

# Makers Celebration Day

SATURDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER

Among the makers coming to the museum to demonstrate their skills and show their work will be...

## Cornwall Blacksmiths Collective

**Ann Rennie** Metalsmith

**Gilly Sloper** Chair caning, re-rushing and macramé

**Don Taylor** Serpentine & wood work

**Zehra Anderson** spinning, carding, all things textile

**Sara Price** Quilt maker

**Lucie Hernandez** Creator of electronic textiles

**Martin Douglas** Guitar maker

**George Chambers** Crab pot maker

**Adrian Holmes** Japanese wood-block printing

**Caroline Bawn** Gorgeous Yarns

**Sally Cole** Print maker

**Catherine Hyde** Clayboard and scratchboard painting

**Ruth Browning** Driftwood artist

**Bettina Holland** Textile artist

**Melody Ryder** Lampshade maker

**Julie Baumber** Machine free-stitching

**Nina Fenner** Hand made books

**Suzy Currell** Traditional sign writer

**Sarah Warwick** Button maker

**Maria Lee McCollum** Love Mia textiles

**Vicki Aimers** Mixed media artist

**Denise Strachey** Textile designer

**Lace-making Group**

**Erica Clark** Garden design competition

**Robbie Ryder** Bee-skep maker

**Merryn Rogers** Kernow Kei (Cornish tartan)

**Repair café** volunteers will be available for advice on all kinds of repair

## WHAT ELSE?

**Children's recycled hat competition:** Use imagination to create a new hat from an old one. Bring it to the museum on or before September 6th, marked clearly with name, age and contact details. Hats will be displayed and prizes awarded at the Helston Makes It! launch on September 8th.

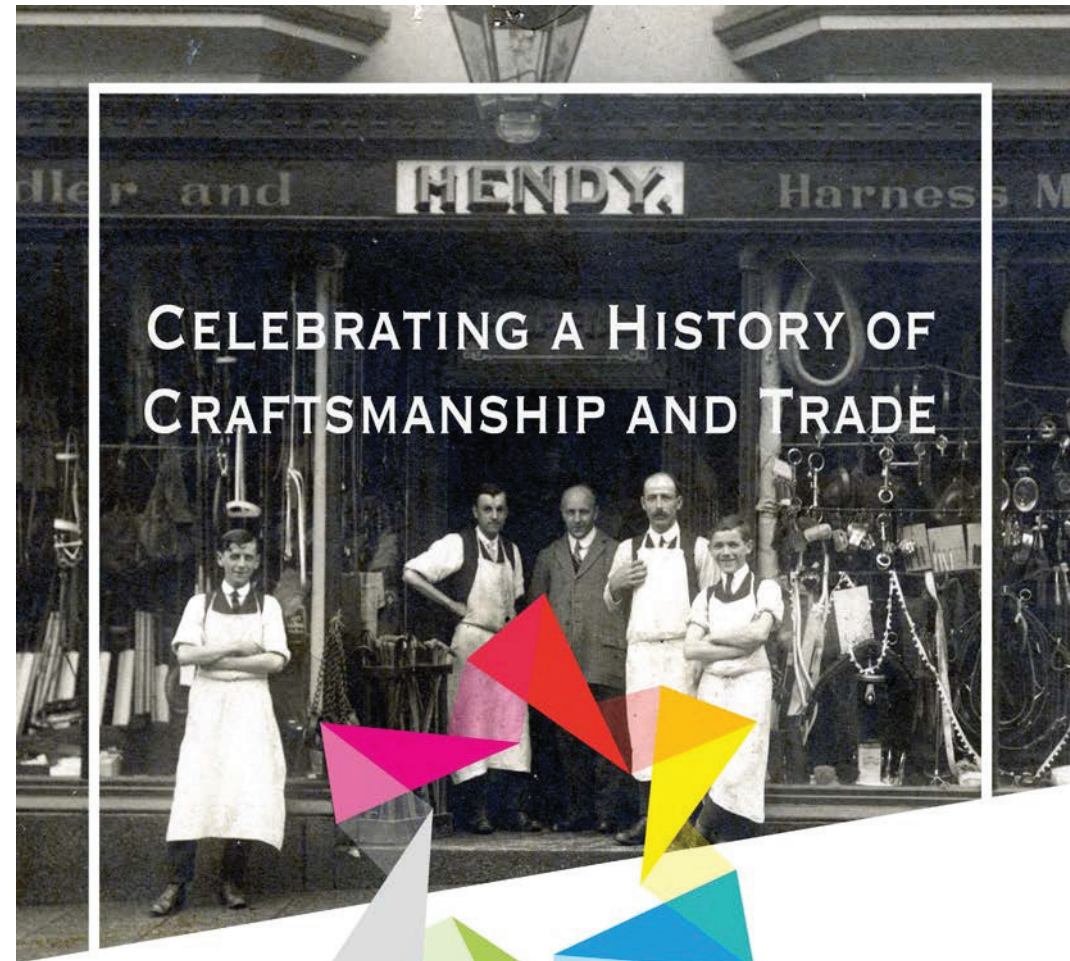
**Blue Anchor Brewery Tours:** Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday are brew days. Brewer Gareth Bawden will be pleased to show you around the place where world famous Spingo is brewed any time between 10:00 am and 3:00 pm.

