

All grown up

TEN YEARS OLD! DOUBLE FIGURES. ISN'T THAT WHEN YOU START BEING GROWN UP?

LEYTONSTONE ARTS TRAIL has certainly grown up since its simple beginnings in 2007. We have seen hundreds of artists take part in this community event which is run completely by volunteers.

In its early years it was self-financing but we are very grateful to the Waltham Forest Ward Forum for the funds they have allocated to the arts trail in recent years. And we must also say a big thank you to our sponsor, Trading Places, who have provided important financial support for some time.

We have a diverse and interesting range of artists and venues for you to visit over the ten days of the trail. Some of our contributors are still at school, others left their schooldays behind a long time ago. But they all have one thing in common; a shared talent and love of art across the widest spectrum.

You can enjoy seeing the diversity of talent in Leytonstone in churches and cafes, in peoples' gardens and in pubs. You can join in trails and games and perhaps it will make you think about what you could do to help next year.

You don't have to be an artist to be involved. We are always looking for people to help organise the trail, to assist with the administration, to help set up events or monitor them when the trail is on. If you are interested in helping next year then do get in touch.

We hope you enjoy this year's Leytonstone Arts Trail. Do let us know what you think or if you would like to get involved next year as an artist or as a helper. You can contact us at leytonstoneartstrail.org. Enjoy!!



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Let's fill
Leytonstone
with art!



Every year Leytonstone Arts Trail invites everyone – children and adults alike – to participate in the trail by putting their own artistic creations into windows and gardens.

It is not necessary to have any particular training, it is whatever you can do; so get thinking about how you can help brighten up the streets of Leytonstone. We start around July and carry on throughout the summer.

Maybe you have made something at work or in a class? Perhaps you have taken some photos on holiday that you are happy to show?

In past years we have had photos, paintings, drawings, collages, sculpture, pottery, embroidery, knitting and some wild and whacky 3D sculptures in people's front gardens. Whatever your inspiration – join in with the fun!

It is wonderful to see displays popping up all over the place. Day by day it builds to create a whole gallery in the streets of Leytonstone.

Thanks to all your enthusiasm *Let's fill Leytonstone with art* has become part of the local summer calendar – so get creative and join in!

To see what people have done in previous years go to: www.letsfill.co.uk



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01 Nomi Rana / Deep Thoughts

Map ref 8
The mysterious creativity that comes out of my mind in the middle of the night!
Instagram: nomiranaart
[Little Saigon](#)

02 Carl Brewster / Speaking of London

Map ref 18
The unity between the visual image and the spoken word.
MoreThanAnImage.uk
[Chef's Corner](#)

03 Claire Zanelli, Emma Zanelli, Alison Reader / Still:Life

Map ref 22
Varied work and media from three female artists
clairezanelli@gmail.com
[Leyton Technical](#)

04 Paz Medina / Tales of Nowhere+ArtNet01

Map ref 13
Dreamy watercolours, influenced by surrealism, offering an immersion into fantasy tales through characters. ArtNet is string work on antique frames, where recycling and design merge as fantastic networks.
pazmedinamartin@gmail.com
www.pazmedina.com
[Luna Lounge](#)

05 Paolo Boccacci / Reticulatum

Map ref 13
Exploring the boundaries of vision and perception, seeing and processing.
www.paoloboccacci.co.uk
[Luna Lounge](#)

06 Emma Mistry / Beyond the Canvas

Map ref 11
Paintings expressed from the heart and soul, using an inspiring mix of colours and shapes, on canvas.
emma.louise.mistry@gmail.com
[Leytonstone Library](#)

07 Miguel Souto / Confidences. Where are they going?

Map ref 25
Photography with a focus on urban landscapes and their relationship with the environment.
www.miguelsouto.com
[Marmelo Kitchen](#)

08 Anna Stiles / We Live in Each Other's Minds

Map ref 7
Original, abstract ink drawings and 3D illustration.
anna.stiles@hotmail.co.uk
[Le Petit Corner](#)



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09 Rebecca Lindsay-Addy / I Am Stranded (Ophelia)

Map ref 22
Dealing with personal identity, and what this means within a wider political and cultural sphere, questioning the agency around this process of identification.
www.rebeccalindsayaddy.com
[Leyton Technical](#)

10 Veronica Lindsay-Addy / If you go down to the woods today

Map ref 22
My neighbourhood environment pictured in bold and bright acrylic paintings, viewed through the theme of litter.
www.veronicalindsay-addy.weebly.com
[Leyton Technical](#)

