

News from Art Café & Forza 9



"ART OF A JOURNEYMAN"
Exhibition by John Jones
Forza 9 Gallery, Polis Chrysochous
10 April – 6 May 2009

Art that invites to be touched. Art that is visual and tactile that responds to its own skin. The work of artist/writer John Jones can be characterised as sculptural paintings. According to the artist "the physical nature of being is all about touch" and therefore his work represents the physical nature of art.

The striking visual impact of the canvasses reflects the strong influence of theatre on the artist. The Zen-like simplicity of the design combined with the 3-dimensional effects results in powerful art work that is one of a kind.

The canvasses are pure acrylic compound whereas the 'rose' canvasses are in a cement based compound.

John Jones was born in Bradford, West Yorkshire, England in 1950. Currently he resides in Devon, England. Besides painting John's other interests are photography and writing.



Jones has exhibited at Chenil Gallery, Kings Road Chelsea. In 1984 he was the resident artist at Bickleigh Mill Devon. John's works have sold in Australia, USA and Europe. His previous projects include theatre design, musical and dramatic theatre.

John Jones attends annual fiestas in Cataluña, Spain where his work is very well received. This April his latest work is coming to Cyprus.

Commissions can be taken for all the works displayed.

The official opening of the show Art of a Journeyman is on Saturday, 10th of April at 7PM. The exhibition will run until May 6th.

Forza 9 Gallery is located in the centre of Polis Chrysochous, around the corner of the main square. Forza 9 Gallery is open Mo - Sa from 10AM - 3PM and 6 - 9PM. Call for more information: 99127428 or visit www.artgallery-forza9.com



"FROM HERE AND THERE"
Exhibition by Marcia Worth
Art Cafe Kivotos 3000 Polis
Chrysochous
25 April, 7pm Opening - 12 May

Marcia was born in the UK and lived in Devon most of her life until moving to Cyprus on retirement. She developed her art since raising a family.

She is a versatile artist, using several mediums and subjects (figurative, landscape, still life and portraits, abstracts, also stitched textiles and mosaics). She had a lifelong interest in art so at the age of 50 she did "Access to the Arts" at Dartington Hall, U.K., followed by a Foundation Course, both of which resulted in distinctions. This led to a City and Guilds "Creative Stitch Course" part 1 and 2 for four years, again passing with distinction. She also taught drawing and painting for ten years, mostly Adult Education.



Her work has sold all over the world from sales at exhibitions and commissions. She has won several competitions, two being "The Telegraph Paint a Pub" which was displayed at The Mall Gallery in London, and another at Exeter Hospital, the subject being flowers.



Moving to Cyprus opened up yet more opportunities for exhibitions, several at the EnPlo in Paphos Harbour. She also takes part in the

Open Studio event which is held each year. Cyprus has a wealth of subjects and the beauty of the countryside has inspired her to develop more of her oil painting.

Opening at the Art Cafe Kivotos 3000, Polis Chrysochous, opposite police station, on 25th April at 7pm.

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