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# EDITO

## The spring of our discontent.

Well. That was that then. Covid-19 phase one. 12 weeks of bizarre life re-assessment, 1 hour (then 2) beach trips, 5 kilometre runs, 6 bottle wine subscriptions and some banana bread baking. Oh, and about 20,000 paddleboards sold. But the serious numbers? Thankfully only 13 deaths in Jersey of people below the age of life expectancy that they could relate to Covid-19.

Even with the premature deaths which could be related to the Coronavirus, the total number of deaths in Jersey for the first six months of the year was 321. Sound a lot? What if I told you it was 356 in 2019 and 403 in 2018? Bottom line; fewer people have died during our Covid-19 pandemic than would usually have died, by quite a wide margin. Almost 30% less than two years ago. So, where's the baseline; what is normal? The death rate has fallen, the streets have emptied and the world is taking stock. So where do we go from here?

It feels as though we're in the eye of the storm and I do hope that we collectively identify a safe path out. The 'second wave' hangs over, or is at least looming on the horizon like a roaring sea. I'm just hoping we can steer around it or that the weather improves. The impact of the *idea* of coronavirus on our collective wellbeing has already left our society in a state of fragility. It's a feeling that is noticeable in the cotton wool bubble of Jersey, so I'm thankful have experienced the pandemic more lightly than elsewhere in the world.

It's certainly going to be a patchy remainder of 2020 and I'm happy we can still get to print and tell some positive and measured creative stories to highlight that there is still life beyond coronavirus news. I've hated just about all media channels these last three months; fantastical, negative, doom-mongering news channels seeking to sensationalise every single octogenarian's demise and strike fear into the heart of the island. I'd say we were adequately provisioned in the end, right?

We might even have been able to make do with just one hospital if the media circus hadn't stirred up the masses and tightened the nooses of coloured ties around some politician's necks via Zoom. I'm just glad that we, as Gallery, can still cover a car park with inflatables and demonstrate that this is a beautiful island; we still have our families, simple pleasures, culture and a world beyond Coronavirus.

Make the most of your summer staycation and we'll see you in the Autumn.

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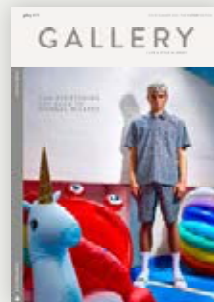
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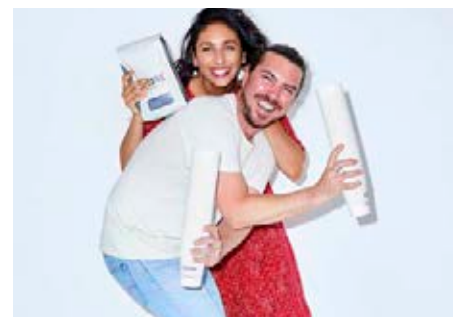
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↖ covid

NUMBER OF PEOPLE TESTED

10,897

[ REPRESENTING A POPULATION PERCENTAGE OF 10.2% ]

NEGATIVE RESULTS\*

14,675

ACTIVE CASES

0 — yay!

CONFIRMED CASES

319

PENDING RESULTS

415

DEATHS

31

RECOVERED

303

IN HOSPITAL

16

IN CARE HOMES

13

AT HOME

2

OF WHICH WERE MALE

61% 39%

OF WHICH WERE FEMALE

NUMBERS ACCURATE AS OF 30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

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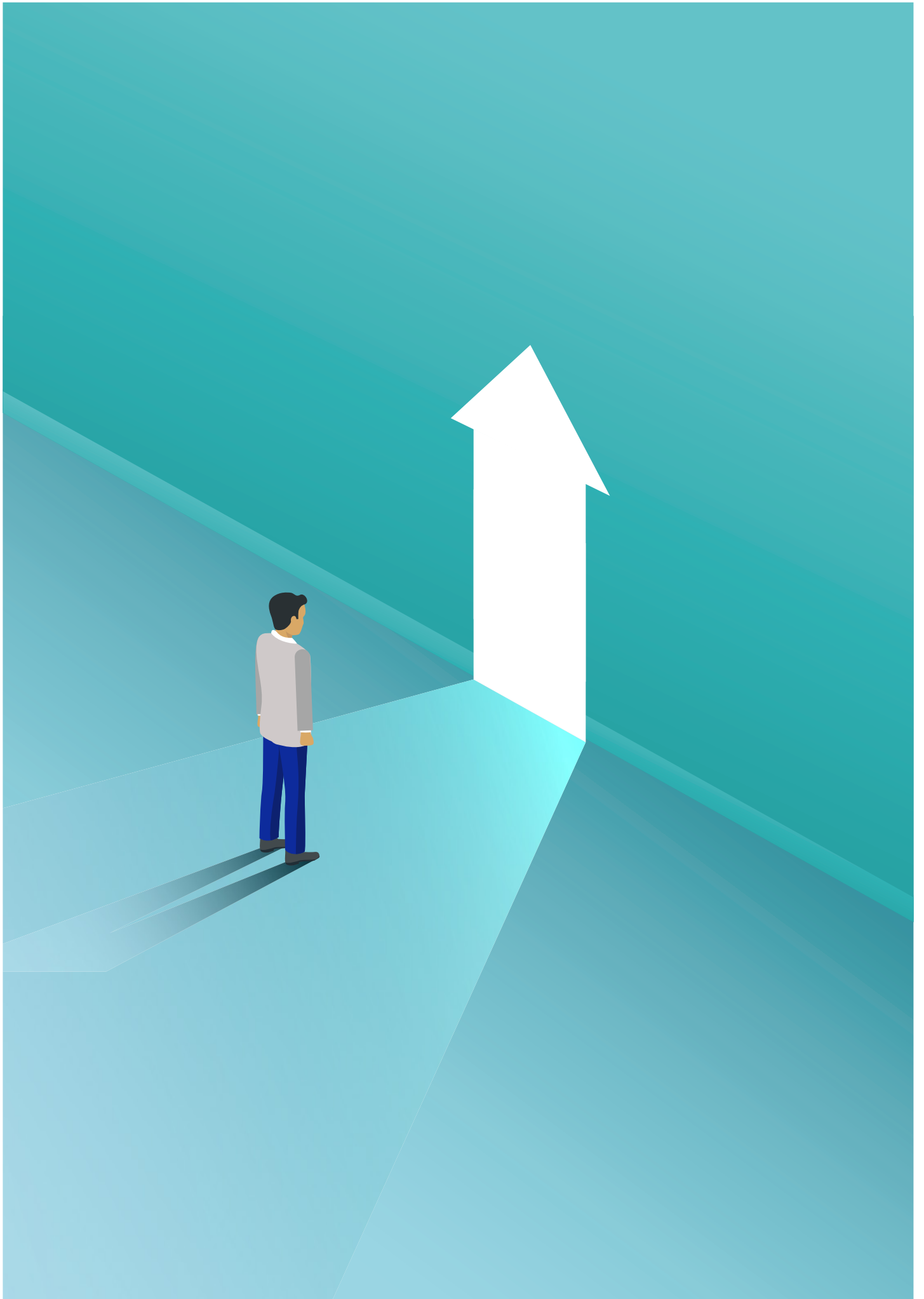
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## Pet of the Month

# LOLA

This month's pet of the month is the gorgeous Lola, the seven-month old pug owned by JC and Katie Bonfrer.

Young Lola arrived on island at the end of June, having jetted over from the UK. 'I flew to this lovely little island with Jersey Jets. I've been told that flying in a private jet with lots of other tiny puppies was a one off, but I think I could get used to it! It was so exciting to get here and meet my new family.

I'm not the only animal in the house though, of course there are JC and Katie, aka Mum and Dad and Finlay (my human brother), but there are also Daisy and Rio. They are cats. I won't lie, I am scared of them. Rio is not scared of me, but Daisy and I are scared of each other. She is also new to the house having returned in June after being missing for 18 months so she is still a little nervous. I am sure we will all love each other in the end, watch this space.'

Lola has arrived at the perfect time of year, so does she have any exciting plans for the summer? 'Yes, Mum and Dad have paddle boards, so we are all excited to go paddle

boarding – they even bought me a life jacket to make sure I stay afloat (I am quite stocky!). We are also going to Hossegor in the summer which will be really fun – my first adventure on the ferry to France! Already a jet-setter!'

Katie and JC both work full time in the finance industry and are CrossFit lovers, they also run a business importing Nandi of Africa 100% natural premium dog treats from South Africa. Katie told us 'Given our connection to the pet industry over the past few years we have learnt a lot about completely natural food products and the benefits for animals so we are feeding Lola a raw diet which she loves – It is great and easy, unless you forget to take the meat out of the freezer!'

*"I've been told that flying in a private jet with lots of other tiny puppies was a one off, but I think I could get used to it!"*

Having both had dogs growing up they felt now was the right time to get not one but two puppies, they're also getting a chow chow puppy in the summer! So, what made them choose Lola? 'JC chose her. Having spoken to lots of breeders and getting recommendations from the Puggy Pals in CI Facebook page. We had been allocated a puppy from a litter due in August but the breeder then had Lola returned from her owner and she offered her to us – JC couldn't say no!'

Like every beautiful fur baby Lola has her own Instagram page to showcase the millions of photos Katie takes of her (her words not ours!) you can follow her @lola.thejerseypug

# Take us *home!*

Has lockdown made you crave some company? Perhaps you've considered getting a pet? Well if you have then you may want to pay a visit to the JSPCA and help to rehome one of their animals looking for their forever home. Lauren Sommerville of the JSPCA talks us through the journey of an animal looking to be rehomed goes on and also introduces us to two young fellas who are looking for a home.

Animals can arrive to the JSPCA in one of two ways, either by an owner disclaiming them or as a stray. When a stray comes into the JSPCA we do everything we can to try and track down their owner, but we don't succeed or the owner doesn't come forward within seven days, we will process the animal for rehoming.

Once an animal arrives in our care, the process of getting them ready for rehoming can start. This can be a complex and costly road until they are finally able to find their forever home, as each animal is unique with their own medical and behavioural hurdles.

All animals at the JSPCA get a full health check with one of our Veterinary Surgeons along with the preventative health care related to the species, e.g. vaccinations, flea and worming treatment. They will also be booked in for any relevant medical procedures e.g. neutering, x-rays, dental procedures etc.



Once the animal is deemed medically ready, they will undergo their assessment and training. This process requires testing the animal on different aspects of home life to see how they react and we look at what training can be implemented, if any, to make the transition to a new home as safe and comfortable for the animal as possible.

After the assessment has been completed, we will establish the animals 'ideal home' and go through rehoming application forms for that species (with the owner, not the pet) and hope to match them with a suitable home. If we aren't able to find one, then we profile the animal on our website and social media until their perfect forever home is found.

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## *Patrick & Boop*

**Breed:** Ferret

**Sex:** Male Neutered

**Colour:** Brown/Beige

**Home Needed:** Indoor or Outdoor

**Other Pets:** Fine, including other ferrets

**Children:** Fine under supervision



**"My name is Patrick and I'm looking for a new home with my best friend Boop."**

We arrived at the Animal Shelter last month separately as strays however the staff paired us together so we wouldn't be lonely. The staff don't know our exact ages but we are two adult males. We can both be quite natty, although I'm starting to gain a bit more confidence and hopefully Boop will follow my lead that people can be good too.

We both came in covered in ticks but we're all cleaned up now and ready for a nice new cage and toys in a new home! We mixed together very easily and would be happy to live with other ferrets or just remain as a pair. We're very gentle ferrets and would be fine to live with children of any age as long as they were calm with us. We can live inside or outside as long as we have shelter and lots of stimulation to keep us entertained. We need at least one hour to run around and play out of our cage each day.

If you are interested in adopting us, then you will need to bring in proof of address from the past two months and landlord permission if you're in rented accommodation. The staff will need to come around to your house for a home visit to make sure it's the perfect home for us.

We have a minimum adoption fee of £80 for both of us (which we are definitely worth!) and we are microchipped and neutered."



# PORTRAITS OF JERSEY *IN COVID-19*

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We got a call from Dasa Wharton at the beginning of April outlining an ambitious project to document the island and its society under the Covid 19 Lockdown. Over the ten weeks of lockdown, she created a series of environmental portraits of some of the key and essential workers in Jersey, as well as other islanders. The collection of images will be part of the Island Lockdown collection at the Société Jersiaise Photographic Archive.

**T**he inspiration for this project came unexpectedly, after Dasa's father died in Prague at the beginning of April. Unable to travel to the Czech Republic, and support and grieve with her mother, she picked up her camera and started searching for strength, inspiration and resilience – finding all of those things in the people she photographed. Her work highlights the often unseen world of key and essential workers, and her images celebrate the strength and determination of those people who kept the island of Jersey going through these unprecedented times.

Dasa's work had been featured in numerous newspapers and magazines, as well as in the Ardani Artist's "Impresario", a prestigious publication of commissioned images by some of the greatest photographers in the world. She is the official ballet photographer for a distinguished international blog Gramilano. For this project, Dasa is planning to bring her images into an open public space, and create an outdoor exhibition that would be accessible to the wide community. She has support from the Parish of St Helier and Signtech and is looking for corporate or private partners to take this project to a wide visual stage.

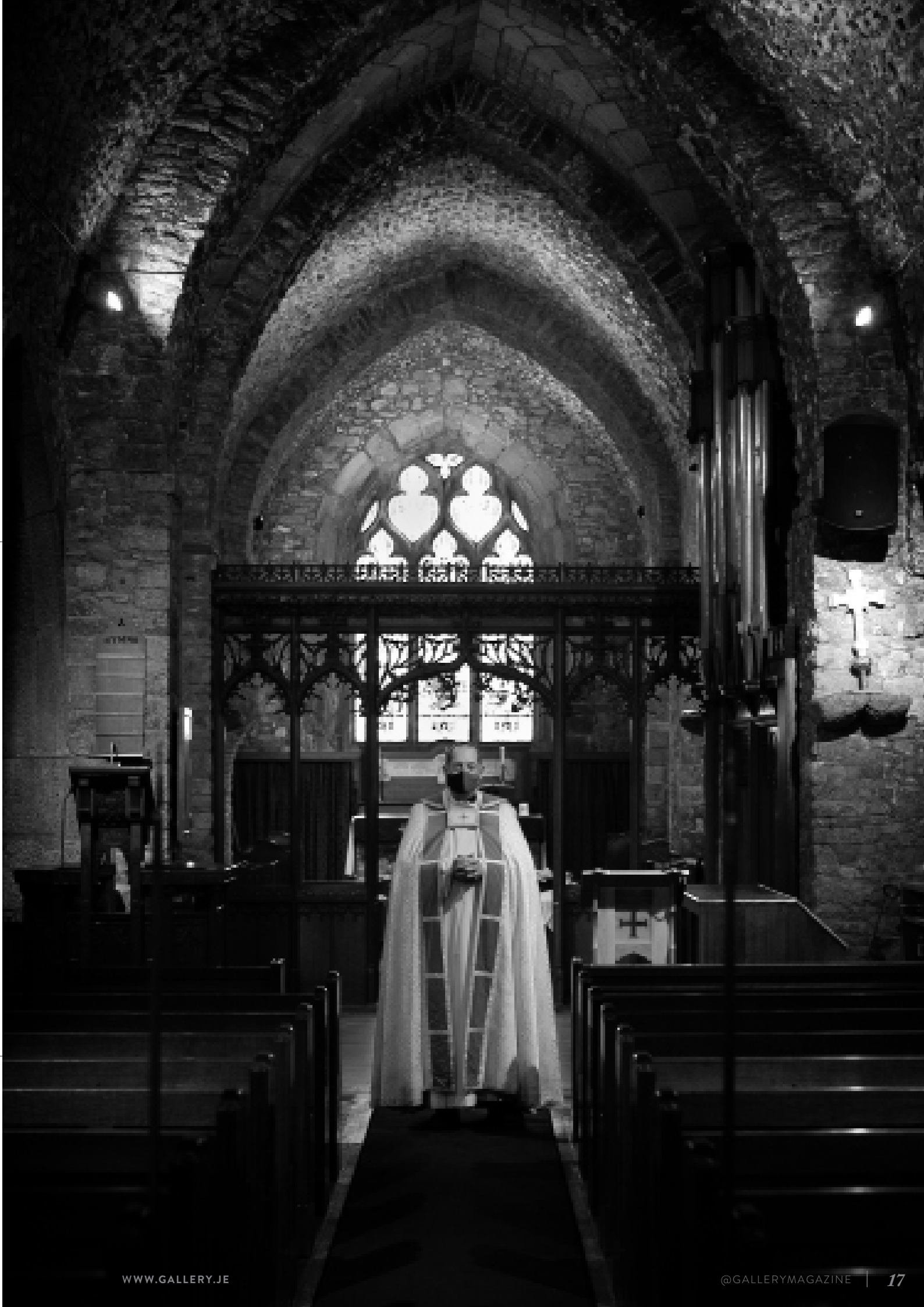
*"In my pre-covid-19 life, I spent lots of time travelling and photographing some of the best ballet dancers in the world. Now, while this part of my work has been put on pause, I had the chance to take a closer look at what's happening around me – so many interesting and inspiring people; through my images I want to record, celebrate and share their work and their stories".*

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## Revd Mark Bond

*St Brelade's Church*

I met Mark a few years back, when I photographed a wedding in his church. I loved his personality and the humour that he brought to the service. I love this image as it resonates many feelings that I have been going through over the last few months; isolation, loneliness, but also hope and new beginnings.









### Decio Abreu

*Vienna Bakery*

This image was taken in a short timeframe. At Vienna Bakery the busiest time is early morning with lots of things happening at the same time. It's obviously hard to ask a baker to pose if he needs to hot bread out from the oven but Decio was accommodating. I can still smell the fresh bread when I look at this image. Despite the mask, I love the strong, confident expression.

### Marc Burton

*Director J3 Ltd*

Photographing Marc in the Nightingale hospital was something I will never forget. The atmosphere of the vast space and the empty hospital beds stayed with me for days. Marc showed me around and it was fascinating to hear him talking about the massive construction project that he was leading.

### Juliette Morris

*Police Constable*

I photographed Juliette on a really wet day after a long shift. The rain miraculously stopped for the half an hour we had together and the deserted beach added to the atmosphere. I loved talking to Juliette about her work and how many more female officers there are now compared to just seven years ago when she started in the role.





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### Dr Fiona Nelson

*Doctor*

Fiona is my personal hero – always smiling, attentive, reassuring, organized, helpful, funny. I could carry on... She helped me to access the Hospital to photograph her and her colleagues, and allowed me to take photographs in the operating theatre. I loved every minute of it I could create a whole sub-project with the images from the hospital.

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### Dr David Howell and Ann Trotter

*The Urgent Treatment Centre, Jersey Hospital*

Thanks to Fiona I was able to visit the Urgent Treatment Centre and capture images the fantastic staff. I witnessed how the protocol worked when a patient with suspected COVID-19 was brought in. I had a chance to document the procedures and was so impressed by the work of the doctors and nurses. We're so lucky that we have these people looking after us.

I worked with Ann as a junior doctor a long time ago! She previously was the lead sister of the Emergency Department. She came out of retirement to help with the Covid crisis and use her incredible skills to lead the Urgent Treatment Centre, which was invaluable. I wish her all the best for her second retirement.

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### Gracie Davies

*The Market trader*

I met Gracie 12 years ago, soon after we moved to Jersey. She was teaching surf club with her brother Joe. I took some photos of her while she was surfing, and loved the opportunity to photograph her again with all the beautiful produce from her fields.







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It was very humbling to be asked to participate in this amazing photographic project of Jersey during the Covid-19 of 2020 which Dasa started during a time of great personal sadness. Dasa has such an engaging personality which transmits through her camera lens capturing 'that moment in time', the image revealing the subject's true self without ever realising she has even taken the shot! Still in good condition, the mask I am wearing was one that belonged to my late mother who was a medic for many years, and in those days was required to make and hand-stitch her own masks for when working on various procedures! Sound familiar?!

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**Lady Dalton**



### Sir and Lady Dalton

It is always an absolute pleasure to photograph Sir and Lady Dalton; they both radiate positive energy. Because of social distancing rules, I photographed them from outside their front door. I have huge respect for both of them and am over the moon to have this image as part of the project.

### Alex

*Chef, Samphire (photographed at Les Charrierres, where he had been working during lockdown)*

I love how people changed or adapted to the new situation that Covid 19 brought. Alex is a prime example of that. When Samphire temporarily closed, he and his colleagues started working in a number of care homes.

### Toby

*Student, VCP*

*(his parents are key and essential workers)*

Toby spent the lockdown going to school. I loved talking to him and was blown away by his energy, observations and his flexibility and adaptability to the new settings. We could learn so much from this amazing boy.





# Home Is Where The Heart Is



Words Rebecca Evans

What a difference a day makes. Sunday 29th March was the day when, despite the warnings, we went into a collective kind of shock as our borders were closed and we became marooned on the Island. Like the survivors of a shipwreck we were suddenly trapped here with no idea when we'd see the outside world again. Now, approaching 100 lonely days later, hope is on the horizon and there's talk of travel resuming in the coming weeks.

After 3 months of Lockdown we'll soon have the freedom to get off the rock, but will we actually want to? Of course there will be those on the first flight out to visit the family or friends they've pined for, and some who just want to shake off their claustrophobia by being somewhere, ANYWHERE, else for a few days. But plenty more of us will choose to spend our summer holidays safely at home this year, so it's lucky that we live in paradise.

## Love Your Zoo

A local favourite, but currently more in need of our support than ever, is our beloved Zoo. Home to endangered creatures great and small the zoo provides healthy doses of inspiration and education, all wrapped up in gorgeous landscaped grounds. Family membership starts from £126 a year (or about the same price as one day at a water park in the Med) and allows unlimited access 364 days of the year; you really can't say fairer than 34p a day. If you're already a zoo veteran then why not book an animal experience this summer to get behind the scenes with your favourite resident, or check in to one of the glamping pods and be woken by an alarm call not often found outside Madagascar.

