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Creative **ORKNEY**

Welcome to the Creative Orkney trail

Creative Orkney supports Orkney-based professional artisans by promoting their beautifully made products at home and abroad.

The Creative Trail makes it easy to discover some of the amazing arts and crafts people and designers that thrive in these inspirational islands - and at the same time helps you explore some of the sensational landscapes that make our beautiful islands so unique.

A warm welcome awaits you when visiting the workshops of any of our members.



www.orkney.com/creative





This simple map shows where you can visit the studios and workshops of members shown in this booklet. Each member's page has clear and simple instructions on how to get there, as well as the opening times and other useful information

You'll notice Creative Trail signs as you drive around Orkney. However, not all possible routes benefit from signage, so it's always wise to refer to the directions given in these pages to guide you.

Symbols on the maker's pages indicate the facilities and services available at each location



parking available



comfortable number of visitors



mail order



Facebook



toilet facilities



X (formerly Twitter)



disabled access toilet



Instagram



coffee/tea



Pinterest



disabled access



TikTok



forwarding service



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Davidson Jewellery

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made@zoedavidsoniewellerv.co.uk

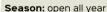












Open: Tue - Fri 10.00 am - 4.30pm Nov & Dec - can be busy with shows, please phone to avoid disappoinment

Outlets:

Stromness: Zoe's Workshop and J B Rosey

Kirkwall: Starlings and Hourstons Edinburgh: Margaret A King Jewellers

Pay by: cash, Mastercard, Visa credit, Visa debit and Maestro cards.

Notes: Free online shipping in the UK, go to www.zoedavidsonjewellery.co.uk Zoe Davidson Jewellery takes inspiration from Orkney's seas, coastlines, and rich history. She combines traditional silversmithing techniques with more unusual methods like fold-forming and anti-clastic raising to create her designs.









After graduating in Jewellery & Metal Design from Dundee's Duncan of Jordanstone College of Art & Design in 2013. Zoe interned with Iris Van Herpen in Amsterdam and jeweller Gilly Langton in Plockton before working with two Orkney-based jewellery companies. She launched her own business in 2016. and in 2019, she earned several accolades, including a Bronze award at Scotland's Trade Fair and a nomination for the '30 Under 30 Rising Star Awards' in Retail Jeweller.

Beyond her signature collections, Zoe specialises in bespoke jewellery, including remodelling cherished pieces, creating bold statement designs, and crafting engagement and wedding rings tailored to individual stories.

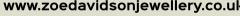
www.zoedavidsonjewellery.co.uk

Summer Pop-Up Location: May 19th to August 28th 2025, Zoe's studio will be located at The Plainstones Pop-Up Shop on Stromness's main street.

Summer Pop-Up Hours: Mon - Fri 10am - 5pm, Sat 10am - 2pm

Pop-Up Location: 113 Victoria St, Stromness KW16 3BU. Shop next to the Bay Leaf Delicatessen.

After the Summer Pop-Up, we'll be back at our main workshop at Springfield Cottage. To arrange a visit outside of the Pop-Up dates, please call or email us in advance to ensure availability.





Directions - September to early May:

Walk along Victoria Street, Stromness. Turn right, up the steep hill of Church Road, past the community centre. Walk across the junction onto Christie's Brae and follow the road up. Keep going until you see our signs. Our workshop is an extension off the blue and red swirly-coloured house - you cannot miss it!



Alison Moore Designs

69-73 Victoria St. Stromness. Orknev KW16 3BS

tel: 01856 771511

e: hello@alisonmoore.co.uk

And as of Spring 2025. 27 Albert St. Kirkwall

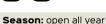












Open: Mon - Sat 9am - 5pm Sundays, April - Sept

Outlets:

Kirkwall - Alison Moore, 27 Albert St Stromness - Alison Moore, 69-73 Victoria St.

Pay by: cash & all major credit cards

From the stunning hidden environments beneath the surface of Orknev's seas, to the magical spectacle of the Northern Lights. Alison's iewellery reflects her passion for everything around her, with the natural world a particular inspiration. Working with silver and gold, with a palette of beautiful gemstones, she creates thoughtful keepsakes designed to be worn, enjoyed and treasured for a lifetime.

Her iewellery is crafted in her Stromness studio where she has a shop, in addition to a Kirkwall store. She also runs special jewellery making experiences throughout the year and you can find details on her website.

VISIT US: We'd love for you to come and visit our studio, see our iewellery being made and buy it at source!

Directions:

You'll find us in Victoria Street, the main shopping street in Stromness, just a few minutes' walk from the town's busy harbour.

www.alisonmoore.co.uk







Jeanne Bouza Rose at 59

59 Victoria Street, Stromness Orkney KW16 3BS

e: ieanne@artworksoftheearth.com mob: 07900982612

fb: facebook.com/OrknevArtWorks











Season: open all year

Open: April - Oct

Mon - Sat 9.30am - 4.30pm Winter Hours may vary, check first

Oct - March

Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat 9.30am - 4.30pm.

Outlets for artwork:

Stromness: J B Rosev. Waterfront Gallery Birsay: Birsay Books Dounby: Castaway Crafts Outlet for ArtWorks of the Earth homeware: online www.island-to-island.scot.

