



PUBLIC CLASSES

MILLENNIUM COURT ARTS CENTRE OFFERS
A RANGE OF PUBLIC CLASSES & WORKSHOPS,
SPECIALIST MASTER CLASSES, OPEN MIC
NIGHTS, EXHIBITION TOURS & ARTIST TALKS.

As numbers are limited for all workshops advance booking is essential. Many of the adult classes are suitable for Age: 16+. For more details and to book a place contact MCAC in person, by telephone on +44 (0)28 3835 0935 or e-mail: info@millenniumcourt.org. Unless otherwise stated all materials will be provided.

To keep up to date with classes, events and exhibitions join our e-mailing list at www.millenniumcourt.org/contact

CERAMIC TECHNIQUES (10 WEEKS)

Wednesdays from 4 October, 7-9pm, £50
Learn and develop hand building techniques for individual sculptural design projects.

PAINTING FOR PLEASURE (4 WEEKS)

Thursdays from 5 October, 10:30-12:30pm, £20
A relaxed class for all levels of ability, participants encouraged to develop their chosen medium. (Bring your own materials)

GUIDED AUTOBIOGRAPHY: MEMOIRS (8 WEEKS)

Wednesdays from 11 October 2-4pm, £30
This class provides guidance and structure for people interested in writing their life story and recording the important experiences that have shaped their lives.

WILLOW BASKET WEAVING –ROUND SHOPPER

Saturdays 11 & 18 November 10-4pm, £40 (limited 6 places) Work alongside willow artist Alison Fitzgerald in this 2 day workshop to create a woven round shopper. Perfect for the Saturday shop.

SILVERSMITHING (DAYLONG WORKSHOP)

Saturday 11 November, 10-4pm, £40
You will be taught traditional jewellery making techniques such as piercing, soldering, rolling, annealing and polishing, enabling you to design a necklace/earring. Class is led by designer, gold and silversmith Diane Lyness.

PARIAN PORCELAIN DECORATIONS

Saturday 18 November, 1-4pm, £15
Work with porcelain to create some delicate and beautiful Christmas decorations, perfect for a festive gift.

LIFE DRAWING (DAYLONG WORKSHOP 1)

Saturday 25 November, 10-4pm, £25 per session (or £40 for 2) An opportunity to draw from a life model under the guidance of an experienced tutor, perfect for portfolio building. Suitable for all levels.

TWINKLE AND MISTLETOE (FESTIVE EVENT)

Wednesday 13 December, 11:30-2pm, £5
For all those ladies and gentlemen who like to lunch, join us for a festive lunchtime event. Design contemporary willow wreath decorations to hang on your door, whilst you listen to some Christmas music...all washed down with a spot of lunch, mince pies and some warming mulled wine.

ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS DRAWING (4 WEEKS)

Saturdays from 13 January, 2-4pm, £20
The Absolute Beginners guide to drawing. Learn the essential skills in a relaxed atmosphere. No experience necessary.

LIFE DRAWING (DAYLONG WORKSHOP 2)

Saturday 3 February, 10-4pm, £25 per session (or £60 for 3) An opportunity to draw from a life model under the guidance of an experienced tutor, perfect for portfolio building. Suitable for all levels.

ADULT MASTER CLASSES

ALISTAIR WILSON – SIGNS AND CIPHERS

Saturday 14 October, 10-4pm, £15
This masterclass will give an insight into the ideas, techniques and methods implemented throughout the span of his work with a hands-on workshop.

MIGUEL MARTIN – LET THE DEAD LEAVES FALL

Saturday 16 December, 10-4pm, £15
Step away from your screens, bring along an object of interest and join Belfast-based artist Miguel Martin as he teaches you his observational drawing techniques from monochromatic spacial line drawings to his more tonal works produced with Indian ink and a brush.

SINEAD MCKEEVER – ANTENNA

Saturday 24 February, 10-4pm, £15
Artist Sinead McKeever leads an experimental workshop exploring a variety of mixed media. Discover techniques used in her work and create a take-home colourful and innovative artwork. Participants will be working with dibond, paper, nail varnish, markers, washi tapes, stencils and found tools. This is a great way to develop your knowledge and skills of working with mixed media.

OPEN MIC NIGHTS (FREE)

Usually the last Wednesday of every month, 7-10pm (Please check Facebook for updates!)
Calling all singer-songwriters, musicians, poets, storytellers, comedians and entertainers, come along for an evening of music, poetry and song. This is an opportunity for you to express your talents and showcase your work. Contact: Johnny@millenniumcourt.org.

FREE EVENTS & OPENING LISTINGS

SEPTEMBER

COUNTRY COMES TO TOWN

Saturday 16 September, 11-4pm

Join us at MCAC for workshops and exhibitions as part of this annual town wide event.

ALISON LOWRY: (A) DRESS

Wednesday 27 September, 10-5pm

Last day of exhibition.

OPEN MIC NIGHT

Wednesday 27 September, 7-10pm

An evening of music, poetry and song.

OCTOBER

EXHIBITION OPENING*

Friday 6 October, 7-9pm

Alistair Wilson: Signs and Ciphers

ARTIST TALK: ALISTAIR WILSON

Saturday 7 October, 12-1pm, FREE

Book your place: johnny@millenniumcourt.org

OPEN MIC NIGHT

Wednesday 25 October, 7-10pm

An evening of music, poetry and song

HALLOWEEN FAMILY OPEN ART DAY

Saturday 28 October, 12-3pm

Free Art Workshop – Illuminated Haunted Heads.

NOVEMBER

ALISTAIR WILSON: SIGNS AND CIPHERS

Wednesday 22 November, 10-5pm

Last day of exhibition.

OPEN MIC NIGHT

Wednesday 29 November, 7-10pm

An evening of music, poetry and song.

DECEMBER

EXHIBITION OPENING*

Friday 1 December, 7-9pm

Miguel Martin: Let the Dead Leaves Fall

ARTIST TALK: MIGUEL MARTIN

Saturday 9 December, 12-1pm, FREE

Book your place: johnny@millenniumcourt.org

FAMILY OPEN ART DAY & MOVIE

Saturday 9 December, 11.30-3pm

Free Kids' movie followed by art workshop.

OPEN MIC NIGHT CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

Wednesday 13 December, 7-10pm

An evening of music, poetry and song.

JANUARY

MIGUEL MARTIN: LET THE DEAD LEAVES FALL

Wednesday 24 January, 10-5pm

Last day of exhibition

OPEN MIC NIGHT

Wednesday 31 January, 7-10pm

An evening of music, poetry and song.

FEBRUARY

EXHIBITION OPENING*

Friday 2 February, 7-9pm

Sinead McKeever: Antenna

ARTIST TALK: SINEAD MCKEEVER

Saturday 17 February, 12-1pm, FREE

Book your place: johnny@millenniumcourt.org

*A Free Bus will run between Belfast and Portadown on the evening of the openings. Leaves Belfast from Golden Thread Gallery at 6.45pm. Returns from Portadown at 9pm