I can't be alone in having found a new appreciation of the place. Back when we were allowed out for just a couple of hours a day it made so much difference to be able to spend that time with sand between your toes or soaking up the scent of spring flowers. Our Island has so much to offer to visitors, but in any other year we can be guilty of letting much of it pass us by. Let's make 2020 the year of staying at home and rediscovering all we have on the doorstep. For this issue I've had a look at some of the best Island attractions and anomalies to enjoy while we have them largely to ourselves.

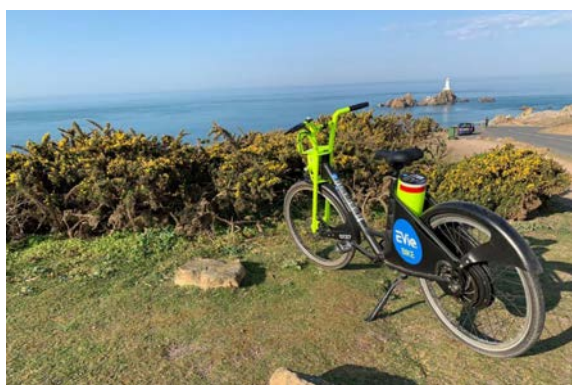


## Set Sail

We might not be going far this year, but that doesn't mean we have to stay on dry land. Jersey's coastline offers 360 jaw-dropping degrees, from the rock studded RAMSAR site around our south-east coast to the towering cliffs and secret caves of the north. Home to rich sea life including fun loving dolphins and elusive puffins, our coast is best discovered up close and from sea level. Charter a catamaran from GoSail for a leisurely private tour, or hop aboard a Seafaris RIB for a high-speed adventure in search of secret offshore reefs. If you prefer to slide through the waves under your own steam, Jersey Adventures, Absolute Adventures and Jersey Kayak Adventures all offer their adventures by way of guided Kayak tours.

## Striking Structures

Jersey has been receiving visitors for over 250,000 years, since the first Neanderthals wandered across what would later become the sea bed and set up camp in La cote de St. Brelade. Each new generation of arrivals have left their permanent mark on the Island and provided us with a landscape peppered with examples of history. Mysterious Neolithic Dolmens, ancient castles, iconic Martello towers and intimidating German bunkers sit shoulder to shoulder with our modern glass office blocks and waterfront apartments. Many of these sites are free to explore, and a wealth of information about them can be found online. La Hougue Bie in St Saviour is one of the oldest man-made structures in the world, pre-dating even the pyramids, and right here for us to visit.



## Walks of Wisdom

How well do you think you know Jersey? Quite well? Really well? I thought so too, until I spent some time with a local Blue Badge guide and realised I knew nothing at all of particular note. Do you know when the Vikings arrived? Where to find a Wigeon and at what time of year? Why we should actually call it the 'Five Mielle' Road? How Janvrin ended up in his tomb or how many inches make a Jersey foot? Jersey is spoiled for choice when it comes to expert guides on all manner of subjects from bird-watching to bioluminescence, horticulture to history and from the occupation to oysters. Regular, themed walking tours take place around the island all summer and can be FREE to join. Search Jersey.com and nationaltrust.je for details and learn something new this year.

## Electric Explorations

Nobody can so much have looked out of a window during lockdown and not spotted someone skimming past on an eye-wateringly yellow bicycle. It seems that the new breed of Evie electric bikes popped up overnight back in March and have since been breeding at an alarming rate. Now even Bouley Bay hill is within reach of the most weak-kneed cyclists amongst us. Available to hire anytime using the associated Evie app, you can choose your time-frame then pick up and drop off your bike in different locations. You can even pause your hire for lunch. Snap one up to get out on two wheels soon, I fear that once the tourists arrive they'll become gold dust.

## Natural Wonders

Think of a National Park and your mind might skip to Yosemite, Kruger, or if you watched too much Yogi Bear as a kid, Jellystone. But were you aware that Jersey has its very own National Park? Comprising the west and north coasts, and splashes of the east and south, Jersey National Park came into existence in 2011 and contains 2145 protected hectares of natural coastal beauty, wildlife and heritage. Now is the perfect time to get out and discover our very own National Park while those overseas are out of reach.



# *19 days of* **ISOLATION; INSPIRATION; CREATION**

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Being bored and unproductive during lockdown was no joke. Rather than focus on the typical comic theme on April Fool's Day, ArtHouse Jersey launched a serious project to keep idle hands and minds busy, with the challenge to draw on a theme each day for 19 days. The response was considerable. Over the course of early lockdown, Arthouse's #isolationcreationjersey hashtag got almost 1500 submissions from artists and non artists looking for a visual way to express themselves.

**T**he diversity of submissions illustrated the creative breadth of islanders. By unifying people on a theme and encouraging them to work in the same collective, creative and inclusive direction, the project clearly entertained those that took part and the wider audience.

Curated by artist Will Bertram, the feed was well-maintained with submissions coming in thick and fast throughout April and continued as it later span off into peripheral projects beyond the original 19 ideas which began with 'Isolation portraits' (overleaf).

Over the following pages we've taken just a tiny sample of the works submitted to illustrate the diversity of the project. If you took part, good job!

*"Our aim is to get as many members of our community as possible all drawing together, creating a sense of unity and social cohesion during this challenging time." Tom Dingle, Director of ArtHouse Jersey*





## 2. COVID COMMENTATOR

## 3. HAND WASH HERO

## 4. ISOLATION STATION (YOUR WORKSPACE)

## 5. CORONA BOOK CLUB: WHAT ARE YOU READING?

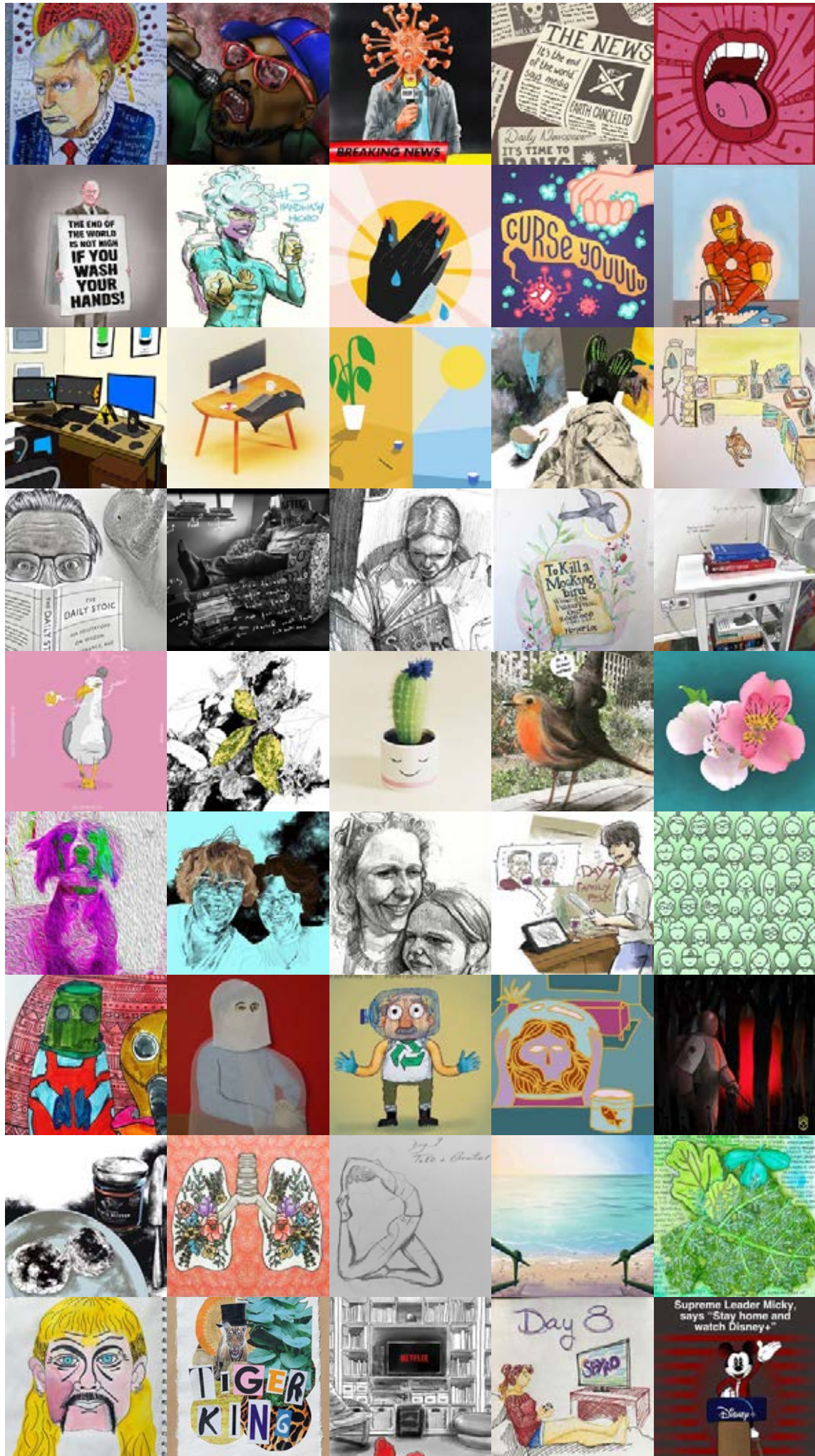
## 6. NEARBY NATURE

## 7. FAMILY FOLK

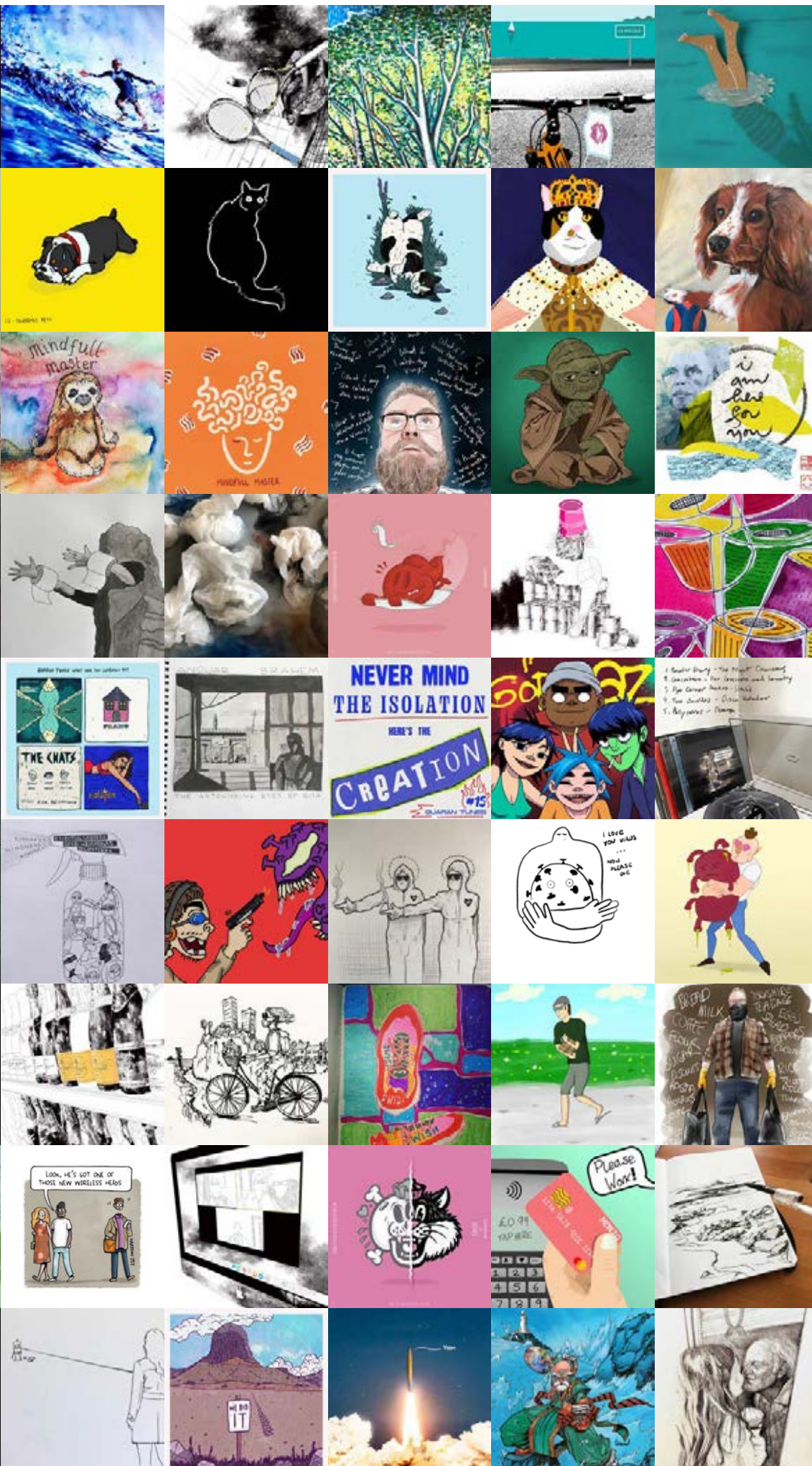
## 8. HOMEMADE HAZMAT

## 9. TAKE A BREATHER

## 10. STAY-AT-HOME CINEMA: WHAT ARE YOU WATCHING?







11. FRESH AIR ANTICS

12. PANDEMIC PALS/PETS

13. MINDFULL MASTER

14. TOO MUCH TOILET PAPER

15. QUARAN-TUNES:  
WHAT ARE YOU LISTENING TO?

16. KILL IT WITH KINDNESS

17. ESSENTIAL EXCURSION

18. CONTACTLESS COLLAR

19. DRAWING & FROM DISTANCE  
(THE DOG ITT)



*One of lockdown's more positive legacies. as ArtHouse Jersey Presents: a fresh digital platform for music, film, dance & spoken word.*



✍ Words: Carrie Cooper

## All present and correct.

*"Nothing like a four week weekend!" you'd see plastered across social media, accompanied by photos of alarmingly large booze deliveries and a string of party popper emojis. Lockdown had been announced.*

The early (and admittedly naive) general consensus was that, should we keep our heads down for the month of April, we'd be snuggled together in pubs catching a gig, heading to the theatre to see a play, dancing a little too enthusiastically to DJs islandwide again soon enough. Little did we know at the time, that attending physical performances of any kind was not going to happen for a really, really long time.

The online reaction from the artistic community was rapid and abundant. Create, create, create, share, share, share. But with so much content being created and digital life quickly becoming rather frantic there seemed to be little cohesion in terms of where to find that output and how to best support local artists. So ArtHouse Jersey set to work. The idea for a digital platform for local artists had been kicking around for some time but, as with so many things, the reality of COVID19 accelerated the inevitable.

Working alongside external producers Paul Bisson and JP Le Blond, ArtHouse Jersey set about designing ArtHouse Jersey Presents, a fresh digital platform for established and emerging artists to showcase their work. Since the platform launched in early April over seventy pieces of original music, dance, poetry, film, podcasts, comedy, readings and workshops have been commissioned and shared. As well as commissions, the platform invites artists to use the hashtag #arthousejerseypresents on Instagram and have their content automatically drawn into the ArtHouse Jersey Presents webpage.

Understandably, the early content largely focused on the lockdown experience. 'The Story Beast', the hairy scary alter-ego of comedian, poet and Jerseyman John Henry Falle, created 'Guidelines', a comic response to the many new bits of important information we all had to digest. Actor and dancer Jonny Labey produced a stunning piece of choreography called 'Breathe again' based around the suffocating mental health effects of isolation expressed as a feeling of being breathless and trapped during the COVID19 lockdown. Author Sophie Cousens shared tips on how we could start writing our first novel and a brand new series of online art workshops for kids using recyclables was launched ('Make It Up With Midnight'). A number of celebrated local musicians got stuck in too, including Lloyd Yates, Adria Godfrey, Paul Bisson and Kevin Pallot. Even good old 'Jersey Bob' Vincent made a cameo from his garden gazebo in New Zealand. Upping the spoken-word game ArtHouse Jersey Presents formed a partnership with Rough Trade Books and hosted one-off poems and readings from internationally acclaimed authors, while broadcaster Carrie Cooper launched the podcast, 'A Postcard From...', a series of conversations with locally connected creatives around the world, finding out how they were affected by the crisis and how they were adapting their work.

### The show must go on...

With thousands of views under their belts and numerous artists still keen to be involved, why stop now? There is always going to be an appetite among artists to create and share high quality work online, and there are always going to be viewers looking for fresh, creative efforts to enjoy and get behind. And so ArtHouse Jersey intends to keep the whole show running well into the pandemic-less (one day!) future, with the platform being, in their humble opinion, 'one of lockdown's more positive legacies'.

✎ Find all ArtHouse Jersey Presents content over at  
[www.arthousejersey.je](http://www.arthousejersey.je)

# Autumn

at Private and Public Gallery

21st August to 11th September  
**Best of British Exhibition**

18th September to 9th October  
**Urban Interventions II**

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Artworks available by

**Andy Warhol - Jean Michel Basquiat - Keith Haring  
Banksy - David Shrigley - The Connor Brothers**

**Pure Evil - Shepard Fairy - Copyright - Hush  
Henry Moore - Barbra Hepworth - Ben Nicholson**

**LS Lowry - Francis Bacon - Lucien Freud  
Frank Auerbach - Leon Kossoff - David Hockney**

**Sir Peter Blake - Richard Hamilton - Bridget Riley  
Allen Jones - Howard Hodgkin - Gilbert & George**

**Joe Tilson – Tom Phillips – Michael Rothenstein  
William Tillyer - Francis Barry - Damien Hirst - Ian Davenport**

**Anish Kapoor - Racheal Whiteread - Michael Craig-Martin - Jason  
Martin – Julian Opie Grayson Perry - Tracey Emin – Sarah Lucas**

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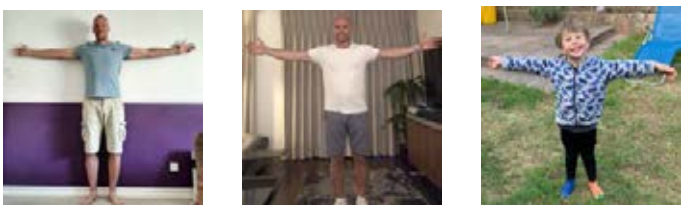
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*Share a photograph of your hug span social media, capturing the moment of taking measurements of your hug and tag #isolationhug, #jerseyisolationhug.*



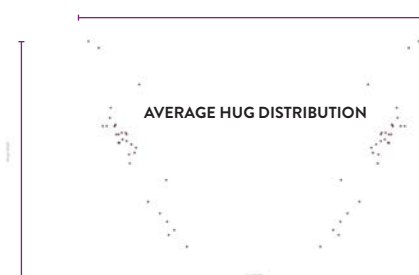
## HOW DEEP ARE YOUR *HUGS*?

Over lockdown Jersey-based artist Yulia Makeyeva undertook a project to get the measure of our affection, at a time - the size of our hugs - when we probably all needed more of them than we were allowed.

As Yulia explains; "With the current health situation in the world, we have to rethink and rebuild our boundaries. Before the lockdown, I saw people imitating hugs from a distance by stretching their arms in the air and smiling to each other. I also saw many funny pictures and memes in social media about 'socially-distanced hugs'. The question I asked myself was - how can you actually measure the depth of a hug?"

Seeking to get the measure, the project seeks to show both the size and distribution along with other insights, whether it is "narrow or wide, the person big or small, weak or strong - how can you quantify the energy it gives? The feelings of the giver and those of the receiver?"

For this project, Yulia asked those getting involved for the measurements of width and distance from the ground (of your arms), thus registering the factual elements, with the 'heartiness' of all the hugs given will be in my future body of work. As it happens, the distribution so far looks a little heart-like (below).



## Get involved!

Share a photograph of your hug span social media, capturing the moment of taking measurements of your hug and tag #isolationhug, #jerseyisolationhug. Everyone, regardless of age is welcome to participate. It's an activity for the whole family that's easier than learning the latest TikTok dance....The final work will be displayed at the end of the year, when, as we can all reconnect and have as many real hugs as we want. As part of the project, Yulia is supporting NSCC Jersey's Fighting for Childhood campaign.

 Add your hug on instagram or learn more at [yuliamakeyeva.co.uk](http://yuliamakeyeva.co.uk)



## GET CULTURED WITH LANGUAGE.

We recently got approached by a Islander who has spent lockdown teaching French and Spanish, allowing people to learn a new skill during their free time. During the Coronavirus lockdown period, Andrew Picot offered tailored 1:1/2:1 Skype/Zoom lessons for adults & children.

Andy tells us that whether you're an adult or child, you will enjoy being more mentally active. Learning a language stimulates cerebral circulation through processing (improving concentration/memory), it opens your mind and can boost esteem and confidence. According to the 2019 Opinions & Lifestyle Survey Report (Statistics Department), only 18% of Jersey 16-64-year-olds responded that training in a language other than English is important to their development.

Prior to launching his language business, Andrew taught at Victoria College/VC Prep, Les Quennevais and St Brelade's College. He has played active roles in the French & Spanish Eisteddfods and led several international study/immersion trips. He's also taught English in China and Costa Rica. In Caen and Agon-Coutainville, Trinity's twin town, he assisted English teachers and fostered bilateral links between Jersey schools and Norman colleges. An avid globetrotter, particularly across Hispanic America and South East Asia, he studied in Spain at Granada University.

Linguistic proficiency, though in increasing demand, is deemed unimportant compared to professional qualifications such as STEP in trusts and ACA for accountants so it's enjoyable for both learning and work. Only around 50% of islanders hold a GCSE in a foreign language at grade C (new level 4) or above. However, the figure stands at near 80% for those who sat GCSE exams in the last 2 years (since the newest GCSE came into effect). That said, very sadly a foreign language isn't valued enough to be compulsory post-14 at 5/9 local schools; quite a number opt out whereas it rightly used to be mandatory. A modest number of pupils take 2 foreign languages now; Spanish, unsurprisingly, is the second most popular one. The figure for Language A Levels graded at C or above these last 2 years is near 85% with 10 pupils pursuing a language at university. The latter number is consistent with the past few years.

