Details

Carve a Stylised Leaf Plaque

When
Sunday 12th & Sunday 19th July 2015
10am to 4pm

Where
Woods Mill, Henfield

Cost
£110 Non-Members
£90 Members

Description
A TWO SESSION course for those who want to learn the basic techniques of woodcarving whilst creating an achievable small relief design. No previous knowledge is required.

What we’ll do
We start by looking at other styles of carving and design, looking at plants from the site or brought in by students, then spend a little time drawing out design ideas. We spend the majority of time carving. Generally we work inside or just outside the classroom if the weather is good. You can sit down to work, but it is often easier to stand.

Basic carving techniques will be demonstrated, it will be explained what tools are needed, how to sharpen them, and the stains and finishes needed to complete the work. You will get one to one help. Handouts will be given on supplier details and tools and finishes required.

The tutor
Janine Creaye has been a full time visual artist for 28 years. Her main skills are wood and stone carving, and drawing. She was born in west Sussex, went north to Newcastle upon Tyne to study Fine Art, Sculpture then when she returned to the southeast she completed an MA in Public Art at Chelsea School of Art in London. She currently lives in Cowfold, which is also where her studio is located.

Suitability and other info
This course is designed primarily for adults; participants aged 14 to 16 years must be accompanied by an adult.

What to bring
Packed lunch and refreshments.
Suitable clothing and footwear for the season.

Getting there
Woods Mill, Shoreham Road, Henfield
BN5 9SD
1.5 miles south of Henfield village on the A2037, 0.5 miles north of Small Dole.

Public transport
No bus service on Sundays.

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