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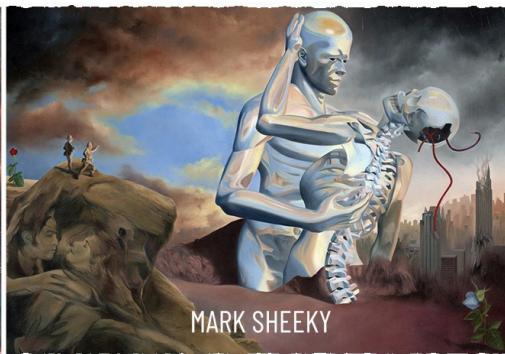
ORIGINAL PAINTINGS • SCULPTURES • DESIGNER FURNISHINGS • ART RESALES

This month:

Discover evocative new releases from acclaimed Bristol-based artist *Toni Cogdell*, alongside striking new surrealist oil paintings by Cheshire artist *Mark Sheeky*, plus a beautiful abstract landscape from gallery local *Huxley*.



TONI COGDELL



MARK SHEEKY



HUXLEY

Artist News:

Two of our artists have exciting news to share this month.



Italian artist **Leonardo Passeri** has received the honour of having one of his original paintings entrusted to the Italian Football Federation, a significant recognition of his artistic achievement and growing international profile. The work now forms part of an important cultural and sporting collection, celebrating the connection between art, heritage and national identity.

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Closer to home, Knutsford-based artist **Sheila Scholes** has been featured in Country Living Vintage Home magazine, which has published a wonderful article showcasing her characterful Italianate home and studio. The feature offers a fascinating glimpse into the environment that inspires her distinctive paintings, revealing a beautifully curated space filled with creativity, colour and personal history.

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We're extremely pleased to see both artists receiving such well-deserved recognition and invite you to explore their available paintings online and in the gallery.

Gallery News:

Muddy Stilettos

We're absolutely delighted to announce that Oil Art Advisory has been named the regional Cheshire winner in the *Arts, Culture & Theatre* category in the 2026 **Muddy Stilettos Awards**. A big thank you to everyone who voted for us. We are very honoured!

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Toni Cogdell

Abstract Figurative Portrait Artist / Bristol, England

A contemporary figurative artist celebrated for her evocative and deeply introspective paintings.



Above: *Of The Tides* (2026), mixed media on canvas, 100 x 85 cm, by Toni Cogdell

TONI COGDELL

Of The Tides (2026)

original

mixed media on canvas

canvas size: 100 x 85 cm / 39 ¼ x 33 ½ in

signed & framed

£ 2,300

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Above: *Coming Through In Waves* (2026), mixed media on canvas, 100 x 76 cm, by Toni Cogdell

TONI COGDELL

Coming Through In Waves (2026)

original

mixed media on canvas

canvas size: 100 x 76 cm / 39 ¼ x 30 in

signed & framed

£ 2,100

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Above: *Clouds* (2026), mixed media on canvas, 100 x 90 cm, by Toni Cogdell

TONI COGDELL

Clouds (2026)

original

mixed media on canvas

canvas size: 100 x 90 cm / 39 ¼ x 35 ½ in

signed & framed

£ 2,300

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Above: *How To Catch A Heart 2* (2026), mixed media on canvas, 120 x 90 cm, by Toni Cogdell

TONI CODGELL

How To Catch A Heart 2 (2026)

original

mixed media on canvas

canvas size: 120 x 90 cm / 47 ¼ x 35 ½ in

signed & framed

£ 2,750

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Mark Sheeky

Surrealism / Cheshire, England



Above and below: *Tiger Moving Nowhere At All* (2012), oil on panel, 37 x 61 cm, by Mark Sheeky



MARK SHEEKY

Tiger Moving Nowhere At All (2012)

original

oil on panel

image size: 14 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 24 in / 37.5 x 61 cm

signed & framed

£ 4,000

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Above and below: *Triumph Of The Mechanauts...* (2012), oil on canvas, 61 x 87 cm, by Mark Sheeky



MARK SHEEKY

Triumph Of The Mechanauts: Two Victorian Time Travellers

Discovering Lovelessness In The Year 2791 (2012)

original

oil on canvas

image size: 24 x 34 in / 61 x 86.4 cm

signed & framed

£ 4,000

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Above: *My Pretty Rose Tree* (2012), watercolour, 14 x 19 cm by Mark Sheeky

MARK SHEEKY

My Pretty Rose Tree (2012)

original

watercolour on 535gsm Bockingford® watercolour paper

unframed, with a 6 x 10 in. black mount

14 x 19 cm / 5 ½ x 7 ½ in

signed on reverse

£ 195

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Above: *The Angel* (2012), watercolour, 14 x 19 cm by Mark Sheeky

MARK SHEEKY

The Angel (2012)

original

watercolour on 535gsm Bockingford® watercolour paper

unframed, with a 6 x 10 in. black mount

14 x 19 cm / 5 ½ x 7 ½ in

signed on reverse

£ 195

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Huxley

Abstract Impressionism / Cheshire, England

Huxley's art is characterised by a thoughtful balance between structure and spontaneity, using bold colour relationships and dynamic compositions to convey atmosphere and emotion.



