

PROGRAMME

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Saturday 20th August 2022
11am-4pm
Peoples History Museum
Manchester

Hiya!
welcome to Over Here Zine Fest 2022!
We're excited to see you.

Over Here Zine Fest is a not-for-profit event showcasing the work of Black / Asian / POC (people of colour / global majority) zine makers, artists, writers, and activists.

Everyone is welcome to attend.
It is organised by a group of people identifying as Black / Asian / POC / global majority who are based in Manchester.

Take a look inside to see what's on today!



Illustration by Alison Erika Forde

Julian Gray - Julian is an illustrator and comic creator based in Manchester. Unapologetically queer, trans, disabled, and mixed race, he is passionate about filling the world with stories featuring marginalised characters where their marginalisation is not the centrepiece. In his spare time, he enjoys tabletop RPGs and acting classes.
Instagram: @juliangrayart

0.08 Imprints - a publishing label that strives to circulate engaging bodies of work to any and all audiences with an interest in creative expression. Open for submissions to both our zines and books, we are always looking to collaborate with new and established creatives that work across all artistic disciplines.
Instagram: @0.08imprints

Skear Zines - Skear Zines aims to resist homogenisation, and celebrate queerness. It wants to give space to those voices that might not fit into traditional publishing models, voices that have been sidelined or as yet unheard, voices that have small (yet big) things to say, voices that will sing in unconventional form

Cultureword - established in 1986 as a centre for Black Asian, African Caribbean, and Chinese creative writing in the North West. It provides the facilities for those seeking encouragement and confidence, and developing their writing. Cultureword is a part of Commonword.

Riddhesh Ghadi - Riddhesh is an artist whose work has taken forms of zines, videos, portraits. He is interested in ideas of sexuality, orgasm, and nudity and calls himself a pervert of sorts and further, wants to delve more in that area.
Instagram: @riddheshghadi

Bradical Press - a zine press created to Create and celebrate Bradford and Brownness.
Instagram: @bradicalpress

Nytastic - Ny Ali is an illustrator and comic artist based in Glasgow, Scotland. She makes comics, prints, and merch. You can find her hiding under her table at conventions or on her social media. She likes tea.
Instagram: @nytastic

Deanne Heron - Deanne writes humorous short stories about Jamaican culture, poetry, and science fiction. As well as being an author, Deanne is also a radio presenter, writing workshop facilitator, qualified counsellor/trainer and foster carer.

Clio Isadora - Clio is a biracial (British/Burmese) comic book artist and illustrator. She juggles making goofy risograph prints with self publishing sad and spicy comics. Her first published graphic novel Sour Pickles came out in 2021..
Instagram: @clioisadora

WORKSHOPS

Heena - Heena thinks a lot about queerness, cats, race, gender, cycling, food, prisons, the charity sector and Manchester. Getting some of this into zines helps.

Instagram: @heenaacolada

Twitter: @heenaesque

Skate or Sew- Daniela Inés is creative from Kettering, east Midlands. She skateboards, makes zines, and crafty bits. Her current obsession is working with clay.

Instagram: @skateorsew

Melissa - Consumer of wholesome pop culture; reflected in my extremely-diy zines

Zines n Ting/Seleena Maker of zines and crafty bits all about, race, gender, sexuality, class, 90s pop culture and FANDOM!

Instagram: @seleenalavernedaye

Leanne Rose Bell - I specialise in illustrative prints, stickers, pins and zines revolving around a variety of themes but currently astrology, horror, and movies!

Instagram: @leannerosebell

Ali Al-Jamri - Ali's work celebrates multilingualism and community. 'Between Two Islands' features poetry by Britain's Bahraini community, while 'ArabLit: FOLK' features works from across the Arab world, from Palestine to Iraq, Egypt to Morocco.

Instagram: @alialjamri_scribbles

Twitter: @ali_mn_aljamri

Zainab the Poet - a Pakistani poet, zine-maker, and writer based in the northwest of England; Zainab writes poetry as a Muslim questioning many factors of their life and identity, from gender and asexuality to the intergenerational trauma of internalised misogyny and racism.

Instagram: @dark.academia.zainab

Twitter: @darkacademiazen

Nancy Art Music- Nancy is a half Latvian half Tanzanian woman, the creator of the Umeboshi comics and host of the Flawed Workshop podcast. If you love uplifting art, cute comics, and philosophical conversations about what it's like to be a creative person, you'll get along great.

Instagram: @nancy.art.music

Safrana Art - My work tells a bit of a story of the environment around me – if that's drawing about finding a lawn mower to remove my body hair on one hand, on another discovering the irony of having alopecia – I like to tell stories with print patterns and colour..

Instagram: @safrana.art

Annabel P Lam - Annabel is from Hong Kong. She has recently moved to Manchester. Her zines are about adjusting to life in the UK, (weather, social life, food) and rerooting the internal wires to rediscover who you are.

11.00am-12.00pm Block Printing Postcards

Learn how to use block printing to create your own postcards. This will involve drawing up a design, carving it out into a block of lino, rolling on the ink and printing out your cards. materials provided and all skill levels welcome.

Led by Jay

Instagram: @greenjaycrafts

All ages, under 18's need adult supervision

12.30pm-1.30pm Poetry Workshop

Poetry is a great way to express yourself and perfect for sharing in zines.

Poet Radhaika Kapur from Manchester writing organisation Commonword Cultureword will help you get creative with words.

Expect a hopeful climate change poetry workshop inspired by natural forms.

You can then turn your work into a zine at the drop in zine making session.

No previous experience needed.

Suitable for ages 8+

led by Commonword Cultureword

cultureworld.org.uk

2.00pm-3.00pm What's Names Got To Do With It?

