## The Downland Trailblazers...



**Eve Tomkins** Eve's delicate yet strong steel and copper sculptures are inspired by and perfectly reflect the Butts Brow downland as they follow the forms of the landscape and frame the historical landmarks made by our ancestors. <a href="https://www.instagram.com/evevida.art/">https://www.instagram.com/evevida.art/</a>



**Ruthie Martin** Ruthie's mixed media installations invoking skylarks, hares, sanctuary & imaginary lands are inspired by the vulnerability of downland species & the need for protection, belonging, storytelling...and of deepening our relationship with the more-than-human world. <a href="https://www.instagram.com/ruthiemartin.artist/">https://www.instagram.com/ruthiemartin.artist/</a>



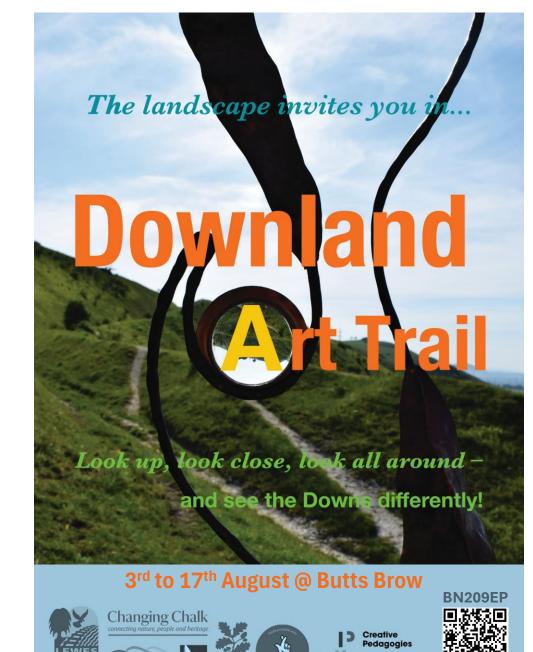
Loupe Cooper Regular Butts Meadow volunteer, Loupe, has been inspired by caring for the chalk grassland meadow and the vast array of plant and animal life it supports....her work invites us to look closely and marvel at the magnificent biodiversity of the meadow. https://www.instagram.com/8loupe8/



Rachel Kiley https://www.rachelkiley.co.uk/about Local photographer Rachel loves exploring her downland doorstep in an immersive way. Her QR-coded prompts invite us to do the same, offering different ways to observe and connect with the land.

Each artists' work is represented on the map by their own chalk grassland species: round-headed rampion, skylark, chalk hill blue butterfly & horseshoe vetch. Locations are very approximate...enjoy your downland discovery! More information can be found by following this link: https://www.creativepedagogies.com/category/downland-art-trail/

With special thanks to Mark Wells & Brighton University for creation of QR codes and digital content. Thanks also to the brilliant Butts Meadow volunteers for helping with set up and caring for the meadow.



## Welcome to the Downland Art Trail at Beautiful Butts Brow!

Look up, look down, look close! What can you hear? What can you see? What can you feel, smell...touch?

Discover what the Downs mean to you or simply admire the beauty of Butts Lane Meadow (a.k.a Little Sheepdown) and Butts Brow through this trail of multi-sensory installations created by four local artists. Look out for the wooden QR codes: scan them for more information, videos and opportunities to share your own images and text.

Up on the Brow