In addition to his tutor-led courses, Andy recommends downloading apps like Memrise/Babbel/Duolingo and trying to devote 20 minutes daily while 'commuting, bathing, dog walking/jogging or unwinding'. Face-to-face lessons are also resuming over the summer so if you're looking to get some international cultural context, maybe give me a shout (in a language of your choice...!)

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underground dressing room    gym

snooker room    supercar lift

A stylized illustration of a three-story house with a grey roof and white walls. Below the ground level, a cross-section reveals an underground space. On the left, there's a cinema with rows of seats and a screen. In the center, there's a gym with various exercise equipment. On the right, there's a parking area with several cars, including a sports car. A staircase leads up from the underground space to the ground floor.

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## From Latvia *with love.*

We featured the work of Eliza Anna Reine on our cover in March, all that time ago pre-covid...remember? Kf you didn't see it, Eliza is a visual artist from Latvia, who is now based in Jersey. Experimenting with different techniques, she creates mixed media collages focusing on a human form. The fact that she plays with images found in magazines obviously piqued our interest and this month you can see her work in the flesh, with a solo exhibition at Private and Public Gallery.

Overlaying the magazine visuals with confidently loose brush strokes and delicate details creates amazing pieces. Her artworks celebrates 'femininity and mysterious nature of women, justified in vibrant color combinations. Oscillating between the warm oranges, rich reds and deep purples and the cooler tones of blues, grays and whites, her collages collectively represents many different facets of women everywhere, like an ode to the female form'. And you'll be able to witness a variety of Eliza's work at her show as she transforms the gallery into a Latvian forest to create the perfect backdrop to her work.



Eliza's latest body of work is inspired by an ancient Latvian tradition - the celebration of summer solstice. Growing up in Latvia the festivity has left an immense impact on artists world view and alignment with nature. Some of the traditions include women harvesting flowers and grasses from the meadow to weave crowns and decorate their countryside farms. Latvians believe that grasses picked during the Solstice have magical power because it is time when nature is most active. The campfire is lit at the sunset and kept burning until sunrise so that the presence of light is not interrupted.

**Eliza Anna Reine; Floral Immersive**  
**Preview Weekend – 24th July from 5pm to 8pm and**  
**Saturday 25th July from 10am to 5pm**  
**Exhibition runs 27th July to 14th August. Open midday to**  
**6pm weekdays or at any other time by appointment**





Banksy: Turf War and Andy Warhol; Self Portrait

## See the best of British this Autumn

Private & Public have announced back to back blockbuster exhibitions for their forthcoming autumn programme which will showcase works by many of the most influential artists of the last 50 century.

**T**hese spectacular exhibitions provide an opportunity to see and acquire works in two specially curated exhibitions the first of which will focus of the very best British artists of the 20th Century such as Henry Moore and Barbara Hepworth right through to Lucien Freud, Francis Bacon and contemporary artists such as Grayson Perry and Banksy.

Works by Banksy, who is undoubtedly the most famous living artist, will also feature in our second street art exhibition Urban Intervention II which proved to be so popular with the public a year earlier. The origins of street art date back over a thousand years but by far the biggest cultural influence on the current generation were the American pop artists Andy Warhol, Keith Haring and Jean Michel-Basquiat all of whom will have important works on display.

In order to ensure the safety and comfort of our guests preview weekends will be staged before each show opens to the public so to reserve your place and these exclusive events please contact the gallery. Out of hours appointments can also be made for evenings and weekends and gallery director Chris Clifford will be providing a series of talks for interested collectors.

**21st August to 11th September : Best of British Exhibition**  
**18th September to 9th October : Urban Interventions**  
**Private & Public Gallery, Sommerville House, Phillips Street**

## Greater than the sum of our parts

If Hollywood is to be believed, it seems that half of New York's population seem to consider themselves either 'Irish' or 'Italian'. The world is a melting pot and our little island is no certainly no different. As a visitor, it's likely you'll be collected from the airport by a taxi driver with a Scottish accent, greeted at your hotel by a Romanian accent and be surprised to find the volume of authentic Thai chefs, Polish food shops and areas where you'd be mistaken for thinking you were in Madeira. And you know what? That's great.

A new exhibition called 'People Make Jersey – our stories of immigration' is now open at Jersey Museum & Art Gallery. The exhibition was originally due to open at the start of the summer season but had to be postponed when all of Jersey Heritage's visitor sites were temporarily closed due to the Coronavirus pandemic. Thankfully all that is behind us and sites are open and exhibitions are back! The new exhibition has been put together by Lucy Layton, Jersey Heritage's Outreach Curator. She said that every Islander had their own 'Jersey story' to tell and the variety of people who make up Jersey's community was what lay at the heart of 'People Make Jersey'. "Every Jersey resident has a story of how they come to be living in the Island, whether their family came here 500 years ago or five years ago. 'People Make Jersey' explores some of these stories and the ways in which immigration has shaped and influenced the Island we know today," she said.

The exhibition begins with Jersey's first permanent settlers, who arrived around 7,000 years ago, driven by a changing climate to seek a new and sheltered place where they could plant their crops and raise their families. It then follows the waves of immigrants who have arrived in Jersey over the centuries. Visitors to the exhibition will also have a chance to record their own immigration stories in a specially-designed video booth.

**People Make Jersey is open now. Jersey Museum & Art Gallery is now open daily from 10am-5pm. Normal entry prices apply. Free to Jersey Heritage Members and children under six.**



Islanders with the registration cards of their ancestors



# Beauty news



## Greencliff Chiropractic and Health Point Clinic are Open!

A family team, Olivia Jackson DC, BCA, GCC, Chiropractor and Lorna Jackson MBAC, AFN, Acupuncturist and Massage Therapist, use a wide range of techniques depending upon the patient's needs and preferences. They treat patients of all ages and work closely with each individual to manage their requirements, whether to relieve pain or improve general health and wellbeing.

### GREENCLIFF CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC

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### HEALTH POINT CLINIC

Established by Lorna Jackson in 2011 and located at the Lido Medical Centre as well as the Greencliff Chiropractic clinic. Lorna's treatment modalities include; acupuncture, tui na (Chinese medical massage), Chinese cupping massage, acupressure, Swedish/Deep tissue massage and reflexology.

Lorna and Olivia say: "Community health has always been our priority. Whatever your needs may be, we are here to help assist you, smile, and get back to doing what you love! We are taking every precaution to ensure your health and trust whilst you continue to use our services. We understand this is a scary time for everyone and we both may look a little different when you next see us, but we will still be smiling underneath our face masks to help you with all things pain management and stress."

Please call 852039 or visit [www.greencliffchiro.com](http://www.greencliffchiro.com) or [www.healthpointclinic.co.uk](http://www.healthpointclinic.co.uk) for more information.

## Get the *glow*

Oh what wonders a hint of tan can do for the skin, here is a selection of some of the loveliest products out there for 2020 which will give you that healthy bronzed hue.



### BENEFIT

Hoola Bronzer | UK Price £26.40, deGruchy Price £24.00

It would be sacrilege to have a bronzer feature without Hoola, it's the workhorse of the bronzing world. Consistently there for you, giving the best matte natural look out there. We love you Hoola. Keep doing exactly what you're doing.



### BOBBI BROWN

Bronzing Powder Duo | Voisins | approx £26

A handy pair of complementary matte and illuminating bronzers in one summery limited-edition compact. Allows you to contour and illuminate, providing a warm glowing finish.



### M.A.C

Radiant Matte Bronzing Powder | Voisins | approx £22

A creamy, lightweight bronzing powder that boasts long-lasting, high-comfort wear for 12 hours. What's not to love? The team at M.A.C always deliver the goods!



### LANCÔME

Belle De Teint | Bronzer | UK Price £33.72, deGruchy Price £30.65

Beautiful and smooth skin reflects the light better so Lancôme developed this bronzer to instantly blur imperfections, improving skin texture and adding a weightless healthy glow. Leaving you with a radiant, luminous complexion



### TOM FORD

Soleil Gold Dust Bronzer | UK Price £75.00, deGruchy Price £65.60

Well hello there pretty thing - the packaging alone gets this onto our list! But luckily enough its also a brilliant bronzer which nourishes skin with cocoa seed and mango seed butter and offers great buildable coverage with staying power.

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# Brand News

## RADIANT IN RED

One 2020 colour trend that we're seeing time and time again which looks really brilliant, is red. Sophisticated, bold, red looks equally striking on brunettes as it does on blondes, and of course auburn haired beauties.

We spotted these two gorgeous examples in Renaissance on Hilgrove Street. The Charlotte Sparre dress keeps it breezy and simple with a whimsical floral pattern, and the strong geometric Marc Cain red dress will have you feeling fabulous and fashionable on the beach this summer.



Marc Cain | Red Dress, £219



Charlotte Sparre | Cream and Red Flower Dress, £415

## SUMMER LOVIN'

Dreamy dresses with pretty prints and flattering cuts; we popped in to deGruchy to check out some of their absolute beauties which will boost and brighten your summer wardrobe.



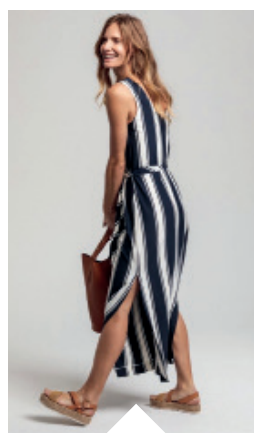
Mint Velvet, Andrea Floral Dress, UK Price £99.00 / deGruchy Price £89.00



Forever New, Elley Frill Maxi Dress, UK Price £90.00 / deGruchy Price £81.00



Part Two, Benny dress, UK Price £139.95 / deGruchy Price £125.95



GANT, Stripped Maxi Dress, UK Price £125.00 / deGruchy Price £112.50



Hope, Ruffle Hem dress, UK Price £110.00 / deGruchy Price £99.00

Woven with plant-based lyocell and a touch of linen for lightness and breathability, this navy dress is printed all over with hand-drawn ivory and orange blooms. The unusual square neckline makes it stand out, and a loose-fitting silhouette and tasselled cuffs give it a boho feel.

Bring the romance in this dreamy slate blue and white floral maxi dress. It's elevated with soft ruffles and flutter sleeves, so wear yours with subtle accessories and low strappy heels to let the details shine.

This wonderful yellow tulip print makes this dress extra special, pair it down for lunch dates or add some golden accessories for a special event. Just beautiful.

This nautical dress is made of a soft, flowy jersey that drapes beautifully and can be worn with or without the accompanying belt. It's casual, but still polished, this will take you from the office to socially-distanced after-work drinks no problem!

Designed to beautifully compliment all body types, this cotton dress features voluminous flared sleeves and a cute, tiered hem. Would look wonderful with a wedge heel!



Ralph Lauren Grey Sleep Joggers  
UK Price £55 / Voins £50



All Saints Kino Leather Bomber  
UK Price £318 / Voins £286



Replay Anbass Hyperflex Slim Fit Jeans  
UK Price £125 / Voins £113



Space Robot Pocket Square  
UK Price £35  
Voins £31.50



Ralph Lauren Slim Traveller Shorts  
UK Price £59 / Voins £53



Baldessarini Moon Rock Shirt  
UK Price £101 / Voins £91



Hugo Boss Slim-Fit  
Bomber Jacket  
UK Price £449 /  
Voins £404

Simon Carter Jacob Tigerseye Bracelet  
UK Price £60 / Voins £54

## GUYS EDIT

To make sure that you'll be looking fly coming out of isolation the team at Voins have picked out some of their favourite pieces from the latest collections. Head in store to check out all of their brilliant new selection.



# BRAND FOCUS

This month we take a look at Crew Clothing, the go-to British lifestyle brand for classic style with a coastal twist.

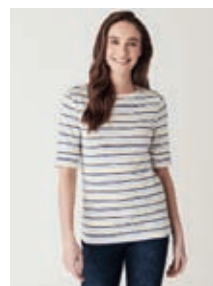
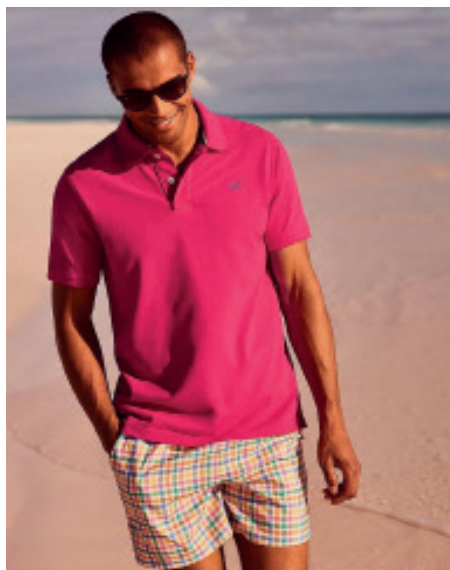


**Every story starts with an idea. Theirs was simple: to create timeless clothes inspired by the British coast.**

With its cobbled streets, crystal clear water and breathtaking views, Salcombe was the perfect inspiration for professional skier, Alastair Parker-Swift's first menswear collection. When he wasn't competing for England, Alastair ran a successful windsurfing school. It was here that Crew Clothing was born.

Alastair's first collection consisted of the rugby shirt, detailed with their iconic '93 patch. He took it from Salcombe to Cowes Week to the King's Road. Over the last 25 years, Crew Clothing have grown beyond the back of a windsurfing shop. Stores can now be found up and down the country from St. Andrews to St. Helier.

Their Summer 2020 Collection is a delightful, bright and easy-to-wear range of classics and basics that will stay with you for years. Comfort and cut are at the heart of these pieces, with soft, trouble-free fabrics, these are clothes to wear everyday. Simple, stylish and easy. Pop into their shop at 17 Halkett Place to see what gems you can find.



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Their women's bikini sets come in a huge choice of colours and fits to suit every figure, and their chic cover-ups will keep your beach or pool days cool. We're also big fans of their simple men's swim shorts, in great toned down colours to make your tan pop! All so affordable and all so lovely, George is always a winner.

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Womens Black  
Bandeau Bikini Top £5



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Bottoms £5



Boys Navy Stripe Swim Shorts  
2 Pack, £8



Mens Green Swim Shorts £6



Mens Blue Swim Shorts £6

Girls Disney The Lion King  
Nala Swimsuit and Keppi  
Hat Set UPF 40 £11.50



Boys Blue Swimsuit  
and Keppi Hat UPF  
40 £10.50



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# SUMMER STASH

Here is a round up of some of the best summer products out there, from sunnies and swimmers to what's best to sip as you laze in the sunshine...



**1 BARTS | Women's Tube Bikini Set | Surfyard | £56.99**

How gorgeous is this bikini? Leopard print is flattering, fun and feisty. Perfect for topping up your tan, or jumping in the surf.

**2 LOST | Fantasy Island SS Woven Shirt | Surfyard | £49.99**

You need to look the part of a summer lovin' legend. And this shirt provides just that.

**3 BILLABONG | Jr Boys SS Tee Neo Lemon | Surfyard | £18.00**

This cool, bright and breezy yellow tee will have your little groms looking great down El Tico.

**4 PATAGONIA | 25L Black Hole Pack | Surfyard | £90.00**

With the Patagonia design and quality behind it, this backpack is going to last you for years. Highly weather resistant, this pack can be with you at the top of a mountain, or down on a wet sandy beach, keeping your gear safe.

**5 XCEL | Women's Wetsuit 3:2 Comp | Surfyard | £200.00**

This new and improved 2020 model is more flexible than ever before and is guaranteed to keep you warmer for longer. So you can focus on improving your sport.

**6 VISSLA | Men's Surfyard Tee | Surfyard | £29.99**

Represent the coolest surf store on the west coast with this great staple tee by eminent brand Vissla.

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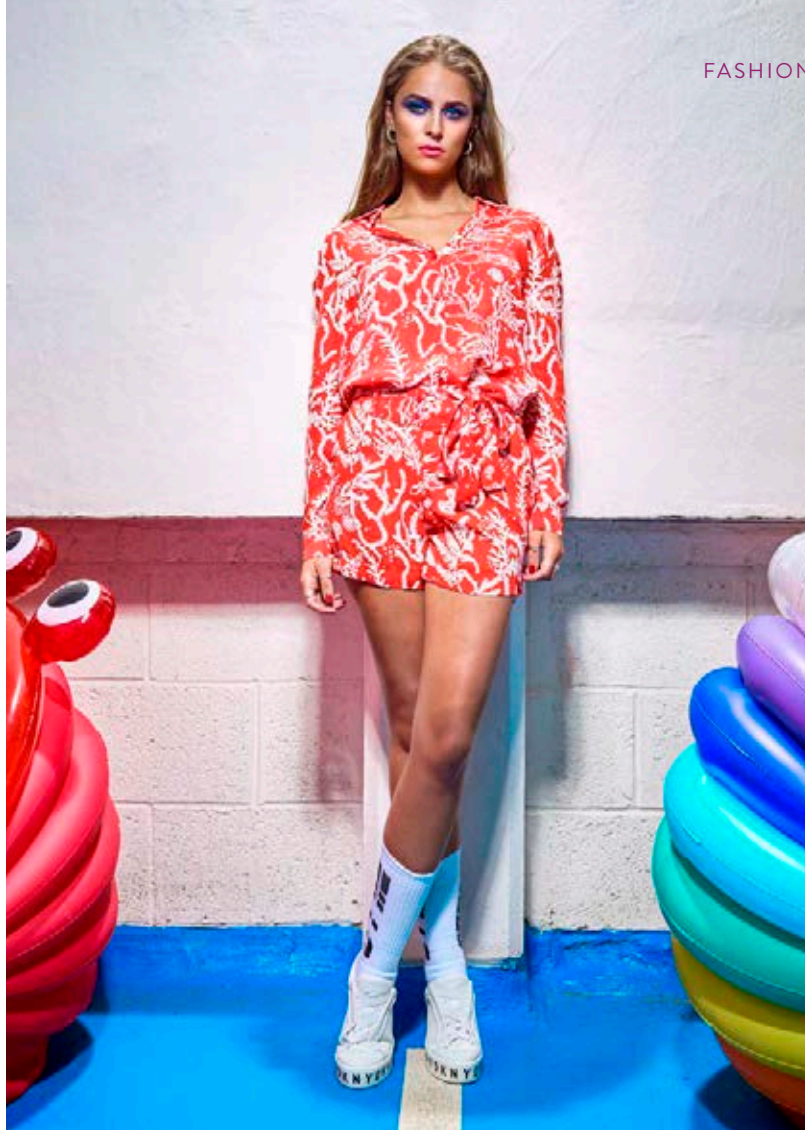
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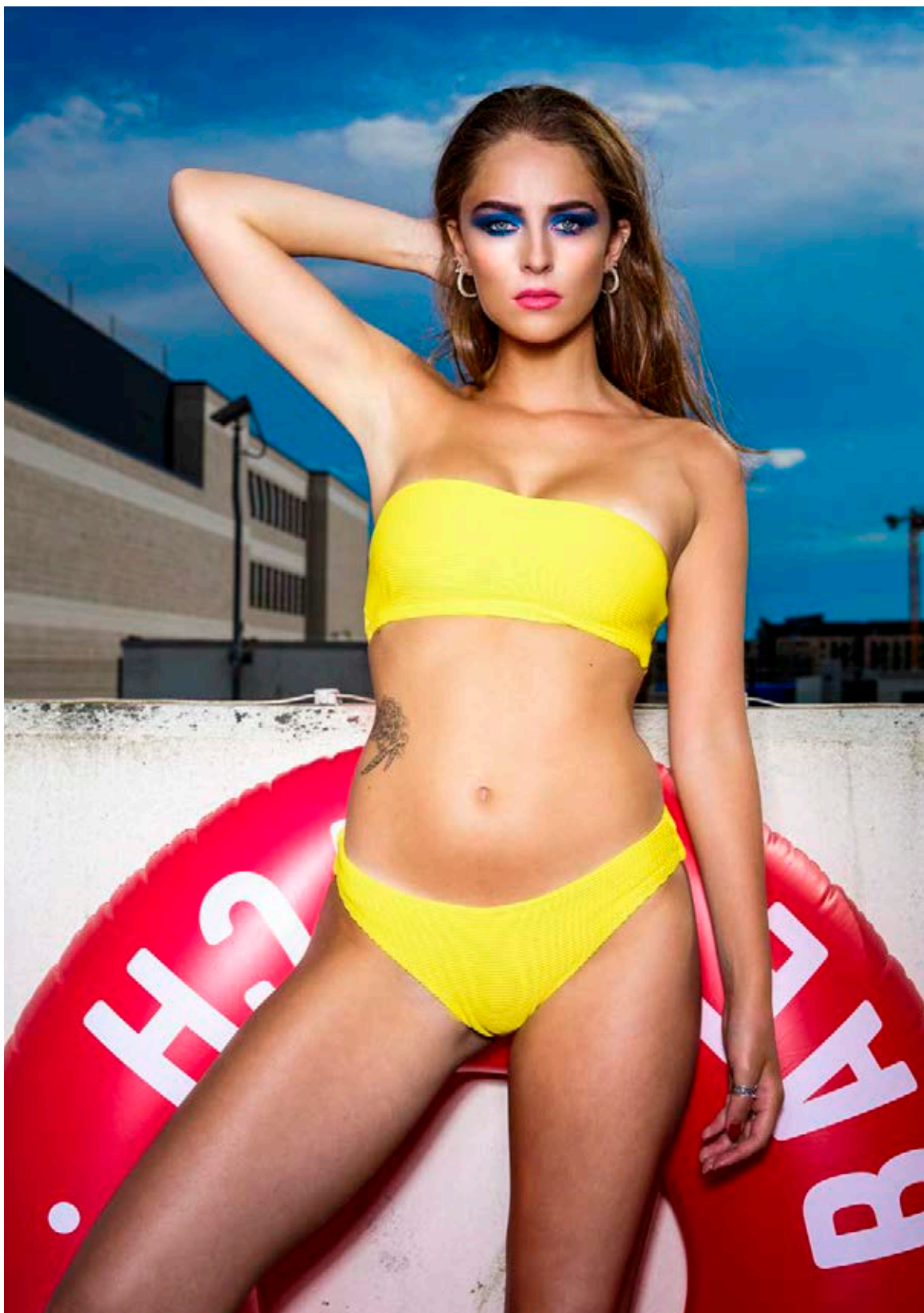
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## JESSICA BURTON & BECKY HOUZE

LOCAL MARKETING AT JERSEY DAIRY

DAIRY PRODUCER AT LODGE FARM

Each month we feature some of Jersey's creators and let them share their creative visions and handmade goods with you lot, our island consumers. If you like what you see, check out [genuinejersey.com](http://genuinejersey.com) and hunt them down to support our local industries!

