

MAY 2018 : NFAS Newsletter



FIRSTLY a BIG WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS.

8TH APRIL: There was a good attendance for PENNY WILTON demonstrating Flowers in watercolour and inks. Using the wet in wet method and watercolour and acrylic inks Penny demonstrated the various effects that can be achieved. She is an advocate of drawing with a twig or bamboo, helping to keep the painting loose. Having been a teacher for 30 years she was very proficient at sharing her knowledge of salt, granulation medium, cling film, oil pastel, candle wax – even spray starch! She holds monthly workshops, life drawing classes, holidays at home and abroad. For more information on any of the above visit www.pennywilton.co.uk.

Penny chose Teresa Roger's painting of poppies as winner of our mini exhibition. Well done Teresa.

GERRY DUDGEON was our artist at the March meeting. He was unable to finish it on the night so, as promised, he kindly brought along the finished painting, as shown below, to his recent workshop.



16TH MAY: Our evening meeting features a Portrait demonstration in Oils on Acrylic by PODI LAWRENCE.

12TH JUNE: The date of the last Spring Paint-in at Emery Down and Bank Village Hall. Please contact Brenda (cwmolyneux2@btinternet.com) for more information.

26TH MAY – 3RD JUNE: Two of our members, Teresa Rogers and Virginia Whiting, are exhibiting as part of Dorset Art Week. Taking place at Art in the Garden room at Cranborne Garden Centre, the Exhibition also features ceramics, silver and bead jewellery, sculpture, felting and wood turning.

GARDEN VISIT 2ND JULY: A visit is being organised to the garden of Andy and Ros McIndoe at Sandhill Farm, Sherfield English, SO51 6JY. The garden is around two acres with naturalistic planting, ponds, terrace and gravel garden. The cost is £9 per head to include guided tour, tea and cake!. It would be a good idea to car share for ease of parking- Rachael will try and co-ordinate this nearer the time. Please email Rachael (smithrae@hotmail.com) to add your name to the list if you have not already done so. You are welcome to bring a friend but please let Rachael know for numbers.

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