

Submissions accepted from 28<sup>th</sup> April to 3<sup>rd</sup> May :

- during Speldiburn Office hours:  
Monday - Friday, 9am-12.30pm, 1.30-5pm
- Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> April, 6-9pm
- Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 12-3pm

**Submissions must be made before the the final deadline of 3pm, Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.**

If you're unable to hand in work during during the above hours, please just contact us to arrange an alternative.

**All entries much be accompanied with a completed submission form.**

**Please see guidelines inside for full details.**

**For more information**

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# Call for entries!



# Speldiburn Open 2025

**Exhibition from 6th May**

**We are welcoming entries from Bressay residents, or those with a strong Bressay connection to show their work at Speldiburn Cafe.**

**You do not need to have had any formal art or craft experience - whatever you make or create, we'd love to see your work!**

**There is also a  
Bairns Open  
running  
alongside.  
Prizes to be  
won!**

A range of art & craft media are welcome including, but not limited to: painting, drawing, printmaking, textiles, and knitting, mixed media and photography.

Three winners will be selected for a group show at Speldiburn in 2026.

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# Guidelines

- Submissions are invited from Bressay residents or those with a strong Bressay connection.
- You may submit up to 3 pieces.
- Work must have been made within the last 3 years.
- There is no submission fee.
- Each submission should be all your own work.
- Adult submissions should be no larger than 1 metre, in all mediums.
- Children's submissions should be no larger than A3 (30cm x 42cm).
- All craft and art forms accepted. But if your work may require special consideration for showing, such as 3D or digital, please contact us in advance to discuss.
- All work should be submitted ready to hang, with appropriate fixtures or fittings on the work. To be most compatible with our hanging system, we prefer frames to have d-rings or be strung. Works such as delicate drawings or photographs should be framed as needed. If textiles require particular display fixtures, please supply these along with your work.
- Original prints are encouraged, but reproductions of work will not be accepted (i.e. digital prints or photos of original paintings). If further works from a print edition are available, you can state this, including the price and number available for sale in the entry form, but you will be responsible for these sales (buyers will be directed to contact you).
- Children's work does not have to be framed.
- Your work doesn't have to be for sale, but if you do wish to, the commission rate is 10%. The price of work given on the entry form and labels is the total price payable by the purchaser, i.e the wall price.
- We reserve the right to refuse items with content which may cause offence, or which otherwise do not meet the above criteria. Works whose stability, materials or method of construction could present a hazard to the viewing public may be rejected on these grounds.
- The exhibition will run for approximately 2 months. You will be contacted towards the end of the exhibition to arrange collection.
- 3 prize winners will be announced at an Opening Event (date & time tbc). You will receive an invite prior to this. The winners will be awarded a group show at Speldiburn in 2026 (times to be agreed between the winners).
- Prizes for children's entries will also be announced at an Opening Event, (date & time tbc). All children's entries receive a certificate.
- The decision of the panel of judges is final.



# Entry Form

**Please complete and submit this with your work. If completing this on behalf of a child, please put parent/guardian's contact details.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

**If not a Bressay resident, please briefly state your Bressay connection:**

\_\_\_\_\_

Adult

Child (under 16)  Please stage age of child \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Tel \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to the guidelines

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## ARTWORK DETAILS (for exhibition display labels):

**Please also securely attach a label to the back of each work with name, artwork title and (if for sale) the price.**

**For children, please also state age on the label, as this will be taken into consideration by the judges.**

1. Title \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

This work is for sale Yes  No  Price \_\_\_\_\_

2. Title \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

This work is for sale Yes  No  Price \_\_\_\_\_

3. Title \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

This work is for sale Yes  No  Price \_\_\_\_\_

(Optional, also for display labels): Website \_\_\_\_\_

Social Media Account/s \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_