

# Celebrating 125 years ESSEX ART CLUB

PRESIDENT: JOHN TOOKEY PS.

[www.essexart.club](http://www.essexart.club)

Founded 1899.

## Newsletter 45



### **Christmas Party** **15 December**



**Wanstead House Ground Floor**  
**Starts 12-30 & finishes 4.00pm**

Members may each bring along a guest.  
The bar will be open for you to buy drinks including tea and coffee.  
Please bring along finger food either sweet or savoury and we will provide plates etc.

There will be a quiz to entertain you while you eat, just for fun and not too serious.  
Bring along some of your Sketch books for display.  
We hold a Painting competition for members with cash prizes. One entry per member.  
Members and guests vote for their favourite.

Raffle: Donations welcome eg surplus Art Material, Books, CDs, DVDs, Booze. Tickets £1 or 5 for £4  
Magazine exchange bring one, take one.

## Nov 2024

## Club News

Dear Members

We have had several new members joining our group during the exhibitions this year and some old members are back so membership is now around 70.

The committee continues to run things **but**

## Help is still Needed.

The club still has several vacancies on the committee and it would be a good time to offer your help. Times are changing and with less numbers in our membership over recent years the work required to keep the club running is now falling on a smaller number of people. If we are to survive as a club we need help taking on some of these tasks. An occasional few hours is all we ask.

### Essex Art Club on Instagram

Search `essex_art_club_`  
Contact Mandy Tibbitts

### Club Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/essexartclub>  
Contact Sue Mayne  
[sue.mayne@btinternet.com](mailto:sue.mayne@btinternet.com)

### Members website

[www.essexart.club](http://www.essexart.club)  
Contact  
[JohnKing:johnaking@btinternet.com](mailto:JohnKing:johnaking@btinternet.com)  
Members can send in material for these club sites, recent work, exhibitions, Gallery info, painting meet ups/ locations etc

## SUNDAY DEMONSTRATIONS

Wanstead House Hall

The Green, Wanstead E11 2NT

members £3.50 non-members £5.00

2024

24 November  
Paul Alcock  
Coastal Scene in Oil

15 December  
Christmas Party

2025

26 January  
Graham Webber  
Boats in Oils

23 February  
Melanie Cambridge  
Adventures in Gouache

23 March  
AGM before Demo  
Mark Warner  
Seascape in Acrylic

27 April  
Sonia Villiers  
Townscape in Acrylics

## Our next Sunday Demonstration

**Paul Alcock showing us  
how he tackles a  
Coastal Scene in Oils  
on  
24 November  
2-30 to 4-30pm  
at Wanstead House Hall.**

## Club Dates

### Sunday Painting Sessions

Try our  
**St Barnabas painting group.**

At St Barnabas Church Hall near Woodford Station. There's free parking on site accessed in Snakes Lane East while Woodford tube station is only a couple of minutes walk away and the 275 bus stop is even closer.

2.00pm-4.30pm with a break for tea, coffee and biscuits. Please bring all necessary equipment, NO turps allowed in the hall.

Members £4.00 Non-members £5.00

### Sunday dates for 2024

**17 Nov, 8 Dec.**

Details are on your membership card, our new club website [www.essexart.club](http://www.essexart.club) or Contact John Woolliams for more details  
0208 504 1709

### EAC member Nataly Kenny

is having a solo art display at the Stow Brothers' office in High Street Wanstead, 117A High St, London E11 2RL from 14 November to 8 January 2025

She will be showcasing her new artworks and some from last year. She looks forward to some of our members popping along to see her work over the next eight weeks.

