

BIG DRAW 2017: *'Living Lines'*



At
Geddington Brickyard Garden

on
Sunday 22nd OCTOBER 2017

with

artist Emma Davies



This autumn Geddington Brickyard Garden has decided to embark on an adventure and take part in **The Big Draw Festival** – the **WORLD'S BIGGEST** celebration of drawing.

We invite you to save the date in your calendar or diary, put a 'post- it' on your fridge or input into your phones/tablets/laptops.

We all have different ways of remembering and we all have different ways of drawing. 'But I can't draw,' we hear you cry. 'Nonsense,' we reply. **Everyone can draw!**

A Bit about 'The Big Draw'

The Big Draw was founded in 2000 and as well as supporting artists, also campaigns on the importance of drawing within education and is passionate about the 'social, economic and health benefits that drawing can bring'. Inclusivity and providing opportunities that everyone can access is at the heart of all events. The website address is <http://thebigdraw.org/> and you can also find it on Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest and You Tube.

What will we be doing?

Every year, The Big Draw has a theme and this year's is *'Living Lines'* – which is perfect for Geddington Brickyard Garden! We are working with artist and Geddington resident **Emma Davies** to develop a fantastic programme of drawing activities that embraces the theme and can engage our community. We will be inspired by all that is living in and around the garden, both flora and fauna (including human!) and will create amazing drawings, large scale and small... in groups and as individuals. We'll try some *experiments*, things that are a bit *different*, but also there will be opportunities for you **to learn and develop your skills**.

If you are still thinking 'I can't draw,' we are aiming for this to be a **fun FAMILY and FRIENDS day** where we can all come together, enjoy the outdoors, be inspired and try something new. Emma is experienced in working with children, young people and adults alike, having worked on projects within education and the community across the East and South Midlands.

AND THE BEST THING IS: IT'S FREE!

So, what have you got to lose? It's great... so SAVE THE DATE!