

What's on in Burton Bradstock Library this August

**'The Ties That Bind Us', 3rd to 27th August 2026,
during normal opening hours**

In this new project, local resident, **Alison Leahy** set out to create portrait photographs of some of the people that have lived in Burton Bradstock for all or most of their lives exploring the villagers' lives and times as well as their connections to each other, the village, and the Pitt Rivers' Estate Sale.

Alison talked to these villagers about their lives, families, jobs and interests. They generously shared their personal stories and memories of local events. Through this collaborative process, the composition of each portrait emerged, and through these conversations, Alison feels, she has become more assimilated into the village.



Derek Ridge, The Man who Built 'Noah's Ark'
at Flax Mill, Burton Bradstock

On **Tuesday 4th August**, **Charles Fuge**, author, book illustrator and resident of Burton Bradstock, will be telling younger children how his stories develop and his characters come alive. Come along with an adult from 10 to 11.30am to learn how this book came about and where it is set. Book a place on the list in the Library and donations are welcome.