Pav bv: cash and all major cards

Jeanne's exuberant painting style captures the essence of Orkney's light, weather and heritage. Working in oil paint and watercolour. Jeanne is constanly inspired by Orkney's land and sky in monoprints and on canvas. As an artist in residence for the now closed Ness of Brodgar excavations, she created a body of work that explored the enigmatic archaeological structures and the working archaeologists. With the site being covered over, the value of her 'Ness' paintings increase and preserve moments in 'our' time. New York born and trained. her journey to Orkney spans over 40 years, and she is well placed for her favoured sources of inspiration, the UNESCO World Heritage landscapes.









Visit Jeanne's studio and gallery for:

- · Oil paintings, watercolours and prints of Orkney's unique landscape and heritage
- · High quality Giclée prints from paintings
- · Greetings cards, calendars and other items featuring her artwork.

Jeanne continues to expand her online Giclée sales of originals at JeanneBouzaRose.com

Directions:

Walk along the main street of Stromness and see us next to the Royal Hotel

www.JeanneBouzaRose.com www.ArtWorksoftheEarth.com



Castaway Crafts

Fiona Mitchell Rose Cottage, Dounby, Orkney, KW17 2HT

Tel: 01856 771376 Mob: 07979660579

e: castaway crafts@hotmail.com

Fb: Castaway Crafts-Harris Tweed













Open: April - September Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm November - December Mon - Sat 11am - 4pm see facebook for updates/changes

Outlets:

St Margaret's Hope - The Workshop & Loft Gallery Kirkwall Airport shop Birsay - Palace Stores

Pay by: cash, cards, bank transfer or cheques

Notes: short crafting sessions in quieter months, local coffee, home bakes and ice cream available

Since opening in the centre of Dounby in 2014 the shop has become a window into Orknev's vast creativity with a comprehensive range of 'Made in Orkney' products sourced from around 100 local artists and craftspeople. You can even eniov a delicious Orknev Roastery coffee or a tub of Artisan ice cream from the Orkney Creamery.

Regularly described by visitors as 'a Treasure Trove, an Aladdin's Cave, a Gem and a Delight' and with something for every taste, this shop is a must to add to your itinerary.

Fiona's own range of tweed garments, gifts, home and fashion accessories, artwork and knitwear is complemented by a wide range of timeless and contemporary products includingtraditional Orkney chairs and bride's cogs.

The Workshop

Adjoining the shop is Fiona's work space where you can find her working with the world renowned Harris Tweed, Sourced from the Outer Hebrides, the cloth itself, with its variety of colours and patterns, and the local scenery and wildlife. is often the inspiration behind Fiona's product range. We now offer a selection of short crafting sessions in the quieter months, please check Facebook for details.

www.castawaycrafts.co.uk





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50th ANNIVERSAY YEAR

Andrew and Nicky Appleby Fursbreck Pottery, Harray, Orknev, KW17 2JR

tel: 01856 771419

e: nicky@harraypotter.com













Season: Mid March - January

Open: Mon - Sat 9.48am - 5.51pm, Sun 1.47pm to 5.39pm Staff training: alternate Wednesdays

11.21am - 11.37am

You are welcome to watch

Outlets: throughout Orkney

Pay by: cash, cards, euros, dollars, kroner, yen

Notes: price range £1.75 to £777.72 Work in progress... stacks of it: gaze in awe! Children welcome

Welcome to our Tour Bus Free Zone.

The Harray Potter welcomes you! A unique workshop and retail experience of a generational business. Founded by Andrew Appleby in 1975, joined now by his son Nicky and grandson Zenon, the Pottery in Harray inhabits the Auld School Hoose.

Come and join us for a chat while we work, and learn about our process. Pick up and experience our strong, light and ergonomic pots. Comfy and beautiful! Here you will find our tableware, one of a kind art pieces. fun figurines, and classic ceramic jewellery and buttons, all made by hand right here.



STAR GLAZING... Like an inky Arctic star studded sky over deepest snow. This finish always reminds me of Dr John Rae, Orkney's intrepid Arctic Explorer. Read more of him on www.johnraesociety.com

WELCOME... Our workshop is such a vibrant place to visit! There's always something going on, so do come and see us.

FREE UK postage for cyclists, bikers and hikers on purchases over £50!

Directions:

From South Ronaldsay and Kirkwall: take the A965 towards Stromness. turn right at the A986 for just over 2 miles. The pottery is a big whitish building with a huge red teapot painted high on the gable.

From Stromness: take the A965 and turn left after Maes Howe. Wind along the lovely Stoneyhill Road, and after just over 2 miles, turn left again for 209 metres.



www.harraypotter.com



Aries Gallery

PHOTOGRAPHY and EMBROIDERY

The Boatshed, Netherbrough Rd, Harray, Orkney. KW17 2JR

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+44 (0)7770 614399 (Norah)

e: alan@aries.gallerv norah@aries.gallerv













Season: Apr - Oct. and by appointment Nov - Mar.

Open: Apr – Oct: Tues – Fri and 1st Sunday in the month 10am - 4pm. Other times by appointment, please phone +44(0)7770 614399.

Outlets: from our gallery and website shop

Pay by: cash, most cards and Paypal

Notes: commissions always considered, goods made to order and shipped worldwide

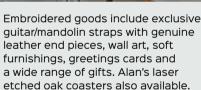
Alan and Norah Bowmer have lived in Birsay since 2001 and combined their passions for photography and machine embroidery, the results of which can be seen and bought from their gallery in Harray.

