



# Chisenhale Open Weekend

*September 2009*

Friday 18th 6pm-9pm

Saturday 19th 1pm-6pm

Sunday 20th 1pm-6pm

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## Studio Artists

Tim Knowles  
Diane Martin  
Geoff Seville  
Peter Lloyd Lewis  
Madeline Strindberg  
Kate Hardy  
Jo Stockham  
Matt Calderwood  
Jane Patton  
Di Livey  
Nigel O'Neill  
John Fuller  
Jon George  
Kevin Harrison  
Amikam Toren  
Dan Turner  
Ingrid Kerma  
Charlotte Mew  
Emma Gunningham  
Vincent Milne  
Hilary Rosen  
John Guest  
Malcolm Jones  
Edward Chell  
Lucy Heyward  
Michael Buhler  
Richard Layzell  
Karen Russo  
John Askew  
Joy Girvin  
Zoe Mendelson  
Virginia Phongsathorn  
Sean Dawson  
Miranda Housden  
Kevin Dunbar  
Alana Jelinek  
Stuart Reid  
Alicia Paz  
Mark Fairington

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Directions and a map can be found at  
[www.chisenhale.co.uk](http://www.chisenhale.co.uk)

Chisenhale Art Place, [www.chisenhale.co.uk](http://www.chisenhale.co.uk)  
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## Chisenhale Artplace

Chisenhale Artplace is a unique centre for artists, art production, education, performance and exhibition. It provides a supportive workplace and vibrant public platform for London's East End art community, local and international audiences. It has three distinct elements, Chisenhale Studios, Chisenhale Gallery and Chisenhale Dance Space.

Located in the heart of Bethnal Green-Mile End, close to Victoria Park, Chisenhale Artplace has occupied the former veneer factory and brewery buildings on Chisenhale Road since 1980 and has recently secured a further 25 year lease on the property. It is home to 40 artist's studios and two arts organisations; Chisenhale Dance Space and Chisenhale Gallery.

The artist-run Studios provide affordable studios to both established and emerging artists whose work reflects the extraordinary range of diversity of contemporary art practice. Having a long term secure workspace in which to embed their practice is an invaluable asset and a major contributing factor in the high quality of work produced by the Studio artists, many nationally and internationally recognised.

Chisenhale Dance Space is a centre for research and development in movement arts and independent dance.

Chisenhale Gallery is one of London's most innovative galleries for contemporary visual art, promoting national and international developments in visual culture through its ambitious commissioning of solo exhibitions and a newly established programme of events.

The Studios, Dance Space and Gallery each have their own richly unique public education and outreach programme that reflects their specialist activities and identity.

## Chisenhale Studios

Artists will open their studios throughout the weekend and there will be **guided tours at 2pm on Saturday and Sunday** when the artists will give short talks about their work. The studios will also host talks by other local artists. These will take place on:

**Saturday 4pm** - John Frankland, an internationally acclaimed local artist will talk about Boulder, his ambitious public sculpture in Mabley Green and Shoreditch Park. John will lead a walk to Mabley Green after his talk.

**Sunday 3pm** - Intoart, London based artist collective that includes people who have a learning disability will talk about their work. They will be resident one day a week in the Education studio at Chisenhale Art Place from 2010.

**Sunday 4pm** - Phyllida Barlow, renowned contemporary sculptor will give an informal talk, in the Carl Plackman studio, about Carl's work and its influence on a generation of sculptors. This will be a unique opportunity to experience Carl's work in the space in which it was created.

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## Chisenhale Gallery

Chisenhale Gallery's ongoing exhibition will be a major solo show by British artist Tariq Alvi. Working intuitively, recycling and re-contextualizing found printed matter from newspapers and magazine advertising, Alvi's labour intensive works present us with both disarmingly simple and complex aesthetic forms that reflect upon contemporary society.

For his exhibition at Chisenhale Gallery Alvi will create a site-specific installation exploring ideas of value and exchange.

## Saturday 2-5pm - Family Day at the Gallery.

Join artist Sarah Doyle for a free drop-in art workshop inspired by Tariq Alvi's exhibition. Suitable for all ages, but children must be accompanied by an adult.

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## Chisenhale Dance Space

The Dance Space will screen a series of short films on **Friday evening** in their communal space complete with comfortable sofas. The studios are open for business all weekend, with rehearsals and classes for children and professionals running as usual.

## Sunday 2-5pm - Family Day at the Dance Space.

Join resident dance tutors for free drop-in taster classes for children aged 6-12 in a range of dance styles from classical to street dance.

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