



## Chairman's letter

This letter is my first as NNAC chairman and probably comes as much of a surprise to me as it will to many of you who will have been looking forward to one of our artists, Ken Hurst, whose work is regularly seen and admired, becoming chairman for the coming year. However due to sudden previously undiagnosed serious illness Ken is not able to take up that position. We send our very best wishes to Ken and his family at this difficult time.

We have had the benefit of superb leadership from Hazel Pidsley for the last three years and with the support of our splendid council members I will try and keep everything running just as smoothly.

Many of you have applied for submission forms for this weekend's selection day in preparation for our Forum exhibition in May. I look forward to seeing everyone on both of these occasions. Please do come and say hello, it is always a pleasure to meet members both old and new.

**204th NNAC  
Exhibition  
at The Forum,  
Norwich  
12th –19th May  
2023**

**Opens at noon on  
the 12th May  
Then daily from  
9a.m. –5p.m.  
Until  
Friday 19th May.**

**Invitations to the  
Private View on  
Friday 12th May  
from 6-8p.m. will be  
sent electronically.  
All welcome to view  
with a drink and  
live music to  
enhance the  
occasion.**

## NNAC Council

The AGM was held on 25th March 2023 and the following people were elected by members.

Sue Willmer  
Interim Chairman

New Council members  
Ally Mariner  
Rosalie Osborne-Gibb  
Geoff Kitchen

Hon Secretary  
Hazel Pidsley

Hon Treasurer  
Issy Coe

Hon Webmaster  
Ruth Mann

Hon Membership  
Secretary  
Sue Willmer

Council members who  
continue their terms of  
office

Richard Motley  
Shirley Easton  
Chris Drane  
Michelle Watson  
Ken Hurst  
Paul Zawadzki  
Sara Edwards

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## 205th NNAC exhibition

**To be held at South  
Creake Pavilion  
25th August -  
1st September 2023**

**Selection day for  
this exhibition will  
be on  
Saturday  
15th July 2023  
At  
The Willow Centre,  
Cringleford.**

**Details will be sent  
nearer the time.  
Transport of  
selected artworks  
will be arranged .**

## LIFE DRAWING-GROUP

United Reformed Church  
Hall, 40-42 Ipswich Road,  
Norwich NR4 6QR

Model sessions from 10 am  
to 12.45. Set up from  
9.30 am.

The fee for NNAC  
members is £10 and £15  
for guests.

Please bring your own  
materials.

### Next session

**10th May 2023**

Future sessions:  
14th June 2023  
No sessions in July and  
August.

**To avoid disappointment  
it is essential that  
places are booked  
in advance by e-mail**

Contact:  
**Sara Edwards**  
**sara@gullmeadow.co.uk**

**Or text**

**07518 352250**

## SOCIAL GATHERINGS

**The White Horse,  
The Street, Trowse Newton,  
Norwich, NR14 8ST.**

Next meeting  
**Tuesday 9th May 2023**  
Theme  
**'United'**

Arrive from **6.30pm** for **7pm**  
start **The pub will close at  
10pm**

Room cost of £30 per night to  
be shared by participants.  
Food and drinks available  
from the bar.  
Contact Clive  
01508 499358

## DEMONSTRATIONS

FREE FOR MEMBERS.

£5 NON MEMBERS

**29th April 2023**

**Issy Coe**

**Cloudscapes**

**Pastels**

**2.30—5p.m.**

**The Willow Centre,**

**Cringleford. NR4 7JJ**

## EXHIBITION OF INTEREST

New Norfolk Art Group 'Eight  
by Eight' Launches Exhibition  
in Holt  
'EIGHT by EIGHT'

Eight high profile Norfolk artists are  
staging a group exhibition this  
Easter in Holt. The exhibition goes  
under the title 'Eight by Eight' fea-  
turing eight paintings each from  
eight artists.

The participating artists are David  
'Mouse' Cooper, Rachel Thomas  
and six members of the Institute of  
East Anglian Artists: Nicholas Elliott  
IEA, Rosemary Carruthers IEA, Les  
Williams IEA, Pauline Sexton IEA,  
Chris Giles IEAP, and Bob Brandt  
FIEA.

All the artists have very different  
styles of painting, but have one  
thing in common: huge talent, and  
an ability to convey emotion with  
paint.

The show will feature equine paint-  
ings, floral, landscapes, cityscapes  
marine and abstract work – which  
makes for a fascinating mix of su-  
perb artwork.

The exhibition is open 7th-16th  
April, 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.  
at the  
Anwen and John Hurt Exhibition  
Space,  
The Community Centre, Holt, N25  
6DN

For more details contact Nicholas  
Elliott 07914 778836

## Dates for your diaries

Saturday 27th May 2023 Will Teather Oils and acrylics

Saturday 24th June 2023 Carole Massey Flamenco in oils

Saturday 23rd September 2023 Ian McManus Watercolour

### Workshops

Saturday 1st July 2023 Vandy Massey Experimental watercolours 10a.m. –4p.m

Saturday 7th October 2023 Carole Massey Ballet Dancers Acrylic/multi media 10a.m –4p.m.

### Selection Day

Saturday 15th July 2023 Selection of member's artworks for South Creake exhibition



