

# AUTUMN ART WORKSHOP PROGRAMME 2023



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Dear Member,

The three workshops held earlier in the year were very enjoyable and fully booked. Another three workshops are planned for the autumn and I hope you will find them of interest.

After several years in the post I have decided to retire as workshop organiser, partly as it's time for fresh ideas and partly for family reasons. If you would like to know more about the role with a view to volunteering as my successor please contact me so that we can have a chat about what is involved. I have thoroughly enjoyed working with the Art Circle in this capacity and have especially enjoyed the contact with all those you who have attended workshops over the years.

As usual for this coming season, please send your bookings in early to avoid disappointment. Those of you who have not attended a workshop before will be particularly welcomed.

The workshops will be held at Reydon Village Hall and full details, including a list of what to bring will be emailed or sent to you on receipt of the Booking Form. **Payment should be made in full at the time of booking and is non-refundable**, but your cheque will not be banked until the day of the workshop, and of course if the workshop is cancelled at the last minute you will not be charged.

If, at the date of receipt of your booking form, the places are filled, your payment will either be destroyed or, if you wish, held and your name put on a 'reserve' list. If your booking has been confirmed but you are unable to come on the day, do try to find a replacement to come in your place.

Please return the attached booking slip with your payment as soon as possible, so that I can confirm your place. Your confirmation letter will normally be sent by email, though if you find you have not received it do check it's not in your junk folder. If you would rather the letter is sent by post or if you are not on email, please enclose a stamped and addressed envelope with your booking form.

Thank you.  
Best wishes,  
Pam

**Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> September 2023 10am – 4pm**

Tutor: Sue Williams  
Medium: Watercolour, with a pen and ink option  
Subject: Flowers  
Ability level: Mixed  
Cost: £30

Sue attended St Martins School of Art for four years, and has had a career illustrating books, magazines and calendars using pen and ink or gouache. She has taught watercolour painting to adults for 42 years, mainly watercolour and inks, written for Art Magazines and taught at summer schools. She has exhibited and sold at the Society of Botanical Artists for several years, as well as other Botanical specialist galleries. She has exhibited at The Mall Gallery and at The RI - watercolours, SWA- watercolours , ROI- Oils, and RBA- Oils.

Sue will start the day with a demonstration of colour mixes for various flowers and leaves, some techniques for leaves and flowers, composition, backgrounds and using a pen with watercolour. This will take about an hour and a half and then the rest of the day Sue will work with everyone, one to one.

### **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2023 10am – 4pm**

Tutor: John Shave  
Medium: Oils  
Subject: Landscape/Seascape  
Ability Level: Mixed ability  
Cost: £30

John is a member of the London Wapping Group, the East Anglian Marine Painters, and Fellow of the Society of Arts Australia. He has run workshops and demonstrations in England and Australia, and also teaches at his studio in South Norfolk. John paints in a modern impressionistic style, capturing atmosphere and mood.

At this workshop students should get a good idea of how to put on colour and keep it fresh. John will also cover composition, tone, and colour to help to produce an impressionistic oil painting during the day.

If you are a complete beginner in oils, John can provide a starter set of oils for £8 (paid for at the workshop) which will include everything you need to complete a painting (materials to be returned to him at the end of the day). So if you would like to try oil painting for the first time, this workshop is a good opportunity to give it a go.

[www.saa.co.uk/profile/mr-john-shave\\_74245](http://www.saa.co.uk/profile/mr-john-shave_74245)

### **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2023 10am – 4pm**

Tutor: John Patchett  
Medium: Pastels  
Subject: Coastal Landscape with a big sky  
Ability Level: Mixed ability  
Cost: £30

John is an internationally renowned pastel artist and has exhibited with the Pastel Society, the RSMA, as well as his many successful solo exhibitions. He is a member of the Institute of East Anglian Artists and contributes to 'The Artist' and 'Leisure Painter'.

John lives in Beccles and uses our wonderful variety of landscapes, market towns and the coast to inspire his work. He is a stalwart member of local art societies and a highly regarded tutor. His work can be seen at [www.john-patchett.co.uk](http://www.john-patchett.co.uk)

In this workshop John will be using soft pastels to help us gain a better understanding of the versatility of the medium. He will show us how to create a 'big sky with cumulus clouds' convincingly and to understand 'aerial perspective' in the landscape to achieve a feeling of recession toward the horizon. He will have pastel card for sale at £7.50 each.

[www.john-patchett.co.uk](http://www.john-patchett.co.uk)

## WORKSHOP BOOKING FORM

Name .....

Email.....

Address.....

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Phone/mobile .....

I would like to attend the SAC Saturday workshop/s as follows:- (please tick)

30<sup>th</sup> September 2023                  Sue Williams                  £30                  .....

28<sup>th</sup> October 2023                  John Shave                  £30.00                  .....

(please indicate here if you would like John to prepare you a set  
of materials for use at the workshop at a cost of £8.00 payable  
to John on the day)                  .....

25<sup>th</sup> November 2023                  John Patchett                  £30                  .....

If you are booking for more than one workshop, please make separate cheques (payable to Southwold Art Circle) and **please note on the back of each cheque which Tutor/Workshop they are for.** Cheque/s will not be banked until the date of the workshop.

If you do not have email, please enclose a stamped addressed envelope with the booking form so that the confirmation details can be posted to you.

Please return the completed booking form and payment (and sae if applicable) as soon as possible to:

Thank you.

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