

ARTISTS in ACTION

Alison Hulme

Alison Hulme is a practising textile artist whose current focus is on print and the written word the fascination for which stems from her dyslexia. Expressing herself by including text in her artwork has given her mastery over writing and text which she didn't have before.

Her current work also reflects her love of form and function – hence she makes pinnies! These inherently domestic and practical items of predominantly female protective-wear are enhanced and beautified to celebrate the role of the wearer as maker, provider and carer.

Each pinny is unique. A length of material is individually printed for each one using multi-layered combination of perhaps dyeing, screen printing, gelatine plate printing, eco-dyeing or printing and machine embroidery.

2018 has been an exciting year for Alison working in France with Crafty Retreats and Jersey at The Harbour Gallery and working with Art Van Go at the Quilt Show in the NEC.



Alison is also exhibiting with **'Room 6'** here at the Knitting & Stitching Show where she hopes her work, depicting the difficulties experienced in her past life, will be received with intended humour. This exhibition will travel to Dublin and Harrogate with the show.



Exhibitions:

Hillyers Romsey 2018
Ashcroft Art Centre 2017
Hillyers Romsey 2017
Knitting and Stitching Shows 2016

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