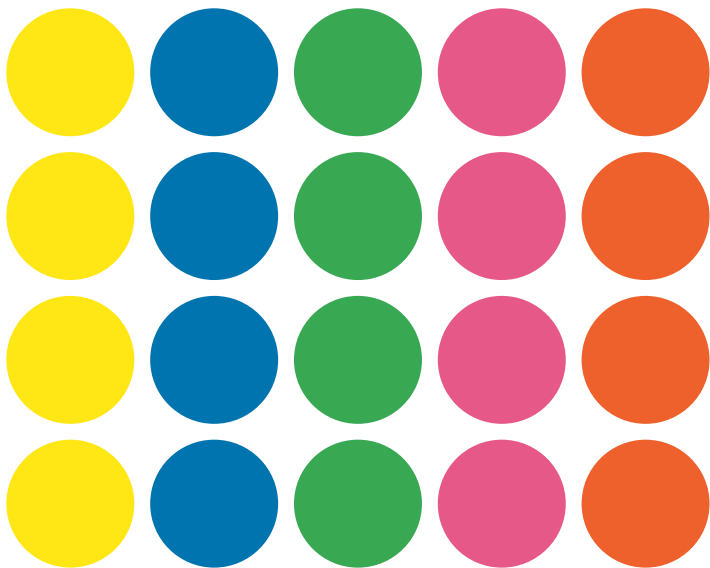


January—March 2010
Brighton & Hove

ADULT LEARNING FESTIVAL



CATEGORY KEY

SCIENCE, NATURE & HISTORY



ARTS, CULTURE & HUMANITIES



DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY



SPORTS, HEALTH & GAMES



PLOT TO PLATE



THE GARDEN FILMS

The Garden Films will gather footage of the Learning Festival from you. Record your activity on mobile phones, video cameras or draw sketches — record the event in anyway you like, then upload it to The Allotment at www.thegardenfilms.com We'll make a montage of all the footage which will then be uploaded to the B&H Learning Partnership 'Learn Stuff' website. We want your learning festival footage!

1 – Collect it!

2 – Upload it! Go to The Allotment at www.thegardenfilms.com

3 – Watch the fully grown collaboration on the Learning Festival / Learn Stuff Website in March www.bhlp.org.uk

THE ADULT LEARNING GROUP

The Adult Learning Group's aim is to ensure that we live in a city in which everyone has opportunities to learn and the support to do so.

It believes that adult learning in Brighton & Hove will strengthen communities, develop individuals, support families and enhance options for work and volunteering.

INTRODUCTION

The Brighton & Hove Adult Learning Festival offers you a chance to learn in new and unusual ways. Our aim is to promote and celebrate learning activities across Brighton & Hove which reflect the dynamic city in which we live.

This brochure describes activities funded for events January to March 2010. Why not learn the art of parkour or how to plant a seed bomb? Perhaps you are interested in learning about the history of Brighton & Hove through photography or archaeology? Whatever your interests, we hope you will find events which suit you.

Look out for our 'Spring Forward' programme which will celebrate informal learning on the 20th & 21st of March to coincide with Sports Relief on the 21st March 2010.

To find out more about the Adult Learning Festival email julie.watson@brighton-hove.gov.uk, and upload your learning event or experiences to The Allotment website at: www.thegardenfilms.com

Happy learning!

Julie Watson
B&H Adult Learning Festival Project Manager
on behalf of The B&H Adult Learning Group

SPORTS LEADERSHIP AWARD

The award teaches leadership skills through the medium of sport and enables successful candidates to assist with the delivery of sport and recreational activities. The course is aimed at parents of primary age children and delivered through 10 weekly family activity sessions.

DATES Fridays 15th January—26th March 3.30pm—4.40pm

LOCATION Carlton Hill School, Sussex Street, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 9HS

COST Free

CONTACT Rhiannon on 01273 294762

WEATHERED

Get creative and have fun with experimental art activities in a natural environment - this will involve short walks into nearby woods. Activities will include creating mobiles and hangings; safely lighting a fire; creating images on the ground; photographing the effects of rain or creating images in snow.