### How did it all get going?

**JESSICA** - Jersey Dairy has a unique heritage which traces back to 1763 when the banning of the importation of cattle to the Island was enforced – the start of the Islands pure herd. Today the Island has around 4,000 cattle of which approximately 2,250 are in milk. Everyday Jersey Dairy receives over 30,000L of fresh milk from 14 dairy farms on the Island including Lodge Farm, where Becky is a 4th generation dairy farmer.

### What do you produce?

**JESSICA** - Our range of dairy products includes our nutritious and delicious Jersey milk, butter, yogurt, cream, ice cream and cheese.

### What makes your products unique?

**JESSICA** - All of our products are made with milk sourced exclusively from our pedigree Jersey cows. Our Jersey cows have access to the open air throughout the year and spend most of the late Spring, Summer and early Autumn months at pasture. It is this access to fresh grass and sea air, which produces the distinctive and unique Jersey milk that is renowned for its quality. Jersey milk has 20% more protein and calcium than milk from other breeds of dairy cow and is naturally lower in saturated fats.

### Where do you work?

**BECKY** - I'm a 4th generation farmer on our family run business at Lodge Farm.

### What's a typical day like for your business?

**BECKY** - The farm runs 365 days a year, starting at 5:30 AM every morning and finishing at 6PM with a 8PM night check.

We milk our 200 head of cattle twice daily, in between milkings we have our routine work; cleaning, re-bedding, feeding all animals on-site and checking our 80+ heifers out at grass scattered around the parishes of St.Saviour, St.Martin and Trinity. In Jersey, having small fields, we spend much of our day fencing and moving cattle and water troughs to new pastures.

Every day is different on the farm depending on the time of year. We grow all our own forages, so in the spring we are preparing our soils and planting crops, the summer months we are harvesting our cattle's winter feed and making straw bedding. As farmers we are custodians of the countryside, we do all our own branchage and tree maintenance. We

Becky Houze - Lodge Farm ▶

also consider ourselves as Environmentalist working closely with conservationists and promoting wildlife habitats on the land we work in. During the winter months we usually focus on machinery and building maintenance, so as farmer we wear many hats.

As businesses owners farmers spend a lot of time in office, everything we do on farm needs to be inputted and recorded onto our many computer software systems. Our paper trails give us the Red Tractor and 'LEAF' Linking Environment and Farming accreditation.

#### Best bit of your job?

**BECKY** - Farming is my passion, it's not just a job but a lifestyle. The enthusiasm among our island's farmers to work together is very special and unique.

I'm proud to be a farmer and genuinely excited for the future, to keep learning and improving, to better our farm's sustainability, animal health, product quality and the environment in which we work. I consider myself very fortunate to be able to work outdoors and with our beautiful Jersey cows.

#### What's something people might not know about your products?

**JESSICA** - Jersey Dairy has a reputation of excellence and quality and supplies own-label dairy products to a range of independent retailers. One of which we are extremely proud is Hotel Chocolat's Ice Cream of the Gods. The ice cream is infused with cocoa nibs to create a unique taste. It is produced right here at Jersey Dairy and is available from Hotel Chocolat stores around the world.

#### What are you working on at the moment?

**JESSICA** - No day is ever the same at Jersey Dairy and I help to promote the range of premium quality dairy products for the Island, as well as educate consumers on our high standards of animal welfare and environmental credentials both on the farm and at the dairy. Milk from our Jersey farms travels no more than ten miles to our processing unit...we are undoubtedly Genuine Jersey in all we do.

As Jersey Dairy is a farmer owned co-operative

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we have a close working relationship with the dairy farmers. We regularly host school visits for primary school children where they spend the morning at one of our farms and then head to the factory in Trinity to see what happens to our fresh Jersey milk next. Our education programme can provide schools with exciting and relevant opportunities to meet objectives in a range of curriculum areas. Myself and Becky often host school trips together which is great fun for us and brilliant for the pupils to experience the entire sequence, 'From Grass to Glass'.

Over the spring and summer months we had many events in the pipeline which we were excitedly anticipating in order to promote Jersey's amazing dairy industry. Unfortunately, due to the outbreak of Covid-19 these have all had to be postponed or cancelled. Therefore, we have been running a series of lockdown competitions. These have included a milk moustache photo competition, a carton craft challenge, baking challenges and most recently, a writing competition. We have loved the Island-wide participation in these challenges and we look forward to 2021 when we can attend many more local events.

#### Where can people buy your products?

**JESSICA** - Our range of dairy products are available across shops and supermarkets Island-wide and you will find our delicious range of Jersey Dairy ice cream in the majority of cafes, restaurants and ice cream parlours in Jersey. We continue to wave the flag for the Island overseas and we have prestigious retail partners in the Far East and Middle East markets.



## Just Heavenly

Ice Cream Of The Gods - How Hotel Chocolat does ice cream.

Hotel Chocolat's new ice cream is created using the finest cocoa nibs infused into the best Jersey milk and cream. It's named after the cocoa plant itself, Theobroma cacao, which translates literally as 'cocoa, food of the gods'.

"We're always striving to be original," commented Angus Thirlwell, CEO, "so we wanted to try something different with our ice cream. There are thousands of chocolate ice creams, some sprinkled with cocoa nibs, but infusing cocoa directly into the cream is a first. It means it tastes uniquely nutty, malty and rounded."

Head Cocoa Chef, David Demaison, tried cocoa from all over the world; from leathery Ecuadorian to fruity Vietnamese, before choosing the robust depth of Ghanaian beans. The Jersey milk and cream used produce a smoother, silkier, more luxurious ice cream. They also use just 12% sugar; most ice creams are laden with sugar, but too much sugar can dull flavours. In chocolate, sugar is often used to mask poor cocoa. Ice Cream of the Gods is different, it's a precise balance, one that complements, not camouflages.

Ice Cream Of The Gods is available at the Hotel Chocolat shop on Queen Street

Sundae £4.95, Tub or Cone £3.25, perfectly finished with a supermilk or 50% milk chocolate shard and a salted caramel, hazelnut or chocolate sauce. DEEEEEEELICIOUS!



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DOUET FARM



## How did it all get going?

My husband Laurence and I have always had our hearts in the countryside.

Although we have farming in our blood, no family have farmed since the 80s and so we never had the opportunity to take on a family farm. So, to achieve our life-long dream, we've had to start from scratch. After many years of hard work, determination and penny saving, we bought our fields in Trinity in 2012 and Douet Farm was born!

The first livestock arrived on the farm a year later. We spent five happy years farming on a small scale alongside other day jobs, producing 100% grass-fed beef and lamb and delivering it to customers through a box scheme. We loved it so much; we knew we wanted to farm full time.

In this time, we also had two of our own children. They enjoyed drinking goat's milk and found it much easier to digest than cow's milk. However, we always struggled to find a regular supply of goat's milk as it all came from the UK and the shelves were often empty. So... Can you see where this is going?! We decided to go for it and set up a goat dairy and farm full time.

It makes us so happy that the Farm is now a thriving, organic, agricultural business, producing goat's milk produce and meat for Jersey people.

## What do you produce?

We currently produce:

Whole Goat's Milk, in a one litre bottle that is gently pasteurised at a much lower temperature than other commercial milks. Nothing is added or taken away.

Jersey Goat's Cheese - a 150g log of goat's cheese, a firm, fresh and mild cheese, that slices beautifully and keeps its shape, so is perfect under the grill or for topping a salad.

Kid Meat Boxes - we are proud to raise all of our billy kids for meat and sell these through a box scheme in the Autumn. Customers buy half a kid, all butchered into various joints, chops etc.

100% Grass Fed Lamb Boxes - Similarly, customers can buy half a lamb box in the Autumn, butchered into joints, chops etc.

## What makes your products unique?

We do everything ourselves. We care for the livestock, milk the goats, process and package the milk and cheese and then deliver it too. Our customers love knowing the farmers who have produced their food. Also, we are the only certified organic goat farm on the island.

## What's something people might not know about your products?

A lot of people are hesitant about drinking goat's milk, thinking it will taste 'goaty'. But ours doesn't - it's rich and creamy, a great alternative for those who struggle to digest cow milk.

## Where can people buy your products?

Our products are available online through our website [www.douetfarm.com](http://www.douetfarm.com). You can also buy from these shops: Midland Stores, Rondels, Holme Grown, Trinity Stores, Lucas Brothers, Home Fields, SCOOP, Woodside, The Organic Shop, 100% Health, Valley Foods and La Belle Gourmande - to name a few!



# Stop & Smell *The Rosés*



**WORDS** Matt Barnes, Owner of Gorey Wine Cellar

It's rosé season again. Unlike red and white wines, rosé is, for most people, a drink to be enjoyed in the summer months, and in Jersey the trend over the last few years has definitely been towards premium rosés from the Provence.

Like Jersey on a perfect summer's day, the South of France is surely one of the world's ultimate holiday destinations, in fact Provence enjoys more sunshine hours than anywhere in France with over 2,700 per year – no wonder rosé wine outsells whites and reds by 3 to 1.

Rather than being a blend of red and white wine (a method that is actually illegal in France with the exception of pink Champagne) a 'proper' rosé is made by crushing red grapes such as Grenache, Syrah, Cinsault, Pinot Noir and leaving the juice on the grape skins for a matter of hours. It's a common misconception that the darker the rosé the sweeter the wine; the difference in colour is mostly determined simply by the number of hours the grape juice spends on the grape skins after being crushed, the more hours, the darker the wine.

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Marketing teams around the globe have boosted rosé's image and promoted it as a serious wine, albeit one that continues to be what it has always been: a light, dry, refreshing, relatively low alcohol summer drink and the perfect BBQ accompaniment, to be enjoyed young (usually within 2 years of bottling).

The whole of Provence 'upped its game' a few years ago and quality has improved dramatically along with label design and some eye-catchingly shaped bottles.

At Gorey Wine Cellar we sell 14 different rosés (as well as sparkling rosés from Champagne, South Africa & Italy, many in bottles that wouldn't look out of place in a perfumery, and especially impressive are the large formats: Magnums, Jeroboams and even a Methuselah (equivalent to 8 bottles).

For a few years 'Whispering Angel' from Chateau d'Esclans enjoyed pole position although these days it is often found on special offer in supermarkets; this year the leader board features names like Château de Berne, Château de Léoube, Domaine Terre de Mistral and MiP (Made in Provence).

Customers often ask for my 'best' rosé - there is no 'best'; rosé is all down to personal preference but if you enjoy light, dry and lightly perfumed then Provence ticks all the boxes (my favourite is definitely the Ultimate Provence from Chateau de Berne). If on the other hand you prefer your rosé sweet, then choose a blush like White Zinfandel.

As the largest and oldest rosé producing wine region in the world, Provence exports its wines to hundreds of countries, the US being its largest market although judging by rosé sales so far this year, Jersey isn't far behind. Santé!





## Tantalizing on the terrace.



✍ Words: Sara Felton

There's something about a visit to St Brelade's Bay which always makes me feel as though I'm on holiday, so heading down there for an al fresco lunch is an absolute dream. This month's destination was The Terrace at L'Horizon Beach Hotel & Spa which, having recently been refurbished to the high standard you'd expect from a Hand Picked property, is an excellent spot to sit back and relax, enjoying a lovely meal overlooking the beautiful bay.

**T**he team at L'Horizon have taken every single safety consideration into account and asked my dining companion and I a few quick Covid-19-related questions on arrival and also took our temperatures before we were shown to our table.

We were both ravenous so didn't hold back and went for three courses, the first concrete decision we both made was around dessert, but more on that later. To start we went light and two beautiful, fresh, tasty-looking salads arrived at the table. One a lovely classic combination of juicy heritage tomatoes and mozzarella, topped with brioche croutons and Bloody Mary gel and the other saw sautéed juicy king prawns take the starring role alongside chorizo and zesty fresh spiralized vegetables and a caper kick. Both of these dishes you can also have supersized for your main course.

It's almost impossible to choose from the varied main course options. If you're a seafood lover you'll be delighted to know there is a platter made for two, featuring all of the usual island bounty, served with Jersey Royals and vegetables. Accompany that with one of their superb wines and I can appreciate how much of a joyful afternoon that would be.

As I'm not a seafood lover, I gravitated to 'The Grill' section of the menu and chose a steak. Yes, I know, it's not the most adventurous option, but it was fantastic. It was cooked to perfection and served with enough chips that your 'plus one' will be able to steal some. The steak is served with side of rich Stilton sauce, which I liberally poured over everything and also a bourbon and maple glazed corn on the cob, which I unreservedly enjoyed! The plus one was more adventurous than me and opted for Jersey Turbot fillets which were served with Jersey Royals, prawns, capers and bathed in brown butter; 'incredibly tasty and perfect for eating in this context' was the review. He seemed to jhave thoroughly enjoyed it and, I have to say, it looked excellent.

It's hard to believe that either one of us had space for dessert but as we'd talked about it before even considering a main, it had to be done. Having spoken just days before how hard it is to choose a dessert and how the ideal is to have 'a little bit of everything' we were delighted to see a Café Gourmand on the menu. A trio of 'mini' desserts served with a coffee of your choice, winner. The excellent waiting staff had already hinted that the carrot cake was something rather special and they weren't wrong. Flanked between a mini lemon meringue tart and a small black forest gateau topped with very boozy cherries was the carrot cake, which is served in a plant pot, but this wasn't just any plant pot, it was an edible plant pot... very cool!

With a full and varied selection of foods to choose from on The Terrace menu, including an excellent choice of both vegan and vegetarian options, and an excellent wine and gin menu on hand you will be spoilt for choice.

**The Terrace at L'Horizon Beach Hotel & Spa, St Brelade's Bay Open for dining: Thursday and Sunday 12-5pm. Friday and Saturday 12-8pm Call 743101 to book**



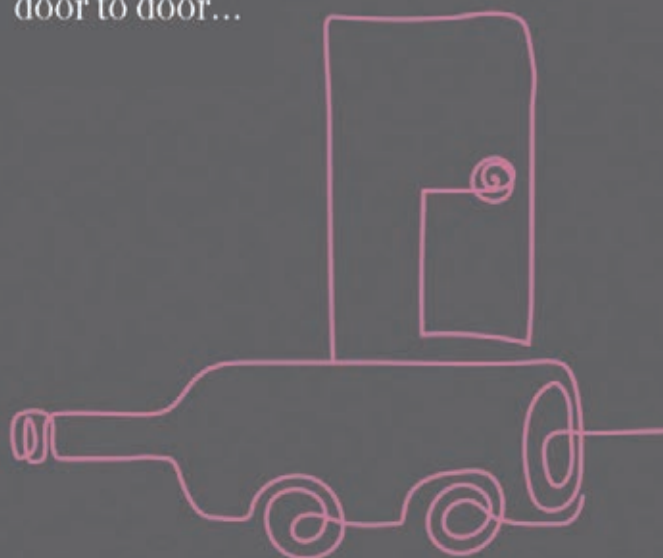
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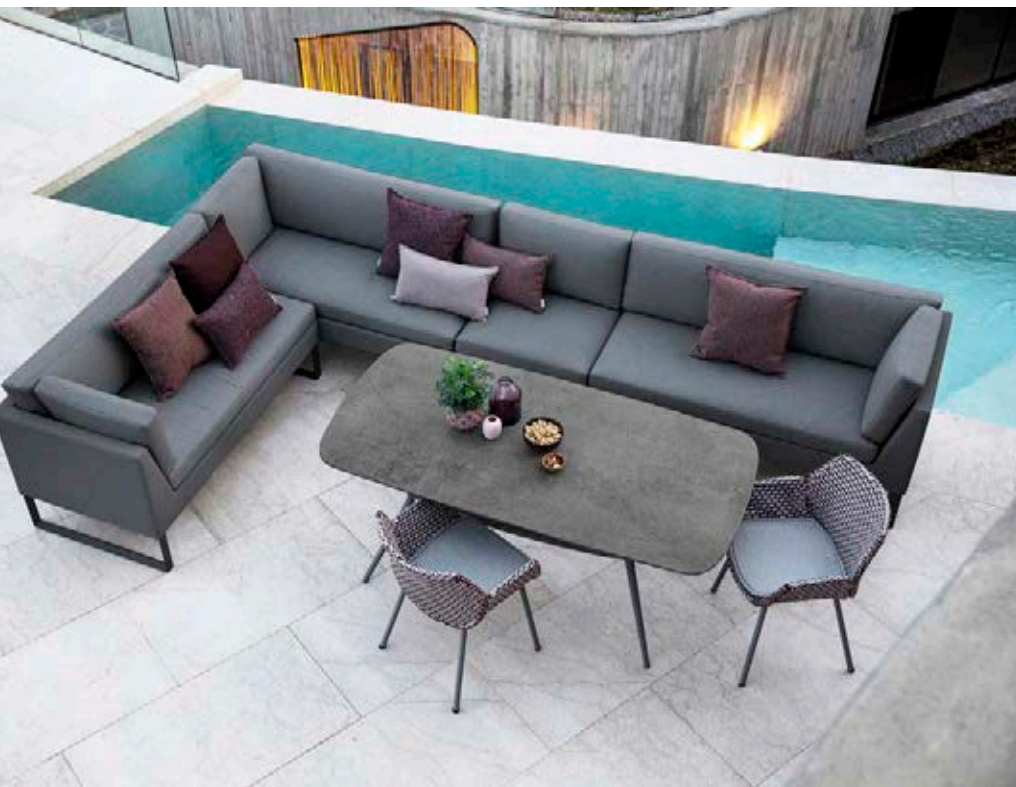
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## Finishing Touches

## Social sun seating

It looks as though you might be spending some of your summer holiday in glorious Jersey this year so if you're lucky enough to have a decent garden, it might be time to invest in that quality garden furniture.



### A Premium, flexible Vibe.

Cane-line's Flex dining lounge is a modular system that is perfect for outdoor use. Flex can be used as an ordinary lounge sofa for , well, lounging, or for a more upright seating position suited for dining. Flex is available in weatherproof Cane-line Tex® with soft, comfortable cushions in Cane-line Natté with the QuickDry system, which is a special technology for added comfort and ensures that the cushions dry soon after a downpour. The Vibe chair (the two at the table) is characterised by both beautiful visual design and comfort to boot; a classic look with a modern twist in the form of a unique weave and a mix of colors.

### Cane-line Flex Modular Sofa / Vibe armchair.

**Baufomat.**

### Myyyyy Savona

This contemporary thick rope weave corner dining set is structured but relaxed. with a curved design that beautifully brightens any garden. The set includes a left and right hand bench and a wood effect, tempered glass dining table. The powder coated aluminium frame ensures it can be used all year but MyPad do recommend storing your cushions inside at night. Cushions' lives matter.

### Savona Corner Dining Set.

**MyPad, £1775**



### A wedge / wood.

If you fancy your reclining a little more reclined, the Beach Corner Sofa from Westminster is constructed using a welded powder-coated aluminium frame with Teak inlaid table tops and uses Sunbrella fabric cushions with quick dry foam. A great combo of materials that gives a clean premium look. The set shown comprises 1x 3-seater sofa, 1x 2-seater sofa, 1x coffee-table. Frame colours: charcoal or white. Cushion colours: natural, taupe or charcoal.

### Westminster Beach Corner Sofa

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# Market Update

After such a long period of isolation, it is so encouraging to see the Island slowly coming back to life again. Full recovery could take a long time, and it is far too soon to be able to predict whether the new normal is going to be much different to the old version in respect of the property market and the availability of mortgages to fund that market.

## ESTATE AGENTS BACK AT WORK

Estate agents are now able to start showing sale properties again and the feedback that we are receiving is that the market has become extremely active, and that asking prices are holding, despite earlier predictions by the Jersey Fiscal Policy Panel that we could see a reduction in value of at least 10%, although demand over supply in Jersey usually keeps the market buoyant.

This has certainly been reflected too by the increase to the amount of new business enquires we have received since mid-May, from buyers who have had offers accepted and are keen to move forward.

The full impact of the lockdown may not be felt for some months, which means that the current trend could

change if too many homeowners were to find themselves in the unfortunate position of losing their jobs and having to sell, so creating a short term glut due to oversupply.

## CHANGES IN LENDING CRITERIA

With five main mortgage providers in Jersey, it has up to now been possible to achieve multiples on joint income of between 4.75 times and 7 times. In the current climate, mortgage providers are naturally going to be reluctant to offer any terms that might be regarded as risky, with the result that the higher income multiples have now been reduced. One lender has decided to reduce the maximum that it will offer to 80% Loan to Value, whilst other lenders have removed their 100% and 95% mortgages.

## A PERIOD OF CHANGE

During the months ahead, we are going to witness many changes, in particular the way that lenders will transact their business. A sixth major lender is planning to open for business later this year which is great news for everybody. Whilst we are extremely well served at the moment by our current lenders, we remain vulnerable in the event of one of the existing banks deciding to pull out of the market, or to change its rates or lending criteria.

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Fortunately, we are still currently able to advise upon a 95% product, and it is also possible that as the market picks up pace, so the other lost products might be reinstated.

During the past three months, interest rates have continued to fall as a result of the reduction to the Bank of England Base Rate to 0.10%, which is the lowest ever recorded in the Bank's 326-year history.

The interest rates that we are currently seeing, make purchasing property in Jersey extremely affordable, although the flip side of the coin is that the island is one of the more expensive places in the world.

