

Exhibition of Small Works of Art by Glasgow Society of Women Artists at the RGI Kelly from 24 February to 9 March.

Once again, the RGI Kelly Gallery is delighted to host an exhibition of works from members of the GSWA (www.gswa.org.uk) which includes painting, sculpture, ceramics, textiles and jewellery, as well as unframed postcard-sized paintings mounted on boards.

Founded in 1882 by eight of the first women students at the Glasgow School of Art, The Glasgow Society of Lady Artists as it was then called, flourished for many years until financial pressures resulted in it being disbanded in 1971.

Re-emerging as the GSWA in 1975, the society continues to thrive with 140 artist members and 40 lay members; each September sees one new artist intake. Regular exhibitions held in and around Glasgow to promote interest in art and in particular the work of women artists, form an important part of the GSWA calendar. The RGI's Trish Cain, who until recently was curator at the RGI Kelly is an active member of the society.

