HARBOROUGH ARTISTS CLUSTER
NEWSLETTER, July 2025

Welcome to the fifth edition of the HAC Newsletter.
Enjoy, and please send content for next month's (a Windows & Exhibition special)
by 6th August to hac.artists@gmail.com titled 'Newsletter'.

ARTIST OF THE MONTH; Sarah Luke, who is also exhibiting in Kettering (see below).
Please email Rebecca at hac.artists@gmail.com if you'd like to be featured in August!

OUR DATES:
Art Windows - 1st - 30th September 2025
Annual Exhibition: Harborough Theatre 20th - 21st Sept

WEBSITE WONDERS & DIGITAL DELIGHTS;

'Artist Spotlight' features on Instagram.
Not on Instagram but would like the opportunity to showcase your work to the cluster's growing audience? No problem! Contact Kath Topham artbykathtopham@outlook.com for more details.

New Blog Posts
Exhibition Team Gathers at Mercado - https://harboroughartistcluster.co.uk/2025/06/theatre-exhibition-team-gathers-at-mercado/
July update for Katy Dynes (and her Summer Hat!) :: https://harboroughartistcluster.co.uk/2025/07/a-joyful-july-catch-up-from-katy-dynes/

WHERE WE'RE SHOWING

Aspects of Stitch: Stitch by Stitch 2025; Willow Gallery Oswestry is displaying stunning textile art from around the country 5th July – 30th August. Alyssa and Nigel - 2 members of Aspects of Stitch are showing works.
Henrietta Corbett was commissioned to design and make a Trophy for Market Harborough Netball League. The Trophy, made purely from recycled materials, was awarded last month and a write up with inclusive details will follow shortly in the Harborough Mail.
Maxine Dodd has had two paintings accepted into 'Summer' an exhibition at the new Open Gallery in Halifax (4a Broad Street Plaza, HX!!UX, open Weds – Sat, 11am – 4pm. Plus 2 new sports and dance series on her website: www.maxinedoddart.co.uk
Sarah Luke is exhibiting at Artworks Kettering, Newlands, NN169JA, 4th July – 1st August in their 'Making their Mark' Exhibition.
Allie Whelan now has work permanently on display at Town and Country Vets and the newly opened Wine Shed in Harborough.
Stacey Barthorpe is also showing work at The Wine Shed in Church Square.

ART WINDOWS & EXHIBITION

Last week the 'Promotions' team met up to discuss how we promote Windows and the Exhibition this year. The 'Windows' team is meeting Monday 14th July (evening at 6:30pm). Outcomes from both will be presented and discussed at the cluster meeting on Tuesday at 7pm at Left 2 Draw so please do make sure you come along if you are able. Not long to go now and there is quite a lot to do, so at the meeting we will be looking for commitment from those wanting to take part. If you are not able to come (thanks for those who have sent apologies) it's important to email hac.artists@gmail.com with a YES/NO by close of play Tuesday please. Many thanks.
Gallery Hire - The Herbert Art Gallery & Museum in Coventry is hiring out space from October 2025 for self-organised exhibitions.

See you on 15th July, 7pm at Left to Draw for our next meet up re Art Windows and our Annual Exhibition; Sept is looming!!
(Chrissy is getting rid of a large easel and is bringing it to the meeting if anyone wants it?)