Artist Sharonjit Kaur Sutton is inviting everyone to an open discussion about names, and to create their own zines around this theme. What do our names mean? Where have they come from? Why do they matter? Do they matter?

Why do we change them? You can share stories of your own, or someone you know -or you might just feel like having a chat! This is inspired by Sharon-

jit's personal project called His Name's Not Charlie, which started with the story of her Grandad (Ranjinder Singh Gill) who migrated from Kenya to London in the 1970s but was given the name "Charlie" by his British friends and colleagues - which raised interesting conversations about how names hold a person's, and community's, history and identity.

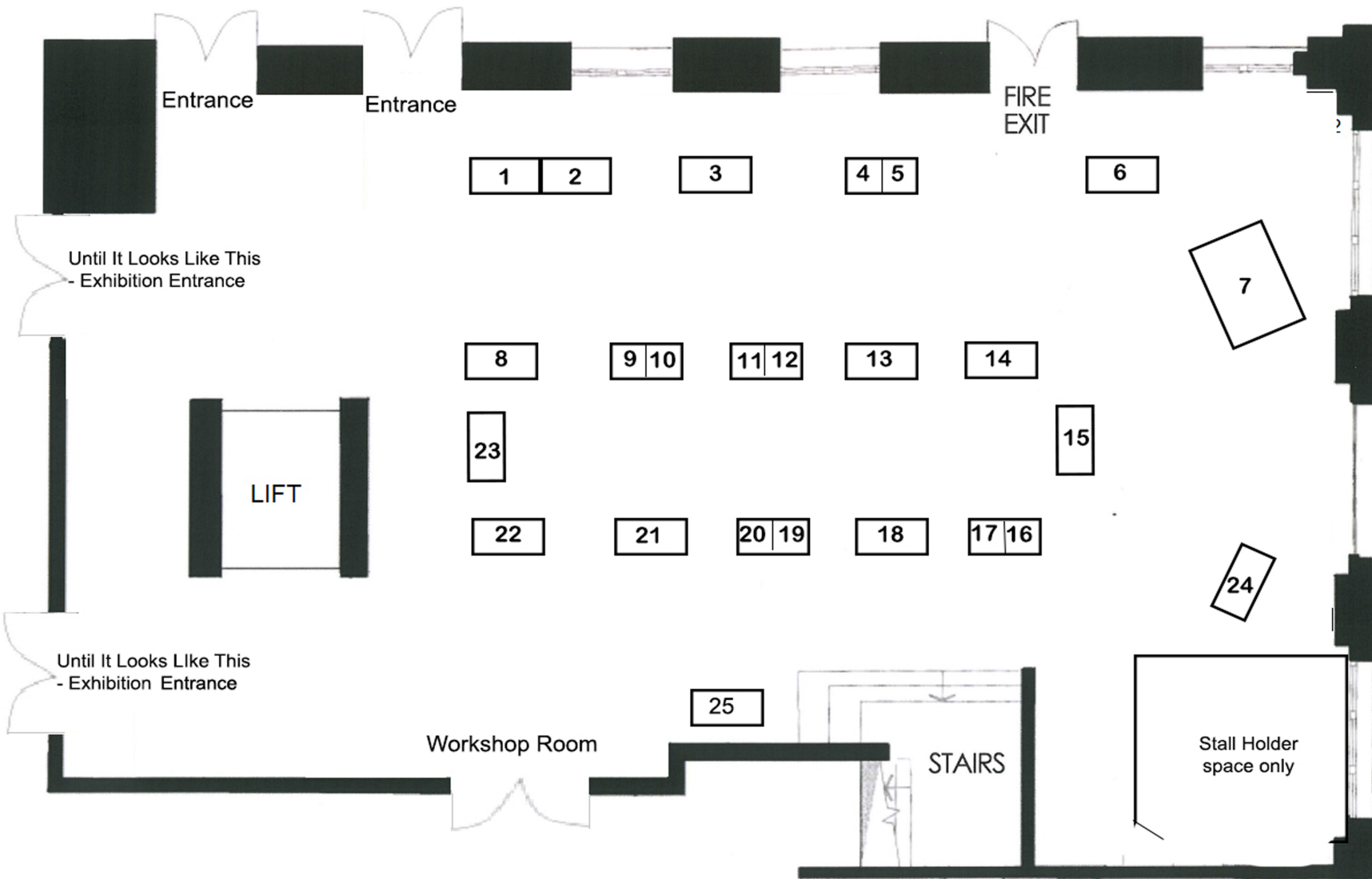
Led by Sharonjit

Instagram: @ideasloading

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ALL WORKSHOPS ARE FREE TO ATTEND. NO NEED TO SIGN UP. FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS, PRIORITY WILL BE FOR ATTENDEES WHO ARE BLACK/ASIAN/POC

FLOORPLAN



1. Over Here Zine Fest welcome table
2. Communal zine table
3. Heena
4. Skate or Sew
5. Melissa
6. Zines n Ting Seleena
7. Drop in zine making/ colouring in
8. Leanne Rose Bell
9. Ali Al-Jamri
10. Zainab Imran
11. Nancy Art Music
12. Safrana Art
13. Annabel P Lam
14. Sharonjit
15. Julian Gray
16. 0.08 Imprints
17. Skear Zines
18. Common Word
19. Riddhesh Ghadi
20. Bradical Press
21. Nytastic
22. Deanne Heron
23. Clio Isadora
24. Zine library
25. Workshop sign up table

Table 7: All ages one page zine making and colouring in 11am-3pm

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Table 24: Pull up a chair and peruse the zine library!