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Artist Samuel Bassett with the limited edition bag he designed for us.

Thank you to the many, many supporters of our Catalyst: Evolve campaign 2016-19. You have raised a mighty £103,000 that has been matched penny-for-penny to total more than £200,000. This money has been used to commission and host great art, support young artists and the all-important Cornish creative sector, and to invite all our community to take part in art and creativity.

As part of The National Lottery's 25th birthday celebrations, we are inviting Lottery players to visit us for free, during 23 – 30 Nov. This is a chance for us to say *Thanks To You*, lottery support has made fantastic projects such as *Craftschool*, *Fathom* and *A Tale of Mother's Bones* possible. For free admission, just bring in your National Lottery ticket or scratchcard and show our Front of House staff.

Please consider becoming a Gallery Supporter, Patron, Volunteer or Business Sponsor. Details available from both our venues, on our website newlynartgallery.co.uk/support-us/ or call 01736 363715.



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SHOPPING

Our two shops stock a carefully selected range of gifts, cards, games and designed homewares. We champion artist/makers, exhibiting a wide range of ceramics, textiles and crafts by some of the best makers in Cornwall, and further afield. As Christmas approaches our shops are the perfect place to pick up great gifts and quirky stocking fillers.

EAT & DRINK

At Newlyn Art Gallery, the Studio Café is the perfect spot for a coffee and a salted caramel brownie whilst looking out over the bay. The Exchange Café serves a locally sourced vegetarian lunch menu (with vegan and GF options) alongside great coffees, loose leaf teas and delicious cakes. Both venues are fully licensed making them the ideal place for an afternoon beer or lunchtime glass of wine.



Gallery Supporters and Patrons receive a 10% discount on all shop, Picture Room and café purchases.

VENUE HIRE

You can hire a variety of spaces across our two outstanding, contrasting venues. Fully licensed bars, hospitality to suit your needs, fully wheelchair accessible and available at flexible rates. Contact bettina.wenzel@newlynartgallery.co.uk for details.

NEWLYN ART GALLERY & THE EXCHANGE



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OPENING HOURS
TUE - SAT, 10.00 - 17.00
Closed 23 – 26 Dec & 1 Jan

ADMISSION
£3.30 (incl. a Gift Aid Donation, £3 without)

Free entry for Patrons, Supporters, U18s and Local Art Pass holders.

Newlyn Art Gallery & The Exchange has been dedicated to supporting contemporary artists since 1895. Today, this means championing new and emerging regional artists, presenting an ambitious national and international exhibition programme, and extending an invitation to our resident and visiting audience to come in, be inspired and take part.

We are a member of Plus Tate, a network of leading visual arts organisations that works to increase public value and to broaden and deepen engagement in art.

DIRECTIONS

The Exchange is 600m from Penzance bus and train stations and the harbour car park

Newlyn Art Gallery sits at the end of Newlyn Green as you approach from Penzance. The two venues are a 25-minute walk apart.

ACCESSIBILITY

Newlyn Art Gallery and The Exchange are both fully accessible. Please contact the gallery if you have any additional requirements.

KEEP UP TO DATE

See our website for our full programme of events and forthcoming exhibitions.

Follow us on social media for updates and the latest news.

newlynartgallery.co.uk | [@newlynexchange](https://www.instagram.com/newlynexchange)



WINTER CLOSURE

The galleries will be closed for annual maintenance from 5 Jan until 15 Feb 2020. The shop and café at The Exchange will remain open during this time.

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A TALE OF MOTHER'S BONES

GRACE PAILTHORPE, REUBEN MEDNIKOFF
AND THE BIRTH OF PSYCHOREALISM

19 OCT – 4 JAN

An exhibition of paintings and drawings paired with psychoanalytic interpretation.

A Tale of Mother's Bones tells the remarkable story of a unique artistic and personal collaboration between Dr Grace Pailthorpe (1883–1971), a trained surgeon, and Reuben Mednikoff (1906–1972), an artist and designer. They met in London in 1935, and moved to Port Isaac in Cornwall where they made some of their most wildly experimental artworks.

Despite exhibiting with leading Surrealist artists in the 1930s, the work of Pailthorpe and Mednikoff is still relatively unknown.

Showing across both our venues, this is the first exhibition to bring together Pailthorpe and Mednikoff's extraordinary drawings and paintings, alongside their often challenging interpretations.

Cover image: Reuben Mednikoff, *No Title*, (21 September) 1941



Grace Pailthorpe, *No Title*, 1968

Featuring more than 90 works spanning nearly four decades, this show examines their earliest experiments with Surrealist processes, their response to the rise of Fascism in interwar Europe and the way in which they approached gender and spirituality from progressive and often radical positions.

