

Birmingham

Exhibitions



Events

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Birmingham Printmakers is an open with facilities for a range of different printmaking techniques.

Welcome to the Winter **Birmingham Art Map. The Art** Map is designed to make it easy to discover, explore and enjoy the great art, ideas, culture and creativity made by Birmingham for Birmingham. All exhibitions and events listed are FREE unless otherwise stated.

The printed Art Map only lists some of the exhibitions and events programmed by the city's art galleries, artist-led projects, studio groups and independent curators – for more information visit www.birminghamartmap.org Designed as a simple, central digital information point the website is easy to use on your phone and offers quick links to all the listed organisations' websites making accessing up to date programme information even easier.

ABOUT TOWN [*] Southside, various locations com/AboutTown

Hippodrome Plus, in partnership with Ikon, presents an exhibition of international video art all within a five minute walk of Birmingham Hippodrome

ART BUS [*]

ArtBus offers a chance to visit five of Birmingham's leading galleries – the Barber Institute, Eastside Projects, Ikon Gallery, mac Birmingham and the RBSA Gallery - on one evening for free.

ARTICLE [1]

School of Art Mon-Thurs 10am-6pm Friday 10am-5pm Closed weekends articlegallery.co.uk

ARTicle is a public gallery and project space, sited within The School of Art, Margaret Street, B3 3BX Birmingham City University. ARTicle's focus is to critically engage with current curatorial debates and practices within wider art production.

OF FINE ARTS [2]

Edgbaston, B15 2TS Mon-Fri 10am-5pm, Sat & Sun 11am-5pm barber.org.uk

THE BARBER INSTITUTE Major works by artists including Monet, Magritte, Botticelli, Van Dyck and Turner hang in the galleries at the University fantastic temporary exhibitions. And it's all

AND ART GALLERY [3] Chamberlain Square B3 3DH Mon-Thu 10am-5pm,

Sat & Sun 10am-5pm

BIRMINGHAM MUSEUM Discover over seven centuries of art and objects including the world's largest public Pre-Raphaelite collection and the spectacular Anglo-Saxon Staffordshire Fri 10.30am-5pm,

BIRMINGHAM PRINTMAKERS [4] 90 Floodgate Street Digbeth, B5 5SR Visit by appointment,

access print studio, a nonprofit making organisation run by artists and printmakers THE BOND CAFÉ GALLERY [5]

The Bond, Digbeth, B5 5SE Mon-Fri 8.30am-5pm Please see website for preview dates ondcafegallery blogspot.com

The Bond Café Gallery is a venue that supports contemporary emerging and established artists. Offering an exciting 180–182 Fazeley Street programme of art exhibitions alongside excellent food and refreshments in a relaxed setting.

Various locations

DIGBETH FIRST FRIDAY [*] Time to try something new as Digbeth comes alive on the first Friday of each month with late openings, special events in digbethfirstfriday.com galleries, culture in unexpected spaces, live music, street food and more.

144 Potters Lane Aston, B6 4UU 10am-6pm Opening times vary, see website for details the-drum.org.uk

THE DRUM ARTS CENTRE The Drum is the UK's premier intercultural Arts Centre; we facilitate the development, presentation and celebration of creative, performing, visual, participative and digital arts for the benefit of all communities.

86 Heath Mill Lane Digbeth, B9 4AR Wed-Sat 12-5pm

EASTSIDE PROJECTS [7] Eastside Projects makes art public from a free gallery that is being imagined and organized by artists. Our ambitious exhibition programme is accompanied by eastsideprojects.org regular events, talks and performances.

EYE CANDY [8] Boxxed, 104-108 Floodgate Street Digbeth, B5 5SR Opening times vary, see website for details evecandyfestival.co.uk

Eye Candy is an annual celebration of artists, illustrators and photographers. The event celebrates the best of visual pop culture with one-off installations. street art, workshops, talks and

GLUG BIRMINGHAM [9] Boxxed, 104-108 Floodgate Street Digbeth, B5 5SR Opening times vary, see website for details glugevents.com

Glug is a series of events for the design and creative community. Based around a series of talks and informal networking, Glug is one of the most exciting, engaging and credible events around.

