

ART SAFARI

SCOTLAND

Trossachs & Loch Lomond National
Park – Wild & Untamed

22 – 29 August 2020

with artist tutor Darren Rees



Join us to paint mesmerising Scottish landscapes and sketch local wildlife with Art Safari tutor Darren Rees from 22 - 29 August 2020.

For hundreds of years the wild and untamed beauty of Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park has captivated and inspired artists and poets.

Here is a land of classic Highland landscapes with rugged mountains and glens, heather-covered hills, tumbling streams and waterfalls, and freshwater lochs mirroring wooded banks in watery reflections.

This is Darren's home territory; he will share his favourite painting and sketching locations, and his wildlife guiding expertise and passion for birds will help you to hone your observational skills. Red squirrels are abundant (and visit feeders!), dippers bob along rock-strewn streams and ospreys soar over lochs. There will be opportunities to learn how to sketch using a scope on this Art Safari.



Painting locations will include Loch Katrine and Loch Lomond, with mysterious islands, and romantic castles, as well as the beautifully decorated ruins of Inchemahome Priory, on an island on Lake of Menteith. This tranquil place is a haven for wildlife and has magnificent trees, including Spanish chestnuts said to have been planted by Mary Queen of Scots who sheltered here as a young girl.

The late summer palette will be turning at Loch Achray and Glen Finglas and your sketchbook

may take on their history and folklore, the setting for battles between local clans, the hunting grounds of Scotland's kings and the notorious outlaw Rob Roy MacGregor.

We are in good company - Millais and Ruskin painted here.

Tour Cost from £1920 per person
(no single supplement - sharers discount available)



Joining Point:

The joining point and our base for the week is Poppies Hotel, a family run hotel in the small town of Callander. Callander no longer has a train station but a taxi can be taken from Dunblane train station (about 11 miles away) or a bus or taxi can be taken from Stirling train station (about 17 miles from away).

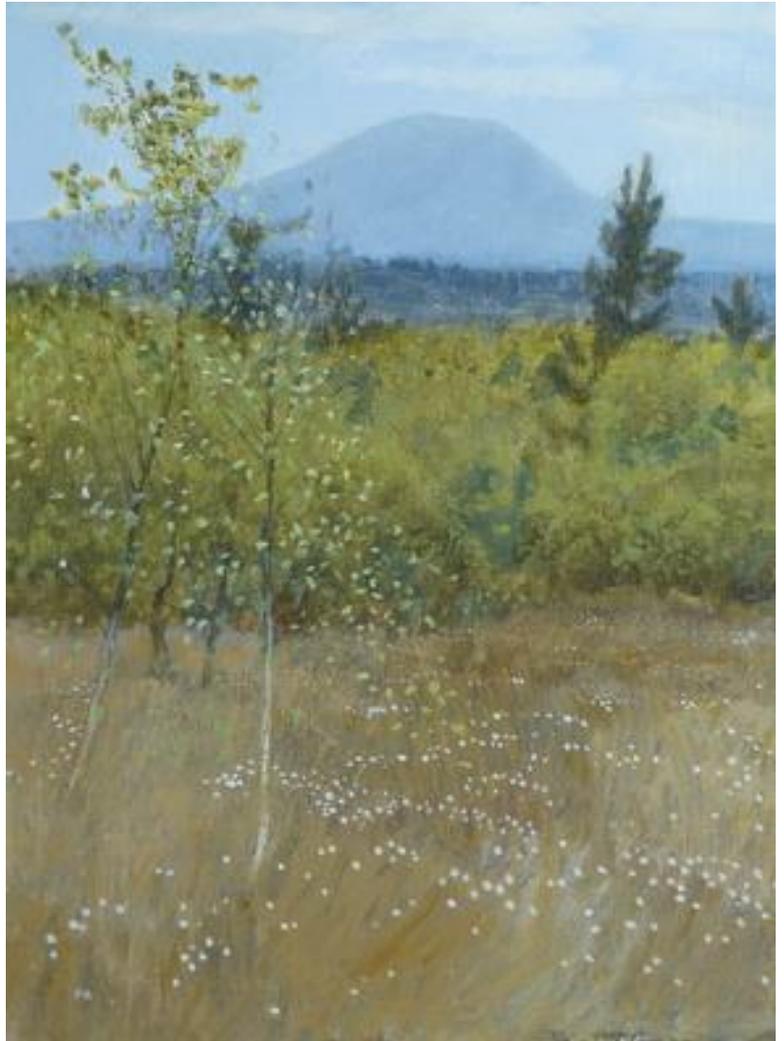
Transport:

Share of transport costs will be on a sliding scale from £90 per person in a shared 9-seater vehicle if there are 8 people in the group (or up to £180 per person if there are only four people in the group).

Please note: unlike 'Hire and Reward' operators we do not make profit on transportation and charge it at cost price divided by the number of participants. There is no obligation to use our transportation to join the tour and paying to join the tour does not give you the right to be carried in our vehicle. Transportation is provided as a courtesy between guided locations. If preferred, you can join the tour by following us in your own vehicle.

Our Price includes: Accommodation, all meals, art tuition and guiding

Our Price excludes: transport to/from joining point, art materials, drinks and personal expenses, shared taxis for evenings and arrival/departure, minibus transfers for painting excursions as detailed on the itinerary - *please see note above*



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