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A Painting in a Day with Diane Summer

10.00 am – 4.00 pm

Saturday 1 June 2019

Small Hall, Digby Hall, Hound Street, Sherborne DT9 3AA

£50, £45 for Friends of ArtsLink

Diane Summer is an accomplished, practising artist with much experience. She worked for many years educating adults in Communication Skills at University and in Private Practice as well as being an author of books on Relating Well. Diane researched in the area of Creativity and Communication at University of Queensland and has presented numerous workshops on Art, Creativity and Communication skills. Participants can be confident that they will experience the skilled tutoring as well as artistic skills that Diane brings to this course. Diane's own art work is represented in galleries and private collections both in Australia and the UK - she has been awarded prizes in exhibitions in Australia.

Workshop content This is a day to choose a subject that you would love to paint and take pleasure in doing so, supported by advice and guidance of an experienced tutor.

Please come prepared with a photo and/or sketches of the subject of your choice. The simpler the subject the more you can focus on painting.



The process presented in the talk/demonstration delivered by Diane on 11 May, "A Blank Canvas", will be used to support your engagement in the enjoyment of painting. If you are unable to attend this event then the course is still suitable for you and Diane's approach to a 'blank canvas' will be explained – it covers developing a solid preparatory practice that addresses subject, composition, design, tonal interest, colour and materials which takes you from 'trepidation to confidence'.

Diane will provide useful insights and discussion with each individual throughout the day in addition to encouraging group support.

The medium for the day is acrylic paint.

Materials to bring:

- Sketchbook of cartridge paper
- 4B-6B pencil, pencil sharpener
- Charcoal and KNEADABLE soft eraser
- Range of brushes (bring what you have)
- Large jam jar for water
- Artist's palette or white plates for paint
- Clean up rags
- Clothing or cover-ups that can get paint on them
- A blank canvas prepared ready for painting
- Photo/sketches of your chosen subject
- Acrylic paints. Plenty of white and a selection of colours.

The following is a suggested list: Cadmium Yellow, Lemon yellow, Cadmium Red, Viridian/Pthalo Green, Ultramarine Blue, Cerulean Blue, Magenta, Burnt Umber, Burnt Sienna, Titanium White.

The venue has a small supply of table and floor easels. If you have your own easel please consider bringing it with you.

Refreshments: Tea and coffee are provided. Please feel free to bring your own refreshments if you have a particular requirement . Lunch is not provided, so please bring a packed lunch or visit one of the many shops, cafes, restaurants and pubs near the venue.

Parking: The Digby Hall has a public car park. Discounted tickets are available from the machine in the Digby Hall foyer.

Celebrating the Arts - Saturday 22 June 2019. All course participants, along with the general public, are invited to join us and be part of celebrating a year of creativity through ArtsLink activities.

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