

Mosaic Sculpture and Bird Bath Course

with Kate Rattray

Black Barns Studios, Gorse Blossom Farm, Staplehill Road, Liverton, Devon TQ12 6FU

Two days 10.30 am – 4.30pm

This course is suitable for students with some experience.

Day 1

We will start the day looking at various examples which will be used to discuss methods and techniques as an overview of mosaic sculpture: use of wire and mesh, sculpted concrete mixes, use of junk, polystyrene.

Using pre-cut polystyrene shapes or recycled plastic bottles stuffed with plastic bags we will prepare the surface ready for mosaicing using appropriate materials and adhesives. A talk/demo on sculpting the polystyrene will also be given.

After lunch we will make a small bird bath using wire and mesh and cement mixture.

Day 2

Covering our sculptures in mosaic tile.

After lunch finishing the tiling, grouting and cleaning.

What to bring

Please bring an apron or wear old clothes.

Sketches you have made or ideas for simple designs.

Packed lunch.

- The fee of £180 includes: All materials, use of tools, a file of mosaic notes (emailed after the course), tea and coffee throughout the day.
- If you don't finish your sculptures in the class you will be given materials to finish in your own time.

Directions:

From Exeter: Take the A38 to Plymouth. Turn off at Drum Bridges roundabout and take the third exit to Liverton. Drive through the village on the main road up over the A38 bridge and turn left onto Staplehill Road. Black Barns studios at Gorse Blossom Farm is the third entrance on your right.

From Plymouth: Take the A38 to Exeter. Turn off at Drum Bridges roundabout and take the first exit to Liverton. Drive through the village on the main road up over the A38 bridge and turn left onto Staplehill Road. Black Barns studios at Gorse Blossom Farm is the third entrance on your right.

COVID guidelines

Please do not attend the workshop if you are feeling ill or you have a positive Covid test.
I encourage you to take a home test the day before of morning before the workshop.
To allow space between students there will only be 4 allowed on a course.
You will have a clean disinfected set of tools to use for the day.
Surfaces will be cleaned with a disinfectant spray before the workshop.
Hand gel will be available to use.
Windows will be open unless its too cold and the Covid guidelines allow us to be in closed rooms.
Please bring a mask to wear if you wish.

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Booking form

Name:

Address:

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Date(s) you are intending

email:.....

Please indicate if you are a beginner or have some
experience

Please sign the agreement below:

I understand that in the event of the course being fully booked or cancelled for any reason my payment will be returned in full. (Kate Rattray reserves the right to cancel any course and refund your payment in full)

Kate Rattray will not be liable for any accidents or injury suffered by me or damage to my property whilst on the course.

*** Cancellation: If I cancel my place within 5 days of the course starting I will be subject to a cancellation fee of £15.**

*** If I cancel due to illness or COVID self isolation requirements I will get a full refund.**

Signature:

Date:.....

Please email your form to:
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