Above: *Landscape Abstract 06* (2023), oil on canvas, 30 x 30 cm, by Huxley



HUXLEY

Landscape Abstract 6 (2023)

original

oil on canvas

30 x 30 cm / 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ in

signed & framed

£ 900

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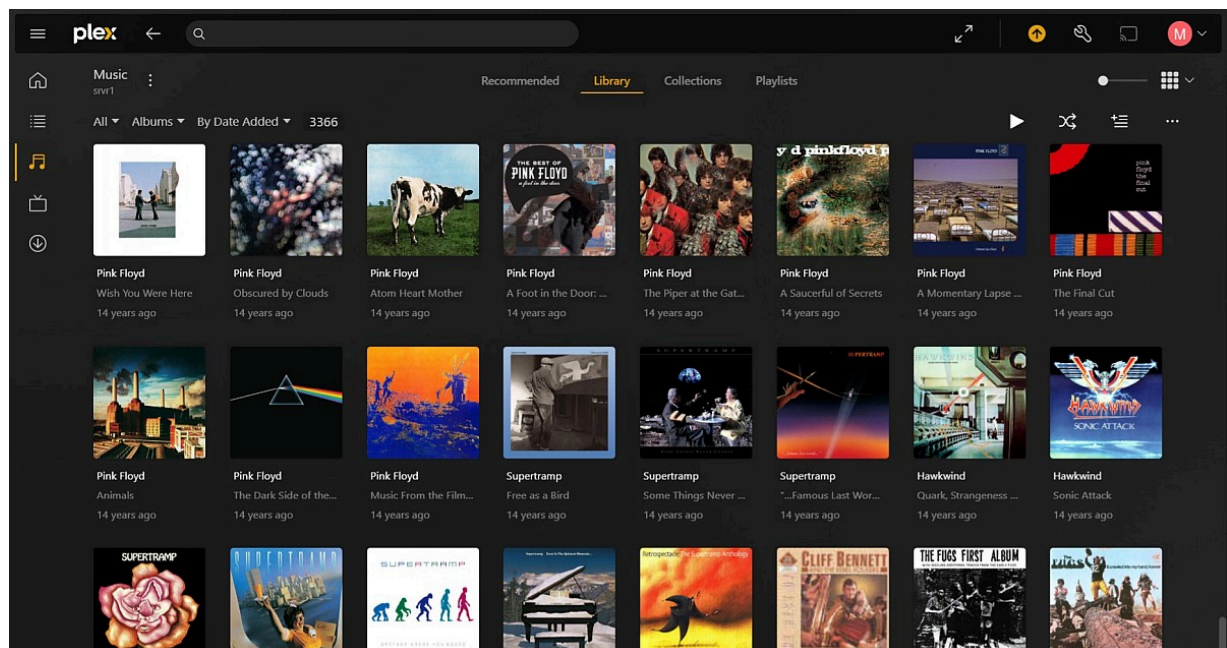
Gallery Music

Because so many people have asked...

Since first opening our doors back in March 2024, people have often asked for the title of the song currently playing in the gallery, which we take as a compliment, as music is an important part of the atmosphere here, and visitors often find themselves drawn to a particular track or artist they've never encountered before.

I guess because Zoe and I have both travelled extensively throughout our lives, with previous careers taking us around the world over many decades, our musical tastes have been influenced by many different places and cultures, and the playlist that accompanies the artwork reflects that journey.

All of the music played in the gallery is streamed from an off-site server running **Plex** on a Linux platform. At present, the library contains 3,366 albums spanning a wide range of artists, genres and influences collected over a lifetime. This gives us plenty of scope to keep the soundtrack fresh, varied and often unexpected, and because the system keeps detailed playback logs, we can, with a little technical wizardry, analyse the data to discover which albums and tracks have been played most often over any given period.



