



Thursday 18th September

Dear Parents and Carers,

Art Event: The Big Draw

Jo Kidd, from Berkhamsted Arts & Crafts (BAC), has asked us to publicise an exciting event taking place in October. Many of you will know that Jo has worked with us at Greenway during our annual art week on some fantastic creative projects such as our 2012 Olympics flag and the beautiful giant felt poppy, both of which are still on display in the school hall. We know there are lots of budding artists in our school community and hope you will support Jo by taking part.

The Big Draw takes place throughout the world every October and in Berkhamsted it will be a collaborative event between BAC and The Upstairs Gallery. This year's overall title is "It's Your World", and here in Berkhamsted it will be called "It's Your Town". It's an opportunity for everyone, young and old, to draw.

From September 22nd you can collect a drawing pack (only 500 available), free of charge, from BAC, Art at 88 or the Upstairs Gallery. Pictures can then be brought along to any of the venues, by Monday 13th October, where they will be exhibited.

In addition, throughout the week of Monday 13th - Saturday 18th October (11am - 5pm) The Upstairs Gallery will be open to everyone to come and draw. On Wednesday 15th October (10am - 5pm) and Saturday 18th October (10am - 4pm), Berkhamsted Arts and Crafts will be welcoming you into their studio to take part.

There will be a selection of materials to "draw" with at the two venues.

Judging will take place at 4pm on Saturday October 18th and there will be small prizes for best entries in the following categories: under 11, 11-18 and 18+.

Attached is a flyer with more information, so get your pencils out and get ready to take part in this exciting, international and FREE event!

Best wishes

Mrs Ellwood and Mrs Crozier



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