

Annwyl Bawb / Dear All

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Just a short note to wish you all a very Happy New Year and to inform you that Morlan Company's production of ***O Blith fy Mhobl (From the Midst of my People)*** that was to be held next Sunday (11 January) has had to be cancelled. Apologies for any inconvenience that this causes.

This is also an opportunity to remind you that the official opening of Gareth Owen's exhibition ***Cysgod y Capel (The Shadow of the Chapel)*** will take place at 7.30, Monday, 19 January. This will be in the form of a *seiat* (society meeting), chaired by Harry James with Gareth Owen present to discuss his work. The artist considers this *seiat* to be a core element of the art work, and everyone is welcome (please note though: the discussions will be in Welsh). The exhibition, that contains echoes of chapel vestries, will be here until 28 February.

In the words of the artist himself: *"The images seen derive from my personal background, the background of the 'Pethe'. The idea of Welshness means something different to everybody, but to me Welshness is the Welsh language, the eisteddfod, poetry, the politics of peace and culture, with the chapel's shadow over it all. I hope that the images will convey the feeling of hope, re-birth and resurrection. The 'Pethe' period will never return in the same form, but man has a special ability to re-discover himself."*

If you know of anyone who would be interested in finding out about what's going on at Morlan, please feel free to forward this e-bulletin to them.

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Cofion gorau / Best wishes

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