11 Leytonstone Stand Up To Racism / Silent Auction

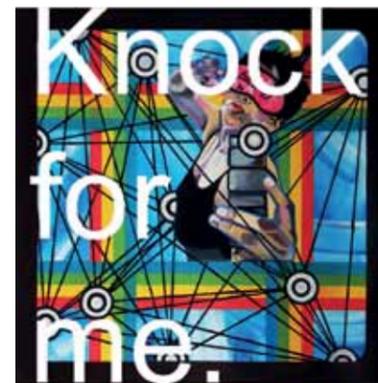
Map ref 28
Local artists donate their work for a silent auction to raise funds for Leytonstone SUTR – come bid!
www.facebook.com/WFSUTR/
[Leytonstone United Free Church](#)

12 Devyani Parmar / Knock for me

Map ref 5
Open art exhibition in my studio/flat selling paintings, drawings and prints, all framed.
devyani.parmar.artist@gmail.com/devyaniparmar.com
A flat in Leytonstone E11 3**.



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Wanstead Quaker Meeting House Exhibition

WHEN THE IMAGINATION WAKENS...

Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd July 1-5pm,
Saturday 8th & Sunday 9th July 1-5pm

Exhibition of art works

Saturdays 1 & 8 July - *Storytelling*, 2-3pm
Sundays 2 & 9 July - *Poetry Reading*, 2-3pm
5 July - *Labyrinth Walk*, 10-11.45am (last entry 11.15am),
and play *The Conversation Game*, 2-4pm

QUAKER MEETING HOUSE BUSH ROAD E11 3AU

13 Mark Halliley / Traces

Map ref 29
Work in different styles and media done over the past few years.
markhallileyart.com
186 Hainault Road E11 1EP

14 Jo Paul / Threads

Map ref 17
Exploring traces, threads and connections.
www.artjop.co.uk
Theatre of Wine

15 Eastphotogirl / Miami Days

Map ref 20
A collection of images from Miami Beach.
www.eastphotogirl.com
Noted Eel and Pie House



16 Mixed Muse / Mixed Media Madness

Map ref 28
An eclectic mix of paintings created over time.
fionabuddell@outlook.com
Leytonstone United Free Church

17 Jeff Moore & Andy White / People of Leytonstone

Map ref 21
Photographs of people who work and live in Leytonstone
f@tfish.co.uk
Northcote Arms

18 Helen Storm / This it's Paradise

Map ref 10
This it's paradise mirrors the open mind of Helen Storm, a trip with woven themes braided together with her use of mixed media.
helenstorm@icloud.com
Wild Goose Bakery



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19 Claire Brett / Shed

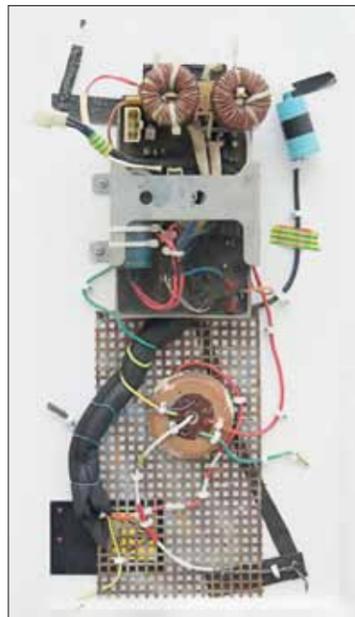
Map ref 2
Mixed media paintings in a shed.
claire.brett@icloud.com
Purple side gate 31 Beacontree Road, E11 3AX

20 Amanda Horwood, Daniel Gogar, Daniel Ingram and friends / Elms and Thinkarts

Map ref 23
Some new pieces.
amanda1000@hotmail.com
Elms in Waltham Forest

21 The Cummings Twins / New Works & Installation

Map ref 27
New works as well as live gong audio-visual performances. Daily 1-5pm.
cummings.twins.com
Norlington Studios



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SEBASTIAN MUSCIO
IN WHAT WAY WAS I UNIQUE?

The Stone Space is run entirely by collaboration between artists and volunteers. Located 100 metres from Leytonstone tube Station on the Central Line, 6 Church Lane, Leytonstone, London E11 1HG
Open Thursdays and Fridays 2 – 6 pm, Saturdays 12 – 5pm, Sundays 12 – 4pm
Follow us on Facebook and Twitter. For proposals and volunteering opportunities visit: www.stonespace.gallery Instagram: thestonespace

THE STONE SPACE

An exhibition of painting, mixed media and illustration

Still:Life

1–9 July 2017
Leyton Technical Pub, 265 High Road Leyton, London E10 5QN

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innamorati.morti@gmail.com

Ali Reader
alireader3@gmail.com

Emma Zanelli
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A CREATIVE CENTURY

SIOBHAN DAVIES FINDS DEEP ART ROOTS IN THE EAST.

