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Flourish

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inspiring teaching and learning

Choose to attend either
Tuesday 28 or Wednesday 29 June
Wentworth Castle Gardens

With keynote speakers
Michael Rosen and Anne Fine

Be inspired
Develop and grow your practice
Collaborate creatively
Take time to reflect
Discover digital age
Identify exciting spaces for learning

Nurture yourself
Explore subject teaching and learning
Probe new possibilities
Learn how to engage families
Expand your network
Enjoy the magical castle gardens

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Flourish is CapeUK's one day festival of teaching and learning.

A space for arts and education professionals to experience, discover and be inspired by the impact of arts, culture and creativity on children and young peoples lives.

Growing out of practice in schools from across the region and beyond, Flourish will explore how we can ensure the values and power of creativity remain at the heart of the curriculum in these times of change.

■ **When is it?**

Choose to attend **either** Tuesday 28th June **or** Wednesday 29th June 2011

■ **Where is it?**

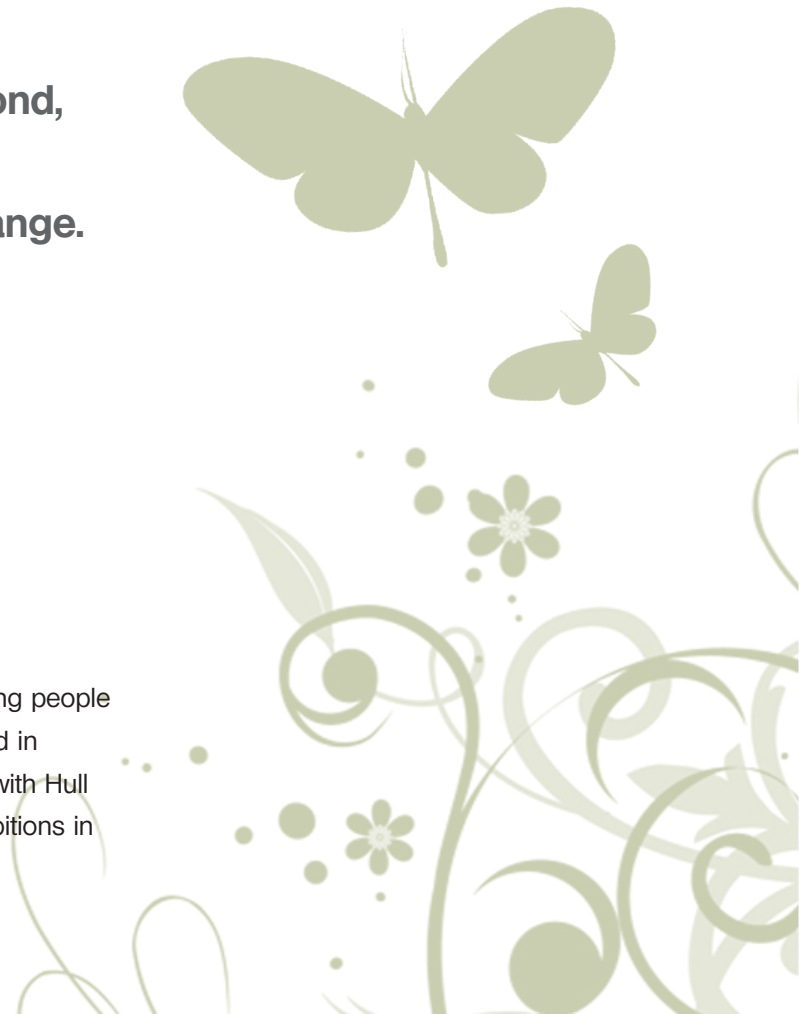
Wentworth Castle Gardens, Lowe Lane, Stainborough, Barnsley, S75 3ET.

Flourish will be held in the magical historical gardens of Wentworth Castle in South Yorkshire.

The castle is two miles from Junction 37 off the M1.

■ **What is CapeUK?**

CapeUK is a strong, enterprising and creative organisation which has been supporting children and young people to experience and create within the arts for over 12 years – with a national and international reach, rooted in outstanding practice on the ground in Yorkshire and the North West. From 2012 CapeUK, in partnership with Hull College Group (HCUK), will become the bridging organisation supporting the Arts Council England's ambitions in Yorkshire and the Humber for the arts and children and young people.