DATES Saturdays 30th January—6th March 2010 11am—2pm

LOCATION Craven Vale Community Centre, Hadlow Close, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 0FH

COST Initial one-off membership fee of £15 (£9: benefits or unwaged) plus £1 per session

CONTACT Rhona on 01273 672598 or rhonahuahua@fsmail.net

PHOTOGRAPHY TASTER SESSIONS ●

The sessions will be split into four parts: Interfaith Visual Storytelling, Photo-etching Jewellery Making, What Is Beauty? and a live fashion shoot at a central Brighton location.

DATES January—February

LOCATION Blank Studios and Gallery, 108 North Street, Portslade, Brighton, East Sussex, BN41 1DG

CONTACT Nina on ninaalexibrazzo@yahoo.com

WEBSITES www.airimages.org or www.blankstudios.org

POSITIVE COMEDY SKILL SWAP ●

Improve your reading, writing and numbers or just enjoy being funny – through comedy! It's a skill-swap course, and offers the chance for everyone to improve literacy and numeracy skills, gain confidence in speaking, use humour and being funny and share your skills with others. Booking required.

DATES February 1st, 8th, 22nd & March 1st 2010 6.30—8.30pm & showcase on Saturday March 20th 11am—1pm

LOCATION Friends Centre, Tarner Children's centre, Ivory Place, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 NQE

COST Free

CONTACT Gerry on 01273 463611

WEBSITE www.positivecomedy.co.uk

INTRODUCTION TO FILM MAKING FOR ALL AGES ●

A project engaging with people who might not have access to learning opportunities. We will explore people's experiences of learning — good and bad — and create a dvd which can be used as a tool for others.

DATES Saturday 6th February 2010 (for 5 Saturdays)

LOCATION Crew Club, 26 Coolham Drive, Brighton BN2 5QW

CONTACT Neil on 01273 608607 or crew_club@yahoo.co.uk

WEBSITE www.crewclub.co.uk

DOES THE TARDIS HAVE A CARBON FOOTPRINT? ●

Family workshops discovering the fun of writing poetry. Taking inspiration from the book written by two KS2 Brighton school children 'Does The Tardis Have a Carbon Footprint,' We'll celebrate activities with a reading on Brighton Bandstand During Spring Forward. Booking essential.

DATES, TIMES & LOCATIONS 11am—12.30pm Portslade Library 6th February, 11am—12.30pm Patcham Library 13th February, 11am—12.30pm Moulsecoomb Library 27th February

CONTACT Portslade 01273 296914 Patcham 01273 296912

Moulsecoomb 01273 296910

FORAGING & WILD CRAFTS

Wild food, ancient plant use and woodland crafts, open to all. Participants will learn how to forage for local wild foods, fire lighting with natural tinders, campfire cooking and hands on crafts with natural materials.

DATES Saturday 6th February 11am—3pm, other dates to be confirmed.

LOCATION Bridge Community Education Centre, Lucraft Road, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 4PN

CONTACT Bridge Community Centre on 01273 294929

ADULT INFORMAL RECORDING

An opportunity to make a good quality sound recording in an informal 'semi-live' setting. Solos or duos welcome but anything is possible, including finding accompaniment for you. Preference given to people who have never recorded before with original material but anything will be considered.

DATES Saturday 6th, Sunday 7th & Sunday 14th February 2010
Sessions between 10am—5pm

LOCATION Marlborough Theatre (Upstairs at Marlborough Pub)
4 Princes Street, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 1RD

COST Free

CONTACT Eugene on 07810 385196

PARKOUR SESSIONS

Here's your chance to learn the basic skills of parkour with Gravity Style UK. If you're 18 or over and always wanted to learn about parkour, now's your chance. These sessions will culminate in a performance at the Takepart Festival launch in Preston Park on Saturday 19th June 2010. Places are limited so you need to book.

