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Sculpt a Mini Portrait

Venue:

14, South Street, Great Waltham, CM3 1DP

Aim:

This one-day sculpting experience is designed to be a fun day out with family, friends, and work colleagues or just to have a go at something new. By the end of the day, with step-by-step guidance you will have your very own mini sculpted head in clay. The head is then prepared for firing for you (allow about 6 weeks), this will turn it into a permanent ceramic sculpture which can then be collected for you to keep (or posted at extra cost). You can either sculpt anyone you like from photos. Can't guarantee you will achieve an exact likeness but Billie will help you to make it look human! The idea is to have fun and enjoy the day with a memento you can keep forever.

Class size:

Maximum 6

What to bring:

Wear comfortable old clothes. All materials and equipment used are provided. Tea and coffee is provided but you will need to bring your own packed lunch. Bring photos of the person you wish to sculpt; a good tip is to take digital photos of the person's profiles from a distance then zoom in, crop and print. This helps to avoid distortion of the person's features. Take photos face-on, side-view and in-between. This should be enough reference for you to sculpt your mini head. Ipad is great for this too, cover in cling-film to protect the screen.

Timetable:

- 10:00 Arrive, meet and greet with cup of tea/coffee etc. Introduction to the studio and the day's activity explained.
- 10.30 Billie will demonstrate in step-by-step stages throughout the day
- 12.30 Half hour for Lunch
- 15.00 Tea Break
- 15.00 Apply the hair
- 15.45 Clear away followed by a final group critique, great time to take photos.

Your sculpture will then be taken to Billie's home studio for firing, painting and mounting. Allow 6 weeks before collection from Billie's home studio. Billie will contact you when they are ready. Occasionally, some work shatters in the kiln, which is unfortunately a hazard of ceramic processes. If this does happen to your work, Billie will try her best to repair it but can't guarantee 100% that you will receive the sculpture as you left it.

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