Having travelled extensively with their cameras, focusing on dramatic landscapes, seascapes and wildlife. they share images from Orkney's rich diversity of photo opportunities as well as scenes from around the world. Photographic items available to purchase include gallery wrap canvases, pH neutral mounted or rolled prints, with a wide selection of media types and sizes to choose from, All are printed in house to Giclée standard on large format media and canvas printers.









Watch work in progress in the main gallery or through the viewing window into the cosy workshop.

Looking for something special and have an idea in mind? Come and chat with us about a truly customised project for that special occasion or gift, including having your own photograph printed as a piece of wall art.

www.aries.gallery



Directions:

From the A965 Kirkwall - Stromness road, take the A986 turning towards Harray/Dounby for 2.5 miles. Turn left into Netherbrough Road, just after the Harray Potter on your left. We are 200 yards on the right - look for the Aries Ram mural on the corner of the building. Some sat nav's position the postcode on the A986, not Netherbrough Road, so do follow these directions, or enter Aries Gallery in Google Maps search.





The Orkney Woodturner

Michael and Sara Sinclair Howar, Grimeston, Harray, Orkney, KW17 2JT

mob: 07523244119

sara@michael-sinclair-woodturner.co.uk @orkwoodturner













Season: open all year

Open: Apr-Sept: Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm Sun 12pm - 4pm Oct to Mar: Mon - Fri 10am - 4pm Sat 12pm - 4pm Sun closed (open outside these hours by arrangement, please phone)

Outlets: exclusively from our gallery and online shop.

Pay by: cash, Visa, Mastercard, Switch, Maestro, PavPal, Stripe

Michael is an Orcadian who has been practicing the craft. of woodturning for over 30 years, he is self-taught and has honed his skills using a combination of practice, experimentation and the desire to produce fine attractive pieces.

He was accepted onto the Register of Professional Turners (RPT) in 2017.

He specialises in unique one off pieces of woodturning. These pieces are heavily influenced by the Neolithic artifacts found here in the islands. He is now exploring iron age and Viking treasures which are also influencing his work, along with some nautical themes reflecting his past career at sea.

Hardwood logs are processed on site utilising a chainsaw and our own small sawmill. This gives Michael the greatest flexibility to cut the best blank for the piece he has in mind.

A mixture of modern, traditional and hand techniques are used to achieve the desired effect in the finished piece.

All this results in Michael creating unique pieces to enhance any setting.



www.michael-sinclair-woodturner.co.uk

RPT, GPS: 59° 1'26"N 003°

10'40.4"W or What3words:

changing.countries.vibes

Woodwick Gallery

Orkney inspired oil paintings and wildlife sculptures.

David's oil paintings reflect the landscape of Orkney, its intense and ever-changing light and weather. Many of the paintings feature the traditional

buildings which over generations have become an integral part of the natural landscape.



The wood sculptures re-create the birds and animals of Orkney and elsewhere, seeking to give permanence to the fleeting images of wildlife. Standing approximately life-size, these are individually sculpted and each one is unique.



Directions: From Finstown take the Evie road, pass the Tingwall turnoff then continue down the hill and take the next right, the Woodwick Road. We are on your left opposite the red postbox. We're also on bus route number 6 from Kirkwall. Ask for Woodwick Stores.

www.woodwickgallery.com

Woodwick Gallery. Evie, Orkney, KW17 2PQ

tel: 01856 751701

e: info@woodwickgallery.com







Season: open all year

Open: 7 afternoons a week: summer 2 pm - 5 pm, winter 2 pm - 4 pm, other times by appointment, please call

Pay by: cash and most cards

Notes: enquiries welcomed



Rosalind Johanssor Textiles



Inspired by the local wildlife. landscape and culture, she makes art quilts, cards, prints, bags and brooches using natural fibres, handdyed cottons and fabrics sourced abroad.



Shorelines Studio and Shop, Maitland Place, Finstown, Orkney, KW17 2EQ

tel: 01856 761067

e: rosalindjohansson@yahoo.com













Season: April to October - other times by appointment, please call.

Open: Wed - Sat 12 noon - 5pm

Outlets: Shorelines Shop, Castaway Crafts and Waterfront Gallery. Or my Etsy shop (NaturallyNordic)

Pay by: cash and most cards





After decades of working in other locations, Rosalind fulfilled a long term plan and settled in Orkney, entranced by the local scenery, the Scandinavian connection and the archaeological treasures.

A qualified teacher, Rosalind runs classes, workshops and creative stitch retreats in her studio, when not working on her own projects.

Please ring or email for details.

Directions: Situated in the middle of Finstown on the main road and adjacent to the large car park. Also located on OS maps as 'Gallerv'.

www.spiritofcreativity.co.uk

Toumal Art Studio

Ingrid Grieve Daisy Cottage, Orphir. Orkney, KW17 2RB

tel: 07810720981

e: enquiries@toumalart.co.uk

fb: Ingrid Grieve Toumal Art studio

Instagram: Toumal Art Studio











Season: April to December Open by arrangement at any other times all year round, please contact

Open: Wed - Sat 11am - 5pm Please get in touch to arrange a visit outwith these times.

Outlets: Starlings, Castaway Crafts

Pay by: Mastercard and Visa



Ingrid Grieve is an Orcadian landscape artist working in waterbased oils and mixed media. She uses colour and texture to portray how she feels about Orkney, mainly focusing on Orkney's weather and the unique light found in the islands to evoke a sense of place.



