

**AIM**

ARTS IN MORAY

# show case

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**CULTURE  
COLLECTIVE  
SHOWCASE**

**Mon 23 Oct – Fri 27 Oct**

Exhibition and arts events  
across Moray (& online)

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# Welcome to the Arts in Moray (AIM) Collective Showcase

Monday 23 – Friday 27 October

The Arts in Moray (AIM) Collective is a dynamic union of partner organisations Dance North Scotland, Moray Arts Development Engagement, the Moray Way Association, and Wildbird, working hand in hand with artists in residence and the vibrant communities of Moray.

Now into its second phase of funding, AIM has seen six artists in residence working across Moray between November 2022 and October 2023.

These artists each bring their unique art forms, practices, and innovative approaches to engage with our communities, spaces, and places but the key element to all the residencies has been to have the time and space to develop work inspired with and by the people and environment of Moray.

We warmly invite you to join us for a week of AIM events and activities in Elgin, Findhorn, Forres, Cummington and Rothes, from Monday 23 – Friday 27 October!

Come and experience the vibrant tapestry of creativity that is the Arts in Moray Collective, as we mark the finale of our current phase of artistic exploration. This is your chance not just to witness but also to actively get involved with art and events inspired by Moray and created with its communities.



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# Day Planner

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Mon 23 Oct – Fri 27 Oct St Giles Shopping Centre, Elgin	AIM Showcase Exhibition	7
<b>Mon 23 Oct</b>		
10:00 – 16:00 Greenbrae Steadings	Cuppa & Chat with MADE, Stacey Toner & Caroline Inckle	4
12:30 – 15:00 Anvil Park, Rothies	<i>I've been walking along the Spey since before I was born</i> , Norma D. Hunter	4
<b>Tue 24 Oct</b>		
12:30 – 14:00 St Giles Shopping Centre, Elgin	Silent Disco & Expressive Painting & Mark-making, Jacqueline Briggs, featuring DJ Ross Carbarns	5
16:30 – 17:30 Findhorn Village Centre The Garden Room	Aerobics with Soul, Salma Faraji	5
<b>Wed 25 Oct</b>		
10:00 – 16:00 Greenbrae Steadings	Cuppa & Chat with MADE, Stacey & Caroline	4
11:00 – 12:00 & 13:00 – 14:00 Wastebusters, Forres	Recycled Sounds, Dave Martin with Nathan Mills	6
<b>Thu 26 Oct</b>		
11:00 Dance North Office, Findhorn	My_co_Meditation, Simone Kenyon	6
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12:30 – 13:30 Findhorn Village Centre Ron Burns Room	One Woman Show: <i>I Hear You</i> , Salma Faraji (followed by light refreshments)	5
<b>Fri 27 Oct</b>		
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Image: Stacey Toner



## Cuppa & Chat with MADE

**Stacey Toner & Caroline Inckle**

Mon 25 & Wed 25 Oct | 10:00 – 16:00 | Greenbrae Steading, Cummington | 16+ only

Book in some time on Monday 23rd or Wednesday 25th of October between 10am-4pm at Greenbrae Steading to meet with Caroline and Stacey for a creative cuppa and chat.

<https://calendly.com/stacey-muw/cuppaandchat>



Image: Diane A Smith

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**Norma D. Hunter**

Mon 23 & Thu 26 Oct | 12:30 – 15:00 | Meet at Anvil Gardens, Rothes | All ages

Join Artist Norma D. Hunter and others to explore the new Rothes Way and Loop, starting from Anvil Gardens. Be welcomed by this warm community overshadowed by its past reputation of the 'ugly bairn in the Bonnie Cradle.'

For more information and to book, email: [info@morayways.org.uk](mailto:info@morayways.org.uk)

# ROOTS

## Jacqueline Briggs

Tue 24 Oct: 12:30pm – 14:00  
Fri 27 Oct: Between 11:00 & 15:00  
St Giles Shopping Centre | All ages

Silent Disco, Expressive Painting and Mark-making Workshop with illustrator, Jacqueline Briggs.

Image: Jacqueline Briggs



Image: Tighe Wylie-Freegard

## Aerobics with Soul<sup>®</sup>

### Salma Faraji

Wed 25 Oct, 16:30 – 17:30  
Findhorn Village Centre | 16+  
Booking required

Based on traditional dances from Tanzania, this movement class is accessible to all levels and combines fitness industry guidelines with the magic and creativity of African Dance. The only requirement is an open mind, a relaxed body, and the ability to NOT take yourself too seriously!

## Work-in-Progress Sharing: *One Woman – I Hear You*

### Salma Faraji

Thu 26 Oct, 12:30 – 13:30  
(refreshments provided after the sharing)  
Findhorn Village Centre | 12+

Work in progress: Salma is sharing a story which breaks a long-held and necessary silence. She is exploring BSL (British Sign Language) as a dance language. This work was developed as an exploration of Salma's experiences of race issues.





# Recycled S:ounds

**Dave Martin with Nathan Mills**

Wed 25 Oct, 11:00 – 12:00 & 13:00 – 14:00 | Wastebusters, Forres | All ages

A live audio performance on headphones at Wastebusters in Forres. Featuring sounds and recorded conversations all from Wastebusters, which will be sampled and mixed to create a unique sound experience.



Image: Simone Kenyon

# My\_co\_Meditation

**Simone Kenyon**

Thu 26 Oct, 11:00 – 11:45  
Guided walk starting from The Hive, The Park Ecovillage, Findhorn | Age 16+

*My\_co\_Meditation* is a walk and guided meditation to explore our collective and individual ways of imagining and relating to fungi and the wider woodland within our reach.

# AIM Showcase Exhibition

Mon 23 Oct – Fri 27 Oct, 10:00 – 16:00

St Giles Shopping Centre, Elgin

- > Short film: STEVIE – OUTSIDER ARTIST, by Mike Inglis
- > Fruiting Body prints, by Simone Kenyon
- > Residency process journals by Salma Faraji
- > *The Arts in Moray Collective Collaboration Toolkit and Diverse Multiple & Connected, Arts in Moray Collective Reflections and Learning book*, by Caroline Inckle
- > Caroline Inckle & Stacey Toner writings and research map
- > Polytunnel / Justice Team showcase by Graeme Roger / Jacqueline Briggs / Dave Martin with Justice Team Participants: a selection of polaroids, films and photography and sounds created with the Moray Justice team
- > Norma D. Hunter cuttlefish casting moulds

## Online Content

<https://www.dancenorth.scot/AIMshowcase>

- > Mycelial Meanders, guided audio walk by Simone Kenyon
- > In Conversation with MADE: *A meaningful and functional arts sector in Moray* Podcast with Stacey Toner, Caroline Inckle and Laura Johnston-Scott
- > A Visual Representation: A meaningful and functional arts sector in Moray (downloadable poster)
- > Blog: Reflect with MADE *What does making mean to you?*
- > Jacqueline Briggs Visual Diary