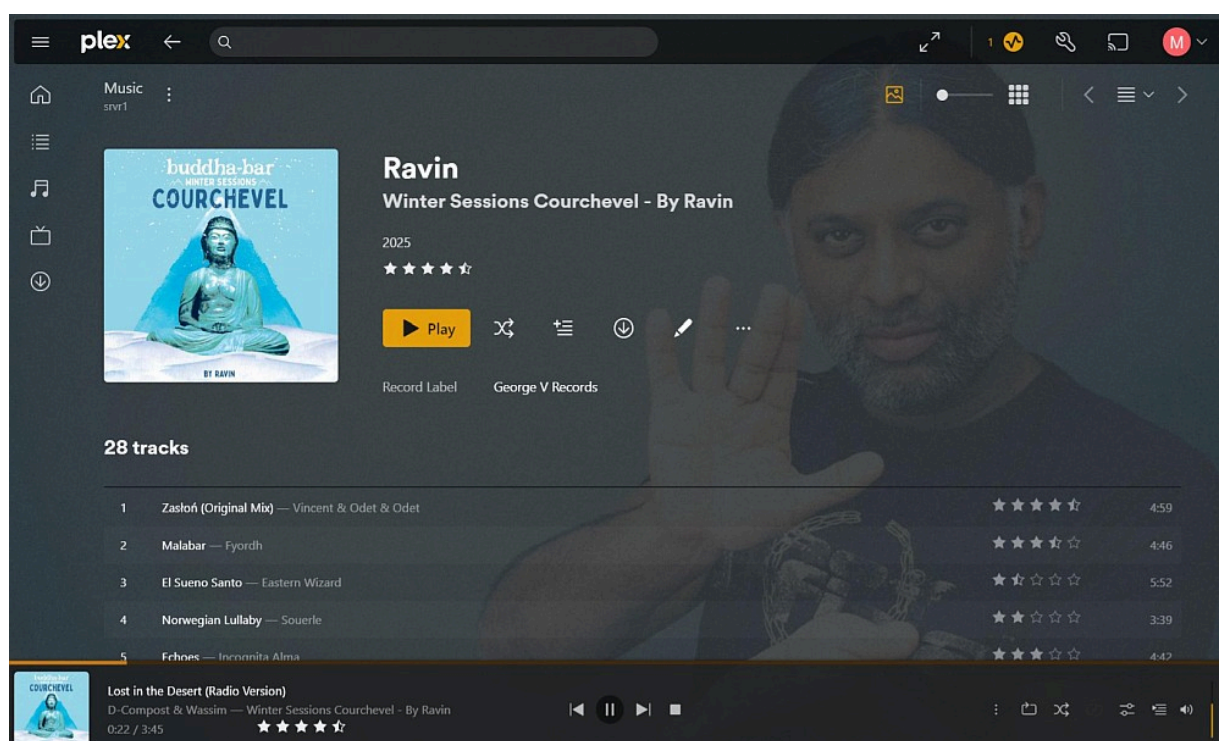
So, rather than answering the same question over and over again, I'll quietly start publishing a monthly roundup of the gallery's most-played album and track. I'll also add links to the Discogs database for those who'd like to know more, along with official YouTube, Apple Music and Spotify links whenever they're available, plus a link to purchase the album. So, without further ado...

Most Played Album

Buddha-bar - Winter Sessions Courchevel [[discogs.com](https://www.discogs.com)]

Various artists (Compiled/mixed by DJ Ravin) (2CD) (2025), George V Records / Wagram Music [3489476]

[YouTube CD1](#) / [YouTube CD2](#) / [Apple Music](#) / [Spotify](#) / [Amazon UK](#)



