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Naming of the 100WHF Art Room at Northolt High School

April 27, 2016 at 6 PM
London

As a member of 100 Women in Hedge Funds (100WHF), you are invited to attend a reception where The Art Room at Northolt High School will be officially named the 100WHF Art Room. Attendees include The Art Room's Board of Trustees and Gloria Lowe, Headteacher of Northolt High School. You will find the invitation [here](#).

The money raised by 100WHF's philanthropic activities in 2015 will enable the Art Room at Northolt High School to serve many more children in the area by increasing capacity almost 50%. The facility will operate for a fourth day, and ultimately for a fifth day, for several years.

The 100WHF Art Room serves many children facing significant challenges in their lives in one of the most economically deprived parts of Ealing borough.

Students attending The Art Room are experiencing learning, behavioural and other difficulties. Under the guidance of the Art Room's staff, the participants gain increased self-esteem and self-confidence. The children return to their classrooms and families with improved emotional health and behaviour; they are better equipped to engage with their education and face their challenges.

"Education is one of three areas of concentration of the philanthropy of 100 Women in Hedge Funds. We are excited to see the impact of our fundraising in students' improved behaviour and learning under the auspices of The Art Room," said Amanda Pullinger, CEO 100 Women in Hedge Funds.

"The Art Room is undoubtedly playing a part in transforming the lives of the students who use it. There has been a reduction in the number of fixed term exclusions, with no permanent exclusions in the school since the Art Room opened, a palpable increase in the self-esteem and self-confidence of the young people using the Art Room, as well as deepening of a belief across the school that excellence is possible for all of our students," said Gloria Lowe, Headteacher of Northolt High School.

100 Women in Hedge Funds and patronage sponsors, Laura and Blaine Tomlinson, are proud to support the work of The Art Room, the beneficiary of 100WHF's philanthropic initiatives in the UK in 2015.

Participants

Juli Beattie, The Art Room

Gloria Lowe, Northolt High School

Amanda Pullinger, 100 Women in Hedge Funds

Juliet Stevenson, Actor

Event Details

Date: April 27, 2016

Time: 6 PM

6:30 PM Speeches and official naming

7 PM - 8 PM Reception

Hosts: The Art Room and Northolt High School

Location: Northolt High School

Eastcote Lane, Northolt, Middlesex, UB5 4HP, United Kingdom

(Please see below for directions.)

RSVP: [RSVP Now](#)

You may include a non-member guest with your RSVP.

This is **not** a 100WHF event and we are extending this invitation on behalf of The Art Room. However, if you have any questions about this event, please contact the [London Philanthropy](#) committee.

If you have no-show fees in arrears, the system cannot register you for an event. You can view and pay for any outstanding no-show fees online from your [Member Profile](#)

Space is limited. No walk-ins will be permitted.

Biographies

Juli Beattie, Founder Director, The Art Room

Dr. Juli Beattie, the Founder Director of The Art Room, was born in Hungary and came to England as a refugee in 1956. She trained as a teacher and specialised in working with children with learning and emotional difficulties in both mainstream and specialist schools and in hospitals, including Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital. During this time Juli devised a unique methodology designed to help all children to learn and achieve through art. She established The Art Room in Oxford 14 years ago and at the beginning it was able to offer its help to 40 children each week. The Art Room now offers art as therapy to over 500 children each week and there are eight Art Rooms in Oxford, London and Edinburgh and plans to open many more Art Rooms in socially deprived areas. Juli now teaches The Art Room practice in collaboration with Bath Spa University and is delighted that her methodology has been adopted by many professionals working with children. Juli has co written an Art Room book and is now in the process of co writing two more. Juli lives in Oxford with her husband. She has three children and three grandchildren.

Gloria Lowe, Headteacher, Northolt High School

Gloria Lowe is Headteacher of Northolt High School. When she came to the school in 2012 it had been placed into 'special measures'. She has led the school through a rapid transformation, such that a recent Ofsted inspection assessed it as 'good' with significant capacity to continue to improve. Gloria attributes that progress in no small part to the impact of the Art Room.

Amanda Pullinger, CEO, 100 Women in Hedge Funds

Ms. Pullinger is the Chief Executive Officer of 100 Women in Hedge Funds. She leads a small staff team and manages over 350 volunteer practitioners globally, overseeing the operations of the organization, which now has over 13,000 members in 20 locations. Ms. Pullinger is a former principal of Aquamarine Capital Management, where she was responsible, over a period of seven years, for managing marketing, investor relations and back office administration for two private investment funds. Ms. Pullinger is currently Chairman of the Board of The HALO Trust (www.halotrust.org) and serves on the Advisory Board of the Oxford Alumni Association of NY. She previously served on the Boards of SkillForce, NYU Cancer Institute and Girls' Prep, and was on the founding Board of 100 Women in Hedge Funds, serving as its President for two years. She is a member of the British Academy of Film and Television Arts (BAFTA) and a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts. Ms. Pullinger graduated from Brasenose College, Oxford University in 1987 with an Honours Degree in Modern History. She earned an MBA from La Salle University, Philadelphia, in 1998, and received the Academic Award for MBA student of the year as well as the Beta Gamma Sigma designation.

Directions

Northolt High School is a 10-15 minute walk from Northolt tube station on the Central line. Turn left out of the station and left again onto Eastcote Ln N - the school will be found on the left.

[Click here for more directions](#)

**About The Art Room**

The Art Room is a charity aimed at 5 - 16 year olds who are experiencing emotional and behavioural difficulties. There are currently eight Art Rooms in schools in Oxfordshire, London and Edinburgh offering art as therapy to increase children's self-esteem, self-confidence and independence.

About 100 Women in Hedge Funds (www.100womeninhedgefunds.org)

100 Women in Hedge Funds is a global, practitioner-driven non-profit organization serving over 13,000 alternative investment management investors and professionals in 20 locations through educational, professional leverage and philanthropic initiatives. Formed in 2001, 100 Women in Hedge Funds has hosted over 500 industry education events globally, connected more than 350 senior women through Peer Advisory Groups and raised over \$38 million for philanthropic causes in the areas of women's and family health, education and mentoring.