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<b>85%</b> 2 year Fixed	<b>1.45%</b>
<b>85%</b> 5 year Fixed	<b>1.78%</b>
<b>90%</b> Tracker	<b>1.59%</b>
<b>90%</b> 2 year Fixed	<b>1.70%</b>
<b>90%</b> 5 year Fixed	<b>2.10%</b>
<b>95%</b> 2 year Fixed	<b>3.09%</b>
<b>95%</b> 5 year Fixed	<b>3.49%</b>
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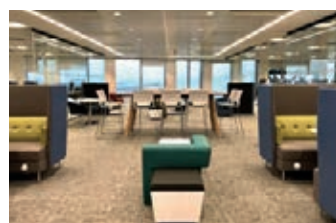
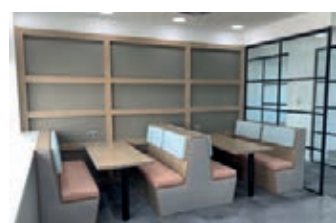
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# Re-imagining the Workplace

WORDS Emily Musker, Head of Waddington Interiors



As a post-covid world starts to become a little clearer, businesses are turning their attention to understand what they can learn from this period of home working, and consider how this might affect the requirement of their premises, as well as their employee well-being.

Whether you've converted your spare room into a home office, or been camped out on a dining table, this period of home working has proved that it is, in fact, possible to continue 'business as usual' from home. With technology supporting remote logins and virtual meetings, productivity and customer service levels on the whole are being reported as the same as when employees were office based. Many employees have enjoyed the freedom that working from home has brought – it offers comfort, aligns well with flexi working hours and saves time travelling to and from the office.

So on that basis – why even have an office? It is, after all, a large overhead for businesses?

Working from home has left some employees struggling with their mental health and missing the routine and social interaction that working alongside our colleagues brings. Not everyone's homes or personal circumstances suit home working, and arguably it doesn't lend itself to providing the separation we need to achieve a healthy home and work life balance. Equally, how does working remotely support the collaboration process that businesses have been striving to encourage?

Perhaps the answer is in a new style of workplace which provides a balance for employees based on their individual

circumstances as well as their job role – allowing them to benefit from the peace of home working as well as the buzz of a workplace.

**“Even if physical distancing measures are lifted, it seems prudent for workplaces to be designed with adaptability in mind to suit any future re-implementation.”**

Re-imagined as a 'hub', the workplace could become somewhere some employees work from on a permanent basis, or where others attend on a rota or 'drop in' basis. Hot-desking or more informal touch-down spaces could become the new normal, with furniture designed to support collaboration for teams coming together.

With video conferencing proving successful by reducing time taken to travel to meetings both on island and off, and encouraging quicker decision making with a more direct style of conversation, it seems this will at least partly continue - likely resulting in businesses needing less meeting spaces.

Therefore, could a serviced office model concept work? Already popular for start-ups and small businesses with shared facilities such as receptions, meeting rooms and

kitchens, could this support larger operations too?

We must also consider whether our world will ever return to a pre-covid 'normal' or will increased

hygiene measures and physical distancing regulations be in our long-term future. Even if physical distancing measures are lifted, it seems prudent for workplaces to be designed with adaptability in mind to suit any future re-implementation. Similarly, it seems likely that contactless buildings will become the standard, with proximity sensors for doors, lighting and lifts, as well as sensor taps and flushes in bathrooms.

Whatever the future holds, we must take the opportunity to learn from the events of the last few months. Good building design responds to the needs of its users so as these needs evolve, so must the spaces we occupy.





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# *Seaside*

## SANCTUARY

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**WORDS** Russ Atkinson

Jersey can be full of surprises when it comes to discovering those properties that you've undoubtedly passed by umpteen times yet never realised even existed - the truly hidden treasures - and Meadow Bank, that makes the corner at the turn-in for Rozel Bay most definitely falls into this category.

The first time you lay eyes on the aerial image overleaf you'll be almost guaranteed to experience one of those 'aha' moments as soon as your brain registers exactly where it is. If you're anything like me, you'll soon after be scratching your head (figuratively speaking, that is) as to how you've probably never noticed it before. This can only be a positive thing though, because it means that the new owner will be able to enjoy the convenience of living within close proximity to such a beautiful little bay combined with a level of privacy you'd expect from a property in this price bracket.

Dating back over a century, what was once a granite barn has been beautifully crafted into what you see here and cherished by the same family for the past 25 years. Combining a farmhouse aesthetic with that of a beach house, their vision for this family

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home has been executed both tastefully and harmoniously to create a comfortable yet spacious living space.

Bright walls meet subtly colour-accented wood panelling, played off against distressed, light wooden flooring in the living room and on the stairs to bring in that beach vibe - in contrast to the flagged floor in the bathroom and kitchen that also leads out into the airy yet cosy-looking sun room extending into the garden. It’s cosy family living with plenty of space for the kids to run riot both indoors and out. And maybe, just maybe, even for you to get a little peace and quiet from them, be that in the sun room during the summer months or holed up in the living room in front of a roaring open fire in winter.

Alongside modern Miele appliances, the kitchen is equipped with an oil-fired AGA that also features an electric AGA unit for convenience and to save you from sweltering during summer, plus there’s a natty drying rack above it, which is a pleasant period touch. Other period features include the rendered interior walls that follow the texture of the granite beneath them and wood-panelled built-in wardrobes painted in light colours to retain the farmhouse look without being overbearing. Iron radiators have received the same painted treatment to retain a classic aesthetic that doesn’t dominate the rooms, all plumbed into oil



fired central heating. The beams running across the ceiling are still distinguishable, albeit boxed in, but again this is a touch that helps retain some original features without adding a touch of claustrophobia.

The walled garden is vast, featuring an array of mature trees and shrubs around a lawned area that retains privacy - and most likely an element of peace and quiet - from the busy little port of Rozel. It’s an ideally placed sanctuary for those who like to call the shots when it comes to getting away from it all or making the most of the seaside and the charming little eateries that the area has to offer. In the centre of the garden lies a decked area, one end with unhindered exposure to the sun and the other partially shaded by a mature palm tree - the perfect summertime paradise.

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Elsewhere, a generous driveway provides ample parking, shed storage and even space for a boat, should you wish - it'd be rude not to, after all, and with the slipway onto Rozel beach a mere stone's throw away why wait a lifetime for a mooring when you can afford yourself the convenience of launching from a trailer when everyone else's boat is still beached, awaiting the next high tide.

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# Welcome

## The long arm of the law and Covid-19

WORDS Paul Wilson, Partner at Viberts.

*The past few months have been a treat for those who like to see Jersey's systems of politics and law in action, desperately trying to find their way forward in the battle to protect islanders during the Pandemic.*

While the choice between containment and elimination was fought out in the political arena, away from the spotlight Jersey's legal system has delivered (at last count) no less than eleven items of Covid 19 related legislation. In addition, numerous changes to existing laws were required, as well as a raft of new rules and policies.

And how radical some of this was! Just as we were remembering the lead up to the German Occupation 80 years ago and its impact on our basic freedoms, new measures were cutting those freedoms right back. Ranged behind the injunction to "Stay Home" were meticulously drafted restrictions on our rights to travel away from Jersey, to work, to attend school, to assemble and even on our right to freely move around our island.

Of course the crucial distinction is that these rules were democratically voted for and aimed to ensure our safety, rather than to whip Jersey into line with a military occupation.

The key tools used were Laws, which are passed by the States Assembly and then approved by the sovereign through the Privy Council in London, Regulations, passed by the States Assembly but effective without needing overseas endorsement, and Orders, promulgated on the authority of Ministers of the Government of Jersey. The States Assembly passed a Covid 19 Enabling (Jersey) Law giving itself and the Ministers authority to pass detailed legislation, and that's exactly what they did, in abundance. A good example would be the Construction Work Regulations defining and stopping building work unless very minor or the subject of a Government permit. A Minister's Order has been used to make clear how long these Regulations remain in effect, and they have been extended more than once. The team at the Office of the Law Draftsman in Mourier House has been very busy indeed.

So what of the future? First this complex structure of rules and restrictions will be folded away (but ready to spring back into place if there is a second wave). Then we will return to working with other, more familiar Jersey laws which regulate normal life here, including issues brought into focus by the pandemic: employment rights, insolvency, sound business management and the binding nature of agreements documented remotely.

Jersey's legal autonomy was put to the test by the Pandemic. Thankfully, it was not found wanting.







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# Discrimination (Jersey) Law 2013 - Time for Review?

**WORDS** Claire Kingham, English Solicitor at Benest & Syvret.

*The recent #Black Lives Matter peaceful protest in People's Park, which attracted over 1,000 islanders, calls for an in depth and honest conversation about racism in the core institutions of our island.*

This is also an appropriate time to reflect upon the adequacy of Jersey's discrimination legislation, first enacted in 2014. This legislation is largely based on the UK Equality Act, but with some significant differences.

A claimant under the UK Equality Act must raise a prima facie case of discrimination. The burden then shifts to the respondent to prove, on the balance of probabilities, that the alleged discriminatory act did not occur. This is referred to as the reverse burden of proof. Unlike the UK, claimants under the Jersey discrimination legislation bear the burden of proving, on the balance of probabilities, that the act of discrimination occurred. This places Jersey claimants at a disadvantage when compared to their UK counterparts. As a result, the amount of work involved for the Jersey claimant in the preparation of their claim is likely to exceed that which is required in the UK, as are the claimant's costs, where legal advice is sought.

There is currently an overall cap of £10,000 on the compensation available to a Jersey claimant, in respect of each successful discrimination claim. The maximum compensation available is therefore £40,000, where the claimant is successful in claims for direct discrimination, indirect discrimination, harassment and victimisation. In reality, not all of those claims will be relevant in the vast majority of cases before the tribunal.

Of that £10,000, up to £5,000 may be awarded by the Jersey tribunal for 'hurt and distress'. In the UK the maximum compensation currently awarded for 'injury to feelings' is £45,000 and this sum is increased annually to take account of inflation. This is significantly more than the Jersey cap of £5,000, which has not been increased since its implementation in 2014.

Bearing in mind the Jersey overall cap on compensation of £10,000, the tribunal may only award up to £10,000 in respect of financial loss. Where, for example, an award of £2,000 is made in respect of 'hurt and distress' only £8,000 will be available from which to make an award for financial loss. The situation is significantly different in the UK, where compensation for financial loss incurred as a result of a discriminatory act is uncapped. The aim of the UK Equality Act is to award a sum of money to a successful claimant that will put them in the position in which they would have been, had the discriminatory act not taken place. Furthermore, unlikely Jersey, a claimant in the UK may be compensated in respect of future loss.

The consequences for a victim of discrimination could be catastrophic, in terms of psychological damage and financial loss. In such cases an overall cap of £10,000 on compensation would appear to be wholly inadequate. In certain circumstances, where a duty of care is established, it may be open to a claimant to bring a personal injury claim against the respondent and thereby increase the level of compensation available. This would however involve issuing a second set of proceedings, in the Royal Court, which would be time consuming and costly for the claimant.

The arguments in favour of increasing compensatory awards in Jersey discrimination claims are compelling. When the Jersey discrimination law was enacted in 2014, the Minister for Social Security was of the view that the £10,000 cap on compensation in discrimination claims was a 'starting point', which may be subject to review in the future. Some six years later, such a review is now well overdue, if the Jersey regime is not to be accused of tokenism.





# Getting to know you, the weird and the wonderful

WORDS Anna Styles, Associate at Corbett Le Quesne.

*"Strange as it may appear, my client was sure he wanted a divorce but was struggling to find technical grounds to divorce his wife. He couldn't think of anything his wife had done that would amount to 'unreasonable behaviour'.*

His best example was that she put teabags in the sink, which, in his view clearly no reasonable woman would do. Determined however, he still told his wife that he wanted a divorce. By stabbing him in the hand in response, she gave him the grounds he needed for the petition." Both husband and wife in this case would have benefited from bringing in no fault divorce in Jersey.

We never know what each day will bring in this job. We might have a call to say that a family client has been arrested, or a couple who were at each other's throats have reconciled. We may be helping someone adopt a child in the morning and be dealing with an 'implacable hostility' case in the afternoon.

*"One client had realised he was still in love with his first wife. Unfortunately he needed to divorce his second wife to remarry his first."*

One day a client may think they have agreed everything with their spouse and the next they find their partner has been hiding assets, or hiding an affair. What a client thought one day had been a lovely gift from generous parents when they bought their first house, now looks like a loan that has to be re-paid from the sale of the family home. What was certain may have become uncertain. Marital history may have been re-written.

Every time we meet a new client we are starting a new journey of discovery together. Every person is as individual as their story.

We are involved with our clients' lives in a unique way. They often share stories with us that they have not shared with anyone else. Sometimes, just talking things through with an independent party can help people see things differently. Sometimes it becomes very clear that it is time in everyone's interests to leave the marriage. As a result we often develop very strong relationships with our clients. We are working with clients as their lives change forever and it is a privilege to be trusted with this huge responsibility. This is also one of the reasons we advocate no fault divorce in Jersey. We want to minimise the distress caused by divorce and starting by having to place blame is not constructive.

We are at our best as lawyers when we can remain impartial and give advice which takes into account of all the circumstances of the case. But it is also important to care about our clients and care about what we do. Which we do. Whatever the situation, a child case or the tenth draft of a pre-nuptial agreement, we are invested in the outcome and we are proud to be trusted to get the best result. While we are experts in our field, we are also people who have chosen family law because we want to help people get through these difficult times in the best way possible.

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# *A good time for big decisions?*

## Divorce after Covid-19

WORDS Claire Davies, Principal of Claire Davies, Advocate

*A lifetime ago, in February, the world was different.  
We booked holidays, sent our children to school, went to  
work, and shopped for things we didn't really need.  
These were small decisions that now seem significant.  
What about the big stuff?*

Most of us have had time (sometimes too much time) to think about the things that are important to us. Some relationships have become stronger, some are coming to an end. Some have been over for a long time, and it has become important to draw a line under them and move on. Everyone is worried when their relationship ends. For couples who decide to split up now, economic uncertainty may make the future an even more frightening place. What can I say to help?

Perhaps consider counselling. The end of a relationship is always sad, it is a tragedy if that relationship could have been saved. We have all been through a difficult time. There are services who can help couples to communicate again.

Even if the end of the road has been reached, that does not mean that open warfare must descend. These days, more clients are telling me that achieving an amicable resolution to their case is a priority. Most separating couples tend not to focus on divorce itself to start with – they want to sort out arrangements for their children, and their finances. How do you sort out your finances when some say we might be on the brink of financial catastrophe? We should be cautious and realistic when making financial decisions that will shape our future lives, but even in difficult times it should be possible to agree sensible arrangements if we have the right figures and the right advice. If long term decisions are difficult, we can resolve short term finances to ensure that both parties, and their children, are ok.

What if you are divorced and your settlement now seems unfair? When the Court has made a final order dealing with capital assets, it is very difficult to try to overturn that order. It is sometimes possible to review future obligations that have been impacted by a change in the financial position. That may include spousal or child maintenance or, in some cases, the timing of a lump sum payment or transaction. If you are affected, try to agree something sensible. If you can't, take good legal advice quickly – delay is not helpful.

Think positive. The crystal ball shop is still closed for business, but Jersey has a resilient and resourceful population. We need to find our confidence and move on.

*“Most separating couples tend not to focus on divorce itself to start with – they want to sort out arrangements for their children, and their finances.”*



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# “Court out?”

## How remote hearings have changed the face of family law in Jersey.

**WORDS** Chris Hillier, partner and Advocate at Ingram Advocates, where he leads the Family Law team & Allana Binnie, Advocate in the Family Law team at Ingram Advocates.

*The COVID-19 enforced lockdown and the associated remote working that have become the norm in the last three months can bring about feelings similar to those when divorce is on the cards.*

Along with feeling a sense of isolation, we re-arrange our living and working patterns, we question the unknown and ask ourselves if there is an end in sight.

As those who have experienced a divorce or other family breakdown may tell you, the end of a marriage may mean attending court if:

The parties are unable to agree on how to divide the assets of the marriage (the matrimonial “pot”);

They are unable to agree about who the children should live with (residence), or how often each parent should see the children (“contact”);

They cannot agree how much maintenance money (if any) should be paid to support the children of the relationship or indeed one of the spouses.

In most divorce cases, family lawyers will ensure that the parties negotiate a settlement based on knowing each other’s assets and liabilities in the form of sworn financial disclosure. Above all, there is the need to keep the best interests of the children in mind when considering living and financial arrangements.

However, if you can’t agree a settlement via discussions and correspondence, and the Court isn’t open due to concerns about a certain global pandemic, then what do you do? The size of the smaller court rooms often used for family law cases makes it impossible to keep a safe two metre distance between all those present.

The Courts, often thought of as old-fashioned, have in fact been “sitting” and making orders throughout lockdown. Jersey family lawyers have become used to speaking to their clients via video conferencing, and the Court has been conducting online hearings with

the parties and their lawyers all in separate locations. “E-bundles” are used to save documents being copied and delivered. Some clients have told us of their relief at this new form of hearing – of not having to be in the same room as someone they now consider “the other side”. They are also pleased that they do not have to physically “go to Court” and are glad that their case can be heard remotely.

*“The Courts, often thought of as old-fashioned, have in fact been “sitting” and making orders throughout lockdown.”*

Certain matters lend themselves well to online court hearings, which can be arranged swiftly. However, such hearings still require the same level of focus that one would expect in any courtroom, and with the added difficulty of being unable to “read the room”.

Could one positive post-Covid outcome be greater flexibility in the type of hearing offered in family matters? This would empower the parties and free up court rooms for other cases. With the potential for some financial settlements to be reviewed because of the implications of the pandemic on incomes and livelihoods, this would be one reassuring way to navigate the post Covid – and post-divorce – landscape.





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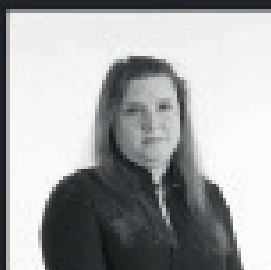
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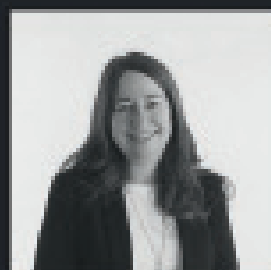
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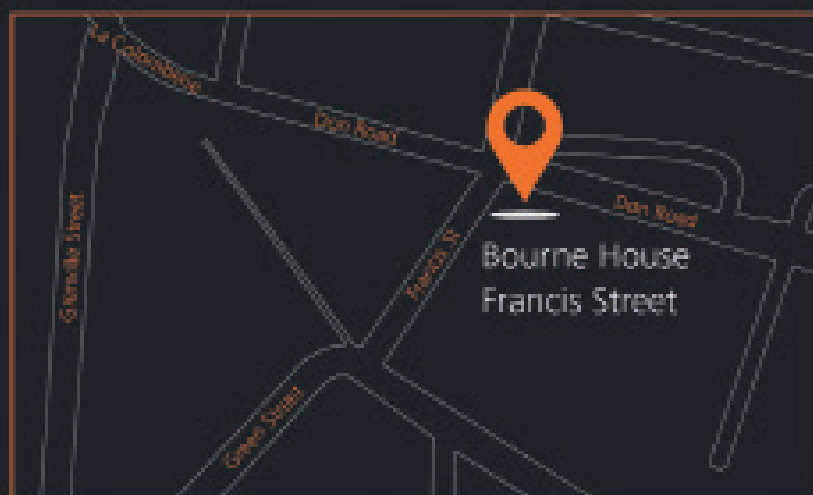
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# Duty calls!

*At Ogier, we believe that people produce their best work when they are able to bring their whole self to work. That means that they feel free to express themselves honestly and to strike a work life balance that allows them to pursue their passions. British Army reservist combat engineer, Jersey Field Squadron member – and Ogier Global real estate administration manager – James Philpott explains how his army life and office job sit side by side.*

The thing I like most is the contrast between my day job and what I do as a reservist. I get to put away the calculator and have the opportunity to travel overseas to do something entirely different as a combat engineer.

In September, that 'something different' will be deployment to Iraq with the Royal Monmouthshire Royal Engineers. We will spend three months of pre-deployment training before deploying to Iraq in December, where we will be providing ground support and training to local forces.

The regiment is the most senior reserve regiment in the British Army so, naturally, there's a great deal of excitement that we have been called up for this tasking. My job out there will entail the provision of combat engineer support, but as a reservist I will also be taking the armoury of civilian professional skills that I have gained over the years working at Ogier.

*“Working as a reservist is a lifestyle balance challenge and is something that I would be unable to do without the support I receive from Ogier.”*

Obviously, leaving my job for 12 months required me to have an upfront conversation with Ogier, but the firm has been very supportive of my role as a reservist. I was transparent about my commitment to being a reservist when I was interviewed for my role at Ogier Global, because it absolutely does require a level of understanding from your employer. I have the flexibility to request chunks of unpaid leave that allow me to carry

out both roles, and Ogier have always been fully on-board with that.

Ogier recognises both my passion for the role and the value of this work for the wider community and I work with HR to ensure disruptions to the team are minimal. There is a genuine belief at Ogier in the benefits of flexible working practice for individuals and for the company, which is great for me.

As the response to COVID-19 gathered momentum, I requested leave at fairly short notice to assist with tasks issued to the Jersey Field Squadron. We helped with a number of emergency tasks, including the storing and delivery of PPE and assisting with the set-up of the Nightingale Hospital. Again, the firm were very supportive of this and provided the time I needed.

Working as a reservist is a lifestyle balance challenge and is something that I would be unable to do without the support I receive from Ogier. Being a reservist has given me the opportunity to gain professional development training and qualifications, travel overseas, partake in sports and adventure training, make long-lasting friendships and, importantly for me, add very different strings to my leadership and management bow.

