



**"How do you know
but ev'ry Bird
that cuts the
airy way,
Is an immense
world of delight,
clos'd by your
senses five?"
William Blake**

Ev'ry Bird Series 1

**Limited edition of 24
drawings by birds and wind.**

Created from the 1st to the 12th
June 2020.

Bristol, United Kingdom.

Each drawing records 12 hours
of day or night.





"June has been busy for the sparrows in my tiny garden. In early June the babies left the nest and the mothers collected seeds from the feeder to deliver to the little ones waiting underneath. It is my hope that throughout the month I will see the babies grow to feed themselves and provide more movement for the drawings to capture." Lisa Cole

I am lucky enough to have a little garden.

I have crammed it full of stuff, including one elder tree that planted itself. It has a rose bush that twines through it and it is next to thick bay bush.



My garden attracts little chattering sparrows and great tits.

Occasionally I get a majestic blackbird and far too frequently pigeons visit to dig up my seedlings. I lure the birds with fat balls and tasty treats and as they feed and fight over the food, the bird feeder swings.



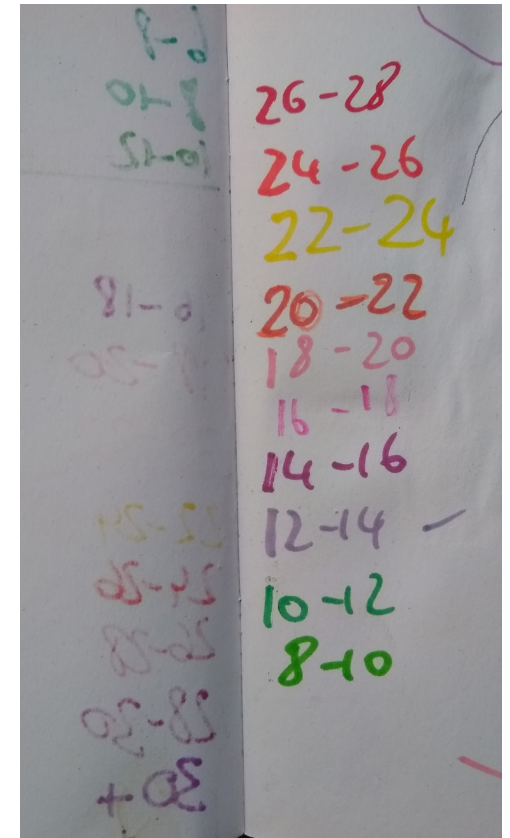
I developed a series of drawing machines that convert the movement of birds into lines. Series 1 is from the first drawing machine.

The first 12 days of June 2020 had a ritual to them. Every morning I typed up the days weather forecast and loaded up the drawing machine. The day drawing was from 8am to 8pm.



At 8pm I swapped the paper for a new sheet typed with the forecast for the next 12 hours and changed the pen to a dark colour.

During the day I changed ink colour when the temperature changed, working to a colour chart I developed that could be harmonious as well as vibrant, depending on the days selections.



In the daytime temperature changes of more than 2 degrees c are celebrated with a change of colour.

30C+	20-22C	10-12C
28-30C	18-20C	8-10C
26-28C	16-18C	6-8C
24-26C	14-16C	4-6C
22-24C	12-14C	2-4C

Lisa Cole is fascinated by the possibility of turning intangible things into objects we can hold and patterns and shapes we can see.

Her work records and presents data in a way that can be accessed by different senses. Sounds can be felt, movement can be seen.

The Ev'ry Bird series of drawings capture moments in time through lines created by wildlife and weather.

Each original drawing takes 12 hours. They are made by a drawing machine that comprises a swinging platform with pens attached to a bird feeder.

Every movement of birds and winds creates a movement, either of the paper or the pen.

Windy days create stronger lines, calm days make for blots and intense ink work in particular areas. At night the drawing machine is loaded up with a dark pen.

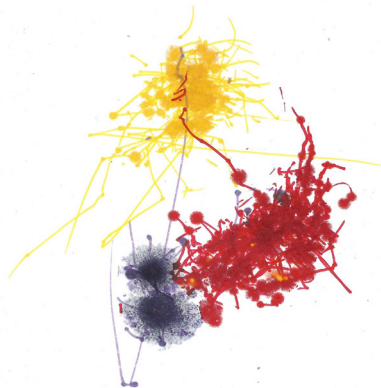
Each Bird and Wind Drawing is hand typed with the date and forecast for the day.

