

01.06.11

**Blackpool Arts Service is pleased to invite young people between the age of 12 and 16 to summer workshops for...**

## **BLAZE/Bronze Arts Awards 2011**



This year's Arts Award programme will be delivered in partnership with the BLAZE project.

*BLAZE is an ambitious youth led cultural programme for Lancashire. Blackpool Council is a partner in the programme with Lancashire County Council and Creative Lancashire. BLAZE is part of WE PLAY, the North West Cultural Legacy Programme for the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games.*

This means that we will be able to offer young people taking part this year more opportunities to attend arts events and activities across Lancashire as well as a very exciting programme in their home town. They will also be a part of a growing network of young people across Lancashire who are 'making things happen' for the 2012 Cultural Olympiad.

### **Dates for Bronze Summer Activities:**

Week One: 25<sup>th</sup> July – 29<sup>th</sup> July 2011  
Week Two: 1<sup>st</sup> August – 5<sup>th</sup> August 2011

You can choose to do either a week of visual arts with filmmaking or fashion with photography. The alternate week will be a Festival week, which will include making music, designing t-shirts, posters and badges. All the activities will work towards a one-day, young people led festival called UNDER THE TOWN. The aim of the two weeks will be to have fun exploring new art forms, meeting new people and creating artwork which can be showcased at the festival.

## **UNDER THE TOWN Festival Day:**

1<sup>st</sup> September 2011 in the Arena at the Winter Gardens

If you would like to know more about the programme, please get in contact.

### **How to register:**

- If you are interested in registering for the Blaze/Bronze Arts Award please complete the attached slip to pre-register and return it Kerry Hunt, Grundy Art Gallery, Queen Street, Blackpool, FY1 1PX.
- All those taking part need to commit to completing the programme and providing the written/recorded evidence needed for their portfolio moderation. (All this will be explained at the registration evening).
- **There is no fee for the activity programme but parent/guardians are asked to pay towards their child's moderation fee, which for Bronze is £16.** *If your family qualifies for free school meals or means tested benefits this fee will be waived. Please contact us for advice in confidence if this is not the case but the fee is still a barrier to participation. The fee can be paid in cash/cheque or card at the Grundy Art Gallery, Queen Street, Blackpool FY1 1PX or by post to Arts Development, c/o the Grundy Art Gallery. Cheques made out to Blackpool Council.*

We are looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours Sincerely,

**Kerry Hunt**  
**Education Officer**  
Grundy Art Gallery,  
Queen Street,  
Blackpool,  
FY1 1PX  
T: 01253 478170  
E: [kerry.hunt@blackpool.gov.uk](mailto:kerry.hunt@blackpool.gov.uk)  
W: [www.grundyartgallery.com](http://www.grundyartgallery.com)

# **BLAZE/Bronze Arts Awards 2011**

Polly Hamilton, Assistant Director Culture  
Municipal Buildings, Corporation Street, Blackpool, FY1 1EJ

**Young Person's Name:**.....

**Parent/Guardian's Name**.....

**Address**.....

.....

.....

**email**.....

**Tel no**.....

**Mobile**.....

**Date of Birth**.....

***I would like to book a place for the above named young person on the Bronze Arts Award Summer Programme:***

**Signature**  
**Parent/Guardian**.....

*Please return to Kerry Hunt at the Grundy Art Gallery, Queen Street, Blackpool, FY1 1PX*