Ingrid works from her studio overlooking Scapa Flow. in the parish of Orphir. Here you can buy original paintings, prints, cards and mugs.



From Stromness: take the A965 to Kirkwall, Just after the bridge turn right onto the A964 and follow the road round through Orphir village. About 1/2 mile past the end of the village speed limits look for the signs on the left. From Kirkwall: head out the Orphir road and look for the sign on right hand side about 1 mile after the Germiston Road junction.

www.toumalart.co.uk

Aurora

Hand-crafted jewellery from Orknev by Steven Cooper

The Workshop. Old Finstown Road, St Ola, Orknev, KW15 1TR

tel: 01856 871861

e: info@aurora-jewellery.co.uk











Season: open all year

Open: Mon - Fri 9am - 5pm

Outlets: Kirkwall - Aurora. 69 Albert Street (tel: 01856 871521) Starlings, W. Hourston Stromness - The Quernstone

Pay by: cash, Switch and all major credit cards

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Our philosophy is simple - to create progressive, design-led iewellery of the highest quality using traditional methods. We have a small, highly skilled and close-knit team.

Our Outlander range has been created exclusively in Orkney, in collaboration with Sony Pictures Consumer Products. We look to capture the essence of this well known TV series within our designs.

We also offer a jewellery commission service engagement, wedding and commitment rings or anything else you desire.

Call in and see our extensive range of jewellery. The workshop enjoys a splendid view over Scapa Flow, Visitors are able to view work in progress from the shop.

Directions:

From the East Mainland: we are one and a half miles out of Kirkwall on the Old Finstown Road c1 (A965 overlooking Scapa Flow. From the West Mainland: drive past Finstown on A965 for 1.4 miles, turn right at Creative Trail iewellery sign. Turn left at the Creative Trail sign, drive on past Wideford Hill and you will see Aurora on the left.

www.aurora-jewellery.co.uk



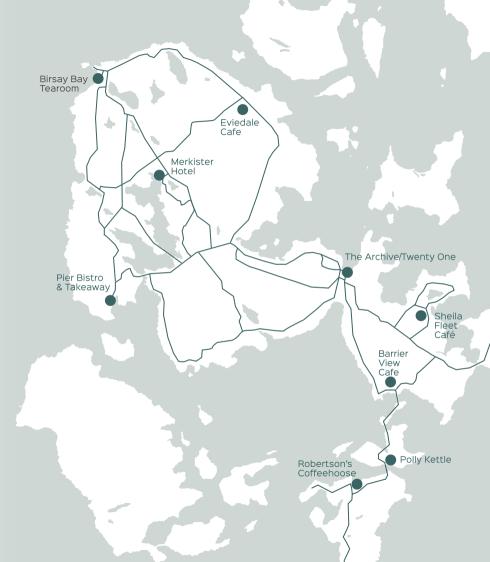




Orkney's amazing number of creative makers is mirrored by the range of equally creative food and drink outlets.

Orkney's chefs have a real flair for making the best use of our island ingredients so you'll always find superb local produce on the menu.

Here are some suggestions for when you are out and about on the creative trail.



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Robin Palmer Ceramics

Orkney Creative Hub Garrison Road, Kirkwall, Orknev. KW15 1RH

tel: 07824557458

e: info@robinpalmerceramics.com













Season: open all year

Open: Mon, Thur and Fri 10am - 4pm Call or email to confirm at other times

Outlets: The Longship, Kirkwall Sheila Fleet Kirkwall & Tankerness Castaway Crafts, Dounby Cream, Stromness

Pay by: cash and most cards

Robin's work is inspired and influenced by the dynamic light, shape and colour in the surrounding sea and landscape of Orkney. He loves working with clay in all its forms employing a variety of techniques - slab building, slip casting and wheel throwing - in the production of his work. Robin makes lighting pieces, functional tableware and 3D sculpture. You can find his ceramics for sale in outlets across



Orkney and the North of Scotland.







Directions:

From the Kirkwall pierhead facing the harbour proceed to the left, pass two roundabouts and turn right at the third. Take the first left turning, up Garrison Road to the rear of Ortak and first left again into a large car park and the Craft Hub







Ortak

Ortak Ltd, Hatston, Kirkwall, Orkney, KW15 1RH

tel: 01856 873201

Hatston

















Ortak Gift Store









Season: open all year

Open:

9.30am - 4.30pm Hatston Visitor Centre 9.30am - 5.30pm Albert Street Store

Outlets:

Visitor Centre, Hatston, Kirkwall Gift Store, Albert Street, Kirkwall

Pay by: cash and most cards

Notes: prices start around £10







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Experience the artistry of our jewellery creation all year round. As an award-winning jewellery manufacturer with over 50 years of heritage in Scotland, we are dedicated to quality, distinctive design, and constant innovation. At the heart of our work is a commitment to our valued customer.

Directions:

Ortak Gift Store: located on the main shopping street in Kirkwall.

Ortak Workshop & Visitor Centre: located on Garrison Road adjacent to the Ayre Mills roundabout.

www.ortak.co.uk

Orkney Hand Crafted Furniture

Fraser Anderson Dellovo, New Scapa Road. Kirkwall, Orkney, KW15 1BL

tel: 01856 872492 mob: 07742428727

fraser@orkneyhandcraftedfurniture.co.uk











Season: open all year

Open: Mon - Sat 9am - 5pm (if visiting outwith these times, it is always best to phone first to check)

Outlets: from my workshop and website

Pay by: cash, cheque and all major debit and credit cards



Celebrating 20 years in business. Orkney Hand Crafted Furniture was launched in 2004 by Fraser Anderson. The business was born out of his love of working with wood and the look, feel and design of a classic Orkney chair.