GRAND UNION [10] 19 Minerva Works 158 Fazeley Street Digbeth, B5 5RS Thurs-Sat 12-5pm during exhibitions grand-union.org.uk

Grand Union is a gallery and studios that supports the development of artists and curators through provision of high quality studios and an experimental programme of free exhibitions and events.

12 Minerva Works 158 Fazeley Street Digbeth, B5 5RT Mon-Fri 9am-5.30pm

HARRIS MOORE FINE ART Harris Moore supplies art materials, made-SUPPLIES & FRAMING [11] to-measure canvases and picture framing. Our shop in Digbeth also houses a small gallery hosting exhibitions by local artists.

HOME FOR WAIFS AND STRAYS [*] Location and opening

www.hfwas.co.uk

Sat 9.30am-5pm

harrismoore.co.uk

Live art collective using different spaces in the city to show emerging artists from Birmingham and beyond. times vary, see website for details

IKON GALLERY [12] 1 Oozells Square Brindleyplace, B1 2HS Tues-Sun 11am-6pm and bank holidays

Ikon is an internationally acclaimed contemporary art gallery, celebrating its 50th year in 2014. Visitors can enjoy free exhibitions plus talks, tours and workshops or browse Ikon's independent bookshop.

IKON AT FLETCHERS WALK [13] Fletchers Walk, B3 3HJ

Mon-Sat 7am-11pm

ikon-gallery.org

ikon-gallery.org

Ikon shows silent film works by British and international artists in a disused shop unit in central Birmingham.

68a Lombard Street

Digbeth, B12 0QR

thelombardmethod.org

THE LOMBARD METHOD The Lombard Method is an artist-led studio and project space that supports the development of artists through an exciting and challenging programme of residencies, exhibitions and events. Opening times vary, see website for details

LONGBRIDGE PUBLIC ART The Longbridge Public Art Project, **PROJECT BY WERK** [*] conceived by WERK (formerly EC Arts) on behalf of Bournville College, is a largetimes vary, see website scale public art engagement project that aims to support St Modwen's regeneration of Longbridge.

mac birmingham [15] Cannon Hill Park B12 9QH 9am-late

macbirmingham.co.uk

LPAP.co.uk

mac birmingham is a contemporary arts centre, which provides arts for all, including free exhibitions year round and a wide range of creative workshops, courses, events and performances.

NEWMAN BROTHERS AT Newman Brothers is a heritage attraction 13-15 Fleet Street

Opening times vary,

coffinworks.org

THE COFFIN WORKS [16] where visitors step back in time on a unique factory tour, with a temporary Jewellery Quarter, B3 1JP exhibitions programme inspired by the Newman collection and grade II* listed see website for details

ORT GALLERY [17] 500-504 Moseley Rd, Balsall Heath, B12 9AH Thurs-Sat 12am-5pm ortgallery.co.uk

Ort Gallery is an artist-run gallery space in Balsall Heath, an underprivileged neighbourhood in Birmingham. Ort Gallery's aim is to showcase artwork from artists in a state of emergence.

PARKSIDE GALLERY, **BIRMINGHAM CITY** UNIVERSITY [18]

City Centre Campus, The Parkside Building Cardigan Street, B4 7BD Opening times vary, see website for details bcu.ac.uk

Parkside Gallery hosts a range of exhibitions throughout the year within the wider context of the University.

PEA / CENTRALA [19] Unit 4, Minerva Works, 158 Fazeley Street, Digbeth, B5 5RS Opening times vary see website for details polishexpats.org.uk

centrala-space.org.uk

PEA has a strong focus on visual art featuring artists from Central and Eastern Europe as well as artists interested in the region, its specificity, culture, history and socio-political situation.

RBSA GALLERY [20] 4 Brook Street, B3 1SA Mon-Fri 10.30am-5.30pm Sat 10.30am-5pm

Sun 1-5pm www.rbsa.org.uk

Artists (RBSA) is an artist-led charity which supports artists and promotes engagement with the visual arts through a range of exhibitions, workshops and demonstrations.

