

Art and Craft Workshops @ Home Park studios in Calstock

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9th April – Willow Conical plant supports with Lyn Edwards. These decorative conical plant supports provide a practical and attractive feature for both the vegetable or flower garden. Whether for Sweet Peas, Runner beans, Climbing peas or Black Eyed Suzies you will create a stunning structure to suit your practical requirement. 10am - 4pm. Bring savoury lunch to share. Refreshments and cake provided.

10am - 4pm. £35 plus £5 for materials. @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811

10th April - Cushions & Curtains with Chrissy Wallis. Professional tips and techniques to help you design and make your own soft furnishings at a fraction of shop prices 9.30am – 3pm. £25 @ Home Park studio in Calstock - Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811

14th April – Paint techniques and tips - learn from a professional artist. Demonstration and helpful advice in acrylic and oils followed by a workshop 10am – 4pm £35 @ Home Park studio in Calstock - Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811



17th April – ‘Dolly Mixture’ with Sara Pearson

Fairies, ballerinas, mermaids, pirates or a vintage wooden doll. These are just a few of the characters you might like to create. Using a combination of paints, textiles, beads and embellishments you will be able to create a truly unique wooden doll...an heirloom for future generations. This workshop is designed for a child accompanied by a parent/grandparent. A 2.5 hour workshop – £20 for parent and child. Morning or afternoon available - please ring for more details.

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21st April – Textile art Master Class -‘Lavender Walk’ with Rowena

Light. Project designer for Stitch Magazine. Create a book-wrap, Needle-case or mount as a picture. In this workshop you will learn an interesting technique to produce a very textured background. This involves using a sewing machine and free machine work, but a very easy method. Hand stitching on top of this surface will produce the lavender flowers. You will learn wrapping techniques for the lavender stalks and finish it all off with a flurry of beading. You can then use this fabric to make a three-fold needle case, notebook or mount it as a picture.

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24th April – Willow herb baskets with Lyn Edwards.

An ideal beginners project, this basket is perfect for drying herbs and flower heads or as a decorative egg basket. The wire mesh base makes it achievable in a day and can be made with an attractive weave and a choice of coloured willow stems.

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5th May — Textile Art Master class with Rowena Light. ‘Gold on Fabric’

Students will learn how to apply gold, silver and copper leaf onto fabric as well as use embossing powders and transfoil. The fabric can then be used to make a small needle-case, or book wrap, or just a panel to mount on canvas. This is a mainly hand stitch day, but machines can be used to speed things up. I tend to use both in my work. This day includes some design teaching.

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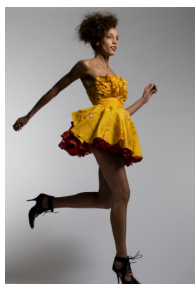
8th May – Mosaics with Kathy Badcock.

Practising the ancient craft of mosaic this exciting one-day workshop will focus on designing and making a beautiful fish plaque to enhance your home or garden. We will be using a variety of materials e.g. tessera, glass, china, beads (Materials will be provided maximum cost £5 - you can of course bring your own) 10am – 4pm. £35.

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14th May - Mixed media art collage with Chrissy Wallis

Using a variety of materials – paper, textiles, paint, net, printing with lino adding embellishment etc., learn how to create beautiful art pieces by building up layers that can be made in miniature form or large wall pieces on canvas. Who is the course for? Those interested in exploring the potential of materials. 10am – 4pm £30 Materials provided. @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811



‘Giselle’

15th May – Revamp your wardrobe with Lucie Ponsford.

Bring items from your wardrobe and learn how to ‘revamp’ them into accessories and simple garments. Updating your wardrobe can be done in the adjustment of a jacket's fit or style or in a radical transformation. Lucie ‘Giselle’ offers the chance to reinvent your favourite worn out memento, or for the sake of the environment reuse the fabric hanging, unworn in the wardrobe.

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19th May - Cushions and curtains

Professional tips and techniques to help you design and make your own soft furnishings at a fraction of shop prices. 9.30 am – 3 pm. £25 @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811

22nd -23rd May – Willow baskets with Lyn Edwards.



Use buff and brown willow to create a strong, practical and beautiful round willow basket. Once learnt the technique can be adapted to a design of your choice. Two days 10.00 – 4.00 pm £60. @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811



Traditional Baskets

9th June – Etuis – Fabric covered boxes with Chrissy Wallis

Based on a Chinese concept of a box within a box, this etui is a small self-contained needlework box, made up of fabric-covered card leaves which, when the lid is removed, open out to reveal all your sewing needs. Etuis were first made by soldiers and seamen in the 19th century. A Kirby box (c.1880) is on display at the Geffrye Museum London. 10am – 4pm. £30 @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811



12th June – Mixed media art collage with Chrissy Wallis

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16th June – Paint techniques and tips Demonstration and helpful advice in acrylic and oils followed by a workshop. 10am – 4pm £35 @ Home Park studio in Calstock - Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811 £35



20th June – The Princess and the Pea – family art workshop with Sara Pearson.

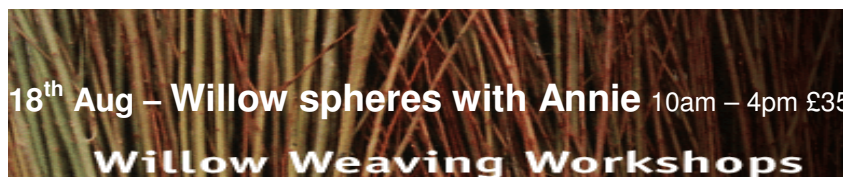
10am – 4pm Come and make an enchanting keepsake and toy. A wooden bed with numerous mattresses with a pretty princess perched on top under a charming patchwork quilt - oh and of course a pea safely hidden! All rounded off with the traditional story. This workshop is designed for a child accompanied by a parent/grandparent. @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811 £30 for a parent and child.

23rd June – Fabric covered boxes with Chrissy Wallis Designing and creating your own special keep sake box with padded lid and embellishments. @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811 10am – 4pm £30



26th June – Textile Art Master class ‘Indian garden’ with

Rowena Light. ‘Gold on Fabric’ Strip and Stitch book wrap. Using an easy bonded appliqué technique students will learn how to construct a base fabric taking colour inspiration from their favourite things, flowers, holiday photos, architecture, landscape etc. This fabric, then embellished with machine and hand embroidery, beading and surface painting if they wish, can be used to produce a fabric wrap for a book or gift. Students should be familiar with their sewing machines although only basic stitching is needed. 10am - 4pm. £35. Bring savoury lunch to share. Refreshments and homemade cake provided! @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811



18th Aug – Willow spheres with Annie 10am – 4pm £35

Willow Weaving Workshops



Annie has been making baskets for the past fourteen years. She lives and works on the North Devon coast, growing her own, but also using willow from the Somerset levels. Create your own beautiful, sculptural ball for the home or garden using brown and coloured willow. The balls may be large or small and once finished may be suspended from a tree or weighted with pebbles. This workshop is suitable for complete beginners or accomplished basket makers alike. @ Home Park studio in Calstock Contact Chrissy Wallis 01822 832811