



12 January to 27 March
Tudor Stafford HISTORY EXHIBITION

A rare glimpse into the life of the county town and its people during the turbulent years of the Tudors.

Supported by SAMS, County Records Office, the William Salt Library and local collections.



16 March to 09 April
Staffordshire and Beyond

Sue Chatterton,
John and Eleanor Cathcart

A selection of the latest paintings by three Stafford based artists.



06 April to 22 May
Stafford in the Reign of George V HISTORY EXHIBITION

One hundred years on from the accession of George V - a look back to reveal Stafford's lost generation.

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13 April to 24 April
Stafford Photographic Society

Annual exhibition of members work in monochrome and colour with a broad spectrum of images.



27 April to 08 May
Landscape Themes and Variations
 Lisa Henderson

Recent paintings and drawings exploring landscape and land forms around the world.



11 May to 29 May
Annual Selected Exhibition
 Stafford Art Group

The best selected work in all media produced by members of Stafford Art Group.



25 May to 03 July
Dunkirk 70 Years On HISTORY EXHIBITION

The 'Miracle of Dunkirk' as seen through the eyes of Stafford's fighting forces and those serving on the Home Front.

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02 June to 19 June
Painting for Pleasure

An exhibition of paintings and embroidery by members of Community Learning, run by Stafford College.



08 June to 19 June
Wedding Photography
 Jon Thorne

Spectacular contemporary wedding imagery. Jon uses his experience to capture those most important emotional and unscripted moments; from bridal preparation to the first dance.

Sponsor of the Ancient High House's 2010 wedding promotion portfolio photographs.

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22 June to 03 July
First Hand
 Clare Lord

A collection of drawings and paintings all based on direct observation by the artist. In working first hand, Clare seeks to capture the whole experience of being in the landscape.



06 July to 31 July
In Harmony
 John and Lesley Stanton and Art for All Group of Artists

A selection of 2D paintings by John and Lesley Stanton, together with work from the amateur artists John teaches.



10 July to 30 October
The Battle of Britain: Some of the 'Few' HISTORY EXHIBITION

The un-assuming heroes who preserved our freedom during the summer of 1940.

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03 August to 14 August
Scapes
 Emma Pearsall

A photographic collection of views of the world we live in.



17 August to 28 August
Natural Beauty
 Val Bradey

Watercolour paintings of nature's natural beauty, including seascapes, landscapes and animals.



01 September to 18 September
Slip into Home
 Carole Glover

Stimulated by food and drink, Carol's slip-decorated pots compliment the needs of nature's beauty by providing a constantly changing picture.



07 September to 18 September
Sacred Icons
 John Malia

In the Rose Gallery, the theme of John's paintings and drawings are Cathedrals, Churches and Abbeys.



21 September to 09 October
Whiskers on Kittens II [the cat is back]
 Derek Tamea

A chance to view another collection of Derek's favourite pictures, taken over the last 40 years.



12 October to 06 November
The Aviation Art of Tony Smith and Friends

An array of aviation themed painting and models, with art from Tony's friends.



09 November to 20 November
Stafford Reminiscences

HISTORY EXHIBITION

Local historians Roger Butters and Nick Thomas record reminiscences of Staffordians for inclusion in 'A Complete History of Stafford'.

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09 November to 11 January 2011
Stafford Through the Ages

HISTORY EXHIBITION

An historical voyage through Stafford Town's past, from prehistory through to the mid-twentieth century.

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23 November to 04 December
Far from Reality Pedro Ojeda

A varied selection of surreal acrylic paintings by this Spanish artist, from portraits to landscapes and beyond.



07 December to 24 December
The Art of Spirit Ann Davies

Paranormally produced paintings and drawings with spirit artist Ann Davies. 'Death but entombs the body: life the soul' William Blake, Night III, 1796 - 1797.



16 November to 24 December
Christmas Presents Past

A nostalgic trip down memory lane, see what was in Father Christmas's sack throughout the 1900s.

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OPEN Tuesday to Saturday 10.00am to 4.00pm
 Free admission [with the exception of some events].

Art at the Ancient High House

View the work of local artists in the beautiful surroundings of this Tudor building. Much of the work will be for sale - a great opportunity to pick up an original and unique piece of art. For more information on exhibiting your own artwork, call 01785 619 131.

Access for Disabled People

Because of the many steps, access to the House is extremely difficult for people with severe mobility impairment. However, guides are always willing to give any assistance possible.

If you need this information in large print, Braille, other language or on audio cassette please contact 01785 619 000 or email customercontactcentre@staffordbc.gov.uk

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