



SATURDAY, 7 MARCH 2026, 09:30 – 16:30
REGENT'S UNIVERSITY LONDON, INNER CIRCLE, REGENT'S PARK, LONDON NW1 4NS

ACTIVITIES

- **Demonstrators:**
Liz Barrow will demonstrate Creative Versals. Be ready to join in and have a go!
David Simons will display and demonstrate his amazing Modern Calligraphy skills.
- **Fellow in Residence: Celia Lister, FCLAS**, will showcase some of her fabulous work.
- **Fireside Chat with Rose Briskman**, who will speak about the Paper Collections at the London Museum and how they are preserved.
- **Live Podcast with Laura Edralin from *The Life of Letters Podcasts* and Judith Porch**, newly appointed Fellow of CLAS. Hear all about Judith's journey to Fellowship.
- **Afternoon Lecture with Cherrell Avery**, sharing her knowledge of Metal Etching and her work in the V&A Collection.
- **Big Brush Strokes with Mary Noble, FCLAS**, bring along your pens and ink and leave your mark on our CLAS CREATIVE 2026 banner.
- **Show and Tell – An exhibition of Microfiction!** Join the creators **Gwyneth Hibbett** and **Dawn Abigail** to learn more about this literary genre where stories are told using few words.
- **Art & the Letter 28th Hybrid Exhibition:** Physical and digital entries will be on display. Don't forget to vote for your favourite exhibit.
- **CLAS Fellows' Exhibition:** A display of work by our CLAS Fellows.
- **CLAS Help Desks:** Seek advice on our academic activities, tutoring and available support.
- **Take and Donate Table:** Sale of second-hand calligraphy materials, books and magazines. A selection of brand-new back issues of *The Edge* will also be available for purchase.
- **Pop-up Shops:** Use this opportunity to purchase your calligraphy materials from our favourite suppliers.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

- 09:30 Doors open for the CLAS CREATIVE! Enjoy a welcome coffee and biscuits, the exhibitions and more!
- 10:15 CLAS AGM commences. Please kindly be on time.
- 12:00 Fireside Chat with Rose Briskman, Paper Conservator at the London Museum
- 14:00 Live Podcast with Laura Edralin from *The Life of Letters Podcasts*, and Judith Porch, newly appointed Fellow of CLAS
- 14:15 Art & the Letter Members' Choice Voting Closes
- 15:00 Presentations/Announcement of the Brian G. Walker Prize Winner
- 15:15 Afternoon Lecture by Cherrell Avery
- 16:30 End of Event

Further details can be found overleaf



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REGISTER YOUR PARTICIPATION ON THE CLAS WEBSITE: www.clas.co.uk/agm/

The Annual General Meeting is limited to members only, but non-members and friends are invited to enjoy the other exciting activities from 9.30 throughout the day. For security reasons, all participants must register for the event and guest names must be provided. All CLAS members will have the opportunity to vote on the day for their favourite Art & the Letter entry. Voting on the digital exhibition entries will take place one week before the CLAS CREATIVE via email. Prizes will be given to the Members' Choice winners. Details on voting can be found on the CLAS web page: www.clas.co.uk/agm/

TICKETS AND PAYMENT METHODS

Early Bird Registration on and before 31 January 2026 – Member Ticket Price £20

Non-Member Ticket Price £25

Registrations after 31 January 2026 – Ticket Price £25

Ticket payments can be made via our website, click on the 'Shop' and scroll to 'Events Payments' to pay by credit or with debit card via Paypal (note that you do not need a PayPal account)

Alternatively pay by Bank Transfer (Using the Reference: AGM2026 and your full name) CLAS Account:
Sort code: 40-52-40 - Account number: 00031828

If you wish to pay by cheque, please contact our Treasurer via email: treasurer@clas.co.uk

Registration will close on 20 February 2026. To facilitate the organisation of the event, please kindly ensure that you register before this date.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Kindly note that this event is reserved for adults and children over the age of 16 years. Unfortunately, we cannot accommodate babies or younger children.
- In exceptional circumstances, ticket payments will be accepted on the day of the event. Please note, however, that the cost of the ticket will be £25 irrespective of the arrival time.
- Upon request and where required, one free ticket will be allocated to an accompanying carer. Please apply by contacting: clasagmofficer@gmail.com

We look forward to seeing you for another exciting and action packed CLAS CREATIVE!