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### **Well Dressing Workshops at QUAD**

QUAD in Derby will be holding free drop-in Derby Well Dressings workshops in June. The workshops offer a chance to learn the ancient Derbyshire custom of Well Dressing using natural materials and to help create this years' designs. This years' theme celebrates 40th Anniversary of Derby City.

Free drop-in workshops with Artists from Spiral Arts group will be running in QUAD from Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June. The Well Dressings will then be exhibited on the trail at key venues around the historic Cathedral Quarter during the following week.

The Well Dressing Workshops take place at QUAD on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June from 4:00pm to 6:00pm, Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June, from 2:00pm to 4:00pm and Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June, from 1:00pm to 3:00pm.

The Well Dressing Trail will be on display from Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June in QUAD, Derby Cathedral, Derby Central Library, Déda, Local Studies Library and Derby Tourist Information Centre, opening times vary.

**For further information please call QUAD on 01332 290606, see:**

**[http://www.derbyquad.co.uk/creative-course-\(adult\)/well-dressing-workshops.aspx](http://www.derbyquad.co.uk/creative-course-(adult)/well-dressing-workshops.aspx)**

**or contact: Spiral Arts: [Spiral\\_arts@hotmail.com](mailto:Spiral_arts@hotmail.com)**

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**Notes to Editors**

QUAD is Derby's centre for art and film, on the Market Place in Derby city centre. QUAD is a gallery, cinema, café bar and workshop that anyone can use. QUAD is a partnership between Derby City Council and Arts Council England. See [www.derbyquad.co.uk](http://www.derbyquad.co.uk) for more information. <http://twitter.com/derbyquad> For further information on this event, or any other



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