DATES Thursday 11th & 25th February 2010 7pm—9pm

LOCATION Blatchington Mill Secondary School East Gym,
Neville Road, Hove, East Sussex, BN3 7BW

COST Free

CONTACT Emma on 01273 852304

WEBSITE www.takepartbrightonandhove.com

MOTHERS UNCOVERED

These workshop sessions for recent mothers will explore the rewards, difficulties and challenges of motherhood. There will be a creative writer, also a mother, to assist in developing the stories. The first session will be a performance of 'The Naked Truth' — a show of monologues based on interviews with mothers who attended previous projects. You can attend as many sessions as you wish. Creche available: please book.

DATES 12th, 19th & 26th February 2010,
5th & 12th March 2010 1.15pm—2.45pm

LOCATION Tarners Childrens Centre, Kiwi Room, Morley Street,
Brighton, East Sussex, BN2

CONTACT 01273 235336 or maggie@livestock.org.uk

GIANT PUZZLE TOUR

Through the puzzle we hope to engage adults in a fun and exciting activity thus improving their fitness, broadening their experiences and learning how to work as a team.

DATES & LOCATIONS 15th February—19th February Jubilee Library, 2nd March—5th March Whitehawk Library, 8th March—12th March Patcham Library, 18th March King Alfred Leisure Centre, 21st March Sports Relief on Brighton Seafront.

COST Free

CONTACT 01273 852304

WEBSITE www.takepartbrightonandhove.com

UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX STUDENTS UNION SOCIETIES FESTIVAL

A chance to try something new! Come along to a range of workshops, lessons, talks, debates and sessions facilitated by the Societies from The University of Sussex. Be Inspired! Events range from Concert & Big bands, Swing and Break dancing, a Production of West Side Story and Discussion by the Environmental Society about The Copenhagen Debate.

DATES 15th—20th February 2010

CONTACT Scott on 01273 678155 or activities@ussu.sussex.ac.uk

WEBSITE www.ussu.info/societiesfestival

PICK, COOK & LEARN

Fork and Dig it is an organic community gardening group and families are invited to spend a day on their 2 acre organic site, learning all about growing, picking and cooking organic seasonal vegetables. Advanced booking required. Cost available free to people who are in receipt of an income related benefit including recipients of Employment Support Allowance and other Pathways To Work participants.

DATES Tuesday 16th February, Sunday 28th February, Sunday 14th March (Mother's Day special) 11am—3.30pm

LOCATION Fork and Dig It, Stanmer Organics, Stanmer Park, Brighton

CONTACT 07790 697302 or sarawinnington@aol.com

PECHA KUCHA

Pecha Kucha Night is an exciting evening of 10 rapid presentations from people in the creative sector. Each presentation lasts just 6 minutes and 40 seconds, the presenters show 20 images, each one for 20 seconds. PKN takes place globally in more than 270 cities. The audience experiences an exhilarating variety of ideas and projects from a range of creative disciplines.

DATE 17th February 2010, doors 7.30pm, starts 8.20pm

LOCATION Komedia Studio Bar, 44—47 Gardner Street Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 1UN

COST £5.00 (Doors sales only)

CONTACT pknbrighton@gmail.com

WEBSITE www.pecha-kucha.org/night/brighton

MAKE DO AND MEND

Learn to recycle your old unwanted electronics into new exciting bits of interactive technology and subvert traditional art and craft techniques in extreme ways. The workshop is suitable for anyone with a taste for making things and being adventurous.

DATE 20th February 2010

LOCATION Phoenix Brighton, 10—14 Waterloo Place, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 9NB

TIME 11am—5pm

COST Free

CONTACT Anna on anna@phoenixbrighton.org

WEBSITE www.brightonscience.com

THE SCIENCE OF CARNIVAL

Brighton Science Festival & Brighton Carnival explore creative science and the arts. Open to anyone of any ability. Come and try making structures, puppets or just to try out some new ideas using exciting and varied materials.

DATES 20th & 21st February 2010 11am—4pm

LOCATION Central Brighton

COST Free

CONTACT Suzi on 07958 972827

WEBSITE www.brightonscience.com

TAKEPART FESTIVAL MEETING

Do you want to be involved in the programming of Takepart Brighton and Hove International Festival of Sport? This is the largest sports festival in the country with over 59,000 people taking part in 2009. Come along to share ideas and let us know what your club/group would like to showcase at Takepart 2010.

