

28 April - 27 May

# WHAT'S ON

OUR SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR MONTH



Hywel Jones dishes up a dinner demo at Lucknam Park; Ian Edwards' bronze sculptures at Axle Arts; create a spring bouquet display at The Gainsborough Bath Spa

## Exhibitions

### 28 APRIL ROYAL WOMEN

A revealing look at how royal roles influenced choice of dress. Exhibition highlights include Alexandra Princess of Wales' wedding dress, dating from 1863. The stories behind the dresses and the choice of colour, cut or style tell us much about Alexandra, Mary, Elizabeth and Margaret, and how they chose to present themselves as royal women; Fashion Museum; [www.fashionmuseum.co.uk](http://www.fashionmuseum.co.uk)

### UNTIL 30 APRIL SPRING EXHIBITION

Original contemporary paintings, limited edition giclée prints and cards of award-winning landscapes and abstracts. Emma Rose Art Works; [www.emmaroseartworks.com](http://www.emmaroseartworks.com)

### UNTIL 5 MAY NEW WORKS

In this sculptural exhibition Anna Gillespie breaks from using found organic materials to launch new works in plaster. The figurative pieces deal with loss, the feminine and the masculine, and what it means to be an individual. Anna depicts human reality through the sculptural form. Beaux Arts Bath Gallery; [www.beauxartsbath.co.uk](http://www.beauxartsbath.co.uk)

### UNTIL 7 MAY ANTHONY FRY: A RETROSPECTIVE

An acclaimed artist who created striking and colourful pictures that expressed his love of travel. £10/£9; The Holburne; [www.holburne.org](http://www.holburne.org)

### UNTIL 12 MAY BATH SOCIETY OF ARTISTS

An exciting annual exhibition celebrating artistic talent in the

city. Many distinguished 20th-century painters have exhibited with the society, including Walter Sickert, Patrick Heron, Mary Fedden and Howard Hodgkin. Victoria Art Gallery; [www.victoriagal.org.uk](http://www.victoriagal.org.uk)

### UNTIL 13 MAY IAN EDWARDS

The artist draws on inspiration from natural forces and his own struggles with dyslexia to create sculptures that express the power and determination of human endeavour. Pieces on show include a diving kingfisher, lying-down hare and a leaping man, all formed from bronze. Axle Arts; [www.axlearts.com](http://www.axlearts.com)

### UNTIL 28 MAY LIGHT AND COLOUR

A landscape show combining painted works from Kate Cochrane and Jason Nosworthy. Kate's colourful paintings lead the viewer into the rich textures

and scenes of Tasmania, while Jason focuses on elements of landscape that lean towards colourful abstractions. 10am-5pm daily; East Lambrook Manor Gardens, Somerset; [www.eastlambrook.com](http://www.eastlambrook.com)

### UNTIL 4 JUNE SEA FEVER

A vibrant and colourful group exhibition, bringing together the work of five artists and their different responses to the subject of the sea. Inspiration has been taken from the poem *Sea Fever* by John Masefield, which explores our essential need for the ocean. David Simon Contemporary; [www.davidsimoncontemporary.com](http://www.davidsimoncontemporary.com)

### UNTIL 16 JUNE COLLECTED SHADOWS

A Hayward Gallery Touring exhibition from Southbank Centre, showing 200