

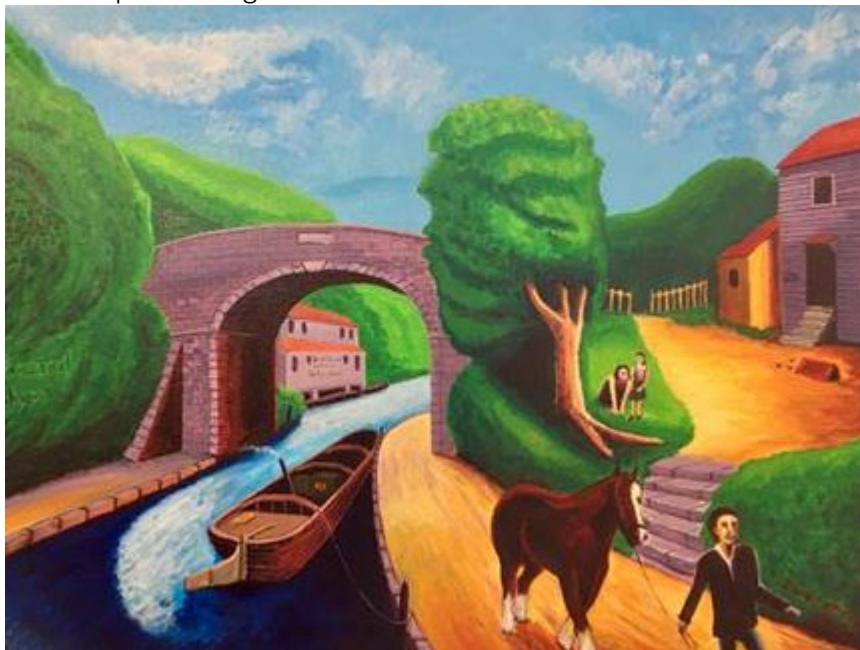
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Dear Artists. 7th June 2021

We hope you are safe and well and able to enjoy this beautiful June day.

This newsletter celebrates your amazing new art works, words and poems. We also have details of 'Reviews', Surrey Artists Open Studios workshops and Monday Peer Tutor workshops. We begin with a new work from Dave F.



*Hi all at Art Matters, here is latest painting nearly done, just a few more brush-strokes.  
A great start to the week. Thanks Dave. Beautiful.*

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Reviews.

Reviews are now well underway. There are three options: use the 'review' form in the studio to do a self-review; a one to one with David in the studio or a telephone review. Thanks to everyone for your participation and thank you David for overseeing this important work.

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*Just great to be back in the studio!  
Thanks Lucy. Stunning new work!*

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*The clouds without boundaries? Freedom of expression!  
Ability to shape any view? Solidarity in their freedom!  
The many friendships with respect for each other!  
Coffee in hand! Mind like a cloud! Have a lovely week! Raj.*

Thank you so much for thinking of us and your best wishes for us all Raj. To you also our very best wishes.



*Next stage of my current painting – Molly.*

Amazing colours Molly!

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Surrey Artists Open Studios.

Art Matters are part of this years Open Studios event and we'll be open to the public from Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> until Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June. Sessions will continue to run on the Thursday (17<sup>th</sup>) and Friday (18<sup>th</sup>). If you would rather not attend your session on either of these dates please let us know.

There are a few spaces left on the workshops on Saturday and Sunday. These are:

- Soapstone Miniatures; Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> 10:00 – 11:30
- Wood Assemblages; Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> 1:30 – 3:00
- Foam Print Workshop; Sunday 10:30 – 12:00
- Mala workshop; Sunday 1:30 – 3:00

If you are interested in attending any of these Peer Tutor workshops please contact us or speak to us in your session. All workshop details can be found in the SAOS brochure – available in the studio.

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*Hi Guys, here's my latest, hope you like it. Best wishes Nigel  
Great, thanks Nigel!*

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**Peer Tutor Workshop.**

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June. 10:30 – 12:30.

'Automatic Drawing & Painting'. A new workshop with Nigel.

*Create an artwork with pen and paint in an automatic drawing style.*

Open to all abilities.

Booking essential! Please e-mail, call or speak to studio staff.

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Ahmed's new work bringing light to the studio.

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**Peer Tutor Workshop.**

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June. 10:00 – 12:00.

'Bead and Button Faces' A new workshop with Suzanne.

*Make a face out of buttons and beads!*

Open to all abilities.

Booking essential! Please e-mail, call or speak to studio staff.

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Lovely new work from Barry.

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### Hammersley Homes.

Last year Art Matters was visited by Louise Hallett from Hammersley Homes. Louise is a keen supporter of the arts and had heard about our work. Hammersley Homes provide permanent supported homes for adults who suffer from enduring mental illness and struggle to live independently. Part of their fundraising work is through the sale of artworks – some of which can be found on the link below:

<https://hammersleyhomes.org/shop/>

Louise has asked if artists from Art Matters are interested in their work being available for sale on their webshop to contact her. She explains: *we would welcome the inclusion of any artworks for sale in our webshop, with of course any commissions going to the artist, or indeed to you - whatever is preferred. Your newsletter is great!*

Please look at the Hammersley Homes website and if you are interested in using the webshop let us know and we'll put you in touch with Louise.

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Deanna's finished denim looks amazing.

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All of the images and other works can be found on the Art Matters Instagram account.

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*Do you have a message for an Art Matters friend? Send it to us and we'll put it in the newsletter. Likewise, a thought for the day, a poem, an idea or a picture you'd like to share.*

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Thank you everyone for sending in your work. It's an amazing collection. Art Matters feels very proud.

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Please continue to listen to Government advice and stay safe and stay in touch. Look after yourselves and each other.

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Contacting Art Matters: [artmatters@richmondfellowship.org.uk](mailto:artmatters@richmondfellowship.org.uk) - all staff access these e-mails. You can also call the studio number on 01737 766212 and if we are unable to pick up leave a message and one of us will get back to you as soon as we can.

Staff mobile numbers:

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We'll see you soon.

The Art Matters team.

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