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Monthly Competition



Last month's picture was "Dona Isabel Corbo de Porcel" by Francisco Jose de Goya y Lucientes (1746 - 1828).

I had correct answers from **Kath Chilvers** and **Keith Sloane**.

This month, on page 2, we have the third in a series of Crosswords by Jean Faulkner.

This month's picture is by a well known artist. What is the title and name of the artist?

Answers to Roland please by the end of the month. The answer and names of correct submissions in next month's edition.



Ted Holden asks if anyone knows what "**CRAQUELURE**", (pronounced crack-lure) means. He'll give us the answer next month.

Could you do a competition/ puzzle for "In Touch"? Please let Roland know about it.

August Bank Holiday Weekend

Precinct Stands are going fast for the Outdoor Exhibition at Bolton Festival which we now run. If you're an "Outdoor Type", why not take advantage of this golden opportunity to advertise your talents to the Bolton public?

Rossendale....NWFed. Exhibition

We had a good number of entries from 10 of our artists. Of these we were able to select the requisite number of pictures some of which will be shown at the Rossendale Gallery from 8th May to 5th July. There is to be a private view on 7th May at 1-30 to 3-30pm with tea and coffee available.

New Blood on the Committee?

The Nomination Sheets for next year's Committee are now on display at Highfield Hall. If you feel there should be changes in the way the Circle is managed, and wish to make a name for yourself, why not get someone to propose and second you. All the Officer's posts and five Ordinary Committee members' posts are up for grabs at the AGM. If you don't normally get to Highfield Hall, ring Roland about getting your name on the sheets.

Membership News

New member since last edition
Frank Jones of Bolton

On 1st May your Annual Subscription will be due again. Our Membership Secretary **Brian Thomas** asks that you **renew through him**. He will be pleased to receive membership renewals any time from now on. Assuming there will be no increase on last year's fees, it will be £15 again for another exciting year in your favourite art club. Brian's details are on the front of your Membership Card. *If you have an email address and haven't yet told our Secretary, please do so asap. It will save your Circle postage costs. Send Roland an email asap. 82 members are now "on-line".*

Christmas Festivities

Following the overwhelming success of our Christmas Dinner at Watermillock last year, we have booked it again for Friday 9th. December (6.30 for 7pm). Get your name on the list at Highfield if you want to secure seats. Also, due to popular demand, **Liz Laird** has again booked our Festive Lunch at Gallaghers. Get your diary out and enter Wednesday 7th December, (noon for 12.30). There are sheets up at Highfield for both events or contact Liz direct on 01204 812772.

Al Fresco in Grange-over-Sands

Our regular visitors to the Last Drop, Anne and Linda Waddecar of The Grange-over-Sands Art Society, have informed me that members may be interested in an Open Air Art Show on the promenade in Grange. It starts on April 24th and will run on the last Sunday in each month. Anyone can book a slot. Have a look at the web site for more details. www.promart.info

Last Drop

Only two more before our enforced three months break. **The next one will be on 10th April.**

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