LEYTONSTONE'S history of creativity is one of inclusion, engagement and experimentation stretching as far back as its Victorian terraces. From William Morris, founder of the 19th century Arts and Craft movement onwards, the roll call of famous and influential artists demonstrates a spirit of democratic inclusivity that blurs boundaries between creating and consuming art.

In the 1920s, the East London Group grew out of pioneering adult education evening classes in Bethnal Green. Its first members were tradesmen struggling to pay for their materials. Their work captures their surroundings including Leytonstone, Wanstead and Stratford. Critical acclaim was won for two – Elwin Hawthorne and Walter Steggles who went on to show at the 1936 Venice Biennale alongside Barbara Hepworth and Walter Sickert.

Sickert was associated with the sculptors Frank Dobson RA and Jacob Epstein KBE; both with local connections. Dobson attended Harrow Green school, Epstein lived in Loughton and painted many watercolours of Epping Forest.

Postwar, South West Essex Technical College – now Waltham Forest College – was home to several great names. Peter Blake RA, CBE, pop artist and creator of the iconic Sgt Pepper album cover was a Leytonstone native who taught Ian Dury, Peter Greenaway and Ken Russell. David Bailey, photographer, was born in Leytonstone.

Keith Albarn, a highly talented and influential artist has worked over many decades on his pattern and belief art, showing several times at the ICA. His son, Damon Albarn OBE, was honoured with a blue plaque at their Fillebrook Road, Leytonstone, house. His song *Hollow Ponds* refers to the boating lake off Whipps Cross Road, Leytonstone.

Stuart Freeborn is known for *2001: A Space Odyssey* and as the creator of Yoda in the *Star Wars* trilogy. His Leytonstone, Grove Green Road home is also honoured with a blue plaque and his work has inspired street art in the area.

The heyday of art in Leytonstone may well be the 1980s/early 90s, when Leytonstone housed the largest population of artists in Europe. Plans to cut through the

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area with a motorway resulted in low-rent live/work spaces via the artist-led organisation ACME. Two Turner prize nominees and one winner were residents – Paul Noble, Cornelia Parker and Grayson Perry. The theme of eviction to make way for developers' plans resonated in Turner-prizewinner Rachel Whiteread's piece *House*. One of the evicted artists, Graeme Miller, made a sound-walk artwork. Commissioned by the Museum of London in 2003, this three-mile walk alongside the road relays audio testimonies of those who lived and worked where the motorway now runs.

In 2001, the Leytonstone Centre for Contemporary Art was born in a Leytonstone garden. Brainchild of Royal Academician, Bob and Roberta Smith, this small, charming hand-built shed went on tour, inspiring replica exhibition spaces internationally. Recent Bob and Roberta works encourage people to *Make Your Own Damn Art*, and, in his campaign for art education, *Art is Your Human Right*.

Keeping that spirit alive is the Leytonstone Arts Trail. Started in 2008, the Trail developed open-studio and open-house formats in a festival that draws together artists, businesses and residents, providing a different way to navigate and experience the neighbourhood.

The Trail remains true to the original vision of inclusivity and experimentation. Its history maps an interesting period in Leytonstone as rents and property prices soar while the local high street, like many others, is challenged with change. Many of the artists have forged close links with independent businesses and community schemes working to bring back the soul of the high street and offer a local alternative to the culture of sanitised corporate consumerism. Interesting collaborations, groups and spaces have sprung up throughout the area and each year the trail fosters new ones. We welcome everyone to Leytonstone Arts Trail, and its social and economic history that has fostered and inspired so many artists over the years.

■ Special thanks to curator Alan Waltham for information on the East London Group www.southendmuseums.co.uk/whats_on/event/TheEastLondonGroupOutOftheCity; to Julie Brown of The New Art Gallery Walsall for information on Jacob Epstein in their collection <http://thenewartgallerywalsall.org.uk>; and author of *This Other London*, John Rogers, for all his local knowledge and remarkable blog <http://thelostbyway.com/>



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22 The Little Big E10 Art Fair

Map ref 27

A collection of local and guest artists will fill the walls of Norlington Road Studios with an incredibly diverse collection of art for sale in support of Great Ormond Street Hospital. Sat 1 July from 6pm. Daily 12-4pm.

carne@carnegriffiths.com

[Norlington Road Studios](#)



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23 Stuart Cameron / 8 Photographs

Map ref 16

A selection of some recent photographs.