Drawing on original archival research, the exhibition tells the story of the couple through their works, showing how they excavated their earliest memories (including memories of birth) in order to understand their adult lives.

A Tale of Mother's Bones is curated by Hope Wolf (University of Sussex), with the De La Warr Pavilion and Camden Arts Centre.

Workshop on 16 Nov exploring the tools and processes used by Pailthorpe and Mednikoff. See [EVENTS](#) for more details.



Reuben Mednikoff, *The Stairway to Paradise*, 1936

OTHER EXHIBITIONS

THE ENGINE ROOM, THE EXCHANGE



Breda Beban, *Walk of Three Chairs*, 2003. Arts Council Collection, Southbank Centre, London © the artist.

ARTS COUNCIL COLLECTION FILMS

19 OCT – 4 JAN

Our Arts Council Collection National Partners Programme fully launches in February 2020, but as a taster this autumn we present a small selection of artist films from the Collection. We have created a comfortable seating area to watch the films, and you are welcome to take in coffee and cake from the café.

Through the National Partners Programme we will present nine exhibitions over three years featuring work from the Arts Council Collection, plus many smaller projects including these film screenings. We will use the Collection to invite new voices to create and deliver our programme, working with local schools, charities and community groups.

In February 2020 we launch our Arts Council Collection National Partners programme with *Hippo Campus: Where We Learn* at The Exchange, an exhibition and series of events that explore alternative schooling, peer-to-peer learning and self-education, while at Newlyn Art Gallery we present a major exhibition of Collection works selected by MBA Collective, with works which consider what it is to be a global citizen.

ART FOR SALE

THE PICTURE ROOM & STUDIO NEWLYN ART GALLERY

SCENES

19 OCT – 4 JAN

An exhibition of works by local and national painters, photographers, filmmakers and printers put together by St Ives-based artist Naomi Frears. The show features images of remembered, imagined and actual scenes from films. All works are for sale.



Still from *Thinking is Progress* (2019) by Rachael Jones, part of *Scenes*.

IN THE STUDIO CERAMICS BY JETHRO LYNCH

19 OCT – 4 JAN

A selling display of functional ceramics by West Cornwall-based ceramicist Jethro Lynch, featuring Jethro's signature jugs, cups and bowls alongside specially created carafes, vases and larger works.



Jug and cup from the *Sand & Sea* range by Jethro Lynch

SELECTED EVENTS



THE EXCHANGE

TEA, CAKE & ART

EVERY TUESDAY, 14.00 – 16.00

A creative social group for older people, particularly those living alone, who would like to meet and spend time with others. Join us for a cuppa, a chat and a little art on Tuesday afternoons.

Free, all welcome.

HALF-TERM WORKSHOP

WED 23 OCT, 14.00 – 16.00

Children's workshop for 7 – 13 year olds, led by artist Alice Mahoney and inspired by *A Tale of Mother's Bones*.

£6, booking via Eventbrite.

HUMPHRY DAVY LANTERN WORKSHOPS

FRI 25 OCT: 12.30 – 14.30 & 15.00 – 17.00

Build your lantern structure and apply first paper layer.

SAT 26 OCT: 12.30 – 14.30 & 15.00 – 17.00

Decorate your lantern.

Come and make your willow lantern for this year's parade on Sat 14 Dec when Penzance is filled with light to celebrate Sir Humphry Davy.

Free but booking via Eventbrite. All welcome, U12s to be accompanied by an adult.

Community Workshops in partnership with BID Penzance.



THE MAKERS' MARKET CHRISTMAS EDITION

SAT 30 NOV, 10.00 – 17.00

The Christmas Edition takes place on the same day as the Penzance Christmas Lights switch-on. With a superb selection of ceramics, jewellery, print, textile, homewares, bookbinding and more, as gifts for friends and family.

Free entry.

NEWLYN ART GALLERY

A BONE OF MOTHER'S TALES

SAT 16 NOV, 11.00 – 16.00

Led by poet and writer Ella Frears and artist and painter Naomi Frears, this workshop explores the tools and processes used by Grace Pailthorpe and Reuben Mednikoff, with a curious and humorous eye through writing, drawing and painting.

£54, all materials and lunch included, booking via Eventbrite.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

SAT 7 DEC, 19.00 – 21.00

Medieval, Renaissance and traditional Christmas music by the Friends in Harmony Choir, with early music duo Lucy Clitherow (soprano) and Denys Stephens (renaissance lute). There will be mince pies and mulled wine.

£6, booking via Eventbrite. Ticket sales in aid of Tea, Cake & Art.