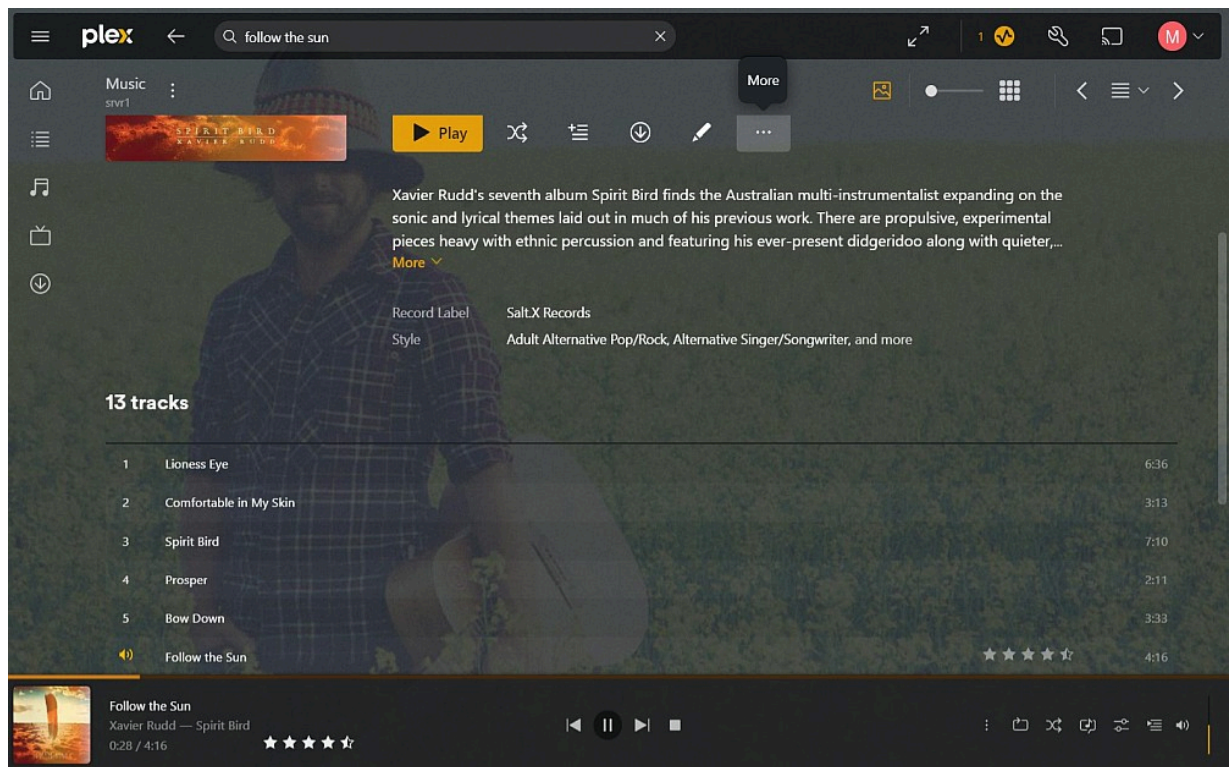
As some of our favourite songs are also added to playlists on the Plex server, the most-played track isn't necessarily from the most-played album.

Most Played Track

Xavier Rudd, *Follow The Sun* [[discogs.com](https://www.discogs.com)]

Track #6 from the album Spirit Bird (2012), Salt.X Records [3704825]

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If you like what you hear, then please consider purchasing the artist's albums to allow them to continue to make great music.

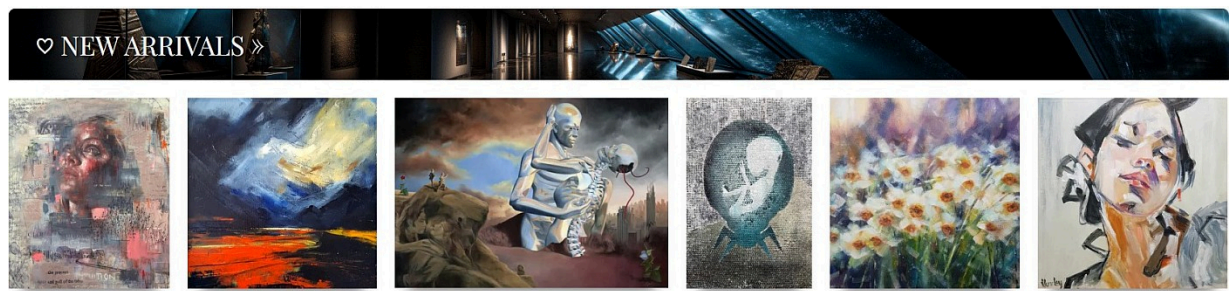
Our lives would be far less interesting without them!

Incoming Art Next Month...

We're expecting a new **Simon Quinn** original figurative portrait, two **Emma Bell** abstract, floral paintings and a couple more **Anna Razumovskaya** original paintings will also be available to purchase from our **art resales** page.

New arrivals...

Visit our **New Arrivals** page to see the artworks as they arrive in the gallery. The page consists purely of images, with the latest artwork displayed in the top left. If you like what you see, then clicking an image brings up more information, and from there, clicking on the artist's name takes you to their works page, which displays their complete portfolio.



Above: A screen capture from the homepage of the Oil website, showing the latest artworks to arrive in the gallery.
TIP: Clicking on the "NEW ARRIVALS »" title when on the homepage, links to the comprehensive new arrivals page, showing the last 100 artworks to arrive.

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Gallery Hours

Just a reminder that the gallery is open on Sundays from 11am - 4pm, if you're local or if you're visiting family in Knutsford.

You can find our location and directions on [Google Maps](#) or on [what3words](#)

Sunday: 11am - 4pm

Monday: Closed

Tuesday: Private viewing strictly by appointment only

Wednesday: 11am - 5pm

Thursday: 11am - 5pm

Friday: 11am - 5pm

Saturday: 11am - 5pm



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wall art and
installations, plus
large home, art consulting
with an interior designer



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& a platform for local artists

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