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STUDIOS, TALKS & WORKSHOPS

Backwater Artists Group & Cork Printmakers

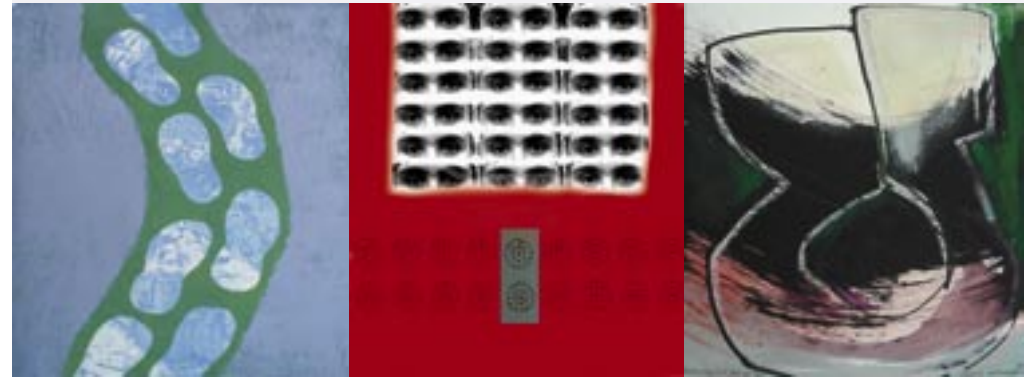
Wednesday 11 - Wednesday 18 November

Directions

Backwater Artists Group and Cork Printmakers are located in the refurbished 19th century warehouses at Wandesford Quay, between Sharman Crawford Street and Clarke's Bridge, 5 minutes walk from Patrick Street.



Front cover clockwise from top left: Mae Holland, Catherine Hehir, Susanne Leutenegger, Grainne Galvin, Marianne Keating, Tanya O' Keefe



This eight day event includes open studios, exhibitions, printmaking demonstrations & artists' talks

**ALL EVENTS ARE FREE TO THE PUBLIC
BOOKING ESSENTIAL**



Backwater Artists Group & Cork Printmakers acknowledge the financial support of the Arts Council and Cork City Council.



Backwater Artists Group

Backwater Artists Group was founded in 1990 by graduates of the Crawford College of Art and Design and is dedicated to providing studios of a professional standard for Visual Artists. It is an equal opportunities art facility. It is committed to addressing issues concerning the practice of Visual Arts and to promoting improved conditions for Artists. There are a total of 27 studios, 21 of which are Painting/Mixed Media and 6 Sculpture.

BACKWATER ARTISTS

Alannah Byrne, Lorraine Cooke, Maureen Considine, Ciarán Cronin, Fiona Dowling, Megan Eustace, Ita Freeney, Mags Geaney, Olivia Hassett, Eileen Healy, Catherine Hehir, Marianne Keating, Tonia Kehoe, William Lawlor, Susanne Leutenegger, Tony Magner, Leo McCann, Donna McNamara, Pamela Myers, Éilis Ní Fhaoláin, Aoife O'Brien, Deirdre O'Brien, Elizabeth O'Callaghan, Tanya O'Keeffe, Máire O'Mahony, Margaret O'Sullivan, Tanya de Paor, Ben Reilly, Chris Samuels and Wesley Triggs.

Opening	Saturday 14 November 12 noon Opening Reception with Tea and Cakes.
Open Studios	Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 November 12 noon - 5pm The artists' studios will be open for viewing to the public in collaboration with Art Trail '09.
Talks	Saturday 14 November 1.00pm Alannah Byrne 2.15pm Elizabeth O'Callaghan 1.25pm William Lawlor 2.40pm Pamela Myers 1.50pm Aoife O'Brien 3.05pm Maureen Considine
Exhibitions	Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 November Claim , an exhibition by Éilis Ní Fhaoláin, opens Friday 13 November at 8pm and an exhibition of work by Susanne Leutenegger, carved-wakened-gathered , opens Sunday 15 November at 3pm. Both exhibitions are open to the public Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 November, then by appointment with the artists until 11 December. Tel: 086 3564813(Éilis) and 086 1959684(Susanne)
Group Tours	11, 12, 13 and 16, 17, 18 November Guided group tours of the studios available. Please book by 3 November. Maximum of two tours per day.

For further details contact: Backwater Artists Group at (021) 4961002
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Cork Printmakers

Cork Printmakers is a permanent, non-profit making fine art print workshop providing facilities, materials, support and artistic opportunities for both established and emerging artists. Activities include national and international exhibitions of members' work, a comprehensive adult education and artist-in-schools programme, as well as public lectures and artist residencies.

An ongoing and changing programme of framed and unframed work by artist members is on show on the second floor and opens to the public all year round.

Demonstrations	Saturday 14 November 1pm Photo Screen-printing with Marianne Keating 2pm Etching with Keith Kennedy 3pm Mono Screen-printing with Peter McMorris
	Sunday 15 November 2pm Relief printmaking with Dave Connolly 3pm Photo Screen-printing with Paul La Rocque
Talks	Saturday 14 November 4.15pm Artist Talk: Sue Cunliffe <i>Born in Preston, UK, Sue is a lecturer at the Crawford College of Art & Design. She exhibits throughout Ireland and abroad, recently showing in the Doswell Gallery, Rosscarbery. In 2009 she was a prizewinner in Impressions, Galway Arts Centre and the Wrexham International Print Exhibition, Wales. Her work is in many collections including U.C.C., Crawford Art Gallery & the RTE Print Collection.</i>
	Sunday 15 November 4pm <i>How to identify a Print</i> with Clare Hennessy <i>Clare is Director of Cork Printmakers.</i>
Exhibitions	11 - 27 November Plastic Heros , an exhibition by Paul La Rocque opens Friday 13 November at 7pm. Open Mon - Fri, 9.30am - 5.30pm; 12pm - 5pm, Saturday 14 Nov & 2pm - 5pm, Sunday 15 Nov.
Group Tours	11, 12, 13 and 16, 17, 18 November Artist members of Cork Printmakers will give guided group tours of the workshop to include a demonstration of one printmaking technique. Tours will include a visit to the printroom to view members' work. Please book by 3 November. Maximum of 2 tours per day.

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