

Real Arts Workshops provide bespoke creative arts workshops in Wolverhampton and the wider Black Country area that break down barriers and develop confidence and self-expression.

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## Places on our #YES Feb Half Term Project

We've expanded our February Half Term Arts Activities for 10-16s 21-25 February 2022.

We are extremely grateful to City of Wolverhampton Council and YES (Youth Engagement Strategy Board) for funding our February Half Term Activities for young people.

We have been able to expand this project and have more spaces available. The sessions start on 21st Feb so please share this across your networks as we'd love to be oversubscribed.

We'll be doing a wide range of creative activities and some BSL (British Sign Language) learning for 10-16s living in Wolverhampton. Sessions are free and include all materials and a packed lunch and are being delivered at The Workspace and ASAN, All Saints Road, Wolverhampton.

Call 07882 685923 or visit our website for a consent form.

Funded by City of Wolverhampton Council and the Youth Engagement Strategy Board

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### Feb Half Term Arts Activities 2022

Are you a resident of Wolverhampton?  
Are you aged 10-16?  
Come and try a wide range of FREE\* art & craft activities this half term!

\*BSL (British Sign Language) taught too!

- Have fun!
- Try something new
- Quality art materials are provided
- Meet new friends
- Previous art skills not necessary
- Packed lunch is included
- Young people with SEND are welcome

Spaces are limited and MUST be pre-booked. See below.

All sessions led by RAW and held at ASAN WORKSPACE

Mon 21st – Fri 25th February  
10am-2.30pm each day.

To book: Sessions held at ASAN Workspace, All Saints Rd, Wolverhampton WV2 1EL. Deaf accessible  
Email: RealArtsWorkshops@gmail.com or Phone/Txt/WhatsApp: 07882 685923

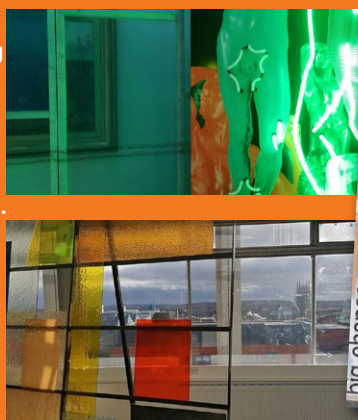
## #BAS9: BRITISH ART SHOW 9

Alex Vann from RAW is delighted to have been appointed Public Engagement Ambassador for British Art Show 9. This contemporary art show is organized by Hayward touring gallery and comes around every 5 years.

Wolverhampton has been chosen as a venue this time because of its cultural diversity and because of the world renowned collections of Black Arts Movement and the Troubles in Ireland at the Art Gallery.

Alex's role is to encourage the public to engage with the exhibition and deliver a series of practical workshops for social prescribing service staff. In the first session link workers created the wonderful hot air balloon newspaper mosaic shown.

Catch up on regular updates with this project on our own social media – Instagram, Twitter and Facebook (links below) and also the #BAS9 hashtag.



## Mossley Community Arts Club

We continue to deliver this weekly session with adults interested in learning about a wide range of artists; art techniques; crafts and BSL. Some recent pictures from the sessions shown here, including a Frida Kahlo project where we all learnt about this fascinating artist and attempted 'Self Portraits' with a difference. This project is funded by Mossley Big Local.



Watch a video about this project: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E3JzdrwhbEc>



## Winter #HAF 2021

We delivered a week of activities for young people in Wolverhampton as part of this Department of Education funded initiative just before Christmas. Here are a few photos of the participants wonderful artwork.



There was a healthy eating aspect to this project because of the HAF funding so we found ways to integrate art with that theme.



## In Other News

Alex Vann from RAW led a workshop for the "Creativity After Covid" project funded by Arts Council England.

These are a series of online workshops led by practitioners of various creative arts practices and Alex focused his session on music, singing and song writing as ways of coping with long covid type symptoms.

He performed 4 of his own songs and even managed to create a new song using lyrics submitted by attendees in the chat window of the call.



You can watch the session on YouTube here:

<https://youtu.be/JMu3aHh2x0I>

## GET IN TOUCH!

We'd love to work with you on creative projects for people of all ages and abilities

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