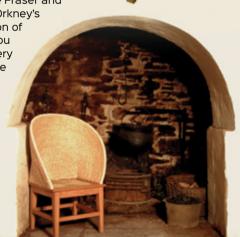
Driftwood collected from the Orkney shoreline is often used to make unique pieces of furniture - indeed, you'll regularly see huge cuts of wood salvaged from the sea drying outside Fraser's workshop.



Come and visit to see Fraser and his family help keep Orkney's long-standing tradition of craftmanship alive. You can also visit his gallery to see his latest range of items.

Directions: from the Kirkwall Visitor Information Centre. head south along Junction Road towards Highland Park Distillery and Scapa beach, then take the left road, signposted Scapa Crescent, before the zebra crossing at the new Balfour Hospital. The workshop is well signposted across the garden path.

www.orkneyhandcraftedfurniture.co.uk





Scapa Crafts Orkney Chairs

Jackie & Marlene Miller 12 Scapa Court, Kirkwall, Orkney, KW15 1BJ

tel: 01856 872517

e: jackie@scapacrafts.co.uk











Season: open all year

Open: Mon - Fri 10am - 5pm Other times by appointment, please call (01856) 872517

Outlets: from our workshop or online showroom

Pay by: cash, cheque, Visa, Mastercard, Visa Debit

Notes: work always in progress Worldwide delivery, welcome assured!

Orkney chairs have been at the heart of island homes for centuries

Traditionally made from driftwood found on the shoreline. their distinctive oat straw backs, often hooded, offered shelter from the draughts in old stone croft houses.

Scapa Crafts have been hand-making premium quality Orkney chairs for over thirty years, carrying on this Orcadian tradition, with pride, passion and attention to detail.

The majority of our bases and frames are now made using only the highest quality hardwoods, including oak, walnut and sapele.

We offer three different sizes of chair – gent's, lady's and child's - with the option of a hood and/or a drawer. You can also choose from a solid wood or woven seagrass seat.

We look forward to welcoming you to our Kirkwall workshop to view our range of Orkney chairs and see the ancient technique of hand-stitching the straw backs in progress.





Directions:

www.scapacrafts.co.uk

From Kirkwall town centre, follow signs for Balfour Hospital. Turn right into Scapa Court just before the zebra crossing to the hospital. The workshop is on the left





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Sheila Fleet Jewellery

Kirk Gallery, Café & Workshop Tankerness, Orkney, KW17 2QT tel: 01856 861 203 e: info@sheilafleet.com



Season: open all year

Open: 7 days a week – check our website for winter opening times

Outlets: Kirk Gallery, Café & Workshop in Tankerness near airport. Kirkwall Gallery, 30 Bridge Street. Online at sheilafleet.com

Pay by: cash, cheque, all major debit & credit cards

Notes: jewellers and enamellers in the workshop, Monday to Friday. **Symbols apply to Tankerness only**

Sheil Tleet. DESIGNED & MADE IN ORKNEY Sheila Fleet OBF is one of Scotland's leading designers of silver, gold and platinum jewellery and rings. Many of her designs are enhanced with enamel and gemstones. Discover Sheila's extensive range of traditional and contemporary designs. Visit her country workshop-by-the-sea and have your ring made to measure. sheilafleet.com

Directions: The Kirk Gallery, Café & Workshop: From Kirkwall, follow signs for Kirkwall Airport. Take the first left after the airport into Tankerness and follow the Creative Trail signs.

Kirkwall Gallery: 30 Bridge St, Kirkwall. Walk 300m along the flagstone street from the cathedral towards the harbour.



Celina Rupp Jewellery

Designed, created and handcrafted in Orkney

Celina Rupp Jewellery and Barrier View Cafe. Holm, Orkney, KW17 2RU

tel: 01856 781770 e: enquiries@celinaruppjewellery.co.uk



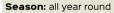












Open: Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm Sun 11am - 4pm

Outlets: Kirkwall: Starlings, Hourstons Stromness: Quernstone

Pay by: cash, cheque, debit and credit cards

Notes: FRFF WIFI

Jewellers in the workshop Mon - Fri







Celina Rupp



From her workshop in Holm. Celina creates her collections of iewellery which are inspired by Orkney's beautiful landscape and heritage. Celina, alongside a dedicated small team including her family, runs a small business focusing on unique designs and thrives on providing a high-quality service and customer satisfaction.

Directions: From Kirkwall take the A961 towards the Churchill Barriers. We are located at the side of the road just before the 1st barrier.



www.celinaruppjewellery.co.uk









Leo Kerr Mirrors



Each bespoke mirror encapsulates the natural beauty of the timber in a sleek and contemporary design.

These works of art are individually created in Orkney using the finest Scottish hardwoods.

A wide range of styles and sizes are available to view online or from our showroom.