DATE Thursday 25th February 6.30pm—8.30pm

LOCATION Brighton & Hove Albion FC Conference Room (through Gate 21) Withdean Sports Complex, Tongdean Lane, Withdean Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 5JD

COST Free

CONTACT Emma on 01273 852304

WEBSITE www.takepartbrightonandhove.com

RECYCLED FASHION WORKSHOPS

This event will give budding fashion designers, photographers and musicians a well publicised show case for their work. Participants will learn how to create recycled collections of clothing, headdresses and accessories over a three week period. Book in advance as spaces are limited.

DATES Saturday 27th February, Saturday 6th March & Saturday 13th March 2010 1pm—4pm

LOCATION The Phoenix Community Centre, 2 Phoenix Place, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 9ND

PRODUCTION Saturday 20th March 2pm

COST Free

CONTACT Juliana on 07958 587036

SPANISH IN AN INFORMAL SETTING FOR LGBT

An evening of Spanish/Latin-English cultural exchange for people from the the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender community and their friends who'd like to improve their language skills. Meet your ideal 'inter cambio' partner for sharing skills in Spanish and English! Test your knowledge of gay culture in the UK and Spain!

DATE 28th February 2010 5pm—7.30pm

LOCATION Sea Spray, 26 New Steine, Brighton, BN2 1PD

COST Free

WEBSITE www.see-brighton.org.uk

SEED BOMB WORKSHOPS

A seed bomb is a little ball which consists of everything needed to grow a plant. The growing medium provides a good source of food and nutrients to give the seedlings a good start in life. Participants will learn about growing, get involved and make seed bombs to take home with them ready to plant later in the year. Booking is required.

DATES Various through February—March 2010

LOCATION Various across the city

COST £2.50

CONTACT 01273 431700 or www.harvest-bh.org.uk

ESOL THROUGH ART

Two workshops for ESOL learners that use artwork as a way of learning and improving English skills. The learners will work together to create artwork in a relaxed environment.

WORKSHOP ONE: DATE 2nd March 2010 10am—1.30pm

WORKSHOP ONE: LOCATION Hangleton Community Centre, Harmsworth Crescent, Hove, East Sussex, BN3 8BW

WORKSHOP TWO: DATE 3rd March 2010 10am—1.30pm

WORKSHOP TWO: LOCATION Cornerstone Community Centre, Church Road, Hove, East Sussex, BN3 2FL

COST Free

CONTACT 01273 648926

WEBSITE www.wea.org.uk

STOP-FRAME ANIMATION & DREAMS

This 2-day workshop for women only will be a fun introduction to simple stop-frame animation techniques and how they allow us to explore dreams and the realms beyond our physical environment. No previous experience required. Booking essential.

DATES Thursday 4th March & Thursday 11th March 2010

LOCATION Community Room, St James House, High Street, Kemptown, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 1RW.

TIME 10am—3pm

COST Free

CONTACT Janine 07946 427628 or Rosie 07904 073370

WORDWELL WORKSHOPS

A course of four writing workshops over consecutive weeks for individuals faced with redeployment and redundancy. No previous experience of creative writing is necessary – workshops are accessible and supportive. Open to individuals and businesses. Booking is required.

DATES Thursday 4th, Wednesday 10th, Wednesday 17th, Friday 26th March 2010

LOCATION 1st Floor, Hanover House, 118 Queens Road, Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 3XG

COST Free

CONTACT Christine on 01273 558525

SOUND MAPS OF LONDON ROAD

Through a series of workshops, 'Sound Maps of London Road' will explore London Road's social fabric, old and new, with collaborative walks, discussion, sound recordings and text. This is an outdoor event.

