

The Last Drop

Stand Erection Team. If you would like to join this band of necessary artisans, just come along on any 3rd Sunday between 08.30 and 09.00. You will be very welcome; *ladies included.*

The March donation to Bolton Hospice was £ 64.37

The next three Art Fairs are on: -

20 April, 18 May and 15 June

Demonstrations

We had a record attendance of 56 on Tuesday 8th April for "Flowers in Watercolour" by member Elaine Clarkson.

The next demonstration will be

"Portraits in Oils" by George Austin

on Tuesday 13 May at 7.30 pm

Members' News

New members since last edition:

Russell Eaton.....Bromley Cross

Thomas Watkins.....Tong Moor

You will have read in the last Edition that Brian Hartley died on 3rd March. He used to raise monies for St Ann's Hospice at Over Hulton by displaying pictures there, giving 30% of the sale price to the Hospice. His widow, Lynda, has suggested that maybe other Art Circle members may be interested in continuing with the idea. The phone number of St. Ann's Hospice is 0161 702 8181.

Do you have an email address and haven't yet told our Secretary?

If so, please contact Roland at secretary@boltonartcircle.org.uk



Last month's Impressionists competition proved very popular. Most people got the title right, "L 'Absinthe"; but several thought it was by Toulouse-Lautrec. Edgar Degas will be turning in his grave!

Correct, (and almost correct) answers were received from **Jean Faulkner, Ron Close, Betty Walsh, Ken Openshaw, Ena Mann, Graham Jones, Bryan Gallagher and Eric Tatton.**

If you would like to submit a competition for In Touch, please contact the Secretary.

Another competition for you. **Can you identify the famous Impressionist painting this detail is from.** Answers to Roland by end of month. Names of correct submissions in next month's edition.



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(N.B. To prevent anyone having an "unfair" advantage, I have reproduced the image in black and white.)

Committee Vacancies.

We are still looking for a Treasurer for the next 12 months, as Eric Tatton has expressed a desire that we find a replacement. Eric will be pleased to discuss the ins and outs of handling Bolton Art Circle's financial affairs. (Securicor is not involved.) If you're interested, why not give him a ring on 01204 573129.

WE NEED PEOPLE LIKE YOU to serve on our Committee and help run one of the best Art societies in the North of England. Get your name on the sheets on display at Highfield Hall, or put forward at the AGM on Tuesday 29th April. Contact any Committee member (names on your membership card) for further details.

Data Protection Act 1998....some things you should know.

You may already know that your Secretary (Roland Arthur) and Membership Secretary (Norma Titterton) keep details of your name, address, and telephone number. Roland also has email addresses, if given, and information about any other art clubs you are in that you may have told him about.

Your Secretary will not divulge these details to any outside party without your prior permission; though some artists have given "blanket" permission for this. If, however one Bolton Art Circle Member wishes, with good reason, to contact another member, details will be passed on, inter alia, unless there is an express request to the contrary.

EDITOR'S FOOTNOTE Topical items for this publication should be sent by mail, email, or by hand to your Secretary, Roland Arthur 01204 847607, secretary@boltonartcircle.org.uk 45 Sherbourne Road, Heaton, Bolton. BL1 5NN

Articles etc., will still be published in the periodical *Newsletter* and should still be sent to Jolyon Coombs. 01204 847813