

FEBRUARY PROGRAMME

We hope to see you at some of our creative arts events. For **details or help with lifts**, please see notes and contact details on the back page.

Tuesday 3rd February

Creative Writing group - Charles
Creative Space - Art - Charles

55 Queens Drive
10.30am - 12.30pm
1.30pm - 3.30pm

Tuesday 10th February

Creative Writing group - Pam
Creative Space - Lantern Making

55 Queens Drive
10.30am - 12.30pm
1.30pm - 3.30pm

Wednesday 11th February

Churnet People

Manifold School, Warslow
11.30am – 2.30pm

Thursday 12th February

Experimental Arts – DIY

55 Queens Drive
10.30am – 12.30pm

Tuesday 17th February

Creative Writing group – Pam
Creative Space - Art – Viv

55 Queens Drive
10.30am - 12.30pm
1.30pm – 3.30pm

Tuesday 17th February

Lantern Making workshop

57 Queens Drive
1.30pm – 4.30pm

Wednesday 18th February

Lantern Making workshop

57 Queens Drive
1.30pm – 4.30pm

Saturday 21st February

Lantern Parade
(followed by bread and hot soup)

Haregate Community Centre
5.30pm – 7.00pm

Tuesday 24th February

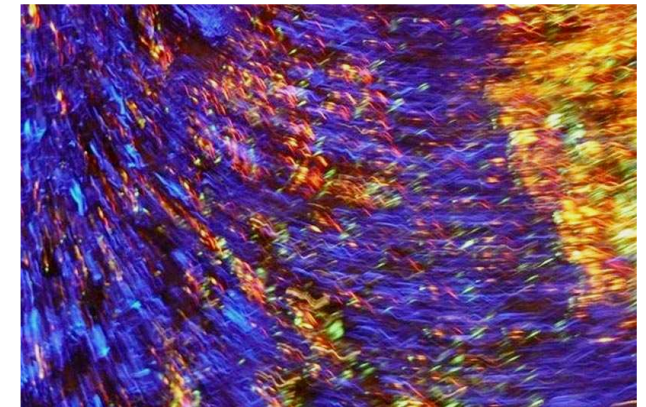
Creative Writing group - Pam
Creative Space –Clay – Sue B

55 Queens Drive
10.30am - 12.30pm
1.30pm - 3.30pm

Land of the Churnet



Having already worked with young people from Haregate, Eleanor Babb came to one of our visual arts sessions last month and the Tuesday group had great fun producing different effects, taking photographs and making prints.



Churnet People

We had to cancel the last of Elspeth's workshops for Churnet People before Christmas because of illness. We now have the chance to have another session of recording our local characters in collage and textiles. The workshop is open to all and it doesn't matter if you didn't come to the earlier workshops.

FEBRUARY PROGRAMME DETAILS

The Creative Writing sessions with Pam continue on Tuesday mornings however this month on the **3rd February** the group will be led by **Charles Monkhouse** who is coming to introduce the 'Night Stations' project.

On Tuesday afternoons the first Visual Arts workshop of the month will be led by **Charles Monkhouse**, On the 10th there's a chance to experiment with **lantern-making** and on the 17th everyone will be pleased to see **Viv** again. On the 24th **Sue Blatherwick** will be coming to work with the art group in clay.

The informal Thursday morning Experimental Arts - DIY group meet to help one another and explore different drawing and painting techniques. All welcome but sorry – only 1 session in Feb.

Elspeth will be running the final **Churnet People collage session** this month. All are welcome. Please contact Sheena for details

There will be a new course in digital manipulation of text and images plus work with power point led by our very own **Paul Brooks** starting in the next few weeks.

As well as youth club sessions, 2 lantern workshops for young people by **Gordon MacLellan** take place at Queens Drive on 17th and 18th. We hope to see you all at the **1st Haregate Lantern Parade** on the **Saturday 21st**. Why not bring your children along to join in the fun?

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COMING EVENTS

On Tues 3rd **Charles Monkhouse** will be at Queens Drive all day to start an exciting new project of **light installation**. The theme is **stars and constellations** and how we relate to the night sky. We will design our own constellations and build them from tiny LED lights to display in the open air. Do try to come along.

Please come and join in our **1st Haregate Lantern Parade** on **Saturday 21st** starting from Haregate Community Centre at 5.30pm with hot soup and bread available afterwards.