

January/February 2023

Happy New Year from Breakdown Bolton!

We hope you are well and looking forward to all the opportunities a new year brings.

As Breakdown Bolton enters its seventh year, we are trying to look ahead to the opportunities a new year can bring and would like to introduce you to our annual theme of 'Connected'.

We will run many of our courses of workshops across this year using this theme as a base for our concepts, ideas and workshops.

We hope that you will connect with us soon!

What's on in 2023?

FREE ENTRY & OPEN TO ALL

MIXED ARTS EXHIBITION

OPEN:
 TUESDAY 31ST JAN 2023
 WEDNESDAY 1ST FEB 2023
 THURSDAY 2ND FEB 2023
 FRIDAY 3RD FEB 2023

TIMES:
 11AM-3PM

JOIN US FOR THIS EXHIBITION AND SEE SOME OF THE FANTASTIC WORK CREATED TO RAISE AWARENESS OF CANCER AND THE IMPORTANCE OF ATTENDING REGULAR SCREENINGS.

AT:
 BREAKDOWN BOLTON
 12 ST ANDREW'S COURT
 BOLTON
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INCLUDING A SHOWCASE OF WORK FROM THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- EMBROIDERY
- LIFE DRAWING
- CREATIVE WRITING
- DIGITAL ART
- PLUS MORE...

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ANSWER CANCER

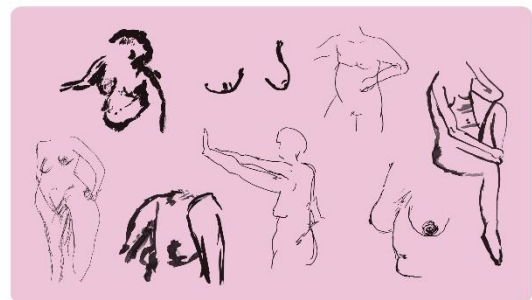
Flyer featuring details of our upcoming exhibition!

Answer Cancer Exhibition

Join us at the end of January/early February for a celebration of all the work created during our project raising awareness of cancer and the importance of cancer screenings in Greater Manchester. A big thank you to Answer Cancer and Salford CVS for making this project possible. Please note that this exhibition will left installed for a little longer, if you would like to pop by and see it please email breakdownbolton@outlook.com

We also have postcards of artwork created as part of this project available for you to take away for free to share with someone who you may want to remind to get that all important screening! Example below.

be your own _____ *breast friend*



and give 'em _____ *a feel*

Postcard designed by Breakdown Bolton Artist Kitty Hopking.

Out of the Cold: 4 Mixed Arts workshops

As we have been lucky enough to receive funding from the Asda Foundation we are able to announce a block of 4 mixed arts, discussion and creative writing workshops on the themes of 'warmth' and 'cost of living crisis'. To book onto these workshops please visit our Eventbrite for details.

Bolton's Fund Upcycling Project with Emmaus Bolton



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The group at Emmaus Bolton in action creating their own aprons.

This upcycling and textiles project funded by **Bolton's Fund** is on going and takes place at Emmaus Bolton on Tuesday mornings 11am-1pm. If you would like more information, please contact us or keep an eye on Eventbrite for new openings in the course.

Evening & Weekend Workshops with Guest Artist Caroline Coates.

We are lucky enough to be able to offer several arts classes on a weekend and evening led by guest artist Caroline Coates, who we have worked with on several projects previously and who also commissioned us to sell her work at our Art Market in December 2022. There are a variety of dates and topics for these workshops and the cost for each one varies. One thing is for sure you are guaranteed refreshments, a warm welcome and a good time! Please see our Eventbrite for full details of the sessions we have available which

include Screen printing, Macrame and Jesmonite.

SCREEN PRINTING WORKSHOP



Join local artist Caroline Coates for an **Intro to Screen Printing Workshop**.

This step by step beginner's introduction will take you step by step through the process of screen printing to create your own screen printed bag.

SATURDAY MARCH 11TH FROM 2.00 TO 5.00PM

Light refreshments provided. Price is £25 and includes all supplies.

Venue: St. Andrew's Court (former Coffee & Cake Cafe)
Brought to you by Breakdown Bolton



Book your place on Eventbrite:
www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/screen-printing-with-caroline-coates-tickets-524724644537
or email breakdownbolton@outlook.com

One of Caroline's workshops which can be booked via Eventbrite.

Festive Art Market Success

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who contributed to making our festive Art Market a success. This includes all of our participants, the artists who allowed us to sell their work and all of those who attended the market. We enjoyed it thoroughly and are pleased to say there will be a festive art market 2023 and we hope to see you there! Thank you!

Stay Connected!

Don't forget that even when workshops aren't happening there are many ways you can keep up to date with what's happening at Breakdown Bolton. Please follow us on our social media platforms. Every like, comment, and share counts! Don't forget to follow our Eventbrite too. We appreciate your support ever so much!



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