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May 2022

Oxfordshire Artweeks is here



Silvi Schaumloeffel's Clanfield studio (venue 386)

On Saturday, the Oxfordshire Artweeks festival begins, taking place across the county over three weeks, and all for free.

- **Week 1:** from Saturday 7th until Sunday 15th May artists in Oxford invite you into gardens, halls, home studios and other spaces.
- **Week 2:** from Saturday 14th - Sunday 22nd May discover art and venues across South Oxfordshire and the Vale of the White Horse.
- **Week 3:** from Saturday 21st - Sunday 29th May you can visit studios and pop-up exhibitions across North and West Oxfordshire.
- **And for all three weeks** there's a giant on-line art showcase of treasures, video tours, virtual art trails & more to discover at www.artweeks.org and on our social media channels.

The [festival guide](#) can be picked up in venues, libraries, tourist information offices, cafés, shops and local information points across the county.



40 Years of Oxfordshire Artweeks

It's our 40th anniversary this year and if you'd like to know more, here's [a two-minute read](#) on what it's all about and why it's Fab to be Forty!

Where to start?

We're delighted to have two venues (1&2; [The Jam Factory](#) & [John Lewis – Oxford](#)) which together offer a snapshot of the quality and variety of the art across the whole festival. In John Lewis, there are six 'pockets' of Artweeks throughout the store including three pods by the lifts – one on each floor – and a café takeover with photography, jewellery, ceramics and glass art. Pick up a mini-map on the way on in so you don't miss anything.



By BLAM in [Milton Common](#); this chair can be seen in [John Lewis, venue 2](#))

For cross-disciplinary and experimental approaches in a contemporary art space, a great place to start is [OVADA](#) located en route between the two.

Alternatively, begin by browsing the [flipbook](#), looking at the [festival map](#), downloading the .pdf [here](#) or exploring Artweeks' [art showcase](#) online to choose where to go. The artists in some villages and towns have created local area trail maps to help you on your day out: they can be downloaded [here](#).

Other events during the festival include:

19th ART FORUM **webinar**

CAN ART HELP?

A discussion on the importance of art in a time of anxiety and vulnerability

Debs Teale



Artist, Speaker &
Mental Health Activist

Will Long



Therapeutic
Arts Facilitator

Francesca Shakespeare



Artist & Teacher

Rob Chaplin



Psychiatrist

6.30 - 7.30pm Monday 9th May 2022

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/308604232567>



There are 2 stages to booking so please:

1. Register on the link above by 12.00pm on 8th May
2. We will send you the zoom link to this FREE event on 9th



Jericho Artweeks
presents

Thinking Drawing

The Tenth Jericho Lecture presents:

Alan Franklin MA

Artist and Trustee of Sunningwell School of Art

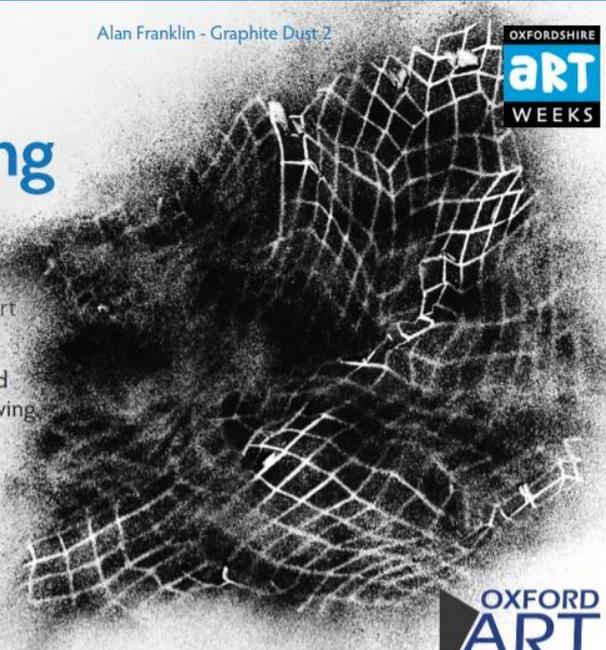
His talk will reference his own work, ideas, thoughts and opinions which he has developed over years of teaching and thinking about drawing

**Tuesday 10th May 2022
at 7.30pm**

St Barnabas Church, Cardigan Street,
Jericho, Oxford OX2 6BG

ADMISSION FREE
Refreshments available from 7pm.
Donations welcome.

Alan Franklin - Graphite Dust 2



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There's so much to see and do, where will you go?

[The festival: find out more](#)



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