

Pottery on Wheels Newsletter

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Happy New Year! Wishing you a great 2016 that is full of creativity!

It feels like a long time ago but before Christmas POW was very happy to be at the Harbourside Christmas Market on 19th & 20th December. A lot of pottery was bought as gifts and a few brave souls got their hands dirty on the pottery wheel. It was a



fantastic atmosphere, especially with the van situated next to the live music stage, customers and traders were full of cheer.



In between Christmas markets POW was thrilled to visit some pottery studio's in Breckenridge, Colorado, USA in December. There were some fantastic facilities and inspirational ceramics. Perhaps another visit is required next ski season?



POW had the privileged of making some personalized pottery as Christmas gifts. If you were one of the recipients, we hope you are enjoying your handmade pottery!



Last week POW set up a stall at Jump Bristol. Parents and their babies/toddlers made very cute feet and hand impressions onto thrown plates and decorative tiles. As it was so popular POW will be back at Jump soon (details below).



And finally POW was super excited to offer its first pot making course in January which kicked off with a very high standard of work being created. One more lesson to go and the four ladies involved will have created 28 pots in 4 weeks, impressive stuff (photos to follow in the next newsletter)

Coming up

Make a Minion or Create a Creature

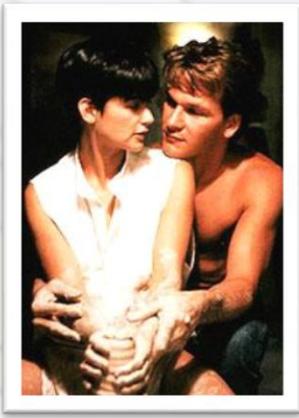
We have three half term workshops at Caffe Clifton. Monday 8th February workshops run from 11am to 12.30pm and 1pm to 2.30pm or Wednesday 10th February from 1pm to 2.30pm. Ideal for children aged 6 to 15. Cost including all materials, tuition, firings and glazes is £15 per child (a 10% discount can be applied for a booking of 3 or more). Spaces limited so booking is advised.



Baby and Toddler Hand and Feet Impressions

Monday 22nd February from 1pm to 3.30pm at Jump Bristol. Expected to be popular again so please book ahead to guarantee a spot.

Saturday 5th March (Mother's day weekend) at Caffe Clifton Bristol, time to be confirmed but please get in contact for booking details.



Valentine's Day Gift Vouchers

It's not too late to book yourself and your partner into a pottery lesson for valentine's day. Or if you are busy already why not get your loved one a gift certificate for a pottery experience?

Making Pots Course February

In this course you will learn how to make a range of ceramic vessels using several techniques

- throwing on the potter's wheel
- coil pot construction
- pinch pots
- slab pots

You will also learn how to attach handles, decorate, turn and glaze your work

This is a 4 week course with classes running from 7 - 8.30pm on a week night (Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday). Classes start from 22nd February.

The course cost £120 per person and is limited to 3 people per class (this price includes all materials)

Thank you for your time

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