



Paint a **Poppy** Challenge



PAINTING BY ALI HARGREAVES

Paint, Donate, Remember.

Paint a poppy, make a donation and be part of
our special WWI 100th Anniversary Exhibition.

As we mark the 100th anniversary of the end of WWI, the SAA has partnered with The Royal British Legion to stand together to say Thank You to the courageous men and women who served and sacrificed for our country. Let's remember them the best way we know how – by painting.

Through the SAA Paint a Poppy Challenge, we hope to gather together as many paintings and drawings of poppies as we can, and as part of the centenary celebrations, we will be holding a special exhibition.

We hope you're inspired to take part and raise money for this fantastic cause. We'd love for you to encourage others as well – whether it's your friends, family or fellow art club members...all are welcome!



PAINTING BY SUE WILLIAMS

Show your support and get painting!

Here's how you can get involved with our latest challenge:

- Using any medium, create your own poppy picture using any paper of your choice, ensuring it's exactly 25mm x 125mm (4.9" x 4.9")
- Send it to us along with your completed entry form overleaf
- If you can, donate to support the vital work of The Royal British Legion

See overleaf for how to take part, and your
entry form, or for more information visit -
www.saa.co.uk/poppy



Closing date
30/09/18

THE ROYAL BRITISH
LEGION



With each entry you send, we would like to
ask you to make a donation to help fund
the vital work of The Royal British Legion

Donate at: www.justgiving.com/SAAPaintaPoppy
or call: 0800 980 1123

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FAQs :

Can I complete more than one poppy entry?

Yes, there is no limit to the number you can submit and we would encourage you to enter as many times as you like.

What size and type of paper should I use?

Your entry must be exactly 125mm x 125mm (4.9" x 4.9") and created on any paper of your choice

Can I download additional entry forms?

Yes, visit www.saa.co.uk/poppy to download more entry forms. You'll also find lots of information here including some inspirational videos to get you started!

Can I use any medium?

Yes as long as your painting is dry, and its surface is protected to prevent damage in the post. Pastel works should be 'fixed' using fixative.

Do I have to be a member of the SAA to take part?

No, the Paint a Poppy Challenge is open to everyone. Please feel free to encourage your friends, family and fellow art club members alike to take part.

Will I be able to see the exhibition of finished Poppies?

Yes – we will be holding a series of open days and would love as many entrants as possible to visit SAA HQ and enjoy the full impact of so many Poppies on display. Full details will be confirmed soon.

Do I have to make a donation to be able to take part?

No, the project is open for anyone to take part regardless of whether they have made a donation. However, we would encourage artists to consider making a donation to help support veterans and their families through the work of The Royal British Legion.

Will I hear if my entry has arrived safely?

Yes, we'll make every effort to acknowledge receipt of your entry within 28 days.

You can make a donation at
www.justgiving.com/SAAPaintaPoppy
or call 0800 980 1123

" We all know someone who is or was in the forces - for me, every time I see a field of poppies I think of my dad. **Anything we can do to help our heroes is a reason to paint. "**

SHARON HURST



Rules.

1. The size of entry must be 125mm x 125mm (4.9" x 4.9")
2. You must write your name, postcode, painting title and medium on the back of each entry.
3. Each artist must submit one fully completed entry form, shown below, with each submission of entries.
4. All artwork must be original work of the submitting artist and not breach copyright law (visit www.saa.co.uk/poppy).
5. Entries will NOT be returned as they will become part of an exhibition hosted by the SAA.
6. All entries must be with the SAA by 30th September 2018.
7. Making a donation is not obligatory as part of the entry process, but we would encourage participants to donate to The Royal British Legion – go to www.justgiving.com/SAAPaintaPoppy or call **0800 980 1123**

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Failure to meet the above rules is likely to result in your entry not being exhibited. We reserve the right to refuse entries

SAA Paint a Poppy Challenge ENTRY FORM

Please complete in block capitals

NAME

ADDRESS

POST CODE

E-MAIL

TELEPHONE NO.

NUMBER OF ENTRIES SAA MEMBERSHIP NO. (IF MEMBER)

NAME OF ARTCLUB (IF MEMBER)

☐ Please keep me up to date with the Poppy Challenge progress and news of the Poppy Exhibition

☐ I'd like to receive exciting arty updates and special offers from the SAA



Please return this form with your entries to:

SAA Paint a Poppy Challenge, SAA, PO Box 50, Newark, Notts, NG23 5GY.

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