Stuart181251@me.com

[Mario's](#)

24 Group show / When the imagination wakens

Map ref 1

A varied and exciting exhibition that celebrates imagination in all its diversity.

alison.chaplin@icloud.com

[Wanstead Quaker Meeting House](#)

25 3@5

Map ref 4

A fun, colourful, quirky exhibition. Make 3@5 your number one must-see.

Stuart181251@me.com

[Garden, 5 Browning Road E11 3AR](#)

26 Sue McQueen / Landscape and the Imagination

Map ref 3

A series of imaginative drawings and paintings inspired by aspects of landscape.

www.suemcqueen.com

[The North Star](#)

100s of artworks
Local artists
Guest artists
all under 1 roof
1st - 9th July
Opening Night
1st July from 6pm

norlington road studios, 66 Norlington Road Leyton e10 6la

Big Art Supporting Little People

facebook event - the little big E10 art fair

27 Hannah Slaney / Time Warp

Map ref 15
A collection of images exploring memories and nostalgia through re-creation and craft.
hannahslaney@me.com
[Laura Lea Design](#)

28 Creative Bloc / Move

Map ref 14
CreativeBloc – the creatives collective, explores the themes of 'movement' and the transitory nature of humankind.
www.facebook.com/CreativeBlocE11
[Fill the Gap](#)

29 Kate & Kev Rice / Rice vs Rice

Map ref 6
Kev and Kate Rice, Leytonstone husband and wife, exhibit their works wall-to-wall.
karen@allyoureadislove.com
[All You Read is Love](#)

30 Pupils of the Opossum Federation / Pitter Patter Paintdrops

Map ref 26
Mixed media, collage & ceramics
anri.ruthven@dawlish.walthma.sch.uk
[Dawlish Primary School](#)

31 YLA / GCSE Art Show 2017

Map ref 30
Thirty young artists from Leytonstone School showcase a lively and colourful portfolio.
nmcgeer1.320@lgflmail.org
[St Andrew's Church](#)

32 Gillian Swan

Map ref 24
Recent work by Gillian on display at this new florist/plant/maker's shop alongside etchings by Carla Oxlade.
www.gillianswan.co.uk
[Edie Rose](#)

33 Sebastián Muscio / In what way was I unique?

Map ref 12
An exhibition of paintings exploring repetition and accumulation as forms of composition, made using mechanical methods and processes.
www.stonespace.gallery
[The Stone Space](#)

34 Carne Griffiths / Virtual Reality Experience and Open Studio

Map ref 27
Works include ink and tea on paper curiosities, acrylics, oils, prints and oddities! Visitors can join in a virtual reality doodling experience. Sat 1 July 6-10pm, Sun-Wed 2-5 July 12-4pm, Thurs 6 July 12-10pm, Fri/Sat 7/8 July 12-4pm, Sun 9 July 10am-1pm.
[Unit 4 Norlington Road Studios](#)

35 Margaret Spiers / Balance

Map ref 11
A selection of fused glass work focusing on colour, shape and texture.
www.margaretspiers.co.uk
[Leytonstone Library](#)

36 Willie Nash and Arlene Wandera / Open studios

Map ref 27
Our doors are open so you can see our work and the process behind it. Sat/Sun 1/2, 8/9 July 12-6pm.
www.willienashphoto.com
www.arlenewandera.com
[Unit A-8 Norlington Studios](#)



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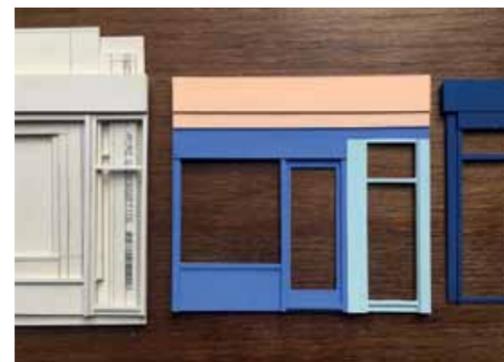
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GCSE Art Show 2017

