



HOLLOWAY ART LENDING LIBRARY

Update – June 2017

Here is the June update from the Holloway Art Lending Library (HALL)!

We had a fantastic summer lending session at Resource for London ([map](#)) from 9-11 June. Thanks to everyone who came along. If you missed it, the collection will be exhibited in Resource for London's first floor gallery until our next lending session scheduled for **8-10 September**.

Here is a photo of a member borrowing Bridget H. Jackson's 'Converge'. [Visit our Facebook page](#) to see more and please like us while you're there!

There was an article about HALL in the Islington Tribune highlighting the work of Tinsel Edwards. Unfortunately, there were a few errors in the report, one of which stated that pieces in the collection are available to rent. We have been in touch with Emily Finch to correct this, as we do not charge members rent, and she has amended the online version of the piece. [Here is a link](#) to the online article.

They also failed to mention that Tinsel has a [book](#) coming out about art and housing in London!



A member borrows Bridget H. Jackson's 'Converge'

people feel better," Annette says. "For example, just tinting someone's eyelashes and eyebrows and making it complement their hair colour, can make someone leave with a smile on their face and with more confidence. I like to do this so this is the perfect job for me." Annette Garces, business engagement manager at St Luke's says: "She started this two and a half days a week but in last month, she's now working three days a week. I think it's been successful." The programme sponsored law firm Slaughter and May supported 27 businesses of which 18 are still trading. More information about St Luke's Community Centre at: www.slcc.org.uk and Annette's therapies by emailing her at: labouthetherapies@gmail.com

More information about these events including the walk which meets every Wednesday at 11.15am in front of the Whittington Park Cafe at: www.whittingtonparkcafe.org.uk/

Borrow a piece of art from the library
ARTWORKS including those made by an artist featured in a Banksy exhibition will be up for rent when the Holloway Art Lending Library opens this weekend. The library will allow members of the public to rent pieces by high-profile and amateur artists for a period of three months. The project, which is in its second year and volunteer-run, will have a piece by Tinsel Edwards available to rent which was previously featured in Banksy's Dismaland, the graffiti artist's dystopian parody of Disneyland in Weston-super-Mare. "It's just a way of making art more accessible and not a commodity or investment," says Amy Dunnigan, founder of the lending library. "It's so you can enjoy something without committing." Membership is free and open to anyone over 16 who is living or working in Islington, Camden, Haringey or Hackney. There are more than 100 artworks by 28 artists available to rent. Other works include photo prints of people walking in Holloway Road by Anne-Marie Salmon. The artworks can be viewed at Resource for London, 356 Holloway Road, N7, from 10am to 4pm on Saturday and Sunday. More information at: www.artlending.org.uk/

Reports by Emily Finch

A number of people came along after having seen the article, and we were delighted to welcome these new members! Please accept our apologies for any confusion the article caused.

If you haven't already, you can register in advance to borrow from the art lending library. [Click here](#) and complete the short form. And then just bring your photo ID and proof of address along with you to the next lending session in order to borrow an original work of art for three months, free of charge.

Thank you for your generous donations to the HALL framing fund! Each quarter new and existing artists will be able to apply to use the fund to frame new work. We have already relaunched the campaign for the next quarter. [Here is a link](#) to the JustGiving page.

Erroneous news is better than no news!

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