The Royal Birmingham Society of

ROPE PRESS [21] 108 Jubilee Centre 130 Pershore Street Digbeth, B5 6ND Opening times vary. See website for details

ropepress.org.uk

Rope Press is a not-for-profit, artist-led, risograph printing press and publishing house. We provide printing services and workshops and distribute and produce artists zines, books and prints.

SPECTRUM FINE ART & **GRAPHICS MATERIALS**

B4 6RG Mon-Sat 9am-5.30pm spectrumfinearts.co.uk

Supplier of materials and equipment for fine art, graphics, design and model making. Central location. 10% student 175 Corporation Street discount available. See map description for exclusive Birmingham Art Map offer.

STRYX [23] Unit 13, Minerva Works Digbeth, B5 5RS Opening times vary,

Stryx is an artist-led studio, project and exhibition space formed by Fine Art graduates in 2012 who work together to foster a diverse range of events, exhibitions see website for details and projects.

VIVID PROJECTS [24] 16 Minerva Works 158 Fazeley Street, Digbeth, B5 5RS Opening times vary, see website for details

vividprojects.org.uk

Vivid Projects is a collaborative agency and project space exploring converging media practice from moving image to performance.

THE WIG [25]

blogspot.co.uk

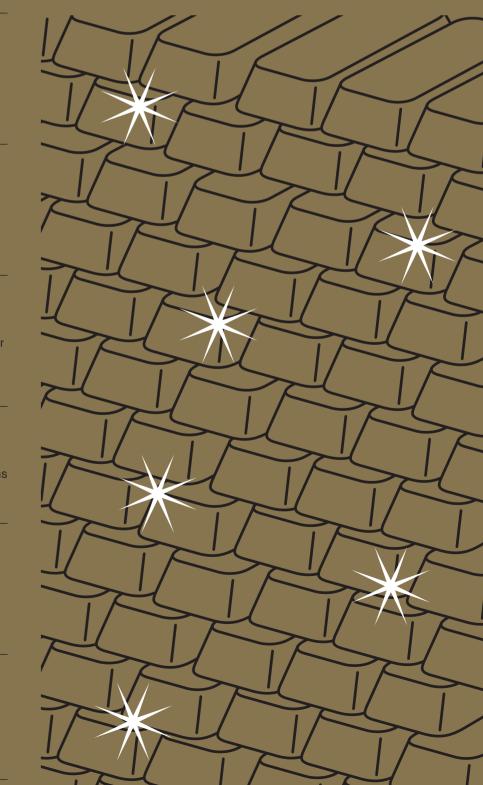
A fluid space for experimental practice, 55 Great Tindal Street artistic diversity and singular events with regular residencies and gatherings. Ladywood, B16 8DR Combined studios, project and exhibition Opening times vary, see website for details thewigbirmingham

The next Art Map will list exhibitions and events from 1st February - 31st April. The submission deadline is 3rd January. A listing costs between £30 and £50 depending on the size of your organization, project or group and whether you are profitmaking or not. We only accept visual arts listings, but define this broadly. If you are interested drop us a line at mail@birminghamartmap.org to find out more.

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ARTS COUNCIL





Walking times *

RBSA Gallery → The Lombard Method, 30 mins Vivid Projects → Ikon Gallery, 34 mins y → Eastside Projects, 25 mins Eastside Projects → Eye Candy, 4 mins

Numbers

per cent of jewellery made in the UK is made in the Jewellery Quarter

15,500

pounds to commission and erect the 'Golden Boys' statue of Matthew Boulton, James Watt and William Murdoch at the bottom of Broad Street in 1939.

12,000,000

items hallmarked each year in Birmingham's Assay Office, the largest assay office in the world.

[*] = Roaming/various venues

ABOUT TOWN [*] Southside, various locations

com/AboutTown

About Town 13/11-16/11, 4-10pm Hippodrome Plus, in partnership with Ikon, presents a free exhibition of international video birminghamhippodrome. art in Southside, showcasing a wide variety of free night-screenings, in unusual urban spaces. New commissions inspired by their location, alongside films from Ikon's recent programme, explore everyday city life.

