

Beside the Seaside





Ingoldsby gallery

Beside the Seaside 10 July - 6 September 2009

Welcome to the Ingoldsby Gallery's summer exhibition, named after the popular Music Hall song by John A Glover-Kind and sung by Mark Sheridan who performed with Marie Lloyd the great music hall singer in Margate in 1910 to 1913.

Such songs remain part of our popular culture, as are the paid holidays first experienced by the working classes who came to Margate for the first Bank Holiday's.

Margate was famous for its mass impromptu sing-alongs on the beach, which were apparently rousing in the extreme.

We may not be singing on the beaches this summer, but there is a lot going on, with the 'Turner Open' to innovate, the 'Dippers & Dunkers' to titillate and the 'Big Sky Jazz' to captivate.

We love to be beside the seaside here in Margate and the following artists are featured in our frolic-some show:

Anna Moore • Anne Kelly • Elizabeth Hopkins • Gerry Doyle
Hannah Bedford • Ieuan Edwards • Jenni Rogers • Katharine Love
Marina Elphick • Paul Powys • Roger Woodall • Roy Eastland
Salim Patel • Sally Truman • Sara Hayward • Selina di Girolamo
Terri Maloney • Tessa Tyldesley • The Black Rabbit • Total Pap
Wibbly Wood • Zoe Murphy • Keith Siddle

Oh! I do like to be beside the seaside

I do like to be beside the sea!

I do like to stroll upon the Prom, Prom, Prom!

Where the brass bands play: "Tiddely-om-pom-pom!"

So just let me be beside the seaside

I'll be beside myself with glee

For there's lots of girls besides,

I should like to be beside

Beside the seaside!

Beside the sea!

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Thurs - Sat 11am to 5pm
Sunday 11am to 4pm

Artwork by Marina Elphick and Sara Hayward