DATES Saturday 6th March 11am—1pm, Saturday 13th & Sunday 14th March, 10am—4pm, Showcase Saturday 20th & Sunday 21st March 2010 at Jubilee Square

LOCATION Meeting Old Co-op Department Store, London Road, Brighton, East Sussex

COST Free

CONTACT hello@londonrdsounds.co.uk

WEBSITE www.londonrdsounds.co.uk

FOREST GARDEN WILDERNESS TRAINING

Wilderness training for children (8–14 years old) and their fathers. The two day course will take place at the Forest Garden and surrounding woodlands. Participants will learn how to make camps, climb trees with harnesses, use woodland tools, learn coppicing and carving; make a fire and cook locally harvested food.

DATES Saturday 10th & Sunday 11th March 2010 11am—4pm

CONTACT Warren on 07988 837951

WEBSITE www.seedybusiness.org

GROWING YOUR OWN FOOD

'Growing your Own Food' a free talk for families with the opportunity to plant a seed or two to take home. Supported by Harvest Brighton & Hove.

DATE Saturday 13th March 2010 10.30am—12.30pm

LOCATION Portslade Library, Old Shoreham Road, Portslade, Brighton, East Sussex, BN41 1XR

CONTACT 01273 296914 to reserve a place.

SUSSEX CENTRAL YMCA OLDER PEOPLE'S OLYMPICS

Older People's Olympics event is an innovative sports and physical activity event. Taster sessions will link with regular clubs such as tai chi, archery, golf, swimming, boccia, and wii sports. If you are over 60 come and join us for the chance to compete, or try something new! A healthy lunch and tea dance is included.

DATES 18th March 2010

LOCATION King Alfred Leisure Centre, Kingsway, Hove, East Sussex, BN3 2WW

CONTACT Ryan on 01273 222550

MULTI-SENSORY DRAWING

A drop-in drawing event that will create a stimulating and relaxed environment to inspire people to experiment and draw. Visual artist, Jane Fordham will collaborate with dance/performance artist Marina Tsartsara of Detour Collective and cine film specialist Michael Maydon of Orphanfilms to create a drawing based participatory performance.

DATES March 2010 (TBC)

LOCATION Fabrica, 40 Duke Street, Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 1AG

COST Free

WEBSITE www.fabrica.org.uk

COOK THE SEASONS

This four week course will offer practical skills and information about how to cook using seasonal ingredients. The course will cover why seasonal cooking is a vital part of a sustainable future for the city. The course will also look at methods of preserving food including drying, jamming, pickling and freezing. This course will be fun and informative and aimed at people with limited confidence and skills in cookery.

COST £20

CONTACT 01273 431700

WEBSITE www.harvest-bh.org.uk

FESTIVAL OF CREATIVE LEARNING IN PORTSLADE

Blank is a studio and gallery run entirely by artists. Working with local talent 'Blast Theory' an internationally renowned artists' group working in interactive media, Blank offers a series of exciting workshops throughout our Festival. Check Blank's website for full details, and look out for a special street party celebration in March.

CONTACT blankstudiosgallery@gmail.com

WEBSITES www.blankstudios.org or www.blasttheory.co.uk

BRIGHTON SONGWRITERS

We are a creative community of musicians and writers. We meet up to share songs and get feedback from professional songwriters. If you are interested in taking part, please contact us.

CONTACT Adam on 07787 570499

or brightonsongwriters@yahoo.com

WEBSITE www.brightonsongwriters.co.uk

THE ROVING CHOIR

The residents of Queens Park and Craven Vale are organising a roving community choir. The choir will rehearse for 12 weeks at The Haven, a community space based in Queens Park Estate. In March the choir will take to the streets during Spring Forward to showcase their new skills. Look for us on Brighton Seafront on during Spring Forward, and around the streets of Queens Park and Craven Vale on 27th March.

LOCATION & DATES Seafront during Spring Forward (TBC); 27th March around the Queens Park & Craven Vale.

CONTACT Amy on 01273 450327

BELLY DANCING

Belly Dancing 4 U Eastern Promise present bellydance and other dance style workshops. Dates and venue to be confirmed.

COST £3 members £6 non members.