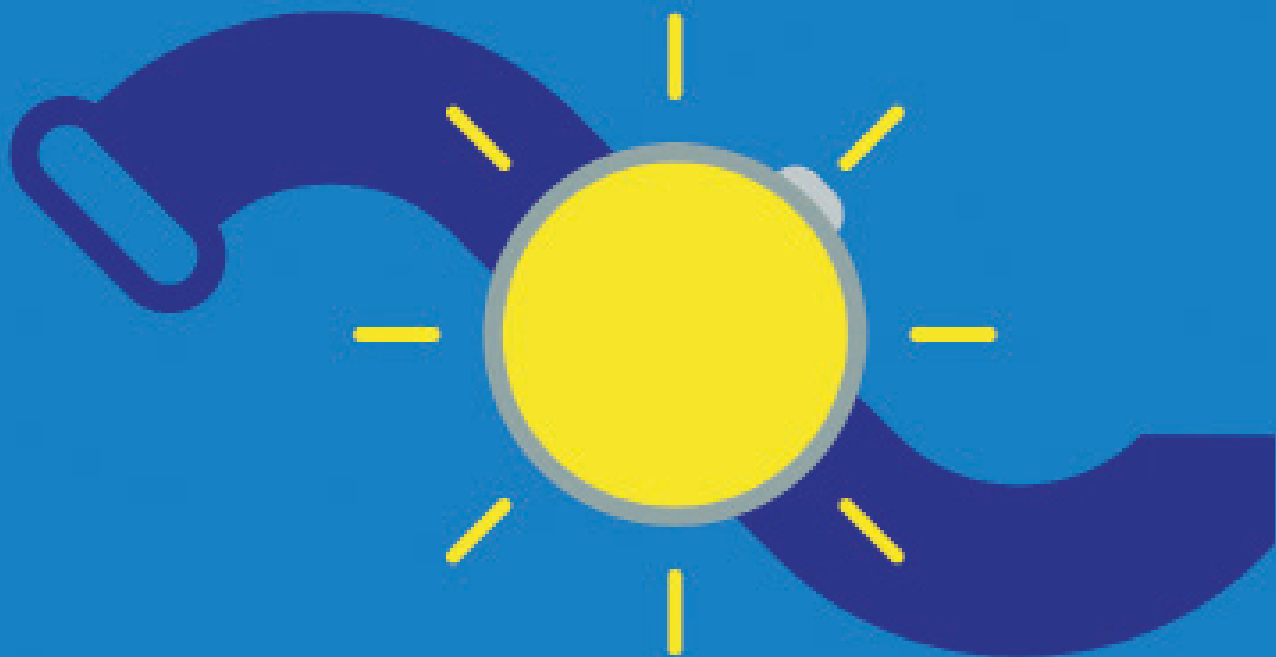


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# Jersey LLCs

## Make Jersey Great Again for US Investors

WORDS Oliver Hughes, English Solicitor at Viberts

*Limited Liability Companies (LLCs) are as closely associated with the USA as mom's apple pie; some 70% of all legal vehicles set up there are LLCs. And Jersey has decided to introduce its own version which begs the questions: what are they and why now?*

In September 2018, the States passed the Limited Liability Companies (Jersey) Law 2018. However, LLCs are still not in operation in Jersey. The Limited Liability Companies (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 202- was recently debated and the amendments when passed will address a number of clarifications in order that the LLC can be introduced to the market.

So why is it we need a Jersey LLC, I hear you ask from a safe social distance. Jersey already offers a galaxy of options to businesses looking to set up here: limited companies, limited liability partnerships, unit trusts, trusts, partnerships, limited partnerships, incorporated cell companies, protected cell companies, foundations, companies limited by guarantee and so on and so forth. Well, the simplest explanation is probably the right one: the introduction of the LLC is trying to make Jersey an attractive option for US funds and the wealthy client base there. Americans are familiar with LLCs and so being able to offer a Jersey LLC will make them more comfortable setting up here.

the same strict anti-money laundering, "know your client" and tax information sharing regimes that we are all now familiar with. LLCs' owners will be disclosed to the JFSC and LLCs will need to comply with initiatives to stop tax avoidance strategies that exploit gaps and mismatches in tax rules.

Will the LLC replace the limited? If the impact of limited liability partnerships and foundations on the Jersey fund and private client market is our guide to go by, the answer is no. LLCs' adoption may be limited to US fund clients. However, Jersey Finance and Government should be praised for keeping Jersey marketable and innovative with this new product.

*"So why is it we need a Jersey LLC, I hear you ask from a safe social distance..."*

LLCs combine the limited liability protection of a company with the flexibility and privacy of a partnership. The LLC will be organised, broadly speaking, in a manner similar to a good old Jersey limited company. However, in a move that those who remember the 'Announcers' from Soccer AM's 'Boston Goals' will appreciate, there has been Americanisation of terminology: Directors become Managers and the Articles of Association become the LLC agreement.

While familiarity is one string to Jersey Plc's marketing bow in selling this new product in the USA, confidentiality is the other. The LLC agreement (think the company's rule book) and its register of members do not need to be filed with the JFSC. However, Jersey is not introducing a vehicle that would be more at home in a secrecy pro jurisdiction such as Delaware. The Jersey LLC will be subject to





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## IOD JERSEY UPDATES



Dan Rowles can digitally transform you.

### Technology Training for Directors

**IoD Jersey, in partnership with Daniel Rowles, held the first in a series of Digital Transformation Fastrack webinars last month.**

It was a highly interactive and practical half-day session aimed at senior leaders. The training was led by award winning author and speaker, Daniel Rowles, who guided participants through the latest Digital Transformation research and best practice.

The training drew on Daniel's hands-on work on numerous digital transformation projects and his role as Programme Director for Digital Transformation at Imperial College London. He guided the delegates through a series of world-class frameworks, tools and techniques. They explored a range of factors that have led us to the fast-changing environment we find ourselves in. They covered the increasing pace of change, the technology catalyst, new channels, tools and business models, why organisations really fail at digital and included industry insights from Google, IBM, Aegon Insurance and many others.

The session prepared attendees for a future in which the pace of change will increase, and in which organisations will not survive unless they are prepared for constant change. Attendees left with tools and techniques to take away and implement in their organisations.

*To follow on from this initial session, Daniel is presenting two further workshops in September on the Digital Transformation Framework. Go to [www.iod.je](http://www.iod.je) for more details.*



Joanna Rodrigues.

## EVENTS

### Wellbeing

**Following the success of the IoD wellbeing webinar series with leading Executive Coach, Tracy Forsyth in June, IoD Jersey then teamed up with Lean In Jersey, to host a series of webinars with Joanne Reid Rodrigues throughout July.**

Joanne is a qualified practitioner in nutrition and cognitive behavioural therapy and she guided attendees in the principles of good health, CBT for stress-management and teaching how to develop authentic confidence for the new world. The series attracted delegates from as close to home as Guernsey and the UK and as far afield as America and Japan!

Joanne chose for her fee for the webinars to be donated to The Jersey Shelter Trust to support her local community during these difficult times. Marbral Advisory and We Talk Wellbeing, who have recently launched their partnership to offer wellbeing consultancy in Jersey, sponsored the webinars, with all monies going to The Jersey Shelter Trust. She said:

*'Peace of mind, and health and vitality increase our quality of life and productivity each day. In my webinars with IoD and Lean In Jersey, I shared simple principles to help people look after their physical health, reduce stress, and develop self-trust and authentic confidence. Even in these challenging times, I think we can flourish.'*



# Passionate about Diversity & Inclusion?

More than 60 organisations in Jersey have signed the IoD Vision Statement to signal their support for a Diversity and Inclusion Charter.

The D&I sub-committee have been working to fine tune the Charter and supporting tools, which they hope to provide to members in due course. They are now holding a series of short consultation workshops to finalise the details and better understand the support employers may need to enable them to achieve its aims.

*If you want to find out more please contact IoD Jersey Branch Officer Zoë Wauton: [officer.jersey@iod.net](mailto:officer.jersey@iod.net)*



## Helping Future Leaders Now

**IoD Jersey isn't just for established directors, part of their remit is to nurture the future generation of business leaders.**

The IoD Jersey Future Leaders Scheme is a work experience scheme sponsored by KPMG Channel Islands, which allows Year 12 students to spend one week shadowing a Director or Senior Manager working across a number of sectors in the Island. As a UK recognised scheme that can be used towards UCAS applications, gaining a place on the IoD Jersey Future Leaders Scheme is prestigious and therefore places are sought after.

*Please contact Chair of the Student sub-committee, Debbie Reeve, about the opportunities offered to students and young people: [Debbie.Reeve@aztecgroup.co.uk](mailto:Debbie.Reeve@aztecgroup.co.uk)*



*Debbie Reeve:  
Chair of the IOD  
Student sub-  
committee.*



## Exit Jersey, head North.

With their wings clipped during lockdown, two former Visit Jersey marketers launched a travel marketing consultancy - to help travel and tourism brands 'find their purpose'. Although co-founders Adam Caerlewy-Smith and Ben Jordan were only at opposite ends of the island, they didn't actually meet in person in months, instead embracing the new remote working reality to stay in daily contact and form the strategy to launch their travel startup **North** from a safe social distance.

Neither are strangers to solving the travel industry's problems. Co-founder Adam is the former Head of Marketing at Visit Jersey and was instrumental in reversing 20 years of decline of the tourism sector into four years of consecutive growth. He led the charge in developing the destination brand and tourism strategy for the island. Ben earned his tourism wings delivering a major rebrand for an international hotel group before working with creative agencies in the UK and Australia. Shortly before leaving his role in June 2018 to work with tourism boards in Australia, USA and Asia, Adam appointed Ben as Campaign Lead to manage the creative advertising campaigns that drive visitors to the island.

Launching a travel startup in the current climate is not without its challenges. The industry has been devastated by the current crisis with several thousand jobs in hospitality and tourism at serious risk across the Channel Islands. Rather than be deterred by the impact to the travel economy, the two entrepreneurs recognised the opportunity to guide travel companies through the current crisis and help them restore consumer confidence when the world is a safe place to travel again. During the months under lockdown, the pair launched a successful podcast series, *Travel Interrupted*, to connect with the travel community and share marketing insights. The podcast features a number of industry experts including award-winning travel photographer Matt Porteous. It enthused Adam;

*'We interviewed a number of guest speakers from across the industry, from data scientists to sustainable storytellers, and we found a broad consensus that the Coronavirus pandemic is an opportunity to reimagine the future of travel and rebuild its principles'*

As the world begins to emerge out of lockdown and travel restrictions begin to relax, the pair believe creativity will be the deciding factor for success. Both are passionate about supporting the local tourism industry which benefits the whole community and fuels the livelihoods of thousands of islanders. In 2019, it directly contributed £280m to the Jersey economy and supported 6,400 jobs. Here's hoping it'll be back there in 2021!



### C5 Alliance strengthens Bizdev.

*C5 has made two senior appointments. Andy Jarrett has been appointed as Head of Business Development, while Cindy Jacobs takes on the role of Client Director.*

Andy has previously worked as Chief Operating Officer at Foreshore, was a Director at Digital Jersey, Chief Operating Officer at Philantech and was CEO of Twelve40. As Head of Business Development at C5 Alliance, he will help solve the challenges clients face and create new opportunities.

He's experienced in problem solving and will use his skills to help clients make best use of the latest technology. Cindy has almost 20 years' experience in the IT industry and is CMI qualified. She has previously worked for a private bank as Service Delivery Manager before joining ITEX in 2011 as a Transition Manager. She then became Head of IT Services and was later promoted to Director as part of the C5 Alliance acquisition. As Client Director for C5 Alliance she will be responsible for strengthening engagements with key clients and ensuring they receive exceptional service.



### Stephanie is now Head for Jersey

*Stephanie Hopkins has been promoted to the role of Country Head for Jersey at SANNE.*

In her new role, Stephanie will lead SANNE's Jersey business and continue to grow and develop the jurisdictional offering to augment SANNE's global proposition of tailored administration services across its multi-jurisdictional platform and products. Since joining SANNE in 2012, Stephanie has gained exceptional experience across a range of products, jurisdictions and roles. These include funds, capital markets, product development, operations and business strategy. Her most recent role as Head of Private Debt & Capital Markets, saw Stephanie lead the team in delivering a world-class service to a range of clients, including some of the world's leading asset managers, banks and corporates.



### Kathryn Purves: Non-Exec at Aztec

*With a career spanning banking, private equity, life insurance and wealth management, Kathryn's experience includes investment, legal, operations, commercial and risk management roles, Kathryn Purves now joins Aztec Group as a non-executive Director.*

She spent 12 years in global banking and investment management in the UK, South Africa and Australia, before joining Partnership Life Assurance Company Ltd where she spent her latter three years as Chief Risk Officer. Until recently, Kathryn served as CEO of IFG Group, managing the successful sale of the business to a private equity fund manager. Kathryn now maintains a portfolio of non-executive roles, including Non-Executive Director and Risk Committee Chair for FTSE 100-listed Intermediate Capital Group plc, and Non-Executive Director of James Hay Partnership. As well as sitting on the Aztec Group board, Kathryn will take active roles on the Group's risk and audit committees.

## Movers & Shakers



### Brendan board.

*Brendan T McMabon, former CEO of PwC Channel Islands has joined the board of Le Masurier as Non-Executive Director and Chair of the Group's Audit and Risk Committee.*

Brendan's professional experience covers an international finance career achieving global sector and national leadership roles spanning over 32 years, with 22 as a Partner with PwC and its predecessor firms Deloitte Haskins & Sells and Coopers & Lybrand. Brendan was a member of the PwC UK assurance leadership team and the PwC Global Asset & Wealth Management Leadership Team, acting as Global Private Equity Leader and European Private Equity leader for the asset management sector.



### Pinel Advocates appoints Senior Consultant

*Pinel Advocates has announced the recent appointment of senior real estate finance lawyer, Michael Speranza, as a Consultant.*

Michael has more than twenty years' experience in real estate finance and corporate legal work. Michael was previously with major international law firms in London, including Katten and Reed Smith. Pinel Advocates is celebrating its 10th anniversary in 2020, having been established by Andrew Pinel and Agnieszka Blaszczyk in 2010.



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### Tony wants to clarify things.

*Tony Del Amo, Senior Partner at law firm Le Gallais & Luce, has been voted in as the new President of the Chambre des Ecrivains*

As President, Tony is entitled to take part in the discussions of the Law Society of Jersey Committee, as an ex officio member. The Committee meets regularly to consider all matters which affect the future of the legal profession. Tony wants to use his time as President to promote the understanding of the role of a Jersey Solicitor within the wider community.



### New Sales Manager at Motor Mall

*Simon Williams has been appointed Sales Manager at Motor Mall.*

Originally from the West Midlands Simon moved to Jersey with his wife and young daughter three years ago. With over twenty years' experience in the motor trade Simon has previously held management positions at a range of prestige dealerships representing brands such as Audi and Mercedes Benz. Simon will oversee the six strong sales team which represents ten motor manufacturers including Skoda. Along with spending his free time with his family, Simon also joined the Honorary Police.



### All still full power at the JFSC

*The JFSC hasn't suffered during lockdown, making two key senior appointments.*

John Gavey has been appointed as Chief Operating Officer, responsible for the regulator's operations. Joining the Executive Board, John will play a pivotal role in the delivery of the JFSC's strategic projects.

Kathryn Campbell joins the JFSC as Head of Registry Development. Kathryn will be instrumental in supporting the JFSC Registrar to drive forward the Registry's ambitious programme of work for the year ahead. She will help to deliver key services and enhance interactions between registry customers and the JFSC.



### SANNE appoints new CSD

*SANNE has appointed Shervin Binesh to the role of Director, Corporate Services in its Jersey business.*

Shervin will be responsible for the strategic oversight as SANNE continues to deliver exceptional service to its fast growing and multi-faceted portfolio of corporate and institutional clients, in addition to managing and strengthening key intermediary relationships. He joins SANNE from Intertrust, where he held the role of Client Director in the Performance and Reward Management division. Prior to this, Shervin worked in corporate, shareholder services and employee incentive schemes from positions held at Link Asset Services and Western Union Business Solutions.



### Malcolm: from MOD to Nexus

*Nexus Technology has appointed Malcolm Scott as a Director and Senior Consultant to help develop the business.*

Malcolm has over 25 years' experience in Government and Technology, working in roles that have seen him lead and execute major enterprise application and integration projects. A specialist in Knowledge Management, Collaboration and Workflow across Microsoft SharePoint and Office 365, Malcolm understands the challenges around collaboration and integration across platforms and helps clients get the most from their investment in technology. Before moving to Jersey, Malcolm worked with the Ministry of Defence, completing an Electronic Engineering apprenticeship and working on Strategic Weapon System projects.



### New Executive Director at Mind

*Mental health charity, Mind Jersey appointed Dr Patricia Tumelty, previously head of the Bridge Centre, as their Executive Director over lockdown.*

Patricia said: "I am delighted to be joining such a progressive charity at a time when Mind Jersey continues to reach out to islanders and offer practical and emotional support whenever it is needed, be that in the home, school or workplace. My experience working with children and families and having worked on the front line as a mental health nurse will, I hope, enable me to build upon the excellent work and reputation of the charity. My research on community engagement will also enable me to play a key role in supporting an islandwide pandemic recovery plan."

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# Where were you when ...?

WORDS HBFS, your independent financial adviser

*Where were you in March 2020? The month has become synonymous with the start of the coronavirus pandemic and a date, like many iconic ones of its kind, will stick in our collective psyche.*

If you have been in Jersey during lockdown then you are probably feeling grateful to live in such a beautiful Island that has fared comparatively better than our UK and European neighbours.

There's no doubt, the coronavirus pandemic has affected us all in one form or another. For some, these past months have been a time of anxiety not just for us, but for our elderly loved ones. Uncertainty remains in the air; we're not sure what the future will hold and if 2020 will continue to forge its infamous path.

We've kept in regular contact with our clients over the past few months, technology has been a great way to continue to work closely together. We've listened a lot; many clients have taken time to reflect on their lives both emotionally and financially. Finances have been a big concern; the markets have reacted to the pandemic; it's been hard to keep up with the volatility. Understandably, there has been concern about investments, some people have been prepared for 'Storm Covid' and others haven't.

Wherever you stand at present, today in 2020 is a good day to take stock and begin to look forward. One thing you may be wondering is what to do next to protect yourselves and your family in the years ahead. You may need a bit of a sounding board at the moment, we've had years of experience in financial services and the whole team are well positioned to talk to you about a wide range of products. We are happy to talk to you about Critical Illness, Income protection or Life Insurance.

The pandemic might have given you the kick you need to start saving. We have a plan that which starts at just £50 per month. It's never too late to start saving, today is a good day.

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Talk to us about your retirement plans, it's not scary we promise. Our advisors will look at your options, find the best plan for you and help steer you on the right course.

There are no definite answers when it comes to the virus, but you can take control by putting some good plans in place today. Life has a way of throwing things in our path, when those eventualities happen, we are here to help bring you and your family peace of mind in the future.

Ours is a personal service with the first consultation free of charge.

Remember 2020 for taking stock, planning ahead and bringing something good out of this year. We look forward to speaking with you. Stay well from all of us at HBFS.

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# PIECiNG THiNGs BAck TOgETHER

It's been the hardest time in a generation for many businesses. Forced to close as a result of a virus outbreak, businesses have seen their income decimated and are on the edge. But some have fought back, diversified and innovated to make hay, even when the sun has been firmly behind the clouds. We meet three such businesses and talk to them about how they adapted and managed to build over the lockdown.

## Liam and Selda took 'coffee to go' to the next level.

*When lockdown started, Cargo provided a sense of normality for those still attempting to maintain their routine of a morning coffee to start the day. Whilst a lot of other venues shut up shop, Liam and Selda fought through and with a new delivery and take-out model, managed to keep the coffee on and customers happy. Here's their story;*

“The first few weeks of watching the news were very difficult, we were horrified at how fast the world was completely changing. The pandemic changed the rhythm of our daily lives like nothing we've experienced before. Businesses like ours require a social atmosphere and guests coming in to Cargo. The ways of socialising were completely redefined by the regulations imposed by lockdown, directly affecting the core and the purpose of our coffee bar.

For two years we'd worked on creating and maintaining a space where people felt welcome, where people wanted to gather, drink a great cup of coffee, eat, celebrate, etc. Being told we could not open our doors to the public and share that culture and experience with our customers was soul-crushing at first.

As the leaders of a small business, our job is to create stability. When we hire people, we make them a promise, we bring them on and set a picture for what the vision is going to be and how we'll work together to bring that vision to life. When there is so much uncertainty, when the situation is evolving very fast around us, we still have a team of people relying on us, looking at us for that direction.

For the leaders of a business, it's really hard to communicate what the path ahead is, setting expectations when you yourself are still trying to keep up with the constant influx of new information and regulations and don't understand what the full challenge is. We eventually came to the point where we started to accept that things were out of our control and weren't going to go as planned, this realisation allowed us to lean into: what's next? We had to quickly pull together and assess the damage. We had to think of a plan to ensure we would make it to the other side, to make sure we could keep our team members employed, support our suppliers and farmers and keep serving our community.

*How did you change your business to adapt?*

It is simply not in our nature to curl up and wait for things to get better. At the initial closure of restaurants, we first

refocused our business model from a standard eat-in model to offer take out and pick-up only by enabling orders over the phone and via our social media platforms. A few days later, the launch of Fetch, an online platform built almost overnight to help small businesses like ours stay afloat, it allowed us to pivot by introducing island-wide deliveries. While home deliveries per se were nothing new, it was a big change for a small business like ours.

Even though Fetch was a godsend, making the shift to an online platform presented a whole new world of challenges. We went from offering breakfast and lunch Monday to Friday to delivering breakfast, lunch, and dinner island-wide, seven days a week. We didn't have the tools available, simple things such as insulated containers to keep the food warm, or the logistics in place such as vehicles or the manpower to facilitate deliveries. We also had to develop a new internal system to incorporate and process customer orders placed through Fetch, phone, email, and social media platforms.

Overnight we had no tables to seat, no water glasses to refill, but countless online orders to fulfill. We repurposed the roles and responsibilities of our team. Our chefs redesigned menus and turned into food prepping machines, barista and front of house responsibilities were reassigned to processing orders and packing out delivery orders. Owners and managers turned into contactless delivery drivers. We were still Cargo, the same logo, same team but became a brand new business, operating in a completely different way, all in a matter of days. As some of our customers joked, it only took a global pandemic for us to finally open on the weekend. We now also operate as a bakeshop on Saturdays, serving coffee and artisanal doughnuts.

*How will those changes affect your business in future?*

A wider take out selection and island-wide deliveries were concepts we always had in the back of our minds. Without the pressure of the pandemic, bringing those ideas to life would have been part of a much more elongated expansion strategy. The imminent threat of closure forced us to make those decisions overnight. We will keep working with Fetch and when normality resumes, we hope to keep island-wide deliveries as a second arm to our business.

