

**Project Workshops** is a vibrant centre for the visual arts in Quarley near Andover, Hampshire. It is home to over a dozen artists who create a unique range of sculpture, furniture, ceramics, pottery, glass vessels and paintings.

### Christmas Shopping Weekend 2012

**8th and 9th December: 10am till 4pm**

Join us for a free glass of wine and a mince pie!

Once again the resident artists are hosting our popular Christmas Show at Project Workshops, Quarley. This is a great opportunity to take some time out to chat to the artists, see the fabulous work they create and buy unique gifts for friends and family. A free glass of wine and mince pies will be waiting for all our visitors.



A Warm Welcome in the Project Workshops Atrium

There will be a huge range of bespoke, original art work on show and plenty of shopping opportunities too. The Talos Art Foundry will be open, displaying beautiful bronze sculptures which have been made using the centuries-old 'lost wax' method. And why not drop in on the amazing glassblowing demonstrations given by our resident glassmakers Mark Taylor and David Hill.

Many of the Project Workshops artists offer lessons and demonstrations for groups, including pottery, glassblowing, stone carving and painting – a voucher for a day or weekend course can make an original and popular Christmas gift idea. Activities such as Yoga, Pilates and Life Drawing, as well as wonderful workshops in the Life Studio



Amy Goodman's Studio

activity space, can be booked in advance. The Christmas Shopping Weekend runs from the 8th to 9th of December 2012, so put the dates in your diary now!

Entry to Project Workshops is free and there is ample free parking and disabled toilet facilities. Large parties and children under supervision are very welcome.

For further details of the Christmas Sale and information on lessons, courses and events in the Life Studio, visit the Project Workshop website:

[www.project-workshop.co.uk](http://www.project-workshop.co.uk)



Glassblowing Demonstration by Mark Taylor

## Amy Goodman - Sculptor and Portrait Artist

Artist Amy Goodman has had several prominent commissions recently, including the 'Pegasus' sculptures - three powder-coated equestrian pieces, made from welded steel with stainless steel mesh. They were commissioned in 2012 by London & County (Nottingham) LLP and have recently been installed at Flying Horse Mall in Nottingham, a newly renovated shopping arcade in the city.

Amy, whose work has featured in many publications, including Country Life and The Times, has also had several exhibitions across France and the UK. Both a sculptor and a portrait artist, Amy specialises in welded steel and bronze sculpture.

Amy Goodman and Pegasus'



## Robyn Golden-Hann - Letter Cutter

Local stone carver and letter cutter Robyn Golden Hann has recently been commissioned to design and carve a memorial stone for Horatio's Garden at the Duke of Cornwall's Spinal Treatment Centre, Salisbury Hospital. Robyn was delighted to be able to source the Chilmark Stone through Salisbury Cathedral and worked closely with the Cathedral's stone sawyer, Gary Price, to create a beautiful memorial that sits in the centre of the garden. The garden, named in memory of Horatio Chapple who died aged 17 in Norway last year, will be used by patients at the centre.

Robyn also specialises in individually designed lettering and stone carving and her commissions include memorials, headstones, gravestones, plaques, monuments and public inscriptions.

Robyn Golden Hann works on the memorial for Horatio's Garden at Salisbury Hospital

## Soraya French - Artist

Soraya's two day and three day workshops attract artists travelling from as far and wide as South Africa and Spain, as well as from many parts of the UK.

For 2013 she will be running contemporary art workshops as in previous years within her beautiful workshop at Project Workshops, half of which are already booked. These are small and very personal workshops designed to encourage both new and established artists to push their own boundaries further. A light lunch will also be included. The following dates are available:

February 23-24th 2013: Introduction to Acrylics including inks. £200 - two places left

March 23-24th 2013: Experimental Flowers and Landscapes. £200 - two places left

May 18-19th. 2013: Cityscapes with or without Figures. £200 - some places left

July 24-25th. 2013: Exciting Textures in Landscapes. £200 - some places left

Please see [www.sorayafrench.com](http://www.sorayafrench.com) for additional workshops.:

