



Steve & Liz Harris are delighted to invite you to the opening of an exhibition of paintings, original prints and sculptures by members of

## ***The Society of Wildlife Artists***

Midday Saturday 1st April to 30th 2017



*Fishing on the flow tide - Little egret* oil Chris Rose

The Society of Wildlife Artists arose out of a collaboration of well-known wildlife artists who had been brought together by Robert Gillmor and Eric Ennion for an *Exhibition by Contemporary Bird Painters* held in Reading in 1960. The S W L A held its first exhibition in London in 1962 and now, as a member of the Federation of British Artists, has its annual exhibition, *The Natural Eye*, at The Mall Galleries in central London.

A strong theme underlying the work of its artists is field observation and sketching which ensures great veracity in the final pieces, whether they be literal or abstract. It is for this reason that BIRDscapes regularly works with a high proportion of its members and why we are so pleased to be hosting this exhibition.

The BIRDscapes Gallery, Glandford, nr Holt NR25 7JP  
Open daily 11am to 5pm Tel 01263 741742



### **Participating members**

Carry Akroyd  
Richard Allen  
Kim Atkinson  
David Bennett  
Adam Binder  
Fiona Clucas  
John Davis  
Nick Derry  
Brin Edwards  
Federico Gemma  
Robert Gillmor  
Madeline Goold  
Richard Johnson  
Kittie Jones  
John Paige  
Peter Partington  
Nik Pollard  
Greg Poole  
John Reaney  
Darren Rees  
Chris Rose  
Dafila Scott  
Chris Sinden  
Jane Smith  
Thelma Sykes  
John Threlfall  
Richard Tratt  
Simon Turvey  
Esther Tyson  
Matt Underwood  
Michael Warren  
Ben Woodhams  
Tim Wootton

### **Associate members:**

John Hatton  
Richard Jarvis  
Julia Manning



Richard Tratt



Robert Gillmor



Ben Woodhams



Carry Akroyd

Also, books by members, including *Icebound* by Darren Rees, Mascot Media.