Being one of the few coffee bars open during the lockdown, the exposure through Fetch and the "doughnut initiative"



*“As some of our customers joked, it only took a global pandemic for us to finally open on the weekend. We now also operate as a bakeshop on Saturdays, serving coffee and artisanal doughnuts”.*

all brought new faces to the shop, widening our little community. In the long run, we are confident these changes, though born out of necessity, will have a positive impact on our small business as we have used this time to grow a different line of revenue and found ways to serve our customers differently.

*What have you learnt personally or professionally from the changes that Covid-19 brought?*

These times, as trying as they were, have given us the confidence to know when things change, we can too. When starting a new business, there is so much excitement. That feeling can get lost when you get caught up in the minutiae of the day to day business activities. After some time it's easy to forget why you started in the first place. This time forced us back into scramble mode and got us back in touch with the things we love doing most. We love starting something,





## Chris

kept your goods moving, even during lockdown.

*Chris Bee is a man concerned with things on the move, and when the world stopped for Covid-19, he was still very much moving, with 150,000 deliveries a week being undertaken by his HubEurope logistics service. Starting his business life during the recession of the 1990s clearly stood him in good stead for the present situation and he's using technology to continue to innovate and grow the business.*

“ In the 35 years that I have been in the airline handling and courier industry I have never experienced such a serious threat to business and especially the threat to the airline industry. We have two business that operate in Jersey. *OceanAir Handling*, dealing with all of air freight that comes in to and goes out of the Island; mail, courier, medical supplies, pets and even human remains. *HubEurope*, offering consolidated business to consumer delivery solutions to the ecommerce industry, basically making sure that the items you order on the internet get delivered.

From OceanAir's point of view, at Jersey airport we have seen some 50 flights a day dwindle to 1 or 2. In Southampton it was even more drastic with only the 3 times weekly lifeline flight operated by Blue Islands. With the majority of the Islands business's closed there was a sharp drop in all freight and courier traffic. The business

support scheme was vital to our survival and to maintain the Island's air freight links. It enabled us to offer some security, not only to our staff, but also in the provision of our services.

Thankfully, in contrast, HubEurope has experienced an upswing in business activity. As we all know, lockdown led to a boom in online shopping. Our on-island customers, such as Gardening Direct, benefitted from the closure of the UK garden centres and our European customers such as Heineken's 'Beerwulf' brand, who use HubEurope exclusively to delivery their craft beer and larger products to the UK, also saw large increases in business.

*How did you change your business to adapt?*

It was a tale of two businesses! OceanAir in Jersey had to reduce its operating hours to a minimum, in the UK we also took advantage of the Government furlough scheme to offer our staff job security. In Jersey we still received the Royal Mail aircraft and the charter freight flight, so the mornings were busy. However we now had to run a manual handling process whilst being aware of social distancing, very difficult when you are in the hold of an aircraft!

In contrast HubEurope has seen a massive increase in business. We are essentially a service/I.T. business with 1½ employees, albeit we handle 5 million shipments a year! We saw the opportunity in the UK to expand our brand and services to help small and medium sized online business who had also seen an upturn in their orders. We took the decision to put our own fleet of vans on the road in the UK and started collecting from a raft of new customers.

*Will any changes you made affect your business in the future?*

For the sake of business, leisure and freight we all hope that the air links will return to 'normal' as soon as possible. Air freight links to the Islands were already reeling from the loss of FlyBe and COVID19 prevented any new airlines taking up the opportunity to service the routes. Like any business OceanAir will strive to adjust to the 'new normal' and we



hope to see air freight volumes return to previous levels. The business will also look to expand its airport based operations and maybe branch into passenger handling.

At HubEurope it's been a completely different story. We have seen great success with our expansion over this period, which saw our volumes climb to over 150,000 deliveries a week and turnover increase this year to over £13 million. As always, offering a great product or service but being 'quick footed' and able to adapt to the market requirements 'at the drop of a hat' is what leads to growth. With our 'Award Winning Software' we can 'on board' a new customer in a matter of minutes, not days. This makes a change to HubEurope a fast, painless experience and one that we will continue to roll out to SME's in the UK and beyond.

We're expanding our services in Jersey as well. One of the things COVID has taught us is the fragility of supply chains and the difficulty in getting the things Islanders need when they need them. With this in mind we are launching SHOP2.ME, it's a virtual UK address and Islanders can get anything, from a letter to a bed, delivered to their virtual UK address and we will get it to you in Jersey with automatic tracking every step of the way. No more disappointment of online shops not knowing where the Channel Islands are!

*What would you say you've learnt personally or professionally from the last ten weeks?*

My business life was 'born in a recession' – the early '90's were hard times for business with company earnings declining 35% and unemployment of 10.7%. I started, what became HubEurope, as one man in a van, and my office was a car park! Offering business what it needs, when they need it and at a price point they want to pay was as vital then as it is now. The big lesson has been to rely on nothing, but still



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*We're indebted to Jamie for helping us get Gallery delivered as Covid-19 closed things down. His new home delivery service is a real success story of lockdown, as he and his team at Fungi Delecti pivoted their hospitality industry-focused business to offer amazing food boxes direct to home. If you've ordered one yet, get on it. From the fresher than fresh produce to waggu burgers, it's no ordinary grocery shop. Here's what the lockdown meant to Jamie;*

There's no two ways about it, Covid-19 has meant a massive shift in our business. We lost 95% of our trade overnight when the hospitality industry closed their doors. We were left with a full compliment of loyal staff and an even fuller 500m2 fridge, full of highly perishable products but with no customers who needed them. Our industry is old-school and most of our orders and relationships are over the phone but the phone just stopped ringing. It was a very scary time.

**T**he thing about small business is that you know all of your staff personally. I know all about their families and their lives, the responsibility was therefore overwhelming. Fortunately, through diversifying, we haven't changed that much really, we just have a bright shiny new division and, thankfully, the phone has started ringing again.

#### *How did you change your business to adapt?*

We thought fast, and weren't too proud to reach out. I contacted our friends at Dunell's Premier Wines. They have a large online presence and I asked them to host some pre-made food boxes on their website. These were an instant hit and gave me the breathing space that I needed to make longer lasting plans for the company. We had thought about our own online store many times over the years but the idea was always shelved because we're always relentlessly busy with wholesale trade.

This pandemic forced our hand and we commissioned our own ecommerce site to be built. This was up and running double-quick. We worked long and hard to populate it as



quickly as we could and it launched within 3 weeks of our wholesale customers closing. Delivery drivers had to adapt from a bulk delivery to a commercial kitchen door to a small box down a tiny country lane but all the staff have been a credit to us, taking it all in their stride. I am excited now about sourcing new product lines for this emerging division of the business.

#### *How will changes you made in dealing with the impact of Covid-19 affect your business in the future?*

The online store stays! The loyalty shown to us by new retail customers during this period has been humbling beyond words and will not be forgotten. We are wholesalers but will always now have a retail outlet. The thing is... we couldn't have the retail without the wholesale and, without sounding melodramatic, the wholesale wouldn't still be here without the retail. They feed each other and will drive us to be better at what we do. It was so massively important to get to the end of the lockdown with ALL staff still employed. Without this, we would have felt a loss personally but also professionally we needed to stay strong team to cope with busy days as we try to help our wholesale customers get back on their feet. The online platform is now slick and really popular most of all though it's really enjoyable to us operate.

#### *And what have you learnt personally or professionally from the changes that Covid-19 brought?*

Personally, I've learnt I can still think on my feet and find sales when I need them. I've never been complacent in business but I may have been guilty of just expecting an inbox full of orders and have always been amazingly lucky in this regard. I've worked hard but so what, loads of people have. I also appreciate that I had a chance to continue working and that chance wasn't available to many who would have worked just as hard. I'm really proud though that, even under pressure, I always put my staff and the companies integrity first. Professionally, I learnt that I can still rely on my instincts, I wanted to help as many as possible but understood our limitations and I only accepted what we could safely cope with and actively chased quality over profit. For us at Fungi that will always be paramount! We had so much glowing feedback in the midst of such unbelievable pressure, it has made it all worthwhile.





# Welcome to our careers special

Gallery speaks to recent graduates about their move to the working world, what motivates them and what advice they'd give to those who are new to Jersey's top companies.



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# New World, New Skills

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PwC Channel Islands

## The urgency around upskilling the Channel Islands workforce

The future is already here. Beyond the automation of routine and repetitive tasks is a revolution in work ushered in by artificial intelligence. The Channel Islands' workforce needs to get up to speed or risks being left behind.

New PwC analysis reveals that around 30% of jobs in Jersey and Guernsey will disappear between now and 2035. While this might seem like a distant prospect to be put off until later, the COVID-19 pandemic has brought the employment and employability crunch much closer.

**“Our analysis shows a potential 27% of jobs are at risk from automation in Jersey and 32% in Guernsey between now and 2035”**

If we don't take decisive action now, the jobs that were furloughed or lost in the downturn may never come back. Roles that were at risk of automation in 10-15 years could disappear much sooner as restructuring and cost saving accelerate in the wake of the pandemic. This could create social divisions as those in low tech/low paid jobs are the most likely to get left behind. A PwC report – **Will robots steal our jobs** – indicates that financial services (FS) is the industry most likely to be affected by an initial wave of algorithmic automation over the next few years - given the reliance of FS across the islands, this is worrying.

Yet there is an upside. Technology change will potentially create as many new jobs as it replaces. Nearly three-quarters of the business leaders in **PwC's 2020 Global CEO Survey** said lack of key skills is a major threat. And over 40% of those CEOs are digitally upskilling their staff to fill gaps and are seeing benefits in productivity and innovation as a result. A PwC report specifically on **FS organisations** revealed the biggest barrier to digitisation isn't technology, process or data, but people.



## How do we digitally upskill people at speed?

The COVID-19 crisis has demonstrated the flexibility, agility and joined-up community approach that our islands have in abundance. These strengths could now be deployed to quickly identify tomorrow's skill needs and begin the task of upskilling to future-proof our workforce.

Digital upskilling is about giving people the opportunity to gain the knowledge, tools and abilities they need to use and understand ever-changing technologies in their daily lives. Not everyone has to learn to code, but many will need to understand and manage AI, data analytics and other tech that can't even be predicted yet. Learning how to think, act and thrive in a digital world in a way that is sustainable over time must be our goal.

A community wide upskilling effort across government, business and education could secure the economic future of our islands. Other jurisdictions are beginning to pull ahead - Luxembourg and Singapore are two examples where government and business collaboration on upskilling is already underway. PwC Luxembourg estimates a €30k investment per employee to upskill versus an average €200k cost of a person losing their job and having to retrain before going back into work.

## What could digital upskilling look like for Jersey and Guernsey

- Combine efforts across stakeholder groups - working on a pan-Channel Island basis would accelerate efforts more quickly and save cost
- Determine what future skills will be needed - culture change as well as specific tech training
- Identify the sectors, jobs and individuals most at risk and who needs to be upskilled
- Intensive training programmes to create new and transferable skills that motivate, inspire and boost the economy.

We believe digital upskilling is an opportunity for the Channel Islands to 'build back better', reinforce our position as a talent hub and get ahead of the pack internationally. But if we fall behind, we could see jobs and investment switching to jurisdictions where talent is seen as more innovative and tech-savvy. The time for action is *now*.



# Alex Petit

Associate at Deloitte

## What made you choose to work for Deloitte?

I wanted to work somewhere with a strong emphasis on professional development; Deloitte Jersey offers world-class training and amazing opportunities within a close-knit and friendly team environment. I was also attracted to Deloitte because the organisation cares about the wellbeing of its staff and actively strives to ensure a good work-life balance.

## What professional training have you done?

I am currently studying towards my ACA qualification to become a chartered accountant. Within the first 6 months at Deloitte, I had already sat 6 exams. It is a steep learning curve, but I enjoy the challenge and the fast pace.

Deloitte provides ample help for my studies through paid study leave and support from my fellow trainees and colleagues who have already completed their studies.

## What do you do on an average day?

I normally spend 2-5 weeks at a time on a particular engagement, and the work will vary depending on the size and industry of the client. In general, an average day will see me requesting and reviewing information and documentation to support our judgement on a client's financial statements. I need to apply my knowledge gained from training, along with my interpersonal skills on a daily basis. I feel I am constantly learning and I am encouraged to take on further responsibility and tackle more demanding areas of audit.

## What is your next step?

I am focusing on my next exams and also aiming to gain experience working with clients from across a broad range of industries. Ideally, in the near future, I would like to identify a niche area in which I can specialise. As there are Deloitte offices globally, I would also be very interested in taking part in a secondment abroad.

## What advice would you give yourself as a graduate considering the experience you have now?

The team at Deloitte is happy to meet school leavers and graduates to give them an insight into our audit, tax and advisory services, so take advantage of the drop-in sessions we organise. Applying to the summer vacation scheme would be an excellent way to gain work experience and a better understanding of the many options available within Deloitte. Additionally, I would advise anybody interested to visit the Deloitte Jersey website and Facebook page to gain an idea of the office culture and view the many social events and sports clubs on offer.

*Age: 28*

*University attended:*

*University of Sheffield*

*Course: Russian*

*What did you want to be when you were 8 years old? A zoologist*

*Favourite way to relax:*

*Going for walks along the north coast*

*Favourite place to eat in Jersey: Park House*

*Thai*

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# Benjamin Stanton

Assurance Associate at EY

## What made you choose the company you work for?

In early 2019, I was working as a teacher of English as a foreign language in China and before that, Korea. While there, I thought it would be valuable for me to add more strings to my bow, and I began to self-study the Association of Chartered and Certified Accountants (ACCA) qualification. I successfully passed my first exam and from then on, the aspiration of pursuing a career in accounting became my goal. Taking the next step in making it a reality was nerve-racking; it felt like my whole life was changing around me. I was newly married, introducing my wife to Jersey life and embarking on a trainee programme in my late twenties. However, upon contacting EY these worries quickly evaporated. The moment I submitted my application I was made to feel welcome and valued, from the email reply, the smiles at reception and everyone involved in the recruitment process. The whole experience reassured me I had made the right decision in returning to Jersey and applying to EY.

I started at EY alongside a cohort of other new associates, all with different experiences and levels of qualifications. The first 5 minutes of meeting them all I felt anxious, but from then on, we have developed firm friendships on this journey together. This openness to forming friendships also extends to the wider office. I've been pleasantly surprised at how members of the leadership team have taken the time to get to know me.

## What sort of professional training do you take?

As previously mentioned, I am currently studying towards achieving the ACCA qualification. Since joining EY, I have had access to taught lessons and materials that I previously didn't have access to. This has helped me dramatically speed up the rate in which I am prepared for the exams. The

refreshing thing about taking ACCA exams, is that what I am learning is directly applicable to my work in the assurance team. It's good to know that my understanding of my field of work is developing whilst gaining a worldwide recognised professional qualification.

## What do you do on an average day? (Pre Covid-19)

An average day varies, but it usually starts with a bus journey and a good book. I arrive at the office just before 8am for an hour of study before beginning work at 9am. I would start by having a coffee with the senior I'm working with, to make sure we're heading in the right direction with the client deliverables. Throughout the day I'm given the autonomy to manage my own time. This works well for me and is something I very much appreciate. Some days I may attend planning meetings and sometimes work at the client's office, discussing with members of their teams about their financials. It's a great aspect of my role that I really enjoy. I love being able to meet new people and build my network. After leaving work for the day, I'll head home on the bus with a book once again, followed by an hour out on my bike, dinner and lastly, the sofa is often calling my name!

## What is your next step?

At the moment I am taking each exam as they come. However, once qualified, I would love to explore the firm's career development paths and programmes, including secondments to other EY offices. EY has a whole host of interesting opportunities at home and away. I'd also like to work towards some more formal education in Chinese, but one step, and book at a time!

*Age: 29*

*Uni Attended: University of Sunderland*

*Course Attended: BA (Hons) Drama*

*What did you want to be when you were 8:*

*Formula 1 Driver (Michael Schumacher specifically!)*

*Favourite way to relax:*

*Read a book, ride my bike or play the PlayStation*

*Favourite place to eat in Jersey:*

*A BBQ on the beach with friends*

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# Paul Schindler

**Trainee Accountant at Sanne**

## What made you choose to work for Sanne?

One of my friends and one of my Dad's former colleagues worked at Sanne who were either studying for their ACCA or were qualified accountants, both of whom really enjoyed working at Sanne. Having friendly people with positive experiences was a big pull. Sanne's reputation in the industry was a further factor with the prospect of working for a FTSE listed company being a huge selling point.

## What professional training have you done?

I've sat the first 4 exams of my ACCA.

## What do you do on an average day?

I work in a small team and we all look out for each other not only when it comes to making sure we get the work done, but in that everyone is able to have more of a work/life balance. My main client is one of the largest funds focused on Africa and Emerging Markets, so a large part of my time is spent doing international bookkeeping, NAV calculations and preparing financial statements. I also take part in bookkeeping and other similar tasks on other clients in order to build my accounting understanding and my understanding of the structure of the team.

## What is your next step?

To continue to study towards my ACCA qualification. ACCA is an important part of my progression within the team and to build further understanding of accounting principles and ultimately becoming a fully qualified accountant.

## What advice would you give yourself as a graduate considering the experience you have now?

No experience is irrelevant. Before working at Sanne, I worked as an area manager for a retail company in the North of England and before that, I studied a postgraduate degree in Developmental Psychology. I have been able to apply commercial and statistical principles from each of these to my day to day working life.

*Age: 27*

*University attended:*

*Undergraduate at University of Leeds.*

*Postgraduate at Sheffield Hallam University.*

*Course: Developmental Psychology*

*What did you want to be when you were 8 years old? A Football Journalist (I recognised that my footballing abilities weren't going to be quite good enough to go pro).*

*Favourite way to relax: Outside of COVID, I regularly attend gigs in the UK, and in Jersey, you can't beat a walk on the beach.*

*Favourite place to eat in Jersey:*

*Casa Paco or El Tico*

*Favourite possession: A watch I inherited from my Dad who inherited it from my Grandad.*



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# 'Adapting to Change and Improving Your Employability'

Editor: Jersey Finance

There is no doubt that the coronavirus pandemic has provided both individuals and businesses with a significant challenge, the likes of which we have not seen for a generation. While there has been a lot of change and uncertainty, it's important that school leavers and graduates know that they still have options, as many employers continue their search for local talent.

*"Become a student of change.  
It is the only thing that will remain constant."* - Anthony D'Angelo

## Adapting to the new 'normal'

We recognise that as the biggest sector on the Island and with a workforce of almost 14,000, we have a shared responsibility to work together to support our community. Throughout the past few months, employers across the industry have been working hard to introduce measures to support their employees, our community and the continuity of their business, including recruitment.

Many finance companies have continued with or resumed hiring, providing job opportunities and career pathways such as graduate/trainee programmes. What's more, as a result of the pandemic, employers are looking more closely at elements of their business that young people naturally value such as flexibility, remote working, wellbeing and social responsibility.

For example, companies have moved to remote working using all of the platforms and technology available so that business can continue. This move has offered a greater degree of flexibility and resulted in a renewed focus on how successful remote working can be in this increasingly digital age.

## Careers in Finance

Long are the days where people assumed that you had to be an expert number-cruncher to work in finance. There are careers to suit everyone in the finance industry, whether you like numbers, managing projects, have a creative flair or a legal mind, you can find your future in this diverse industry.

You can be a part of this thriving sector and embark on a career which offers many opportunities, both professionally and personally. With so many different types of jobs and sectors to choose from, we have created a careers hub showcasing a range of career pathways and a 'Put Simply' webpage that explains elements of the main sectors in simple language. Visit [www.jerseyfinance.je/working-in-finance](http://www.jerseyfinance.je/working-in-finance) and [www.jerseyfinance.je/put-simply](http://www.jerseyfinance.je/put-simply) to discover more.

## Improving your employability

Approaching job hunting can be done in the same methodical way as before; make sure you talk about your softer, transferrable skills to highlight your abilities. For example, even if you are a school/university leaver with no previous work experience, don't look at this as a negative. Think about your personal experiences and the skills you have learned - share these honestly with future employers and think about how these skills can help their business

Make the most of social media for your job hunting; signing up to social platforms such as LinkedIn where finance companies also post job vacancies. This can help to improve your 'visibility' and allow you to network and access resources which may not be available or limited to you otherwise

If you find that there are limited opportunities at this time in your chosen career path, consider other areas of work or jobs in other industries, where you can continue to enhance your skills and employability.

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Contact Skills Jersey for careers advice and support. Skills Jersey's team of careers advisers, Trackers apprenticeship organisers and the Student Finance team have developed their online presence to assist those in need of their services online and virtually. Young people aged between 16 and 25 are also being offered support with their employability skills, career options and education. In collaboration with the Jersey Youth Service and Highlands College, Skills Jersey has developed a mixture of live and pre-recorded information, videos and tutorials, Q&As, quizzes and interactive online sessions. Content includes links to free online courses through Highlands College, video tutorials on CV building and interview tips, and videos on different careers in industries such as digital, hospitality, finance and construction, with employers outlining the skills they are looking for. Visit [www.gov.je/skillsjersey](http://www.gov.je/skillsjersey) to find out more.