ARTBUS [*] See participating gallery

websites for details

ArtBus 03/12, 5-9pm Hop on and off the bus and enjoy an evening of after hours access to the Barber Institute of Fine Arts, Eastside Projects, Ikon Gallery, mac birmingham, and the RBSA Gallery. With free tours ArtBus offers a great opportunity to discover new venues and explore old favourites.

Download a timetable from participating gallery websites.

ARTICLE [1] School of Art

Margaret Street, B3 3BX Mon-Thurs 10am-6pm Fri 10am-5pm articlegallery.co.uk

TURTLE Salon 11/11-16/12 Daniel Pryde-Jarman and Jonathan Gilhooly in collaboration with Michael H. Shamberg. An exhibition of works by invited artists. collective representation (the smile and chat policy) 21/01-18/02 Curator Sonya Russell-Saunders and Choreographer/Director Martin Prosser present a

combined theatricised environment.

THE BARBER INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS [2]

The University of Birmingham Edgbaston, B15 2TS Mon-Fri 10am-5pm Sat & Sun 11am-5pm barber.org.uk

CRW Nevinson, Britain's leading first world war artist. Faith & Fortune 31/10-5/02 Religion and empire in Byzantine & Early Islamic coins. 'Degenerate' Art 24/10-11/01 German Expressionist prints display The Naked & the Nude to 18/01 Drawings & prints display.

Dramatic and haunting paintings, prints & drawings by

Rebel Visions 24/10-25/01

BIRMINGHAM MUSEUM AND ART GALLERY [3]

Chamberlain Square, B3 3DH Mon-Thu 10am-5pm, Fri 10.30am-5pm, Sat & Sun 10am-5pm birminghammuseums.org.

Staffordshire Hoard Gallery Opens 17/10 New gallery exploring the largest hoard of Anglo-Saxon gold ever discovered. West Midlands Open 25/10-15/02 Exhibition showcasing the best new art from

STATIC: Still Life Reconsidered Until 31/12 Exhibition bringing together modern works from Birmingham's collection.

Digbeth, B5 5SR Visit by appointment, see website for details birminghamprintmakers.

BIRMINGHAM PRINTMAKERS [4] A diverse range of printmaking courses are on offer.

90 Floodgate Street Our Open Day will be in November when visitors can look around our workshop and chat to some of our printmakers. Please see our website for details, all are welcome.

The Bond, 180-182 Fazeley Street, Diabeth, B5 5SF Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Please see website for preview dates bondcafegallery blogspot.com

THE BOND CAFÉ GALLERY [5] A Modern Narrative 03/11-23/01 A two person exhibition of contemporary painting and drawing by Kay Bainbridge and Genevieve Belgard.

DIGBETH FIRST FRIDAY [*]

Digbeth First Friday 07/11, 05/12, 6pm-late Spend an evening exploring extraordinary culture, digbethfirstfriday.com art, food and music across Digbeth. Grab a Disloyalty Card from participating venues and collect stamps to trade for treats. What's on and where will change each time so check our website for details.

THE DRUM ARTS CENTRE [6] 144 Potters Lane, Aston B6 4UU 10am-6pm Opening times vary, see website for details

the-drum.org.uk

West Indies To West Midlands - Photographs by Inés Elsa Dalal 11/11-08/01. Launch event 11/11, 6pm. As part of the First World War centenary a photographic exhibition commissioned by the 'Why Are West Indians' project, an ambitious four year project creating a contemporary archive documenting the contribution of West Indian service personal.

EASTSIDE PROJECTS [7] 86 Heath Mill Lane, Digbeth, B9 4AR Wed-Sat 12-5pm

eastsideprojects.org

Broken Ensemble: War Damaged Musical Instruments (brass section) to 06/12 Solo exhibition by Susan Philipsz. Old Hill Uprising to 06/12 Exhibition of paintings by Rafal Zar. Birmingham Show 31/01-11/04 Group exhibition. Public preview 30/01, 6-8pm. Jerwood Encounters 3-Phase 31/01-11/04 Two exhibitions by emerging artists.

See website for full programme details.