YLA

Private View June 30th 3.30pm-5.30pm

Young Leytonstone Artists

St Andrews Church, 153 Colworth Road, E11 1JD

Tasnia Alam
Patricia Atridge
Rovish Bidjadhur
Gene Cairns
Levi Cole
Carl Coreless
Gabriel Clarke
Edoardo D'Angelo
Sila Di
Tyhera Green
Sara Guerbaoui
Ibrahim Islam
Emanuel Joseph
Oleksandra Kokhaniuk
Edgaras Lencevicius
Elishea Lewis
Nichole Lezcano
Amy Liy
Lester Lyall
Humzah Mehmood
Pavlo Nazarkewych
Aliyah Patel
Amy Pearson
Olmo Ramella
Sabah Sadeeq
Alexander Sheard
Kubota
Fern Sheppard
Amyah Teape
Samantha Thompson

Open 1st and 2nd July 10am-2pm

Walthamstow Stand Up To Racism

Presents a **Silent Auction**

Help raise money to fight racism and xenophobia and to help unaccompanied child refugees (Care4Calais)

See amazing art work

by a range of artists at

Leytonstone United Free Church
55 Wallwood Rd E11 1AY

EVENTS

SATURDAY 1 JULY

The Stones Throw Market
[St John the Baptist churchyard](#)
 Map ref 9
 11am-4pm



Featuring over 20 stalls with work by local artists and designers. There will also be locally produced honey, homemade cakes and hot food plus an interesting mix of vintage and retro stalls.

St John's in Bloom
[St John the Baptist Church](#)
 Map ref 9
 2-6pm



The church in collaboration with Art Catcher will create flowers using recycled materials made by local artists and the community over the course of the trail. Join the workshops or visit to see the church in bloom. Everybody welcome.

SUNDAY 2 JULY

When the imagination wakes
[Wanstead Quaker Meeting House](#)
 Map ref 1
 2-3pm

Live poetry read by local poets and poetry lovers.

St John's in Bloom
[St John the Baptist Church](#)
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MONDAY 3 JULY

House Dimplex
[Unit 5 Norlington Road Studios](#)
 Map ref 27
 8pm-12am

A DIY project space for artists, performers and musicians to the background of an odd-paced beat.

Chingford Morrismen
[Outside Leytonstone Tube station, Church Lane](#)
 8.30pm
 A public display of traditional English dancing.

TUESDAY 4 JULY

House Dimplex
[Unit 5 Norlington Road Studios](#)
 Map ref 27
 2-6pm

A DIY project space for artists, performers and musicians to the background of an odd-paced beat.

WEDNESDAY 5 JULY

Labyrinth Walk
[Wanstead Quaker Meeting House](#)
 Map ref 1
 10-11.15am



An opportunity to experience the peace of a labyrinth walk (not a maze – just one path) in a lovely setting.

THURSDAY 6 JULY

[DIS]TINCT / BEES, BEETLES AND BUTTERFLIES
[Cann Hall/Harrow Green Church](#)
 Map ref 20
 4-6pm

Join artist Vicky Coffey-Crafer for a family-friendly, fun insect drawing workshop. Vicky's butterflies and beetles join Sally Labern's bumble and worker bees. Materials and refreshments. FREE.



Conversation: A Life Game
[Wanstead Quaker Meeting House](#)
 Map ref 1
 2-4pm



What makes a rich and rewarding life that can be sustained over a lifetime? Come and explore an interactive, reflective game focusing on how to live a happy and sustainable life in the 21st century.

House Dimplex
[Unit 5 Norlington Road Studios](#)
 Map ref 28
 2-6pm



A DIY project space for artists, performers and musicians to the background of an odd-paced beat.

SATURDAY 8 JULY

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[St John the Baptist Church](#)
 Map ref 9
 2-6pm

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Art Keys, Art for All, All Day!
[Leytonstone Library](#)
 1-5pm



Join us for free! Drop-in art workshops at Leytonstone Library – open to all!

SUNDAY 9 JULY

When the imagination wakes
[Wanstead Quaker Meeting House](#)
 Map ref 1
 2-3pm

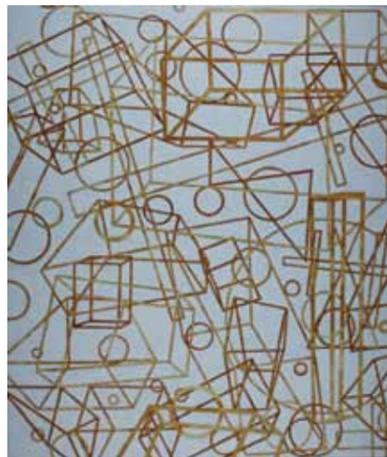
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Creative bloc

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Movement

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