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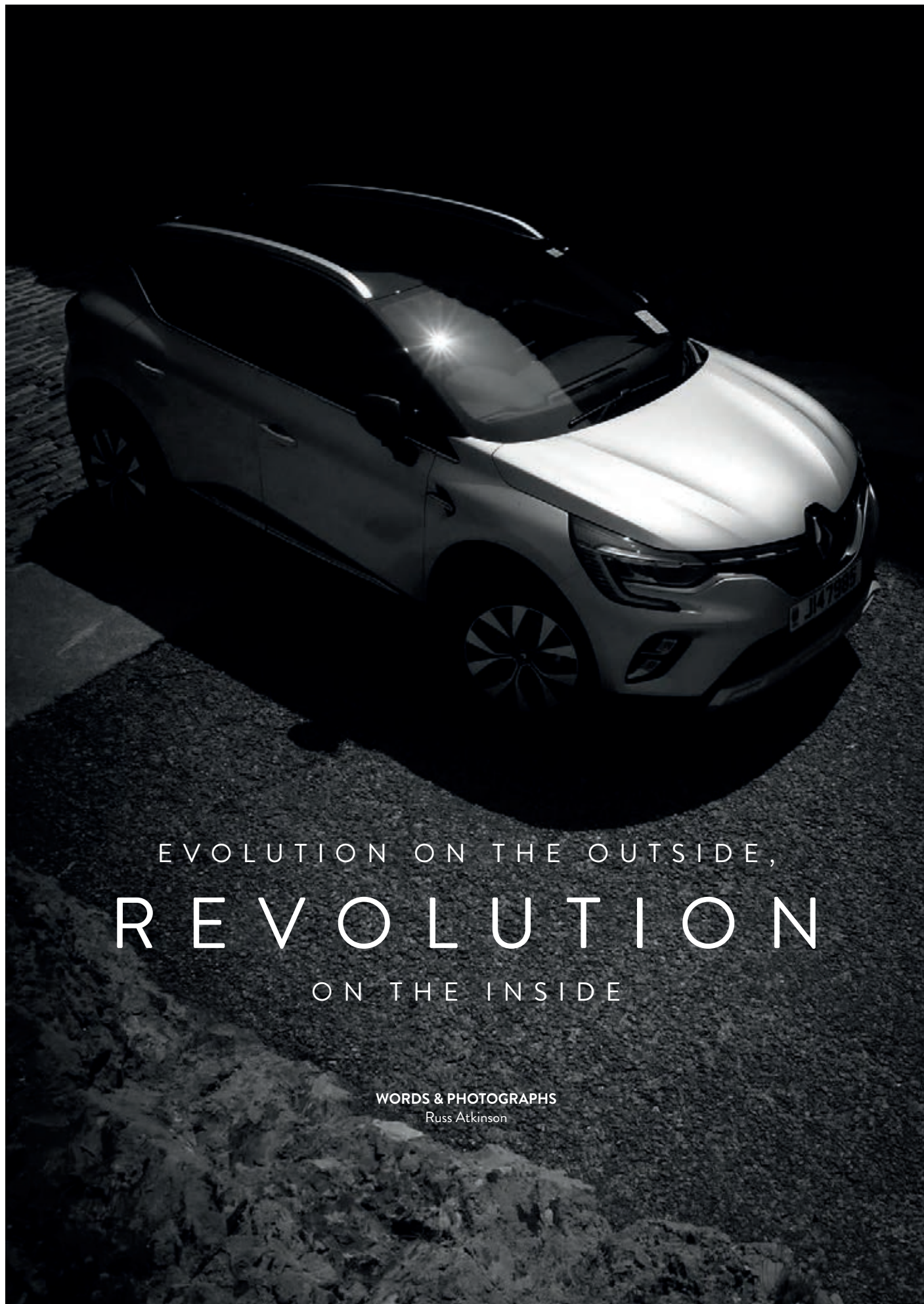
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WORDS & PHOTOGRAPHS  
Russ Atkinson

Cast your thoughts back twenty or so years, to a time when - and this is a fairly sweeping statement - French car manufacturers had built up a certain amount of notoriety when it came to the risk of parts falling off if you so much as leant too hard on them. A friend of mine famously murmured something about build quality before whacking the dashboard of a Citroen AX GT (that wasn't his) once, resulting in the glovebox departing and coming to rest in the passenger footwell. We laughed then, but nobody's laughing now - because today you can buy a top-spec second-generation Renault Captur for pretty much the same price as its entry level German counterpart, and I can assure you that the build quality is equal, if not superior.

I tend to find that driving a car for the first time generally evokes one of two feelings; satisfaction that things were as expected, or disappointment. It's rare that something blows you away. You see, we all have pre-conceived ideas about how a car might drive, how it'll perform, what it might look like, how it might make you *feel* - and while I already knew that the days of questionable Gallic build quality were long in the past, something unexpected happened from the moment I sat in the new, second generation Captur.

What I didn't expect, was it not to be as I'd expected. A mixture of complementary hard and soft surfaces, a brushed metal effect band across the dash that looks tasteful and integrates perfectly, that gorgeous monolithic screen that juts effortlessly from the centre of the dash; right at your fingertips yet remaining completely unobtrusive when you're driving along. Tactile touches lurk everywhere; from the textured ends of the keys below the monolith of a



Above: the monolithic screen that juts out of the dash is a stunning feature

*“On the subject of kids, if you have tiny people in your life and need to keep them entertained you’ll not have to worry about the peace and quiet being broken on longer trips thanks to two USB ports and a 12v outlet both up front and in the rear. iPads fully charged, headphones plugged in; travel bliss.”*

navigation screen to the knurling on the heater controls, stalks on the steering column and the gearknob trim. Then there's the gearknob itself; tall, upright, chunky and with a subtle hourglass shape. Almost everything you touch has been carefully considered, and it's a car that you feel like you're sitting *in*, not *on*. Goldilocks would approve.

The seats are more supportive than I was expecting from a compact SUV, with bolsters to hug your legs, high backs and interesting-looking headrests that'll accommodate drivers and passengers much taller than myself with space overhead to match. The entire rear bench slides forward if you're looking to trade rear legroom for boot space, and there's more boot space still if you drop the false floor - perfect for stashing those miscellaneous items that usually find themselves rolling around in the boot like extra shopping or things you're trying to hide from your partner or kids. On the subject of kids, if you have tiny people in your life and need to keep them entertained you'll not have to worry about the peace and quiet being broken on longer trips thanks to two USB ports and a 12v outlet both up front *and* in the rear. iPads fully charged, headphones plugged in; travel bliss.

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With just a few hours to get a good feel for the Captur I didn't delve into the extensive digital side of things too deeply but I did experiment with the *My Sense* settings, switching between a multitude of different dash displays, adjusting the ambient lighting spanning the dashboard and door trim and giving the sport mode a try, too. You see, the weird thing is that, yes, it makes an excellent family car, yet throttle and steering response tighten up noticeably in sport mode and the 1.3 litre four-cylinder turbocharged engine in the model tested is surprisingly nippy, which also makes it a lot more fun than you might expect. It puts out 130bhp, which might not sound like much these days but the way it delivers it is perfect for urban driving - with plenty of punch around 2,500rpm - and with the six speed 'box it's bound to cruise comfortably at motorway speeds too.



**Above:** the Captur's two-tone bodywork works well whether you're looking for subtlety, as pictured, or something a little more quirky

**Left:** There's also plenty of scope for interior customisation, as well as subtle ambient lighting set into the door cards, easily changeable at the touch of a screen

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When you're on the motorway, the lane departure and lane keeper functions could prove to be a lifesaver, quite literally, giving you a gentle nudge in the right direction, and altering the steering to keep you from drifting wide if you start drifting off or become distracted. It's subtle, but effective. Other subtle touches include the keyless entry fob's perfectly-shaped hidey-hole in the centre console and a conductive charging pad right where you naturally chuck your phone as you settle into the driving seat. So much so, in fact, that I only realised it was there when the screen informed me that it was charging my phone. Renault's design team have pored over every detail to the point where even the reversing sensor tone - presumably standardised across the range - is an unbelievably pleasant, deep *'bong'* noise, rather than the classic, panic-inducing shrill beep that's become so common over time. It's calming at a time when the last thing anyone needs is extra stress. It's, well, perfect.



With a whole host of customisable interior and exterior options, including two-tone body and roof combinations and colours ranging from subtle to borderline sublime there's plenty of scope to make *your* Captur truly yours. Engine options include a 100bhp three cylinder petrol as well as the 130bhp model tested, a choice of 95 and 115bhp diesel engines and a soon to be launched plug-in hybrid delivering 160bhp and 188mpg. I'd expected the all-new Captur to be a capable all-rounder, but it left me wondering just one thing; with its quirky French styling, build quality and driving experience to rival its closest German counterpart - yet the top-spec Captur costing around the same as a base model equivalent from just over the border - why *wouldn't* you choose the Renault? *Vive la revolution!*

**This page:** subtle at first glance, the second-generation Renault Captur sports quirky design cues inside and out.



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I PLEAD GUILTY, YOUR HONOUR. GUILTY AS CHARGED, FOR CRIMES AGAINST PROGRESS. FOR LETTING MY HEART RULE MY MIND AND MAKING JUDGEMENTS WITHOUT MERIT, AND FOR SPREADING PROPAGANDA. BECAUSE I, LIKE MANY OTHERS, BELIEVED THAT A REPLACEMENT TO THE LAND ROVER DEFENDER WAS COMPLETELY UNJUSTIFIED AND THAT NOTHING COULD POSSIBLY SUCCEED SUCH A MOTORING ICON, AN UNMISTAKABLE AND UNDENIABLE STALWART, AND – DARE I SAY – THE ARCHETYPAL OFF-ROAD VEHICLE? THE BEST 4X4 BY FAR?

It sounds paradoxical, but the recent launch of the new Land Rover Defender might possibly have been both the most highly anticipated and yet the least hotly anticipated new vehicle launch in the history of new vehicle launches. In the *rust-coloured* corner, weighing in at less than the original sales brochure says, are the traditionalists. The old guard. They've been faithful to the Land Rover brand since they bought their first Series Landie for a few hundred quid and regard the 300Tdi Defender as the pinnacle of utilitarianism. Most of them deny the existence of the Td5 engine, and the only Pumas they know of are covered in fur and live far, far away in the Americas. The new Defender doesn't deserve to bear the Defender mantle in their eyes, it couldn't hold a candle to the 'real thing' – which is apt, because as far as I know the technology for the headlights on all models from between 1983 and 2016 was derived from candles. And

in the *Pangea Green* corner; a colour unique to the latest model, are those who've actually driven the latest incarnation of the Defender 110 since it landed on our shores. Allow me to tell you more...

I'll admit, I probably sat in the former category having owned a couple of Land Rover's finest relics and driven more than my fair share of Landies over time, but driving the new Defender made me question exactly what it is



that we actually love about Land Rover's iconic off-roader - and I'm about to coin a phrase here in the hope that nobody else has beaten me to it - the *Defender Classic*. Is it the complete lack of aerodynamics that makes driving in high winds feel like a game of Russian roulette? Is it the sloppy steering box with hilariously little lock that makes you swing the wheel wildly to take up the slack as the camber of the road changes? Is it the panel gaps that allow the outdoors to become indoors at even the slightest hint of inclement weather? I don't think it's any of these things, so it must be something else. Something emotional; the way it makes you feel. Nostalgia. Things were just better in the good old days, right?

In short, the new Defender is everything that the previous versions never wanted to be, and almost everything that a modern version of this motoring icon probably should be. I didn't want to like it, but in all honesty it's difficult not to. It felt huge at first, but soon shrunk around me as I drove further, and whether peering over the bonnet, with its inset chequerplate details as a nod to that obligatory owner modification on the *Classic* (to hide the wobbly wing

tops more than anything else), or glancing around the cabin at the recessed dashboard that's reminiscent of Land Rover dashes of old - where you had to lean forward and operate a handle to open the bulkhead vents if the panel gaps weren't providing enough cooling - there are subtle design cues everywhere giving it a nostalgic air. Even the sound of raindrops falling onto the roof takes you back in time as you trundle along, elbow rested atop the central cubby box - the only noticeable difference is that driving with your other elbow half way out of the window isn't necessary in order to sit comfortably anymore, thankfully. Still, it's all very, well... *Defender*.

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*Trundling along* is also merely an option these days, incidentally, because the P300 model tested has more than enough punch to propel you forward at a distinctly un-Defender pace despite the vehicle weighing in at approximately 2.2 moons, making imagining how spritely the P400 is mind-boggling. Allow me to decode the engine options; P is for petrol, D is for diesel, and the number that follows denotes the horsepower figure. Yes, a 400bhp Defender is available straight off the production line. Possibly even harder to comprehend is that the P300 is powered by a four cylinder engine with a mere two-litre capacity. Plus a turbocharger, of course. It delivers power like a six-cylinder, with just the lag from the eight-speed automatic gearbox from a standstill and during kickdown letting the overall experience down slightly - gear changes up and down the 'box are otherwise smooth though. You could charge this thing up and down motorways all day long with ease





and without fear of death by crosswind, which is something that couldn't be said for its predecessor – it's actually fun to drive, with inspiring handling thanks to the adaptive air-suspension (although lower-spec models come with coils) and a nice bit of punch torque-wise. Dare I say even a B-road blast would probably be good fun? Although that's mainly because the brakes actually work... If I was driving a car all day, every day, I'd buy one over a *Classic*. Let's be realistic; with secondhand Pumas and Td5 Defender 90s being listed for nearly £40k locally and the new Defender 90 starting



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at around £37k when they're released later this year, why lavish the extra cash on a design that's nigh on forty years out of date and distinctly *un-lavish*? Naysayers will note that the amount of technological wizardry crammed inside the new one could make it prone to unreliability, but if I'm brutally honest the old ones were devoid of anything more technologically advanced than a CD player yet managed to be notoriously unreliable anyway so the bar has been set low. Oil leaks? That's the anti-rust automatic lubrication system, sir. Td5 ECU failures? Never heard of them...

I do have to admit that working out how to get moving again took a while, no matter how much I thought I was holding down the trigger on the gear shifter with my foot on the brake pedal for good measure, but if that's about as stuck as you're likely to find yourself in the new Defender I can live with that. Switching between the driving modes and using the transfer box at the press of a button and turn of a knob is a comparative breeze and eons away from wrestling the seldom-used tiny additional gearstick, driving forward a bit, contending with the tiny gearstick a bit more, then repeating the charade in reverse to a choir of clunks and bangs to get back into high-range. I've always found you tend not to believe what a Defender can do right until you give it a try

and it absolutely breezes it, and with the very limited driving through Granite Products' quarry I got to experience, I felt confident that it's going to lap it all up just like a Classic would. This confidence is probably also inspired by having seen the extensive testing in Kazakhstan – amongst other far-flung places – where Land Rover developed this new, replacement model. I can't help but think that the greatest challenge for Land Rover has been ensuring that Defender delivers on all levels to silence the critics, and I'm confident that they'll have delivered on all counts.

On the subject of technology, what you're getting for your money mostly falls into the category of 'things you never thought you might need' if you're already a time-served Defender owner. Now that your passengers are no longer thrust from side-to-side in the rear with a clear path to the back window – especially with the addition of the natty additional two seats available in the boot of the new 110 model – there's an optional 'ClearSight' rear-view mirror that uses a camera feed to provide an unhindered view of what's behind you. At first glance, it's a bit like trying to see a Magic Eye image, but you soon get used to it. If that sounds a little 'out there', then prepare for the sublime; it's called 'ClearSight Ground View' and it paints a 3D picture of your actual

surroundings and places a rendering of your Defender inside it on that slick-looking screen in the centre of the dash. This allows you to see obstacles in the real world that would otherwise be invisible from inside the vehicle at the touch of the screen, which rotates the picture of your surroundings around the rendering of the vehicle you're gazing at in amazement, and I can't even begin to comprehend how it works. Hardcore off-roading and dodging errant trolleys in supermarket car parks aside, another practical application of this kind of technology comes into its own when towing – not only does it make life easier when it comes to positioning for hitch-up, it also gives you a better idea of where the trailer is at all times. Does this mean the steady erosion of driving skills in the future? Probably, but that doesn't make the ability to see the otherwise invisible any less useful to have.

Whereas you used to hear nothing but the wind whistling in your right ear and a faint hint of music in your left ear while driving a Defender Classic, you can now add a high-end sound system courtesy of British manufacturer Meridien, and you won't need to become entangled in a 12v cigar lighter to USB adapter any longer because not only are there an abundance of USB outlets from the dash to the centre console to the seat backs – including USB-C, *hurrah* – but also a conductive charging pad beneath the central arm rest for topping up your phone. The rear bench seats slide back and forth with a 60/40 split to juggle the legroom when the rearmost seats are in use and the middle row is ISOFIX ready. Up front, you can enjoy heated seats and even a heated steering wheel, and in both the rear cabin and the boot there are separate dials for adjusting the climate control. Not that the cubby boxes ever used to get particularly hot, but they're now also chilled. Remember when people used to build 100" wheelbase Defenders on Range Rover chassis? Well now it's as if they've put the entire Range Rover inside the Defender, rather than just the running-gear. There's one thing that's been turned on its head though – the floor coverings. Now, instead of putting a boot liner on the carpet, the boot and floors are lined with rugged, chequerplate-pattered rubber and you can add the carpet on top, should you wish.

The exterior will likely polarise opinion, but personally it's grown on me hugely. Just look at it! The only thing that can equal its toy-like aesthetic is the latest Suzuki Jimny, both of which look as if they've been plucked straight from a child's hand and plonked into the real world in life-sized form. The blended wheelarches in place of the plastic ones that were bonded on quickly when the track was widened from that of the Series 3 in the eighties, the way the body line curves between the staggered-width flat surfaces mid-way, the

alpine roof-lights that are almost invisible on the outside yet instantly remind you of the Classic on the inside – there are so many subtle design cues that justify the new Defender as both an evolution and an homage to its predecessor. Add in the debossed 'DEFENDER' lettering in the recessed dash, those absolutely stunning rear lights that sit flush with the bodywork and the chunky torx bolts holding the door panels on and there's no denying that the vehicle is a real statement piece.

So, all of this leads me to ask again why exactly is it that the *Defender Classic* holds a special place in our hearts? There's no doubt that it's an icon, the pace of its evolution belying its longevity, its go-anywhere spirit only thwarted by a lack of ingenuity in fixing its almost rudimentary component parts, and I've no doubt it'll continue to live on for decades to come – but for the needs of the many the time has come to move on. The king is dead; *long live the king*.

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# CHLOE

## Greechan

*Women's cricket is a growing sport here on Jersey and after an encouraging 12 months for Jersey's women's squad – who won four out of six games at an ICC tournament in Nantes last summer – they have recruited Chloe Greechan as the island's new female youth and performance development officer to help encourage greater participation in the sport, she's also the Jersey Ladies team captain.*

Jersey's women are currently ranked 37 in the world in T20 international cricket, having played just seven officially recognised matches and it is hoped they could one day follow in the footsteps of the island's men, who reached the T20 World Cup Qualifier for a second time last year, upsetting the odds with some shock wins in the UAE.

For those of you unfamiliar with the game we asked Chloe to give us, what we called, the 'dummies guide' to cricket 'The game is made up of two teams; a batting and bowling team. Each team will take it in turns to bat, where they aim to score runs. Batters can score runs by hitting the ball to different areas in the field. A maximum you can score is six runs when the ball goes over the boundary without bouncing. The bowling/fielding team aim to get batters out in many ways, the most common being caught or bowled. The team with the most runs at the end of their innings wins.'

Chloe's interest in the sport was sparked by visits to her primary school made by Gemma Dunning and Peter Gough, who both coached Kwik cricket. 'I really enjoyed playing during my PE lessons so asked my parents if I could get involved outside of school. Gemma allowed me to come to her girls' sessions and I absolutely loved it, after playing in numerous boys' leagues/matches I was lucky enough to be asked to attend the women's sessions. When I was 13, they asked me to go to Berlin for a European tournament and from then on I have continued to represent Jersey with the women's squad.'

Currently the only women's team on island, the squad have to travel to compete - but this, and being involved in the team, are just some of the reasons Chloe loves the sport. 'We play at European level with our opponents being countries like, France, Norway, Austria and Germany. We are aiming to play countries like Scotland and Ireland in the next few years but with participation levels in the women's game increasing across the world, we are hoping the number of teams on island will also

increase. It's a fantastic sport; being part of a team and travelling across the world playing the sport you love with your teammates are my favourite things about cricket.'

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What skills might you need if you'd like to get involved with the sport 'good hand-eye coordination is a bonus, like many other sports. Also being a good team player is all we can ask, always giving 100% commitment and effort is what it is like to be Jersey player.'

Looking to the future we had to know if Chloe has a dream tournament she'd like to aim for '100% has to be leading the Jersey team out onto the pitch in a World Cup.' Here's hoping this one day becomes a reality and if you'd like to be part of the team get in touch with the Jersey Cricket Board to find out more.

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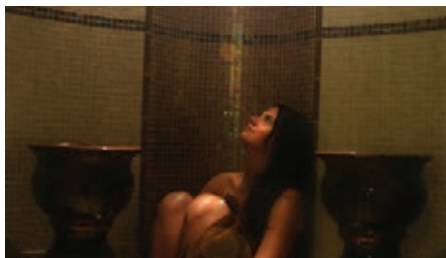
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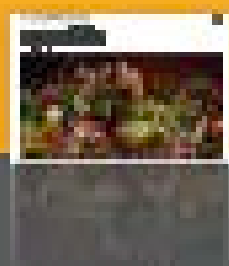
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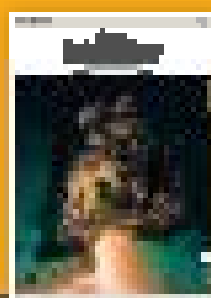
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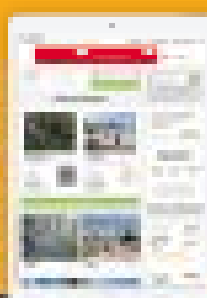
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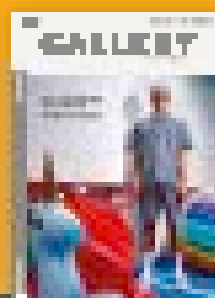
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# THE LAST WORD.

## *Masked Wonders – show us your masks!*

*We're able to smile freely now but we asked our Facebook followers to show us photos of them in their masks and let us know what the best thing that's happened to them during lockdown has been.*



SOPHIE LE BLOND

*Exploring places I've never been to in Jersey, supporting local businesses, getting creative in the kitchen and matching my masks to my outfits*



YVONNE CORBIN

*#pinksocks*



BETTINA ESSLEMONT

*Family time.*



ANGELA FAIRLIE

*Family, walks, cycling and TikTok*



RHONA HEWIT

*Lockdown was finally some "me" time, I transformed that empty room in the house into a reading room with sofa, throws and cushions and now do "lockdown Saturdays" where I have a day at home, reading, listening to music, takeaway delivered  
Photo: mask at the hairdresser!*



KAREN FERNANDES

*Who guessed I was an Elton fan!*

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