



Postponed from 2020 due to the pandemic, this years' Making A Mark is by necessity slightly different in format but Preston-based artists, musicians and performers have once again risen to the challenge to bring a day of art and activities for all the family, to the Flag Market.

Although originally planned for 2020, the theme Changing World is now more appropriate than ever.

Initially intended to explore our changing worlds in a variety of ways, many linked to the environment, our shared experiences of the past 15 months have meant our world has changed in many more ways. All of the artists participating have adapted their activities to reflect those changes and to comply with social distancing measures.

Social distancing measures taken will hopefully allow you to feel able to safely join in or, if you prefer, observe from a safe distance.

Please note photographs will be taken throughout the event and may be used in future marketing and publicity online or in print.

From Poetry to Performance, Singing to Samba, Art to Artworks, Text to Textiles, Dance to Drawing, we have a wide range of experiences to share in a unique event and atmosphere.

The event opens at 11am and there will be a parade, led by Worldwide Samba Drummers to arrive on the Flag Market for 12 noon.

**Flag Market, Preston**  
**11am-4pm**

**17**

**Celebrating**

**JULY**

**5 YEARS** - Making A Mark first event in 2017

**10 YEARS** - Oxheys set up in 2011 in an old mill owned by twice Preston Mayor Albert Richardson, after PAD Gallery closed.



# Changing World

All activities outside on the Flag Market this year due Covid-19 restrictions

## Visual Art Installation

Tim Saunders\*: Following on from the trees installation in 2020. Looking at carbon emissions in a changing world.

## Arts & Crafts Workshops

Bernie Velvick\*/ArtFull: Various arts & crafts activities under a parasol bringing together participants on the changes they have all had to make.

## Still Life Drawing

In collaboration with the Harris, an opportunity to try life drawing with a live model on the Flag Market, a changed world from inside the Fine Art Gallery. Why not have a go? Pencils, paper provided. From 1.30-3.30pm

## Music: Worldwide Samba Drummers

Leading a parade around the city to arrive on the Flag Market for 12 noon then perform on Harris balcony. Joined by participants of online workshops with their made instruments.

## Poetry Installation: WordLab

Winston Plowes: Using random poetry-generating bicycle along with audience participation to create a poem entitled Changing World.

## Large Scale Installation

Paul O'Hara: With caravan, showing patterns in a changing world.

## Sonic Installation: Female Creative

Vowels & Berry: Hydro-acoustic soundscapes within a 'forest' of white trees to change the world within you. Sounds interesting...

## Dance, sound & visual art

Hodge Podge: Interactive dance and sound performance to show how decisions affect outcomes.

## Audio walk

Krissi Musiol: join in a performance audio walk, highlighting a changing world for motherhood

## Participatory Drawing: The Globe

Janine Walker: using a large globe sculpture with which visitors can make their mark to create a changing world

## Performance: Alamogordo

Martin Hamblen: A performance measuring visual acuity, making a mark through Alamogordo

## Performance Art: Wandering Sole

Jade K: performing monologues and interacting with visitors to reflect a changing world

## Visual Art:

Garry Cook: interacting with visitors, producing messages about changing worlds, creating an installation

## Visual Art: Recycling Workshop

Daveid Darbyshire: a visual arts workshop on recycling, reflecting on changing the world one step at a time

## Visual Art: Collages

Lynn Shaw: interacting with visitors to create visual art collages of changing worlds as postcards

## Spoken Word Performance: Metamorphosis

Helena Ayscough (Goth Moth): Provides a spoken word performance, dressed as a gothic moth, to discuss nature in a changing world

## Textiles

Lucy Silvester: Using textiles to illustrate how feminism has evolved in a changing world

## Photography

Denise Swanson\*: recording the days' activities using photography. Photos will be posted online on the Oxheys website post event. Add yours to Twitter using #makingamark

## Engagement

Caroline Finnigan\* & Evelyn Rose\* will be on hand throughout the event to provide information, guidance and hospitality

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