

## Art Trail

We are within easy reach of some fantastic galleries and shops showcasing Welsh and other artists working in a variety of media. The numbers below refer to the pink numbers on the accompanying map :-). Opening hours vary - please check online or call ahead.

1. **Oriel Mostyn**, 11-12 Vaughan Street, Llandudno

Contemporary gallery and visual arts centre in a striking modern space behind an impressive Edwardian terracotta facade. Six gallery spaces exhibiting the best in international contemporary art and craft, showing artists and makers from Wales and beyond. Onsite cafe serving light meals, cake and refreshments.

**Ffin y Parc**, Trinity Square, Llandudno

Ffin y Parc - previously set in a Victorian country house near Llanrwst, this gallery is now in Llandudno and represents over forty artists who are diverse in their styles and subjects but share strong Welsh roots and connections. Rotating exhibits.

3. **Galleri Betws**, Holyhead Road, Betws-y Coed \*

Showing paintings, prints, drawings and mixed media by well known and emerging artists from Wales plus handmade jewellery, Welsh crafts and contemporary ceramics.

4. **ArtWorks2 Celf**, Holyhead Road, Betws-y-Coed \*

This gallery is a not-for-profit organisation that aims to support local professional artists by displaying and selling their work through our galleries, websites and other exhibitions. Their sister gallery has been trading in Aberdyfi for over five years.

5. **Royal Cambrian Academy**, Crown Lane, Conwy (just off the High Street, behind Plas Mawr) +

Constituted in 1881 by Queen Victoria, the Royal Cambrian Academy is a centre for artistic excellence in Wales. Royal Cambrian Academicians (Members) are practising painters, sculptors, printmakers and architects and the Academy aims to exhibit their work, to promote up and coming artists of quality, to mount historical exhibitions and offer a lively venue for education.

6. **The Potters Gallery**, High Street, Conwy +

This gallery specialises exclusively in contemporary ceramics - several of our breakfast pieces are from here! All the ceramics are individually designed and hand made by selected co-operative members - artist potters who have studios in the region. Sells a wide range of work from domestic wares to unique decorative items, from figurative, sculptural and quirky creations to wall pieces and much more – something for all tastes and price ranges.

7. **Janet Bell Gallery**, 11 Church Street, Beaumaris, Anglesey

As well as Janet's own artwork, this gallery/shop now carries over sixty designers', artists' and makers' work including a stunning range of homewares for all ages. Artisan coffee shop onsite (Fika).

8. **Oriel Mon**, Llangefni, Anglesey

Anglesey's centre for art an history, this gallery hosts a mix of permanent and visiting exhibitions, including by famed Welsh artist Kyffin Williams. Lovely shop and cafe on site.

9. **Pennant Crafts**, Holyhead Road, Betws-y-Coed \*

Small shop selling pottery made by Peter on the premises. This is where the mugs in our guest rooms, and our butter dishes, are from!

\* *Betws cafe recommendation: The Alpine Coffee Shop in the station*

+ *Conwy cafe recommendations: L's Coffee & Bookshop, High Street; FIVE, Castle Street; Cantin at the Conwy Cultural Centre / Library*