Moon mirror



Kerr Carpentry. The Workshop, Burray, Orkney, KW17 2UG

tel. 01856 731935 mob: 07742123470

e. info@leokerrmirrors.co.uk









Season: early January - late December visit our website for full details

Open: Tues - Fri 9.30am - 2.30pm

Outlets: Sheila Fleet's Kirkwall shop and Tankerness Kirk showroom

Pay by: cash & most cards accepted





Lake mirror



Directions:

From Kirkwall - follow the main road, A961, over the third Churchill Barrier, pass the Fossil Centre and Echna Loch then turn off into Burray Village at the bend.

www.leokerrmirrors.co.uk





Karen Duncan Jewellery

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e. made@karenduncanjewellery.com











Season: open all year

Open: Mon - Thur 10am - 5pm (although phoning in advance is advisable)

Outlets: Kirkwall - The Longship, Kirkwall Airport Café. Stromness - The Pier Arts Centre. Burray - Sands Hotel, Polly Kettle,

Orkney Fossil & Heritage Centre. St Margaret's Hope -Robertsons Coffeehoose & Bar. Workshop & Loft Gallery.

Northlink Ferries MV Hamnavoe

Pav bv: cash and credit/debit cards



Directions:

From Kirkwall - follow the main road through Burray, pass Seaview Stores on the right hand side, then at the last house on the right hand side (before the corner on the main road) take the road down to the shore, we are right at the end of this road.

www.karenduncanjewellery.com



Orkney Glass Hut Studio and Gallery

Gillietrang, Burray, Orkney, KW17 2SY

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Open: Tue. Wed & Thur Gallery Viewing: 10.30am - 4.00pm Studio Workshops: by appointment please email

Pay by: Most major debit or credit cards or cash

Orkney Glass Hut Studio and Gallery overlooks the historic Scapa Flow with uninterrupted views of the Island of Hov.

Orkney Glass Hut is a small family-run business specialising in fused glass art, with Liz as the driving and artistic force. Originally from NE England, Liz relocated to Burray in 2012 having fallen in love with the islands on holiday. Her professional career spans 25 years teaching in primary and secondary schools as well as Special Educational Needs but her passion for and involvement in art goes back well before this. The 'pull' into her artistic journey was inevitable, and now, this has culminated into two distinct passions: Fused Glass and Naïve Art.





All the original art created at Orkney Glass Hut is unique, hand-made and inspired by the flora, fauna, scenery, weather, traditions, people and places throughout Orkney.

You can visit the working Studio and Gallery, book a taster session or join in a workshop with Liz. You can browse workshop dates and times and book a place at www.orkneyglasshut.co.uk/book-online.



Many participants come to the Workshops stating that they're not artistic; many leave following Liz's personal and professional guidance and encouragement stunned at how artistic they can be. Come and try fused glass for yourself at a leisurely afternoon or evening with the Orkney Glass Hut fused glass experience.

We are open mid-week for visits and viewing but if you wish please contact us to arrange a visit outside of our normal opening times.

Orkney Glass Hut



Directions: We are on the X1 bus route. Take the A961 from Kirkwall to Burray. We are the first house and set of barn buildings on the right after the 3rd Barrier. Follow the road up the hill which curves to the right: a viewing lay-by is on the right, our drive is on the right about 100 meters past the lay-by.



www.orkneyglasshut.co.uk



The Workshop and Loft Gallery

A craft producers' co-operative specialising in knitwear and local crafts

Front Road, St Margaret's Hope, South Ronaldsav. Orknev. KW17 2SI

tel: 01856 831587

info@workshopandloftgallery.co.uk









Only the Workshop is fully accessible

Season: February to December

Open: February Tues - Sat 10am - 1pm Mar - Dec Tues - Sat 10am - 5pm

Pay by: cash, Visa, Mastercard etc

Notes: Forwarding service available

The Workshop is a craft producers' co-operative in the picturesque village of St Margaret's Hope. It was established in 1978 for the benefit of local craftspeople and specialises in highquality knitwear and Orcadian crafts.

Created using beautiful varns and contemporary classic designs, the Workshop's unique range of knitwear combines traditional handknitting skills with intriguing patterns based on motifs inspired by the sea and the island way of life.

The Workshop is also a showcase for an impressive range of the best in local art and crafts including jewellery, ceramics, textiles, prints, photographs and cards.



The Loft Gallery is a delightful small gallery. flooded with natural light and providing an intimate venue for exhibitions throughout the season.



Directions:

Take the A961 from Kirkwall across the Churchill Barriers to South Ronaldsay. At St Margaret's Hope, turn right and continue down into the village. Follow The Workshop signs to the Front Road.

www.workshopandloftgallery.co.uk



HoxaTapestry Gallery

Artwork by Jo Thomson and her late mother Leila Thomson

Hoxa, St Margaret's Hope, Orknev, KW17 2TW

tel: 01856 831395

e: enquiries@hoxatapestrygallery.co.uk

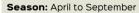












Open: Sunday 2pm - 5pm Mon - Fri 10am - 5.30pm Saturday CLOSED

Outlets: Sheila Fleet in Kirkwall and Kirk, Tankerness

Pay by: cash, debit or credit cards

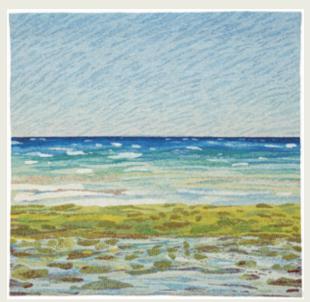
Family run art gallery by artist Jo Thomson and her brother Andrew, established in 1996 by their late mother, artist Leila Thomson.

