

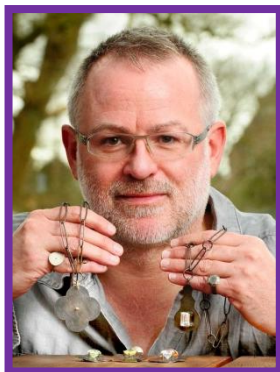
The Arts Society Dumfries & Galloway (TASDAG)

Day of Special Interest:

MONDAY 1st November at Mabie House Hotel near Dumfries, DG2 8HB

A DAY OF SILVER

TASDAG is delighted to be able to invite you to spend the day in the company of two remarkable silversmiths, both of whom live locally. They are offering us, and you, the opportunity to learn more about them, their craft and the magic of silver.



In the morning MICHAEL PELL, who lectures at the Glasgow School of Art teaching design and studio skills in the Silversmithing and Jewellery department as well as running his own studio practice, will introduce us to the mysteries of his art. He works with precious metals and stones, and with a keen interest in sustainability he frequently re-purposes and re-uses old pieces to create something totally new for a client. His talk will include the history of GSA's metalworking department and insight to his own creative development.

A Soup and Sandwich lunch will be followed by:

MICHAEL LLOYD, considered one of the UK's most prestigious silversmiths, talking about his work, his methods, his inspirations. Coming to silver working from industrial design, after, as he says, a 'moment of salvation' winning a competition for Liberty's, he studied at the Vittoria Street School of Silversmithing in Birmingham and the Royal College of Art. He has lived and worked in Galloway for over 30 years, creating private commissions including for H.M. the Queen, the Mace for the Scottish Parliament, and for 10 Downing Street, and has pieces in many major public collections.



The programme for this fascinating day is: 10.00 arrival, coffee and shortbread,

10.30 Michael Pell 12.30 Lunch, soup and sandwiches

2.00 Michael Lloyd 3.30 Questions (Michael Lloyd)

Cost: £20 per person for TASDAG members, £22 for guests.

We very much look forward to seeing you – in person! – for this very special event.

Please send cheques (payable to TASDAG) to: Mrs Pat Withall, Mid Glen, New Abbey, Dumfries DG2 8DT

WITH email address for return confirmation of receipt and booking.

BACS payment can be accepted. Questions to: pat.withall2@gmail.com or tel. 01387 850309

BOOKINGS MUST CLOSE on Sunday 10th October. Any Covid requirements will be followed.