

# November

*newsletter*



**SWADS  
CHRISTMAS  
FAYRE**  
@ 15 THE ARCADE  
THE BRUNEL  
SHOPPING CENTRE  
SWINDON  
SN1 1LF

**MON 27<sup>th</sup> NOV  
THU  
SAT 2<sup>nd</sup> DEC**

**10AM - 4PM**

**HANDMADE GIFTS  
ARTS AND CRAFTS  
EXHIBITION  
CHRISTMAS  
COLOURING FOR  
CHILDREN  
BOLLYWOOD  
WORKSHOP  
MUSIC JAM SESSIONS  
DIGITAL AUDIO  
WORKSHOP  
(ALL PROCEEDS GO TO  
SWADS WELLBEING  
CHARITY)**



## SWADS Christmas Fayre 2017

The Brunel shopping centre host our Christmas Fayre from Monday 27th Nov through until Saturday 2nd December from 10-4pm daily. This is a great way to showcase the many diverse ways that SWADS currently works with improving the lives of Swindonians using wellbeing centred projects.

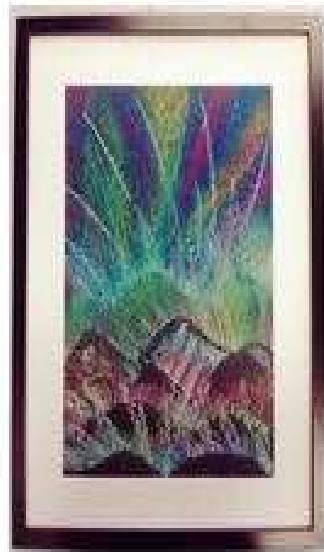
During the week you will be able to catch live Music with SWADS band "The Mature Mondays" on Tuesday morning and Thursday afternoon with an open jam session planned for Saturday 11 am.

Also, there will be a Bollywood Dancing workshop on Tuesday at 12 pm.

Richie will be available all day Saturday to talk and show The Studio One Program.

Once again SWADS has kindly been given the use of a shop in the Brunel centre and Our resident Artist Sue will be around Wednesday afternoon to help and advise with anything Arty or Crafty!

There will also be Handmade Gifts for sale and Children's Christmas colouring workshops.  
Come along and get involved!



Artwork of the month

A pastel picture of the Northern Lights by Claire

Well done Claire.

*Here's some more great artwork from Pat using acrylic and pastels, and an 'Elf on the Shelf' by Liz which will be for sale at the Christmas Fayre.*





### Coate Water

We have a very lovely member of the art room who shared with me that he likes to go on long walks around Coate Water Country Park. He goes to take in the fresh air, open countryside and mindfully notice the changing of the seasons. The really great thing about this conversation is when he tells me that he takes photographs of Coate water throughout the year and captures the awesome beauty of nature.

We are so lucky in Swindon to have so many public country parks and even the unspoiled countryside right on our doorstep.

The lovely gentleman has agreed to share his photographs with us (I've seen them, and they are awesome!)

We are going to get some printed and hold an exhibition of his photographs showing Coate Water throughout the seasons.

Keep watching this space for more information about when the exhibition will take place.

Barb x




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*The Art and Soul Radio Show at The Sound Of SWADS on Swindon 105.5 is one year old!*

*On the 9<sup>th</sup> November 2016 the very first Art and Soul Radio Show was kindly broadcast by Swindon's community radio station 105.5 and this November the 2<sup>nd</sup> it was ONE-YEAR-OLD Hooray !!!*

*We continue to put out our SWADS Radio Show, with its mix of music, news and interviews from around SWADS and Swindon on the first Tuesday of each month at 10-11am on Swindon 105.5 and it is repeated on the first Wednesday of each month at 6-7pm in the evening.*

*You can find all 12 monthly programs at The SWADS YouTube Channel just follow the link below*

*If you would like to be involved with the radio show you can call Mike on 01793 695405 to discuss arrangements.*

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0GRU1Y1YFaqLAWwF1Ug>