What is Flourish?

At Flourish you'll hear, see and experience examples of best practice in creative education from across CapeUK's work in Yorkshire and the North West. It's a place to connect with colleagues from the arts and education sector and a great opportunity to gain inspiration and ideas from our Chief Executive Pat Cochrane and guest speakers, Michael Rosen (28th) and Anne Fine (29th). Flourish will establish future opportunities and networks, whilst continuing to build on existing strengths, partnerships and investment – together we can all ensure that arts, culture and creativity remain a central part of learning. Come along and immerse yourself in arts, culture and creative learning experiences and help us all to Flourish through these challenging times.

Who is it for?

Flourish is for professionals with an investment in arts and creativity in education: headteachers, teaching staff, teaching assistants, creative practitioners, arts organisations, local authority staff and commissioners.

Programme for both 28th and 29th June

08.45 – 09.15	Coffee and Registration
09.15 – 09.30	Welcome and Introductions
09.30 – 10.00	Pat Cochrane, CapeUK Chief Executive: Setting the Scene
10.00 – 11.15	Workshop or Breakout
11.15 – 11.30	Coffee and Networking
11.30 – 12.45	Workshop or Breakout
12.45 – 13.30	Lunch
13.30 – 14.30	Keynote Speech Michael Rosen (28th) or Anne Fine (29th)
14.30 – 15.45	Workshop or Breakout
15.45 – 16.00	Close of Event

Book your place now with CapeUK:

Delegate fee £60. Click [here](#) to book

For more information please email flourish@capeuk.org or call 0114 286 6260

During these difficult times, CapeUK are determined to continue to support children and young people to face the future with creativity and self belief. It's time to **flourish!**

Guest speakers at Flourish

Michael Rosen

Michael Rosen is one of the best-known figures in the children's book world, renowned for his work as a poet, performer, broadcaster and scriptwriter. Michael has been involved with over 140 books; both as an author and anthologist. Michael was The Children's Laureate from 2007-2009, and his award winning children's books include *We're Going on a Bear Hunt* and Michael Rosen's *Sad Book*. Michael is currently writing a biography of Roald Dahl for Penguin. He lectures and teaches in universities on children's literature, reading and writing. Michael is a familiar voice to BBC listeners and is currently presenting *Word of Mouth*.

Michael visits schools to enthuse children with his passion for books and poetry. He was one of the first poets to make visits to schools throughout the UK and has also visited schools across the world.

www.michaelrosen.co.uk

Anne Fine

Anne Fine is a distinguished writer for both adults and children. Anne has written over 50 books for all ages and her award winning children's books include *Goggle-Eyes*, *Flour Babies* and *Bill's New Frock*. Adaptations of *Bill's New Frock* and *Goggle-Eyes* have been screened by the BBC, and Twentieth Century Fox filmed her novel *Madame Doubtfire* as *Mrs Doubtfire*.

Anne became Children's Laureate in 2001 and set up The Home Library (free downloadable modern bookplates from www.myhomelibrary.org). Anne's work has been translated into over 30 languages. In 2003 she became a Fellow of the Royal Society of Literature and was awarded an OBE.

www.annefine.co.uk

Pat Cochrane

Pat Cochrane is founding Chief Executive of CapeUK, leading it to become an influential organisation at the forefront of thinking and development in creativity and learning. Pat specialises in professional development in relation to pedagogy, reflective practice and leadership for creativity.

Pat was Creativity Advisor to the Department for Children, Schools and Families for two years and is currently an education consultant to four Schools of Creativity, Chair of the Brigshaw Trust – a ground-breaking co-operative trust of 8 schools, a Trustee of Yorkshire Arts Space, a fellow of RSA and a member of the Advisory Board of Chicago Arts Partnerships in Education.

Pat has written a number of books and articles on creative learning – available on the CapeUK website.

www.capeuk.org

'Where'er you walk, cool glades shall fan the glade
Trees, where you sit, shall crowd into a shade:
Where'er you tread, the blusing flow'rs shall rise
And all things **flourish** where you turn your eyes.'

Alexander Pope

