

RSPB Blacktoft Sands – Summer Meadow Stroll & Paint

Full day creative workshop – Tuesday 22 June, 10.30 – 3.30 - £60

Join visual artist Linda Ingham for a creative day at the RSPB Blacktoft Sands nature reserve.



Experience the joy of a summer meadow in full bloom! You will see a riot of wildflowers and grasses native to our local ecology along with the insects and fauna they provide a habitat for.

We will begin the day exploring the beautiful reserve at the apex the Humber estuary, and rivers Ouse and Trent before going on to settle in Horseshoe Meadow which the RSPB is adapting from a pre-arable field.

A wonderful opportunity for sketch-book development, we will gather images, play with mapping and talk creative process and media.

ONLINE: Tuesday 29 June - Blacktoft Sands - Journeys into Land - mapping and developing thoughts and process through sketchbooks - 10.30 – 3.30 - £45

This workshop is part of the GATHER project supported by funds from The Arts Council England.

The **GATHER** project is a year of visual arts activities based around three nature reserves between January 2021 and February 2022, during which time Linda Ingham will create bodies of work in response to the National Nature Reserve at Far Ings (North Lincolnshire) and RSPB reserves at Blacktoft Sands (East Riding of Yorkshire) and Saltholme (Teeside).

Throughout the summer there will be opportunities to get involved at all three reserves as well as in the wider Teeside area via Tees Valley Arts and at York's Schoolhouse Gallery ("a living gallery" with a garden)!

A series of online creative workshops which take inspiration from the reserves, conservation, botany and subjects relating to landscape and place will also be provided from 15 June until December 2021.

Linda's artworks from the project will be exhibited at Studio Eleven Gallery, Hull, RSPB Saltholme, Far Ings and The Ropewalk in North Lincolnshire.



You can find out more about the GATHER project and the full programme of events as they are added at www.lindaingham.com or contact linnah.artist@gmail.com

PLEASE NOTE: The GATHER project and RSPB will strictly adhere to the Government's COVID Guidelines for your safety 😊



GATHER: winter-winter
observing in and through the reserve

a visual arts project by Linda Ingham



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