



August 2026 Newsletter

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FORTHCOMING CLUB EVENTS

FRIDAY 7th August -

Indoor painting day at Walton Church. 9.30 am to 1.30 pm. A great opportunity to get together with other members and have a good few hours of painting and socialising.

Also on FRIDAY 14th -

An additional club night (we usually have a clear August but by popular choice it was decided to have two extra sessions through this month)

FRIDAY 28th August -

Again another additional club night—feel free to do your own thing!

Untutored Life Drawing.

Classes are held at Straight Curves on Saltergate on one Sunday a month. For more details see www.straight-curves.co.uk. (£27.50 per session). With a maximum of five artists it is a very productive session.

The indoor painting day at Walton church for September will be held on the 4th.

Come along and support this club arrangement as it encourages others to enjoy that extra bit of 'art' time.

On July 10th we welcomed renowned artist Carl Longmate who came to give us a demonstration in oils. He was very chatty and entertaining and spoke of his many experiences as an artist. The members had a very enjoyable evening.



Another treat to look forward to in August—an outdoor painting session. On Friday 14th it has been arranged to hold an en plein air meeting very near to the church hall where we meet. Nett has kindly arranged this with a friend for us to use their garden. We will meet at the church hall at the usual time of 7.30 pm and walk over to the site. Bring a chair or blanket or cushion to sit on and enjoy!

Please remember the Ashgate Hospice HeART event on Friday 7th August (6.30pm to 9pm) Saturday 8th August (10.30 am to 5.30 pm) and Sunday 9th August (10.30 am to 5.30 pm). Lynda Brown will be there with her work for all 3 days and Julie Nixon will be there with her work on the Sunday. Please come along if you can and come and say hello. It will be an amazing event with lots and lots going on!