CONTACT Julie on 07974 908758

WEBSITE www.easternpromise-bd4u.moonfruit.com

THE BRIDGE COMMUNITY CHOIR

Free your own natural voice, learn vibrant and inspiring songs and sing in harmony for the sheer joy of it! All are welcome — no previous experience needed. Friendly sessions with a spirited and enthusiastic natural-voice singing workshop leader, bringing voices together in harmony with simple yet powerful songs of freedom, joy and peace, everything from African to Gospel and Spirituals.

ADDRESS The Bridge Community Education Centre
Lucraft Road, Brighton BN2 4PN

CONTACT The Bridge on 01273 294929

SPRING FORWARD

Spring Forward Weekend – Daytime events on the 20th & 21st March 2010.

We began our Festival in November during ‘White Night’ when the clocks went back, so it seems fitting to end it when the clocks ‘spring forward.’ We will showcase and celebrate learning in three main places throughout the weekend: Jubilee Square; The Brighton Bandstand; and along the Seafront between the Piers. This will coincide with Sainsbury’s Sports Relief Mile on the 21st March. Look out for our postcards and posters for further details, and join in the celebrations!

Events scheduled so far include:

GIANT TAI CHI

A series of Tai Chi taster sessions for over 50’s and Adults leading to a mass Tai Chi on the seafront during Spring Forward and in Preston Park as part of the TAKEPART Festival of Sport.

LOCATION Tuesday 10am—11.30am at The Vale, Monday 7pm—8pm at The Bristol Estate Community Room. Week commencing 4th January 2010—22nd March 2010. Mass Tai Chi in The Park will be on Sunday 21 March & Saturday 19 June 2010.

WEBSITE www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/sportsdevelopment or www.activeforlife.org.uk

CONTACT Mike on mike.burgess@brighton-hove.gov.uk

COUNNAUGHT’S 125 YEARS OF EDUCATION

City College Brighton & Hove in partnership with the Brighton Society celebrate education past, present and future at the Connaught Centre. We will be focussing specifically on the history of the local area with a view to informing participants about the community in which they live and work, and provide opportunities for fun tasters and future learning opportunities.

DATE Saturday 20th March 2010

CONTACT 01273 667744

WEBSITE www.brightonsociety.org.uk

SING SUP & SPARK

Learners from the Bridge & University of Sussex CCE showcase new skills! Listen or join in the Community Choir, exhibition and tasting of locally foraged plants, and traditional crafts with natural materials.

DATES Sunday 21st March 2010

LOCATION Brighton Bandstand

CONTACT River Jones on j.l.jones@sussex.ac.uk

DRAWING THE LINE

As the passing public help 'Draw the Line' on Brighton's seafront, Philosophy In Pubs will be asking "Is This Art?" from the relative safety of a nearby tavern. 'Draw the Line' is an unfolding large scale chalk artwork with Art Facilitators on hand to guide the Line's enfoldment and deliver drawing tips and techniques to the public.

DATE Sunday March 21st 10.30am—5.30pm

LOCATION Brighton Seafront

CONTACT Simon on 07795 691579

WEBSITE www.creativefuture.org.uk

CRANKS BICYCLE WORKSHOPS

Look out for those great folks from 'Crank's Bicycle Workshop' to help get your bike in ship shape ready for lots of action! Cranks is entirely volunteer run and not for profit. We want to help people keep their bikes on the road and enjoy cycling. We want to recycle old bikes that would otherwise be rusting away and we want to help you learn how to fix and look after your bike.

LOCATION 22 Chapel Street, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 1RQ

CONTACT cranksbikes@gmail.com or 07530 581680

WEBSITE www.crank's.org.uk

NEW LARCHWOOD COMMUNITY CAFÉ

We'll host some activities along the seafront recommended by the residents of Coldean and the New Larchwood Community Centre. Activities will suit older and disabled people, but all are welcome!

CONTACT 01273 676416

WEBSITE www.douglascoldean.wordpress.com

ONE PLANET LEARNING DAY

Come and learn about sustainability at The Friends Centre! This eco-friendly premise is shared with other voluntary sector organisations including the Working Together Project, the Community and Voluntary Sector Forum and the Business Community Partnership. Care Co-ops is planning to run the cafe as a training cafe for its clients with learning disabilities.