Jo graduated in Painting from Edinburgh College of Art in 2010, thirty years after her mother. Leila who graduated in Tapestry from Edinburgh College of Art in 1980. Although trained as a painter Jo grew up weaving alongside her mother and as a result her work is a creative blend of painting and handwoven tapestry.

Jo and Leila's artwork is inspired by the rhythm of life and landscape of Orkney. where they were born and brought up. Leila sadly passed away in 2022 but her artwork remains on display at the gallery.

Original artwork, hand-crafted rugs, photographic prints and cards are available to purchase at the gallery.







Directions:

The Hoxa Tapestry Gallery is a 3 mile drive from St. Margaret's Hope. Follow the Creative Orkney signs to Hoxa Head, up past the Smithy museum, out past the Sands o' Wright beach. The Gallery overlooks Scapa Flow.

www.hoxatapestrygallery.co.uk



Hume Sweet Hume

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Fb: Hume Sweet Hume, Knitted Textiles

Instagram - @humesweethume











Season: All year round

Open: April - September Mon - Sat 10am - 4.30pm (closed for lunch 1pm - 2pm) Sun - 2.30pm - 4.30pm October – March Mon - Sat 2pm - 4.30pm, (closed Sundays)

Outlets: Hume Sweet Hume Kirkwall Shop - 1 Broad Street, Kirkwall

Pav bv: cash and all major credit and debit cards

Notes: see our Facebook or website for Kirkwall shop opening times





Inspired by the colours, textures and patterns which surround us on our home island of Westray - one of Orkney's northernmost islands, our aim is to create pieces which will evoke memories of the landscape, heritage

Directions:

On arrival at Rapness Ferry terminal in Westray. follow the main road up the island until you arrive at Pierowall Village. Our workshop and shop is located on the edge of the village so there are only a couple of buildings before ours. If you enter the village from that direction. We are situated several buildings before both the Pierowall Hotel and Westray Junior High School and is on the left hand side of the road with a duck egg blue porch.

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and people of this special place which we call home. Designed to capture the essence of Orkney, our creations are as timeless and versatile as they are unique - perfect for any setting, near or far.





Gallery in the Nortwa'

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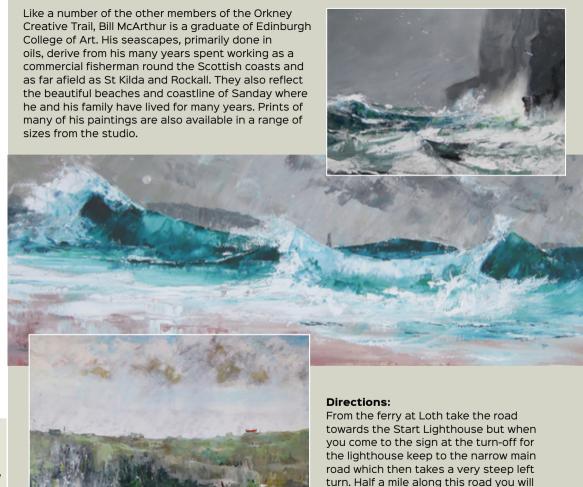






Season: There are no set opening hours, as the artist is happy to hold 'open studio' whenever he's at home. regardless of the time of year. If you are planning a visit an advance a phone call would be advisable as, from time to time, I may be off-island.

Pay by: cash, cheque or Paypal



see the Nortwa' Studio signs on the left.

www.seascape-art-orkney.co.uk



Marion Miller Jewellery

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Season: April - December

Open: Mon - Fri 12 – 5pm Please phone ahead or contact in advance to avoid disappointment.

Outlets: The Longship, Kirkwall The Waterfront Gallery, Stromness or online - please visit website.

Pay by: cash, debit or credit cards







Marion, a Swedish designer and jeweller, trained at Sir John Cass Faculty of Arts in London. She now lives on the Orkney island of Stronsay and works from her studio overlooking the sound of Auskerry. Her iewellery encapsulates a passion for the sea and shore and is an inspiring fusion of silver, gemstones, vitreous enamel and real sea-shells. Collections include enamelled seabirds, silver seashells and her signature wave rings.





Directions: Turn right at the top of the pier and follow the road out of the village. At the first T junction turn left, head south for 3.5 miles. Right at the T junction, first left and then first right. The studio is signposted on the right.

www.marionmillerjewellery.com

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ARCHIVE COFFEE

Located in the old library building in Kirkwall and serving a modern take on breakfast and lunch alongside great home bakes and speciality coffee and teas.

gary@archivecoffee.co.uk

Opening hours 8:30am – 5pm Monday – Saturday 11am – 4pm Sunday

TWENTY ONE

Situated right in the heart of Kirkwall's town centre on Albert Street and offering sociable, relaxed small plate dining.

hello@twentyonekirkwall.co.uk

Opening hours 11am – Late Wednesday – Saturday



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Relax in beautiful surroundings with delicious food and our exclusive blends of speciality teas and coffees. A range of hot and cold dishes using local produce is served daily, along with a selection of homebakes.