[www.natalykennyfineart.com](http://www.natalykennyfineart.com)  
[www.instagram.com/natalykennyfineart](https://www.instagram.com/natalykennyfineart)

## Art Exhibition Dates in London and the South East

### 15 to 24 November

ING Discerning Eye Ex  
at the Mall Gallery SW1

### 28 November to 14 December

Royal Institute of Oil Painters  
at the Mall Gallery SW1

### 22 January to 8 February 2025

Pastel Society Annual Ex  
at the Mall Gallery SW1

### 20 November to 1 December

Designer Craft  
at Bankside Gallery SE1

### 28 November to 1 June 2025

Electric Dreams: Art & Technology before the internet

at Tate Britain Millbank SW1

### Until 16 February 2025

Turner Prize 2024  
at Tate Modern Bankside SE1

### 28 November to 1 June 2025

Expressionists: Kandinsky, Münter and the Blue Rider

at Tate Modern Bankside SE1

### Until 19 January

Van Gogh: Poets and Lovers  
at National Gallery WC2

### Until 16 February 2025

Michelangelo, Leonardo, Raphael: Florence, c.1504

at Royal Academy of Arts W1

### Until 8 March 2026

Anna Ancher (1859-1935) Dutch Artist  
at Dulwich Picture Gallery SE21

### Until 2 March 2025

Lost Gardens of London,  
at The Garden Museum SE1

### 27 November to 13 December

Daisy Sims Hilditch, In the Moment  
at the Portland Gallery SW1A

### 30 January to 14 February 2025

Ken Howard, Drawn from Life  
at the Portland Gallery SW1A

### Until 30 November

British Artist Paul Wright: An Intimate look at Sir Winston Churchill's life in the lobby at the Hyatt Regency Hotel, The Churchill in London

### 7 December to 5 January 2025

Christmas Exhibition: various artists inc Graham Webber ROI IEA  
at the Thompson Gallery Aldeburgh IP15 5AN

# Subscription Form for Essex Art Club 2025

## Your Subscription for 2025 becomes due on January 1 2025

**It is £20 per annum if paid before 31 January, £25 if paid thereafter.**

Would you complete the form below and return it along with your cheque or postal order made payable to ESSEX ART CLUB. [see below for payment via bank.](#)

Everyone who subscribes will receive their new Membership Card after the AGM along with four Newsletters. Please note if Subscriptions are not paid for two years, your name will be deleted from the membership list.

I would be pleased if you could answer the following questions on/with your Subscription Form:-

### 1. Club Committee Posts

Are you interested in taking up a club committee post?

There are several available at present, speak to Mary Springham for further details

### 2. Suggested Amendments to the Club's Constitution

Please enclose these on a separate sheet of paper with your subscription form.

**3. Club Bank Payment details :** Sort: 30-16-64, A/C 00086469. [Use your name as reference](#) [Please still return form below if making payment via bank](#)

Herewith my subscription to ESSEX ART CLUB for 2025:- £20 (before 31 Jan)

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I wish to receive the EAC Newsletter by email.

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Date

[Have any of your details changed](#)

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No

Please tick

[Please let us know if you change your email address as your newsletters will not arrive.](#)

**Please return this form no later than January 31 2025**

Return to Mrs Mary Springham, 5 Linden Crescent, Woodford Green, IG8 0DG Treasurer

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## CHRISTMAS PARTY 2024

The party will be held on **SUNDAY 15 DECEMBER** starting at 12.30pm on the ground floor in **Wanstead House**. Finish around 4.00pm.

Please bring finger food, sweet or savoury and for **members only one picture** for the painting competition. There are prizes !!!

The bar will be open for the sale of drinks (and coffee or tea) until about 3.30pm.

There will be a quiz and a raffle. If you have a gift to donate to the raffle please just bring it along when you come. Please bring along some of your sketchbooks to look at as these provide extra interest along with your painting for the competition.

It helps if I know approximately how many people are coming so could you please let me know yes or nay and mention if you wish to bring a guest.

To be returned to Mary Springham, 5 Linden Crescent, Woodford Green, IG8 0DG

Or email [springhammary@gmail.com](mailto:springhammary@gmail.com)

Member name

YES I am coming to the party

I am bringing a guest YES/NO

NO I am unable to attend