

Penny's Press

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Where did the Summer go? Today I am cold and feeling like I want to go on another holiday but on Monday the courses start so that will be exciting again. I hope you all enjoyed your Summer and have lots of paintings to show me next week.

During the summer I have been to Devon a lot getting our cottage ready for renting out – if anyone is interested to look, it is with Toad Hall cottages – it is Warren cottage at Hope Cove.

I am also teaching a course there at the Cottage Hotel from 13th – 15th October if anyone wants to go there are a few places left. Classes Saturday 14th October 10 – 4 and Sunday 10 – 12.30. The cost is £55 – see the form on my website www.pennywilton.co.uk.



I did some paintings for Hope Cove to sell at the Cottage Hotel and also helped raise £4,000 for the Lifeboat by letting children paint a canvas and then having the painting auctioned.



You will also see that I went out for a lovely meal in Salcombe, good food, good painting and beautiful scenery.

I like to keep doing different art so at the beginning of August I went on a course using Matisse as inspiration. We made cut outs with coloured paper



Perhaps you would like to try this at a class sometime?

Painting days out were attended by some - the best one are where food is served. Knowlton church then tea at Wimborne St Giles and also Holme Garden Centre - beautiful flowers to paint and a great place for lunch or tea.



Finally, in , I had a lovely cruise in the Mediterranean, teaching 22 people at times on the Queen Elizabeth. All very keen and some had never painted before. To my surprise two students from my classes at Holt turned up – Maryvonne and Tony. They came because they wanted a break and like my teaching.



A great time had by all visiting lovely places and keeping a quick sketchbook kept me busy for 2 weeks.

Now its time to start classes again. Look at my [website](#) for details on courses coming up – Photographing and painting flowers at Holt 9.30 – 2pm Saturday 4th November., Life drawing at Holt 2 – 6pm October 7th £20. – female model.

I am looking forward to the next few weeks of teaching, the list of subjects are on my website. Look forward to seeing you all soon,

Happy Painting.

Penny.