Colchester Castle's next exhibition has got even bigger and better!

17 in Print

An exhibition of more than 80 prints from 17 of the region's finest artists

Colchester Castle Saturday 29th November 2008 – Sunday 26th April 2009

Colchester and Ipswich Museum Service's latest exhibition at Colchester Castle proudly showcases more than 80 prints from 17 different artists associated with the eastern region. Spanning more than 80 years the prints cover a rich diversity of themes and include etchings, engravings, wood cuts and lino cuts.

The 17 artists celebrated in the exhibition have all been drawn to the beauty of the eastern region and the exhibition includes prints by the world famous Eduardo Paolozzi who was a visiting lecturer at Colchester Art School. Additionally the exhibition includes pieces by Barry Woodcock, who trained at Ipswich Art School, Blair Hughes Stanton, illustrator for DH Lawrence, and Valerie Thornton whose work includes an engraving of the Roman pots in Colchester Castle.

This unique collection of prints has been gathered over the past 12 years by the museum service and looks at a rich diversity of themes including landscapes, maritime, nature and animals, storytelling and mythology and the abstract. Many of the works have never been seen in public in the museums before, so don't miss out on this beautiful celebration of regional art which can be enjoyed free as part of the Colchester Castle experience.

Free after normal admission fee to Colchester Castle Museum Mon – Sat 10am – 5pm, Sun 11am – 5pm www.colchestermuseums.org.uk

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