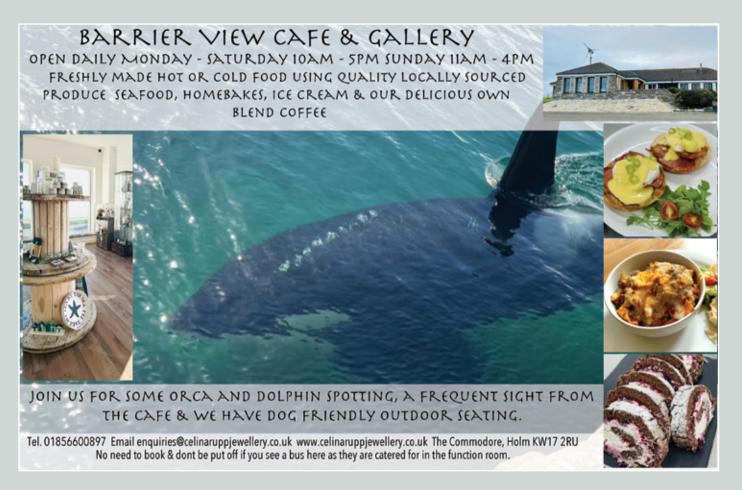
Booking essential

Opening Hours

Mon to Sat 10am - 5pm Sun 11am - 5pm

Book now on 01856 861 758 or sheilafleet.com/thekirk

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A café-bar located in St Margaret's Hope, South Ronaldsay (a 20 minute car or bus journey from Kirkwall).

We are a family run business with a warm Orcadian welcome - serving a traditional menu all day and evening.

We have a fully stocked bar and cocktail menu, wide range of hot and cold beverages and home bakes all made on the premises.

We are a local off-license and tourist information pick up point.

> Outdoor seating available. Free wifi and live music.

Taste of **ORKNEY**

Come and join the
Taste of Orkney
Food & Drink Trail
to explore our
local larder and
visit some of our
talented producers



Welcome to the 2025 Eat, Drink, Enjoy Orkney Guide

Orkney is famed the world over for its wonderful food and drink with many of our larger local producers and famous flagship brands successfully representing the islands in national and international marketplaces.

Orkney is also home to an incredible range of much smaller food and drink businesses, all equally proud of their carefully crafted, high quality produce. There are also numerous hotels, cafes, restaurants and delicatessens offering the very best of Orkney food and drink, along with top class customer service.



Why not pick up a copy and combine information in the **Creative Orkney** and the **Taste of Orkney** guides to create a truly memorable tour of our amazing islands.

www.orkney.com/things/food-and-drink/trail



1 The Longship

- · Designer clothes and accessories.
- Hilary Grant, Jo Gordon,
 Donna Wilson, Harley of Scotland,
 Lochcarron, Tartan Blanket Company,
 Rove, Catherine Tough, Wallace
 Sewell, Quinton & Chadwick
- Knitwear from Orkney, Shetland and Scotland
- · www.thelongship.co.uk





- Orkney whisky, gin, beer, oatcakes, coffee and fudge
- Award-winning wine selection
- Local and continental artisan cheese
- · www.kirknessandgorie.com



3 Ola Gorie Jewellery

- Orkney's original designer jeweller: Ness of Brodgar, Skara Brae, Maeshowe and many other stunning collections
- Traditional and contemporary crafts
- Selected local gifts, souvenirs and cards
- www.olagoriejewellery.com



Opposite St Magnus Cathedral Tel. 01856 888790

Quernstone KNITWEAR

Opening: Monday to Saturday, 9.30am to 5.00pm in the summer months, plus Sundays noon to 4pm during festivals.

Outlets:

Our knitwear is available from:

Quernstone Knitwear

Victoria Street, Stromness

Orkney Tweed

Victoria Street, Kirkwall

Hume Sweet Hume,

Albert Street, Kirkwall and Pierowall, Westray **The Workshop**, Front Road, St Margaret's Hope.

Pay by: cash, all major credit cards.

tel: 01856 852900

e: info@quernstone.co.uk

www.quernstone.co.uk



Style, simplicity, comfort and quality are the bywords for the Quernstone's unique range of luxury knitwear, all designed and handmade in Orkney. Based in the picturesque, historic town of Stromness since 1984, the Quernstone has built up a loyal following with customers looking for stylish yet easy to wear garments in a broad choice of colours.



Made in Orkney by a highly skilled group of knitters, using only the finest quality yarns, this distinctive signature knitwear is to be found within the Quernstone's dedicated Victoria Street knitwear shop. Housed in a 1920s ice-cream parlour, the shop also stocks a large selection of clothing, accessories and yarns. Quernstone knitwear is also available in outlets throughout the UK and is sold online through the company's own website.

Across the street you'll find the Quernstone's ever popular gift shop, which stocks a wonderfully eclectic variety of items – everything from cards and stationery to jewellery, furnishings, ceramics and toys. Surprises and quirkiness are guaranteed here, reflecting the Quernstone's innovative approach to the retail experience and desire to keep things fresh and interesting for all its customers.





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Carrie Paxton Glass Design Hand painted, Kiln Fired Glass

> Ingaskeldt Studio Kirkwall KW15 1SR Visitors Welcome

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Joining Creative Orkney

Founded in 1991, Creative Orkney is run by its members - each of whom produce quality arts, crafts and designs: from artwork to jewellery, ceramics to furniture - all designed and made here in the county.

It brings together traditional and contemporary professional craft makers working in the islands to promote, support and develop high quality design-led creative work.

Visit our website for further details of what Creative Orkney can offer you and your business.



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We hope you enjoyed your visit to our workshops. If you didn't have time to visit us all, there's always next year or visit our website.

www.orkney.com/creative











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Back cover I-r: Marion Miller Jewellery, Hume Sweet Hume, Celina Rupp Jewellery, Hilary Grant, Hoxa Tapestry Gallery.

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