



# 2024 creative programme

#### **Process and Place**

Through a programme of exhibitions, projects, workshops and events, we will explore change in natural landscapes and land use, revealing a multitude of stories and connections which cut through time, challenging our perception and posing environmental and social questions.

**Create Our Space (COS)** COS provides ongoing opportunities for schools, emerging artists and young people 0 - 25 years and is generously supported by Arts Council England.

**Devon Artist Network** (25 May - 6 July) in the Upstairs Gallery "Discover your lost skills' - an exhibition of work by artists from Devon Artist Network to highlight lost craft skills. The artists will lead a series of workshops to engage primary pupils in traditional skills.

Summer Art Week (19 - 24 August) a week of inspiring art activities for 11 - 17 vear olds.

### Early Years Creative Sessions

Fun creative session for under 5's and their parents/carers in the THG Learning Room. 10.30 - 12.00, last Friday of every month. Free, no booking required.

## Masterpieces Youth Group

Free art sessions for 12 - 16 years. Join our youth group to explore different art processes, inspired by our artists and exhibitions. Every other Wednesday, 4.30 - 6pm (term time only). Email info@thelmahulbert.com for more info.

Visit thelmahulbert.com/whats-on/workshops to see our full calendar of artist talks, workshops and events.



#### About us

THG hosts an inspiring exhibition programme of contemporary art & craft, alongside a permanent collection of artist Thelma Hulbert's work.

Our award-winning public art gallery, based in Honiton, is run by East Devon District Council and supported by Arts Council England.

THG has been recognized by the Marsh Award for Excellence in Gallery Education for its exceptional learning programme of workshops and community activities..

### Shop

Our THG Shop showcases the work of leading South West artists and makers, prints from *Double Elephant* Print Workshop, gifts and greeting cards.



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#### THG Friends

Enjoy 10% discount in THG Shop and discounts on workshops and talks \*New - 10% discount at The Beehive Café, Honiton.

Individual member £15 annual Joint membership £25 annual Life membership £150 one off payment.

### **Opening times**

Tuesday - Saturday, 10am - 5pm

Thelma Hulbert Gallery Elmfield House Dowell Street Honiton Devon, EX14 1LX

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Access

The gallery is accessible. A disabled parking bay is available in front of the gallery. Please do not hesitate to contact us to discuss any access requirements.









Admission

**Exhibitions programme** 25 May 2024 - 2 November 2024 creative Activities



# **THG Open Winners' Exhibitions**

25 May - 6 July 2024

## Sharon James #artistmother

Exhibition of new work by THG OPEN 2023 winner: Sharon James featuring large, strongly figurative paintings presenting vibrant scenes of domestic family life. They are broadly relatable to many people's experiences but offer more than a window on the world. They are intimate moments, inviting the viewer to become part of it like we are one of the family.

Each painting is often an accurate reflection of a keenly observed moment. They focus on the bits of life that so easily get covered over offering an intensely personal vision with echoes of family, motherhood and heritage.

### **Kyle Baker**

**Lower Gallery:** Exhibition of work by photographer Kyle Baker, winner of Best Emerging Artist in the THG Open 2023.

Kyle Baker is an East Devon-based photographer and film maker who set up his business in 2016 with the help of the Princes Trust.

Kyle specialises in seascapes alongside his range of landscapes and nightscapes.



# seam collective: A Visible Thread 20 July - 31 August 2024

This exhibition by the contemporary textile collective **seam** explores the visibility and invisibility of thread. Thread, as cloth, is woven through our lives. It surrounds us like a second skin. Precisely because of these close connections, it becomes almost invisible to us.

A Visible THREAD aims to encourage viewers to rethink their relationship to thread, be aware of its materiality, its sustainability, its possibilities, and its limitations. Through a diverse range of textile disciplines and perspectives, this exhibition brings work from 15 seam artists together to stimulate thought, connection, and conversation.

Look out for coordinating programme of talks, textile workshops and demonstrations.





A solo exhibition of the work of artist Philippa Lawrence drawing together threads that run throughout her practice. Showcasing early, new and developing works it also includes a creative response, in cut vinyl, to the life and work of artist Thelma Hulbert.

Philippa Lawrence is an artist based at Spike Island, Bristol and Principal Lecturer at Cardiff School of Art & Design. Philippa works on commissions, exhibitions and projects, nationally and internationally.

Look out for coordinating artist talk.

Saturday 8 June, 2pm: Sharon James in conversation.



# **Philippa Lawrence:** A Space Between

# 14 September – 2 November 2024

# Anne Jackson: The Witchcraft Series

# 14 September – 2 November 2024

**Upstairs Gallery:** The Witchcraft Series explores the history of witch trials and the power of 'the witch' in our culture, both as metaphor for our fears, and as representation of social injustice towards women.

The tapestries often depict the trials of specific historic "witches" from the West Country, especially Somerset and Devon.

Anne Jackson uses historical texts and original illustrations, along with contemporary scientific and cultural references. Her medium, a textile art form called knotted tapestry, creates vivid, intensely-coloured imagery.