

## Spalding Arts & Crafts Society

## Founded 1916





The society is proud to be one of the oldest art societies in the country. The first records show that the society was formed in 1916 and meetings were held at the Johnson Hospital. It is popularly believed that the society was set up as therapy for servicemen wounded in the First World War. Spalding Town Council sponsored it's first exhibition in 1918.

One or two exhibitions have been held every year since then along with other displays at a variety of venues. In 1930 the Society was invited to hold it's annual exhibition at Ayscoughfee Hall - a tradition that continues to this day.

The present day society is still thriving. Members exhibit their work in galleries and take part in local & national exhibitions and competitions.

We are a friendly group of local artists and are always ready to welcome new members whether you are a professional artist or a total beginner looking for help & inspiration.

Annual Membership fees are very affordable - individual £15 or £22.50 for couples

We hold 2 meetings a month:-

On the First Tuesday of the month (excluding January) we have an evening meeting, 7.30pm - 9.30pm, with a professional demonstrator at Pinchbeck Village Hall, Knight St, PE11 3RB. Doors open at 7pm Members £2.50 Non members £4.50

Visitors are welcome to come along to a meeting, watch the demonstration and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and a chat. Meetings are enhanced by the use of a camera & screen.

## **Demonstrators 2018-2019**

	<u>Artist</u>	<u>Subject</u>	Artist's Website
5 <sup>th</sup> June	Peter Barker	Landscape - oils	peterbarkerpaintings.co.uk
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Lynn Norris	Flowers - Watercolour	www.lynnnorris.co.uk
7 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Shane Wiseman	Wildlife - Pastel	www.animalpaintingsbyshane.com
4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Sean Terrington-Wright	Watercolour	www.seantwright.com
2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	Sue Williams	Acrylic inks	
6 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Carol Hill	Oils	www.carolhillartist.com
4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Mo Teeuw	Norfolk Skies - Oils	www.moteeuw.co.uk
5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Denise Allen		www.deniseallen.co.uk
5 <sup>th</sup> March	John Harrison	Pen & Wash	www.drawninyorkshire.com
2 <sup>nd</sup> April	tba		
7 <sup>th</sup> May	Linda H Matthews		www.broadskiesgallery.co.uk

On the Third Tuesday of the month we have a daytime informal painting together session for members & guests

**SACS at the HUB** is held at the Pinchbeck Community Hub & Library, Knight St, Pinchbeck, PE11 3RU 1.30pm - 4pm, Members £3.50 Guests £4.50