

# COCKINGTON COURT

## Court Up in Cockington

## July 2015

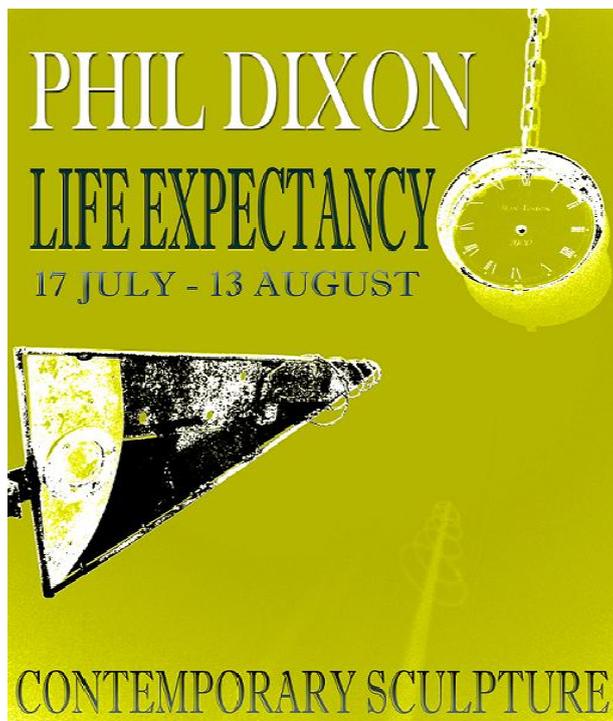
### We're a TripAdvisor 2015 Winner

We're proud to be a TripAdvisor Certificate of Excellence 2015 winner.

Thank you for visiting us and leaving reviews on the website, which helps spread the word about Cockington to locals and holidaymakers.



### Kitchen Gallery Exhibitions



This great, fun and interactive exhibition leads a trail throughout the Manor House to the Walled Art Garden – visitors love it!

**“Fantastic - such fun - kids loved it”**

Jenny Harriman, Brixham.

**“Brilliant. A lovely interlude from a damp holiday. Thanks”**

Sean, Sam and boys, Salford.

### Cockington Craft

Our crafts makers are exhibiting across Devon! Kate Toms tells us of her experience...

“It was a real privilege to exhibit at Bovey Tracey Contemporary Craft Festival. To be surrounded by so many wonderful makers is truly inspiring. The general vibe of the festival is fantastic and the visitors were all enthusiastic and appreciative of the work. This is the second time that I've exhibited at Bovey - both times I've been selected as a reserve pending availability in my category. It's always tricky being 'brave' enough to lay your work on the line to a selection panel - as it is so personal and hard to accept 'rejection' but, I would not hesitate to recommend the festival to makers and visitors alike - it's highly regarded, fantastically well organised and a pleasure be a part of.”



Some of Kate Tom's Exhibited Work

### Hand in hand with the community – The Feijoa Project

Cockington Court is very proud to be developing a fantastic community project in our Walled Art Garden.

The Feijoa Project is a community interest company and has been successful in receiving funding through the Imagine Foundation.

The project has employed a gardener and coordinator and the aim is to assist, develop and grow individuals' potential, working with vulnerable people, particularly those with a disability in the Torbay area.

There is an action day on the 13th August from 10-4pm and the Court is looking for volunteers to pop into the welcome point to sign up for the day.

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## Workshops in August

Tuesday 4th: Mosaic for Beginners

Saturday 8th: Glass Engraving Course

Monday 10th: Acrylic Painting Course

Saturday 22nd: Cockington Sketchbook Tour



## Upcoming Events



**Wednesday 5th August, 10am – 4 pm**

Enjoy a Great Family Day Out in the beautiful grounds of the historical Cockington Court at our traditional Cockington Court Fayre.



**Saturday 8th August – The Sorcerer's Apprentice**

**Sunday 23rd August – The Three Musketeers**

Staged on the front lawn at Cockington Court, the performances will be full of (literally) larger-than-life characters. Come and join superb theatre in the great outdoors.

**Open from 5pm, Performance starts 6:30pm**

## Find out more

Details of the events, workshops and much more can be found by visiting our website or calling Cockington Court.

[www.cockingtoncourt.org](http://www.cockingtoncourt.org)

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## Crafts on display

The crafts on display in the Visitor Welcome Point and the Gallery are always changing.

The Gallery has been a huge success and the response to our new Visitor Welcome Point and Gallery has been overwhelming. Our makers have benefited from extra sales, with a special well done to Polly Brown who sold her stunning Mosaic Frieze to a couple who fell in love with it and bought it for their new home.

### Currently on display:

Stephanie Buddle – Resin Jewellery

Amy Metheringham – Paper Flowers

Debbie Macpherson – Leather Bags

Gail Trezise – Ceramics



## News from the team

"I would like to introduce my new Court team who are Pauline Prowse, Francesca Anderson and Anne Neville who you will meet in the Visitor Welcome Point.

The summer is upon us and we all are looking forward to an exciting time and to offer all our visitors a great experience to remember.

From outdoor theatre performances, arts workshops, trails, wedding ceremonies, exhibitions, there is so much to enjoy. Every day is an event here and we have plenty of creative craft work to purchase so you can take that memory of your visit here home with you!

One more thing, if you have enjoyed your visit please let people know on Trip advisor."

Thank you.

**Marissa Wakefield, Centre Director  
Cockington Court**