EYE CANDY [8] Boxxed, 104-108 Floodgate Street, Digbeth, B5 5SR Opening times vary, see website for details

Eye Candy 13/11-15/11 Daisy de Villeneuve, Fafi, Felt Mistress, Anna Garforth, Miss LED, Brothers of the Stripe, Girls Who Draw, and more join Eye Candy for three days of commissioned art works, illustration and eyecandyfestival.co.uk photography alongside a selection of immersive and engaging workshops, talks and interventions.

GLUG BIRMINGHAM [9] Boxxed, 104-108 Floodgate Street, Digbeth, B5 5SR Opening times vary, see website for details glugevents.com

Glug Birmingham: Midland Masters 20/11 6.30pm-1am. Tickets: £7.50 in advance, via Inkygoodness & Created in Birmingham present a series of talks by graphic artists, illustrators and design studios celebrating the creative talent of the Midlands and beyond. Speakers include Florence

Blanchard, Brothers of the Stripe and Ben Javens

GRAND UNION [10] 19 Minerva Works, 158 Fazeley Street, Digbeth, B5 5RS Thurs-Sat 12-5pm during exhibitions grand-union.org.uk

Marcia Farquhar's Larger than Life 06/09-07/11

Day of the Dead doll making workshop 01/11, 12-3pm Family friendly, booking essential. Free. Larger than Life closing performance and bonfire 07/11, 7pm-late, in association with Edible

See website for Dec/Jan programme.

HARRIS MOORE FINE ART SUPPLIES & FRAMING [11] 12 Minerva Works, 158 Fazeley Street, Digbeth, B5 5RT Mon-Fri 9am-5.30pm

Professional art supplies; art canvases and stretcher pieces made to size; picture framing for all types of artwork; paper, card, boards and mounts cut to size; canvas print and artwork stretching. All alongside a gallery showing works by local artists.

Visit our website or find us on facebook/ HarrisMooreFineArts

See website for programme details.

HOME FOR WAIFS AND STRAYS [*] Location and opening times

harrismoore.co.uk

Sat 9.30am-5pm

vary, see website for details hfwas.co.uk

IKON GALLERY [12]

1 Oozells Square Brindleyplace, B1 2HS Tues-Sun, 11am-6pm and bank holidays ikon-gallery.org

Imran Qureshi Deutsche Bank's 'Artist of the Year' 19/11-25/01

Solo exhibition by Pakistani artist including miniature paintings and site-specific installations Julian Opie - Ikon Icon: 2000s 19/11-25/01 High-rise building sculptures shown in Ikon's Tower Room.

Fletchers Walk, B3 3HJ Mon-Sat, 7am-7pm ikon-gallery.org

IKON AT FLETCHERS WALK [13] Shi Yong: Silent Film 19/11-21/12 This short film by Shi Yong is as melancholy as it is beautiful. A young American man and a Chinese girl pass the time in each other's company on a local street. Its silence embodies the fact that they do not share a language.

68a Lombard Street Digbeth, B12 OQR Opening times vary,

thelombardmethod.org

see website for details

THE LOMBARD METHOD [14] See website for programme details.

LONGBRIDGE PUBLIC ART PROJECT BY WERK [*] Locations and opening times

vary, see website for details.

LPAP.co.uk

See website for programme details.

mac birmingham [15] Cannon Hill Park, B12 9QH 9am-late macbirmingham.co.uk

Qasim Riza Shaheen: The last known pose to 30/11 Explores identity and relationships through mixed

Jon Tonks: Empire 18/10-04/01 A fascinating photographic journey across four remote South Atlantic islands from this Birmingham

born photographer. Made at mac: Jewellery to 04/01 Jewellery exhibition from mac students.

NEWMAN BROTHERS AT THE COFFIN WORKS [16] 13-15 Fleet Street Jewellery Quarter, B3 1JP Opening times vary, see website for details coffinworks.org

Andy Garbi: Shadows & Dust 28/10-30/01 Using music, photography and video the artist explores 'spirit of place' through audiovisual works that contain within them the 'DNA' of the Newman Bros. factory before changes occurred through its renovation.

Exhibition included in admission price for factory tour. Free access to exhibition Tues and Thurs only.

