

Make It Special

Please contact Arran for getting in touch with the artists and facilitators at info@holidaycornishcottages.co.uk. You can book your fun activities directly with her!

Enjoy learning the art of Pencil Drawing, Paper Making/Craft and Upcycling with local artist **Francesca Stella**. Francesca is an illustrator and upcycling expert www.shop.francescastella.co.uk

Paper craft – duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or for groups of 2 people plus £20 per person. – All material provided.

Learn how to make cute items using paper together with Francesca. You can have a choice to make your own personalised bookmarks, greeting cards, gift bags, letter and envelopes kits and paper decorations using paper craft techniques. All material will be provided.

Drawing Your Imagination duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or for groups of 2 people plus £20 per person. – All material provided.

Learn to be transported by the magic of colouring pencils and let your imagination drawing the landscapes of your soul.

Francesca will support you to find your own expression on paper and will teach you fundamental techniques of the art of pencils, such as shading, light and contrast.

Upcycling duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or for groups of 2 people plus £20 per person. – All material is provided.

The art of transforming old and discarded materials into beautiful and practical objects is called 'upcycling'.

During the class you will be able to complete a project of your choice. You can chose from: photo albums, lampshades, pillows/cushions, felted items (scarfs, hats, brooches), photo/picture frames. and if you have a specific request, Francesca will help putting your ideas into practice.

Greg Humphries is an artist educator with over ten years experience. He is passionate about connecting people to the landscape through art and the natural resources available. www.futuretracks.co.uk

'The sustainable artist' Paper and Artist Charcoal making with Greg Humphries and Francesca Stella – duration: 3 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £50 or for groups of 2 people plus £25 per person. – All material provided.

Come along to Greg's outdoor studio to learn about charcoal production and make your own artists charcoal. You will have also the to make your own paper with Francesca and be able to come back home with your own sustainable artist charcoal and paper.

Sketching the landscape duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or for groups of 2 people plus £20 per person. – All material provided.

Come with Greg for a walk in the beautiful countryside and take away your drawings as a momento.

Gypsy Basket Making – duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or for groups of 2 people plus £20 per person. – All material provided.

Using local willow and hedgerow materials create your own basket with Greg.

Pole Lathe Turning – duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or £40 for couples – All material provided.

Come along to Greg's outdoor Greenwood Studio to try your hand with a pole lathe and turn your own rolling pin.

Spoon Carving – duration: 2 hours – Cost: 1 to 1 classes £35 or £40 for couples – Over 12 years only – All material provided.

Create your own spoon using basic hand tools with Greg Humphries.

Learn how to forage and cook wild food with local expert **Caroline Davey**. www.father.org

Wild foraging walks – duration: 2 hours – Cost: £50 per person.

During the walks Caroline will show you the edible wild herbs, flowers, fungi, seeds, roots, seaweeds, berries, salads and vegetables in season. The guided walks take place in various locations around West Cornwall.

Wild Food Dining – Cost: POA

A wild taste of food for you and your loved ones.

Nordic Walking with Kelly Ann Bennett – www.walkkernow.co.uk

Join us for a fun 2 hour workshop. During this session you will learn how to Nordic Walk. You won't need anything as such for this course as poles are provided. Just turn up in clothing to suit the weather, we advise trainers rather than walking boots. You may join our scheduled workshops or we can provide a private workshop to suit you. Both attract a 10% discount if you are staying at Ruby Farmhouse Holiday Cottages. All workshops are currently held at Trelissick Gardens.

Jewellery making workshop. with Jo Archer

Two people £8 p.p.p hour.

Web site in the making, but we can be found on Facebook at Elemental Haze

Fly Cornwall with Simon Hurley- Trail lessons 30 mins £100. 60 mins £185. Longer by arrangement.

Maybe you'd like to see Cornwall from a different height? Maybe you'd like to have a go? Well, here's your chance.

Water sports. Kayaking, wind surfing, dingy sailing. More details, prices etc on request.

