Joan Eardley: drawings

An illustrated talk - to launch the Funding Appeal for Heroica's forthcoming production on the life of this remarkable artist -
given by art historian

Matilda Mitchell
MA, FSAScot

with an introduction to the project as a whole by Angela Cairns and Alexandra Mathie, and Matilda Mitchell's talk followed by an audience Q&A session.

The Terrace Room
Town Hall
St George's Street
Hebden Bridge HX7 7BY

Saturday 31 October at 2.30 pm

Tickets £5 (to include refreshments): available from the Town Hall (01422 417300) or on the door.

Donations towards the project welcomed (see overleaf).

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Matilda Mitchell MA, FSAScot (Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland) holds a degree in the history of art from Edinburgh University. She was in charge of the Art Collection and exhibitions at Stirling University from its inception. She subsequently ran the Art Gallery of the MacRobert Centre at the University and worked later at the Scottish Arts Council.

Matilda created Paintings in Hospitals Scotland which has subsequently become Art in Healthcare. As a freelance consultant she has worked on the oeuvres of various individual artists. She has catalogued for the nation over 700 of Joan Eardley’s drawings.

JOIN US for this chance to meet Matilda Mitchell, learn about the extraordinary works of Joan Eardley RSA (1921-63) - and find out about our exciting new project: **Joan Eardley: A Private View** (working title) by Anna Carlisle.

Joan Eardley’s works - paintings and drawings - were chiefly dedicated to portraits of Glasgow street children and to land- and seascapes of Catterline on the east coast of Scotland. The guiding intention of this evolving production is to bring Joan Eardley and the overwhelming body and nature of her work to the notice of the wider British public.

Donations towards the project will be welcomed and may be offered in cash at the 31 October event or sent to us at Heroica Theatre Company (see details below).

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