ORT GALLERY [17] 500-504 Moseley Rd Balsall Heath, B12 9AH Thurs-Sat 12am-5pm ortgallery.co.uk

Hidden Waters 12/11-20/12 An exhibition by Bob Levene about water, sewage

PARKSIDE GALLERY. **BIRMINGHAM CITY** UNIVERSITY [18] City Centre Campus The Parkside Building Cardigan Street, B4 7BD Opening times vary, see website for details bcu.ac.uk

This exhibition explores the history of the polypropylene chair launched in 1963 by Robin Day and Hille furniture London A Space Between Utopia and the Place We Know 19/01-27/02 Richard Schofield's photographic essay interprets

Day + Hille: Pioneers of Plastic 10/11-09/01

Behind the Curtain Eastern European Film Festival

Various events including films screenings, talks,

the brutalist Italian public park Parco Bissuola in Mestre, Venice.

01/11-29/11

PEA / CENTRALA [19] Unit 4, Minerva Works 158 Fazeley Street Digbeth, B5 5RS Opening times vary, see website for details polishexpats.org.uk centrala-space.org.uk

Now and Then 01/11-29/11 An exhibition as part of 'Behind the Curtain Film Festival' featuring three generations of video art.

See website for programme details.

concerts, performances and exhibitions

RBSA GALLERY [20] 4 Brook Street, B3 1SA Mon-Fri 10.30am-5.30pm Sat 10.30am-5pm

Sun 1-5pm

rbsa.org.uk

A Place for Art: The Story of the Royal Birmingham Society of Artists 08/10-15/11

Last chance to see our exhibition celebrating 200 years of the RBSA. Birmingham and Beyond 19/11-24/12 Current work by RBSA Members and Associates is shown alongside work by Presidents from UK Royal art societies.

StART 30/12-07/02 Original works of art priced at £200 or less.

ROPE PRESS [21] 108 Jubilee Centre 130 Pershore street Digbeth, B5 6ND Opening times vary, see website for details ropepress.org.uk

Rope Press Launch 14/11, 6-9pm We are celebrating our move with an exciting launch event. You are invited to our print studio and new shop where we will be launching artists zines, books and prints. 10% off every first Friday. Weekly Workshops from 12/11 Workshops in zine, poster and book making

See website for details.

SPECTRUM FINE ART & GRAPHICS MATERIALS [22] 175 Corporation Street B4 6RG Mon-Sat 9am-5.30pm

Exclusive Birmingham Art Map Offer 10% off RRP on PROARTE Brush ranges (loose stock). 10% off RRP on CONTE A PARIS & DERWENT brand pencils (loose stock). Quote "Artmapoffer3" to receive discount. Valid 01/11/14-31/01/15. spectrumfinearts.co.uk T&C's apply. Not available in conjunction with

STRYX [23] Unit 13, Minerva Works Digbeth, B5 5RS Echo 07/11-05/12 Opening times vary, see website for details stryx.co.uk

Beorma closing event/Stryx 2nd Birthday 01/11 starts at 6pm

Exhibition of paintings made by artists from London accompanied by sound and music made by artists in Echo Artist Talks 05/12 6-9pm

VIVID PROJECTS [24] 16 Minerva Works 158 Fazeley Street Digbeth, B5 5RS Opening times vary, see website for details vividprojects.org.uk

A Record of Undying 03/10-15/11 Exhibition by George Saxon & D. John Briscoe (1949–2013) exploring the last taboo: dying & death. Bike Unitd 07/11-30/11 Sign up for practical workshops celebrating the creative possibilities of pedal power. Digbeth First Friday 07/11 Late opening and 'Bike, Camera, Action' in Unit 2. See website for programme details.

THE WIG [25] 55 Great Tindal Street Ladywood, B16 8DR Opening times vary, see website for details thewigbirmingham. blogspot.co.uk

Deep in the Wild Woods Where the Witches Live 08/11-14/11 Solo exhibition by Marit Cooper. Rebecca Cooper 21/11 Installation Event. The Wig Christmas Social 19/12, 7-10pm Festive Art Frolics.

Clamp Handed Lizard 01/01-31/01 (Dates TBC). Residency by Alex Billingham.

Critical Mass 06/11, 11/12, 08/01, 7–9pm Monthly All-Comers-No-Holds-Barred debate.