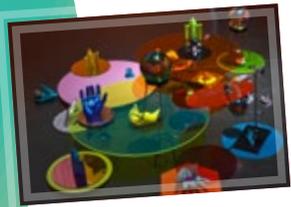
- 4 Aug Animal house tote bags
- 11 Aug Nomad Drawing - pen on tracing paper
- 18 Aug Box Heads
- 25 Aug Mini Furniture Models



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We welcome donations to allow us to offer these weekly artist-led workshops free of charge throughout the year.

MAKE AN ACTIVIST BANNER

FREE



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Sat 25 — Friday 31 May

Drop in during opening hours

Your voice matters!

What issues do you feel strongly about in your community? What should change or stop? Create a banner using the chunky pens and paper provided.

HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

MINI MAKERS

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

Ages 2-4 / 11am - 1pm
Drop-in / £3

WEDNESDAYS FOR ALL

Fun, creative workshops for all the family.

Ages 4+ / 11am - 3pm
Free / Drop-in

THURSDAY SKILLS

Learn new techniques in a mix of mediums & take away a masterpiece!

Age 4+ 11am - 12.30pm
Age 7+ 1.30 - 3pm
Booking only. £4.50 per child

HALF TERM

Tues 28 May
Cardboard
Tube Tigers



SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Weds 24 July
Painting houses
& special places

Thurs 25 July
House Head
Sculptures
- Plasticine,
wood & paper.



Weds 31 July
Dream Holiday
Dioramas

Weds 29 May
Protest Banners:
Be a Young
Activist!

Tues 6 Aug
Crafty Caterpillars
and sensory play

Weds 7 Aug
Concertina
Bird Books

Weds 14 Aug
3D Pet Houses

SHINE LIKE A MIRROR BALL

Saturday 6 July
11am-12pm & 1-2pm

FREE



Join Peter and Nicola from Fantastic Journeys in a multi-sensory musical session designed to stimulate the senses.

Explore the textures of sparkly, shiny and crunchy materials, and play unique instruments made from everyday items, inspired by the work of Sophia-Layla Afsar and Alex Billingham.

Take part in playing, singing and vocalising. Use your musical skills to shine like a mirror ball.

Booking essential/places limited
(See back page for details)

These sessions are exclusively for children with profound & multiple learning disabilities (PMLD) and/or complex support needs, with their families.

SOUTH ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH COMMUNITY DAY

Saturday 3 August
12-4pm.
All welcome!

FREE

Enjoy South Asian music from broadcaster and radio DJ Manpreet Darroch, gift & clothing stalls, craft activities, photography display, authentic food and more!





BABY & ME

8 May, 12 June, 10 July, 14 August

10.30am - 12pm & 12.30 - 2pm

Ages 0-2.

£3 per child. Booking essential.

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



ONLINE WORKSHOPS

Now over 90 workshops to discover!

Available on our website and YouTube channel.



BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Celebrate your child's Birthday with us!

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

www.thenewartgallerywalsall.org.uk

SHOP

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

COSTA

Monday – Saturday 7.30am – 5pm

Sundays 8.30am – 4.30pm

MAILING LIST

Sign up to our free e-bulletin

**TO BOOK: Call 01922 654400
or visit our reception**



Free WiFi available



Baby changing on the ground floor



Accessible toilets on ground floor & floors 1 & 4



Buggy Friendly



The lifts provide access to all floors



Our friendly, trained staff are always available to provide assistance

We remind families that all children and young people must be accompanied by a parent or carer over the age of 18 for the duration of our workshops.

- ① Works by Sophia-Layla Afsar and Alex Billingham in '...as we gathered on the shards of a fallen mirror ball', until 7 July 2024. *Photos: David Rowan.
- ② Carlos Bunga, *Nomad, House no.17*, varnish and plasterboard and latex on wood, 2022, installation view, 'Against the Extravagance of Desire', Palacio de Cristal, MNCARS, Madrid, Spain, 8 April – 4 September 2022. Photo: Joaquín Cortes y Román Lores.
- ③ Carlos Bunga, *Future Earth*, pencil and mixed media on paper, 2021. Image courtesy of the artist.
- ④ Carlos Bunga, *My first house was a woman*, 1975, Cut-and-pasted printed paper, ink and pencil on tracing paper and paper, 2018. Image courtesy of the artist.
- ⑤ CJ photographed by Jensen at a workshop led by Kirsty Mackay for *The Magic Money Tree* at Jump Studios, Knowle West Media Centre, Bristol.
- ⑥ Painting by Poppy in *The Magic Money Tree*, until 28 July 2024.
- ⑦ Photo: Sabiheh Mahmoud of Nilupa Yasmin.



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