



Gallery Newsletter

October 2019



Beverley Black

Welcome to the last main Newsletter of the year. In this edition we are featuring some of our handcrafted Textiles (winter around the corner ..) & offering a taster for the stunning work of some of the artists exhibiting in our annual **Autumn 'Out There In Torridon' Exhibition** which runs throughout October.

In November there will be a quick review of our year at the Gallery as we look to a whole new decade. And no doubt a reminder or two that we are open in the runup to Christmas, for original gifts for you and your family to discover.

Many of our regular artists have had a busy season with their own shows across Scotland and participating in regular arts festivals from Fife to Sutherland. New collaborations evolving between different disciplines and locations. We hope these have been exciting & creative occasions for everyone. And all this despite so many disturbing un-certainties surrounding our future. It is incredibly affirming that the desire and inherent need to engage with our creativity where ever we are, is so alive ! And when this ripples out through someone purchasing our work the positive knock on is significant. Just recently I heard of work that has gone from Wester Ross to Nevada. Love it !

We were very happy to host the travelling Munro Legacy Exhibition through September. It has been much enjoyed by locals and visitors. It is good to see our upstairs Meeting space being well utilised.

Sheila Bates

Our range of textiles currently includes work from Lorraine Newman, Lynn Bennett Mackenzie, Alison West, Sheila Bates, Jane Burns, Jean Stewart ,Mairi Young , Jenni Cowley Beth Stockl , Susie Anderson & Margaret Maunder.

Alison West ~
detail of hand knitted shawl



Lorraine Newman ~
detail of ropework bowl



Lynn Bennett Mackenzie &
Sheila Bates ~
detail of silk & felt scarves



The work of other local makers in wood, stone ,ceramics ,glass, horn & silver can all be found here too.

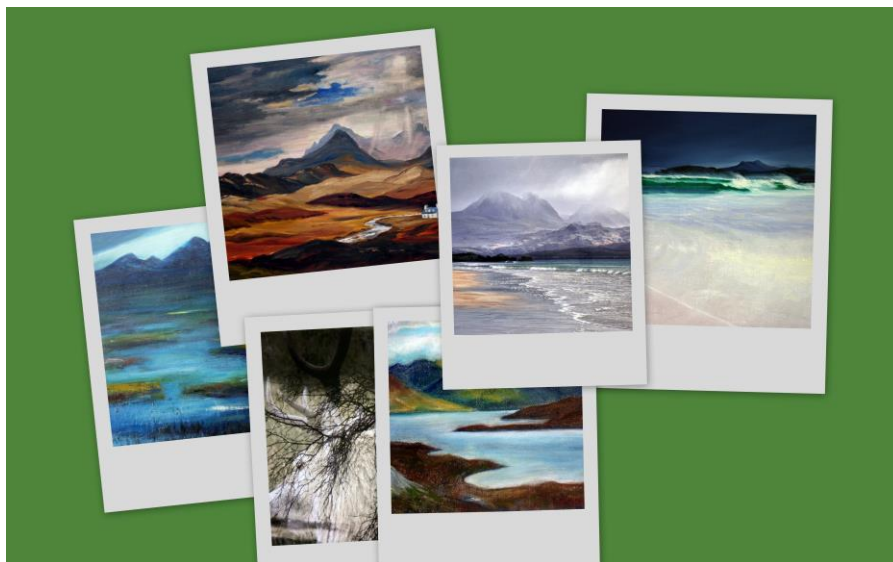


Unique
sculpture
Helen Christie



Delicate dried
flower work
Margaret
Maunder

Among the many artists who will be showing new work in October are Beverley Black, Clare Blois, Liz Joss, Sarah Dunton, Vicky Barrett Webb, Aileen Grant, Gillian Pattinson, Les Bates and maybe even Sheila Bates!



When we put out the invitation to artists for a new Exhibition, there are always a few nerves as to how large the response will be! Will we be able to fill the walls? Well, thankfully it is always yes..... So thank you, to you all for continuing to bring your work in and for being part of this community venture.

Last Food and Craft Market of the year

October 24th 10 am - 3 pm

Summer

24 March – 31 Oct

Mon- Sat 10 -4pm

Closed Sunday

Winter

Nov – March

Mon, Wed, Fri. 11 – 3 pm

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