

## **Still Life Workshop – 10 September, 10.30–1.30pm**

Local artist Donna Borg will be running a Still Life Workshop on Sunday 10 September from 10.30am–1.30pm in the Studio.

The workshop is suitable for all levels, from complete beginners to those who already have some painting and drawing experience. Drawing and painting materials, including boards and a limited number of easels will be provided but participants are free to bring their own. There will also be tea, coffee and biscuits.

The workshop will start with a demonstration of how Donna sets the objects to create an interesting composition and a theme or narrative in her still life works. We will be using props from the theatre as well as other everyday objects which will provide us with an exciting range of shapes and materials to work with. Donna will then show you how to take measurements and how to do an initial drawing. She will then move on to adding tone and detail to create volume, depth and contrast.

Donna will be doing a couple of short demonstrations, one in charcoal and one in oils providing information about the materials used as she goes to show you how she works with the two different mediums and how you can create a convincing drawing or painting whether in black and white or in full colour.

You will then create your own still life using charcoal, pencil or paints, or any other medium you prefer, under Donna's guidance.

The workshop will take place in a friendly and informal atmosphere to encourage active learning and experimentation irrespective of level and experience.

Places are limited.

Age: 12+

Tickets: £15

If you have any questions, please email Donna: [donnaborg011@gmail.com](mailto:donnaborg011@gmail.com)