DATE 27th March 2010

LOCATION The Friends Centre, Brighton Junction, Isetta Square, Stroudley Road, Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 4GQ

CONTACT 01273 810 210

WEBSITE www.friendscentre.org

OTHER ACTIVITIES

We want to ensure learning activities are available to all residents of this great City. We are offering some events to specific groups of people who may otherwise find it difficult to access learning.

SOMERHILL SOUNDS OF STEEL

The only steel band in Brighton & Hove are running 'children teaching adults' sessions using steel instruments supported by the Transformation Fund. Look out for a performance during Spring Forward.

CONTACT Helen on 01273 739659

LAUGH YOUR WAY TO CONFIDENT WRITING

Work under the guidance of a professional comedy writer to tap into your creativity and improve and develop confidence in writing. You will meet with other writers including a professional poet and learn new ways to present your work. The sessions are welcoming and enjoyable, and the skills and confidence you will develop are transferable to day to day situations.

DATES Week commencing 25th January 2010

LOCATION To be confirmed

CONTACT Anna on 01273 735353

WEBSITE www.newwritingsouth.com

MARLETS STAFF WRITING WORKSHOPS

A creative writing course for the staff at the Martlets Hospice. As well as creative writing workshops, staff will have the opportunity to share their work at Watchwords; a reading aloud event on Wednesday 24th March 2010 at Jubilee Library as well as other Spring Forward public events.

DATES 19th January—16th February 2010

LOCATION The Martlets Hospice, Wayfield Avenue, Hove, East Sussex, BN3 7LW

COST Free for the staff at the Martlets Hospice

CONTACT 01273 543486

WEBSITE www.patchamhigh.brighton-hove.sch.uk

PAINTING AS A PROCESS OF EXPRESSION ●

Working with unconventional painting implements such as sponges, painting with our hands or other objects, the aim is to gain experience of the process of painting. We will use sound for participants to respond to, and try 'blind painting' using our hands. This will be offered to support mental health.

DATES March 2010

COST Free, for specific groups only

CONTACT Nickova on 07766 662003

WEBSITE www.exploration2view.wordpress.com

CITY READ'S BREAKFAST CLUB ●

City Reads is providing a series of free reading /discussion workshops specially targeted at marginalised groups across the city — including the elderly, the homeless and adults with learning difficulties. City Reads is recruiting a team of volunteers, who will be trained by Brighton's Creative Futures to run the groups.

DATE March—May 2010

WEBSITE www.cityreads.co.uk

COMPANY PARADISO ●

The activity will be offered to all residents at a hostel. The objective will be to get as many men as possible creating work, whether they can write or not. The project will also collect writing from residents of other hostels in Brighton and Hove, and support and exhibit this work, with consent. The project will be publicised by display materials in the Hostel and by circulating examples of other work.

ONLOOK CREATIVE ARTS ●

Maria Nutt, art therapist, and Evlynn Sharp, poet, lecturer and creative writing tutor, support International Women's Day by their arts project with vulnerable women in Sussex. They work with women to enable creative expression and self reflection building esteem. This project teaches new skills empowering women through healing and a renewed and positive sense of self.

CONTACT thevisualsuspect@yahoo.co.uk

ADULT LEARNERS' WEEK



This award encourages thousands of adults to give learning a go: whether it's learning for pleasure, catching up on skills, or getting that new job or promotion. Adult Learners Week inspires others to take the first steps into learning.

DATES 15th—21st May 2010

CONTACT Bee on bee.pooley@brighton-hove.gov.uk

WEBSITE www.alw.org.uk/nominate

SPRING FORWARD CONTRIBUTORS

Celebratory exhibits during Spring Forward will include a Recycled Fashion Show in Jubilee Square 20th March and work from: The Garden Films, Intro to Filmmaking for all ages, Positive Comedy, Does the tardis Have a Carbon Footprint, Parkour, Adult Informal Recording, Mothers Uncovered, Giant Puzzle Tour, Stop Frame Animation, Sound Maps of London Road, Roving Choir, Blank Gallery.

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