'Mothers Meeting' by Soraya French



Inside Soraya's Studio



Glass by Mark and David

# Resident Artists



**Marc Johnson**  
- Cove Jewellery



**Peter Jaques**  
- Artist



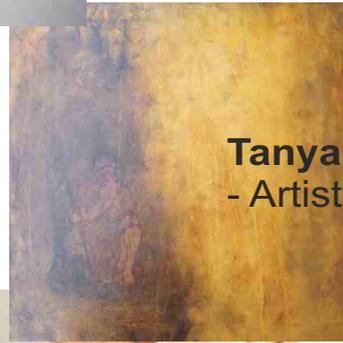
**Soraya French**  
- Artist



**Mark Taylor and David Hill**  
- Georgian Glassmakers



**Elaine Peto**  
- Ceramicist



**Tanya Dalley**  
- Artist



**Marek Woznica**  
- Metal Worker



**Tim Chadsey**  
- Furniture Maker



**Vivi Mallock**  
- Sculptor



**Jennie Gilbert**  
- Potter



**Geoff Hague**  
- Knifemaker



**Elizabeth Hodgson**  
- Sculptor and Photographer



**Robyn Golden-Hann**  
- Letter Cutter



**Amy Goodman**  
- Sculptor and Portrait Artist

## Talos Art Foundry - Bronze Foundry

The Talos Art Foundry will once again be displaying bespoke sculptures including several specially commissioned pieces.



The Talos Art Foundry will be open to visitors during the Christmas Open Weekend

Willy Newton's 'Kauto Star' sculpture, a half-size model of the racehorse cast in bronze, was recently commissioned by Betfair for Haydock Park. The piece was transformed by the Foundry into the finished product using the ancient 'lost wax' method. Find out more about the method and chat to our Foundry artists about this fascinating technique.

Martin Wright, whose most recent works include the 'Isis' sculpture, has created many pieces which are focussed around the human figure and form, works in bronze, bronze resin, wire, and more recently, clay.

Nicola Godden has had a hugely successful year. Nicola's 'Icarus' sculpture was commissioned for display in the Olympic Village in London during Summer 2012. The piece, which stood on a bronze plinth in the village, held poignant words for many Olympians on its base: "My audacity was my joy not my disaster, I reached a glory higher than Olympus, My fall was worth the flight."

The 'Tidworth Soldier' was re-installed outside the Tidworth Royal British Legion during the week commencing November 5th and was dedicated in the service of remembrance on Sunday 11th November.

The Talos Art Foundry will be open during the Christmas Shopping Weekend and the mould for the 'Tidworth Soldier' will be on display. For more details go to [www.talosartfoundry.co.uk](http://www.talosartfoundry.co.uk)

Vivien Mallock's charming 'Soldier of the First World War' was originally modelled in 1998 as a memorial to those billeted locally who served in the Great War. It shows a young soldier standing with his kit bag on his return from France.

The sculpture was commissioned by the Tidworth Royal British Legion to stand outside its premises in the garrison town of Tidworth. The sculpture was cast in bronze by the MFH Art Foundry at Project Workshops and was unveiled by Lt General J F Deverell on 22nd March 1998. On October 17th 2011 the statue was stolen from its plinth and later discovered, cut into small pieces, on Salisbury Plain.

A second copy of the sculpture has now been made from the original mould and was installed at the Tidworth Royal British Legion, in time for National Remembrance Day on Sunday 11th November.



The 'Mishima' range of studio pottery by resident artist Jennie Gilbert

## life studio at Project Workshops

The Life Studio schedule is busy with our regular Yoga and Pilates classes, and we have now started a new Pilates class on Wednesday mornings at 10:00.

Please contact Mandy on **01264 889889** or [mandy@project-workshop.co.uk](mailto:mandy@project-workshop.co.uk) if you would like information on future workshops, or for booking this versatile venue.

### Life Studio Events Early 2013

March 2nd 2013: Basket Making with Judith Needham

March 17th 2013: Yogabeats with David Sye.

### Diary Date:

**Open Studios Weekend 27th and 28th April 2013**