ALL RISE

A Fundraising Exhibition by ACEarts.

ACEarts are holding a very special exhibition our gallery from Tuesday 13 to Saturday 17 September 2022, with an opening event to be held on Monday 12 September from 6 – 8pm.

ACEarts is a small charity that provides art and creative activity to inspire, empower and enable people to develop and grow. We engage with all ages and abilities, schools and community groups whilst continuing to be passionate about showcasing work by local artists.

Achievements in the first six months of 2022 include:

* Welcomed over 10,500 visitors to our shop and gallery
* Exhibited works by 126 artists in our main gallery space
* Showcased over 100 local makers’ work
* Supported 16 emerging artists
* Provided educational talks for 120 members of the community
* Held 90 creative activity sessions in the gallery space
* Provided 100 opportunities for family friendly learning
* Hosted 90 school children in the gallery
* Programmed 170 creative activity sessions outside of the gallery

And we have plans in place to add even more amazing art based activities.

However, like many other small charities. We have been hit first by the pandemic and latterly the cost of living crisis, forcing the charity to deplete its small reserve. We now need to raise funds to continue our work, therefore the trustees have decided to hold a fundraising event in the form of an exhibition entitled ALL RISE at the gallery with the work exhibited kindly donated by many of ACEarts supporting artists.

Everyone is welcome to come and support us, help us celebrate our achievements to date and enable us to continue our good work. All purchases and donations will help us and will be greatly appreciated.

ACEarts has been, and strives to continue to be, a positive force within the community and for the promotion of local artists. Let’s keep it going.

Art Care Education (known as ACEarts) is an arts and education charity based in The Old Town Hall, Market Place, Somerton, TA11 7NB

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