

Summer Workshop 2012

SAT 7 JULY and SUN 8 JULY 2012 (10am - 4.30pm both days)

BRAVURA! Adventures with pointed and flat brush lettering

2-day workshop with Margaret Morgan BA FCLAS at Over Haddon Village Hall, School Lane, Over Haddon, Near Bakewell, Derbyshire DE45 1JE.

(Suitable for most levels of ability, some experience of basic letterforms will be useful)

At last, your chance to make some explorations into the exciting world of both pointed and flat brush lettering! It's not easy, but can be a lot of fun. The aim is to spend as much time as possible getting to grips with the intricacies of brushes as lettering tools, with the goal of creating a personal style to produce some choice examples of words or short texts by the end of Sunday afternoon. The plan will be varied according to progress made on each day.

Saturday: Pointed brush letters: Getting started – looking at various different styles and techniques (formal & informal), as well as brush manipulation. Writing alphabets, words and sentences. Effects on textured and coloured papers.

Sunday: Re-capping pointed brush basics. The lure of the flat brush – basic principles, a couple of different styles to try & some useful tricks. Time for work on mini-projects & collecting together the weekend's work into a small book.

🍏 RESERVE YOUR PLACE NOW! 🍏

Complete the booking slip below and return it with a cheque for £70. The cost includes tuition, worksheets and refreshments (tea, herbal tea, coffee & home-made cakes and biscuits) on both days. Please bring your own lunch.

Your booking will be acknowledged by email (unless otherwise requested). Further details, a list of materials (including advice on which brushes to buy) and directions to the venue will be posted to you on confirmation.

NB. Places will be allocated strictly on a first-come first-served basis.

Please make your cheque payable to Margaret Morgan & enclose an A5 (228mm x 162mm) stamped, self-addressed envelope. Booking form, payment & SAE (with a 'large envelope' stamp) should be sent to: Summer Workshop 2012, Church Lane House, Chelmorton, Buxton, Derbyshire SK17 9SN.

🍏 Please note: The workshop will be cancelled if the minimum number required to cover costs is not reached. Your money will then be refunded. If you have to cancel your booking, money can only be refunded if there is another student able to take up your vacant place.

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Please reserve me a place at the Summer Workshop, 7 and 8 July 2012
I enclose a cheque for £70, made payable to Margaret Morgan, enclosing an A5 SAE
(NB. Your envelope MUST be A5, or if larger, have a 'large envelope' stamp).

Name.....Telephone.....
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(For new students only: Please give a brief outline of your calligraphic experience on the reverse of this form). If you do not have email & would like to have a receipt for your payment, please send a second (smaller) stamped addressed envelope.

Some general information:**Location:**

The village of Over Haddon is off the B5055, 2.3 miles from Bakewell and approx. 12 miles from Buxton, in the Peak District National Park. The village hall is on School Lane, its elevated position giving a marvellous view over Lathkill Dale and beyond. Google Maps (or for satnav, key in postcode DE45 1JE) will give directions and distances using the most direct route, but can also help you to plan a scenic detour through the Peak District.

Parking:

Parking at Over Haddon Village Hall is currently restricted to about 9 cars, if parked carefully (using the disabled parking spaces). There is a Pay & Display car park in the village (a short walk from the hall), but you may find spaces on the road round the corner. However, by July there may be more spaces available on site, as the hall committee hopes to be able to extend the parking area in the coming months.

Accommodation:

If you are travelling from some distance and would like to stay overnight in the Peak District, take a look at the following general websites. (**NB.** Please remember July is peak period & the workshop is the same weekend as Bakewell Carnival, so it would be best to enquire & book early!):

www.visitpeakdistrict.com

www.peakdistrictonline.co.uk

www.peakcountrybreaks.co.uk

www.thepeakdistrict.info

B&B close to Over Haddon:

You'll find some via the links above, but it's also worth looking at this specific link:

<http://www.peakdistrictinformation.com/accommodation/youlgreave.php>

It shows a variety of guest houses and pubs with rooms in Youlgreave, Ashford-in-the-Water and Bakewell (closest to Over Haddon), as well as others further afield.

Cottages/self-catering:

Some cottages may be available for short stays, but check with each site. Here's some to choose from, but there are others to be found within the general accommodation websites listed above:

www.bolehillfarm.co.uk

www.cottages4you.co.uk

www.peakcottages.com