

Printmakers' Holiday with Deb Wing October 2022

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The photo above was taken by Nigel from Clyde View Bed & Breakfast which he runs with Helen. The print on the right is one of a varied edition I made based on this scene.

We would like to invite three printmakers to share my studio for three days and make their own prints inspired by this beautiful landscape.

Accommodation will be provided at Clyde View and I will provide all printing materials, including the use of my Hawthorn Etching Press, with support and guidance throughout.







A corner of my studio in Kenyon Villa, Dunoon.



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I am offering three printers the opportunity to come and work with me in my studio on the west coast of Scotland for three days.

When - 17-21 October 2022 (printing 18-20 October)

Where - Accommodation at Clyde View Bed & Breakfast with Nigel and Helen Marsh, overlooking Holy Loch at Sandbank. PA23 8PD

www.clydeviewbedandbreakfast.co.uk

- Printing in my studio at Kenyon Villa, 126 Auchamore Road, Dunoon. PA23 7JJ

What will be on the programme

Before your holiday – we will talk on Zoom to finalise our plan for the week and start to develop ideas for the print you will work on. We will also consider any visits in the area that you would like to include during the week. The landscape print you will work on will be inspired by the dramatic scenery from Clyde View (it could be the landscape you'll see while you're having your breakfast!!)

Mon – arrival – you are welcome to visit me in my studio if you have time.

Tues to Thurs – start each day with one of Nigel's great breakfasts, then my studio will be open from 9.30-6.00 each day (later by arrangement). Begin by planning your design onto the Lino and then cutting and printing up to five layers. We will plan to have breaks during the day which could include hill walking. Light refreshments will be available each day, but any away from the studio (e.g. if we walk down to the sea front) will be payable locally. Please note that evening meals are not included in the price.

Fri – breakfast and departure

Cost

Accommodation - £360 if you book a room for two people or £240 if you book a room for one person.

Studio time with all materials supplied and full support - £250.

Total cost - £610 or £490 depending on whether you require a room for one or two people.

If you would like to extend your stay to explore our beautiful area of Scotland, please let Nigel and Helen know!

Please be aware that you are responsible for making your own transport arrangements.

Experience required – we will be working on Linocut, reduction prints. Ideally you will have printed in two or more colours previously.

How to get here – we are about an hour and a half from Glasgow – and the last part is by ferry. Motorway and rail links are both very good and there is public transport from Glasgow Airport. I am happy to give advice to participants individually. Please be aware that there can be disruption to ferry services in the event of severe weather conditions. This is very rare, but we will be unable to take responsibility for the weather! We would do our best to advise you of the best way to manage the situation if there was a problem with the weather.

Cancellation – please note that payments are non-refundable and any good-will refund in extenuating circumstances would be at the discretion of the accommodation and print workshop providers. If, for any reason, we had to cancel your booking, we would strive to offer alternative arrangements or provide a full refund. Please note that we cannot be liable for any other expenses you incur in the event of a cancellation e.g. cost of travel. This is also the case if we have to cancel the holiday.

Condition of booking – as the week will involve working closely with three other people, we would ask that all participants are fully up-to-date with vaccinations against covid. If you would like to take part but have a medical exemption from covid vaccinations, please let us know so that we can try to find a way to enable you to join us. You will be expected to follow any government restrictions in place at the time in relation to covid. By booking this holiday, you are agreeing to these conditions.

How to book – contact me to book a place first, as there are only a small number of places. You will then need to contact Nigel and Helen in order to book your accommodation (use the contact form, email or telephone number on their website). The bookings for accommodation and for studio time are completely separate but, by taking part in this break, you are allowing us to share the personal information you provide to each (i.e. contact information and dietary requirements).

Deadline for bookings – 31st May.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Some prints of, and photos from, the Cowal peninsula - the beautiful area where we live and work......all photos were taken in October.







