

SeaART2010

Inspiration from our coast and marine environment



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YOU ARE INVITED TO SUBMIT YOUR ARTWORK

This year's theme is 'Marine Life', and
the 'Coastal and Marine' environment

Exhibition Dates: 13 - 25 August 2010

at Belgian Café, Ramsgate

Please register your interest & work before 9 August

You can register to submit your artwork by agreeing and returning
the 'SeaART2009 Exhibition Artist Terms of Agreement' to the

Thanet Coast Project

E-mail: thanet.coast@thanet.gov.uk

or by post: c/o TDC, PO Box 9, Cecil St, Margate CT9 1XZ

SeaART2010

'SeaART2010' aims to promote the wealth of work by artists inspired by our coast and marine environment, that live or work in North East Kent.

LINKS & THEME: SeaART2010 is the seventh annual exhibition celebrating our seas and wildlife organised by the Thanet Coast Project, and this year links in with Ramsgate's summer events - the **Monster Bass Festival** (14-15 Aug, fishy celebrations) followed by **Ramsgate Week** (16-23 Aug, www.ramsgateweek.com).

This year's SeaART theme is 'Marine Life' - linking to "International Year of Biodiversity" - and the 'Coast and Marine' environment.

We welcome the submission of all types of new exhibits of contemporary visual artwork, sculptures, installations and photographs. The contemporary art exhibitions will be focused at the Belgian Café in Ramsgate, with a small outreach of exhibits in 4c York Street and Spencer Square (Tennis Courts Café).

There is no cost to artists to exhibit.

SeaART2010 Timetable:

Mon. 9 August	Deadline for 'Registration of interest & works'
Thurs. 12 August 12pm – 8pm	Submit works to Belgian Café <i>*(see below)</i> Selection panel led by Mike Samson and friends and Thanet Coast Project. If you are unable to make this date, please ring Mike Samson to arrange alternative submission arrangements on: 07764 626854
Thurs. 12 Aug / Fri. 13 August	Unselected artists will be notified / works to be collected
Fri 13 August 7pm – 9pm	Launch Evening at the Belgian Cafe, Ramsgate
Fri 13 Aug. to Wed. 25 August	Exhibition Dates
Sat. 14 – Sun. 15 August	Ramsgate Royal Harbour: Monster Bass Festival Thanet Coast family workshops: Bamboo Fish Making & BeachART
	Ramsgate Week www.ramsgateweek.com Various Thanet Coastal Events and Activities around Thanet
Thurs. 26 August 12pm - 8pm	Takedown and collection date. For any alternative arrangements call Mike Samson on 07764 626854

*** All registered artists can submit their art work from Mid-day to 8pm to Mike Samson and volunteers in the: Belgian Café, 98 Harbour Parade, Ramsgate CT11 8LP**

Exhibition Coordinator: Mike Samson - 07764 626854

SeaART Coordinator: Tony Child, Thanet Coast Project - 01843 577672

Venues and activities:

Belgian Café, Spencer Square Tennis Court Café and 4c York Street window, Ramsgate.

SeaART2010 Workshops:

A number of family art workshops and events are aimed at children (4-14s) – and include "Bamboo Fish Making" and "BeachART" over the weekend of the Monster Bass Festival. Further information and bookings can be made through www.thanetcoast.org.uk

Other Thanet Coastal Events will be taking place around Thanet include: 'Seashore Safaris', 'Scandalmonger Storytelling Walks', 'Geology Rocks', Surfing Taster Sessions, Family Sailing Taster Sessions and 'Art for All -creating marine masterpieces'. More information: www.thanetcoast.org.uk

SeaART2010 Exhibition - Terms of Agreement for Artists

Artist details:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Tel. Number/s: _____

E-mail: _____

I agree to the following terms:

1. All work to have artist's name, brief contact details and to state the name of picture/piece, medium and price on the back (or where appropriate, eg with sculpture).
2. All art work should be suitably strung and corded when submitted.
3. The gallery, or venue, commission on a sale is 20% (no VAT)
4. To allow digital images to be taken of the art work to show on the Thanet Coast Project website and Visitor Information Centres publicity.
5. To supply a short biographical details/artist's statement (just up to 100 words max. please!)

I wish to exhibit the following artwork: (Please print in capitals)

	Artist Name	Title of work	Medium used	Price (£), if for sale.
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Up to three artworks can be submitted.

Please send the written details of your submissions to the "Thanet Coast Project – SeaART2010" via email to thanet.coast@thanet.gov.uk or post: c/o TDC, PO Box 9, Cecil Street, Margate CT9 1XZ

Works should be **submitted to the Belgian Café**, 98 Harbour Parade, Ramsgate, CT11 8LP **on Thurs 12 AUGUST (12pm - 8pm)**, or by prior alternative arrangement with Mike Samson on **07764 626854**. Work will be on show for the duration of the **exhibition (Fri 13 – Wed 25 Aug 2010)** in the Belgian Café and other venues depending on the number of submissions.

We will look after your artwork as carefully as we can, but we **cannot** be liable for loss or damage to your work. Work is therefore held on the strict understanding that the Artist/Owner will not hold the Thanet Coast Project, Belgian Café or Thanet Council (4c York St) or other supporting venues, responsible for any said loss or damage. We suggest you make your own insurance arrangements for any work exhibited, should you require this. All work must be **collected from 12pm on Thursday 26 August**, or by prior arrangement made with Mike Samson.

Signing the Artists' Terms of Agreement implies full understanding and acceptance of these conditions.

I agree to the above terms.

SIGNED

DATE