**Touch Craft** facilitates creative workshops to combine textiles and technology to create electronic textiles which tell stories or produce sound effects. We will be exhibiting work at the museum on Saturday 8th.

**Shops and Businesses** around the town will be doing something different to their windows during Helston Makes It! fortnight. Look for the logo.



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HELSTON MUSEUM | SEPTEMBER 2018  
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#### SATURDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER

##### Everyone is invited to the launch of Helston Makes It! 2018

World premiere of Nansloe Academy's animated film -  
*Recyclamation for our Nation*  
Meet some of our makers  
Children's activities  
Time: 11:00 am

#### MONDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER

'The Harvest Home' bookmaking workshops organised by Marie Magor <https://www.krowji.org.uk/tenant/marie-magor/> and Vicki Aimers <https://www.krowji.org.uk/tenant/vicki-aimers/>

**Make a 'Common place' book** with printed fabric cover (hand stitch and hand printed) inspired by the museum and the harvest  
Time: 10:00 am to 12:30 pm  
Cost: £18

**Recipe book** with an embellished vintage fabric cover (hand stitch) inspired by the museum and its many artefacts  
Time: 1:30– 4:00  
Cost: £18

*If you book both the above workshops cost is reduced to £30*

#### TUESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

##### The Making of the Millet Grylls Monument

Amanda Boxer will explain the background to Helston's unique monument and the man it commemorates  
Time: 1:00 pm – 2:00pm  
Cost: FREE

#### WEDNESDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER

##### Inventiveness

Andrew Lanyon will explore this subject in his inimitable way. You can see and hear him talking about his work here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l7TztUBIL5w>  
Time: 2.30 pm  
Cost: FREE

#### THURSDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER

##### Natural Dying workshop

Dye your own skein of yarn and learn the skills of dying with natural ingredients. Caroline Bawn of gorgeous yarns [www.gorgeouslyarns.co.uk](http://www.gorgeouslyarns.co.uk) will lead you through the process. No harsh chemicals are used, making this process particularly good for those with sensitive skin or if you would like to make something special for a baby. All materials provided.  
Time: 10:00 – 12:30  
Cost: £18:00

##### Learn to Crochet

Caroline Bawn of gorgeous yarns [www.gorgeouslyarns.co.uk](http://www.gorgeouslyarns.co.uk) will teach the basic stitches so you can make your own piece of crochet, plus a 'take-away' project to do at home. All materials provided  
Time: 1.30 - 4.00  
Cost £15.  
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#### FRIDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER

##### Felting workshop

'Beads and Cords' Bettina Holland <https://bettinahollandartistmaker.wordpress.com/> will lead a workshop to introduce you to the skills of felting. All materials provided.  
Time: 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm  
Cost: £10:00

#### SATURDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER

##### Tapestry Weaving

Textile artist Maria Lee McCollum <https://www.facebook.com/lovemia.co/> will teach you the skills of tapestry weaving. All materials provided  
Time: 10:30 – 1:30  
Cost: £20:00

#### MONDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER

##### Button making

Sarah Warwick will teach you how to make special buttons using traditional west country techniques  
Time: 1:30 pm  
Cost: £10

#### TUESDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER

##### From Fleece to Final Product

(Processing sheep fleece, spinning and knitting)  
Catherine Earp (Cornwall Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers) will demonstrate the process of how a fleece is made into yarn ready for knitting.  
Time: 2:00 pm  
Cost: FREE

#### WEDNESDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER

##### Book Making workshop

**Make a hard back book for a special purpose.** Nina Fenner <http://www.ninafenner.co.uk> will guide you through the process and provide all materials  
Time: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm  
Cost £30 including all materials

#### THURSDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

##### Make Helston a Better Blooming Town

Erica Clark of Helston in Bloom will guide you through the process of entering an exciting competition to improve the area outside the library and Job Centre Plus. If you cannot attend workshop but have an interest in the competition Erica will be at the museum on September 22nd. Her contact tel. no is 01326 574408, email [jack.clark653@fiscali.co.uk](mailto:jack.clark653@fiscali.co.uk)  
Time: 10:30 am  
Cost: FREE

#### FRIDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER

##### Lino Cut print making

Sally Cole <http://sallycoleartist.co.uk/> will provide all materials to make your own print for a card or picture.  
Time: 10:30 am – 1:00 pm  
Cost: £10

##### The Cornish Pasty

Ann of Ann's Pasties will share her knowledge of the Cornish pasty; history, stories and tips for how to make the best ones.  
Time: 1:30 pm  
Cost: FREE

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