The drawings are made in all weathers and rainy days discolour the pure white background of the paper.

Permachrome ink
300gsm smooth white card
Image size: 148.5 x 210mm
Edition 1/1



Bird/Wind Drawing
1st June 2020
12 to 25c
NE 10-9mph
15mph gusts
Mostly sunny and pleasant



Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 1st June 2020
12 to 21c
Mostly Clear
ENE 10mph
Gusts 23 mph



Bird/Wind Drawing
3rd June 2020
10 to 17c
NE 8mph
Gusts 14mph
A thick cloud cover and cooler with a couple of showers and a thunderstorm



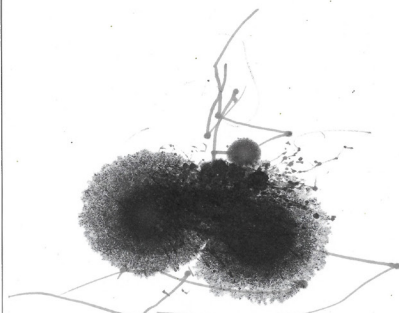
Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 3rd June 2020
9c
N 8mph
Gusts 15mph
A couple of showers and a thunderstorm in the evening; otherwise cloudy most of the time.



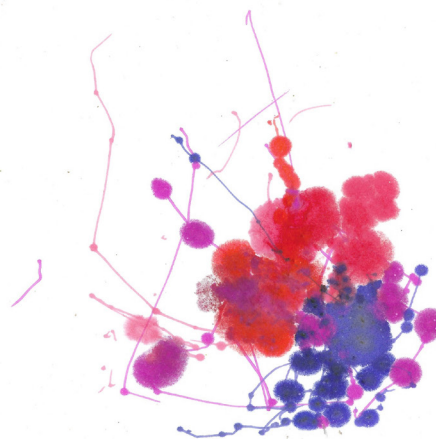
Bird/Wind Drawing
2nd June 2020
12 to 24c
N 7mph
9mph gusts
Pleasant with sun and some clouds



Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 2nd June 2020
14c
NNW 5mph
Gusts 10mph
Partly cloudy with a passing shower late

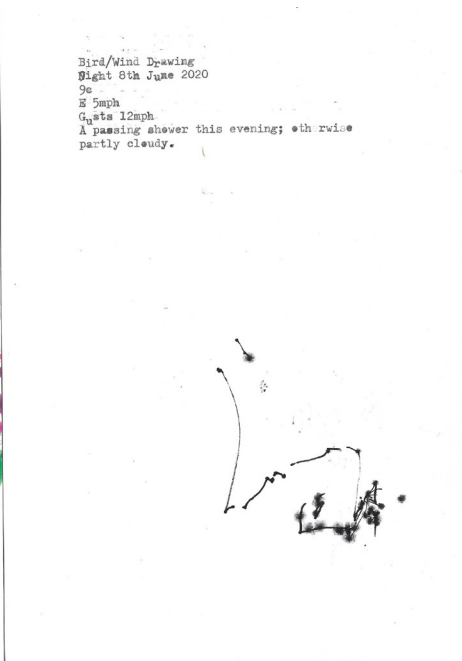
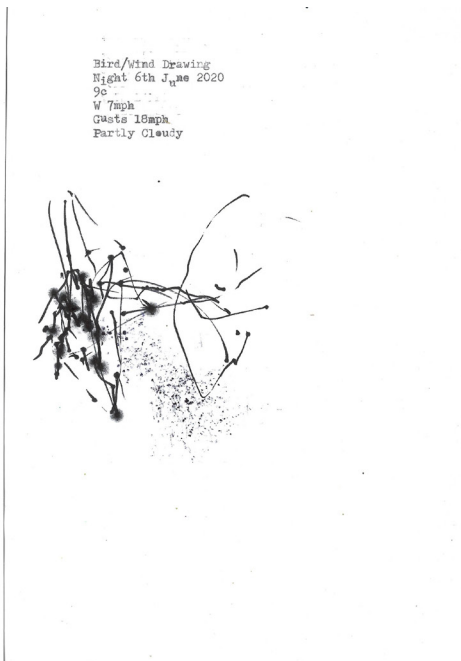
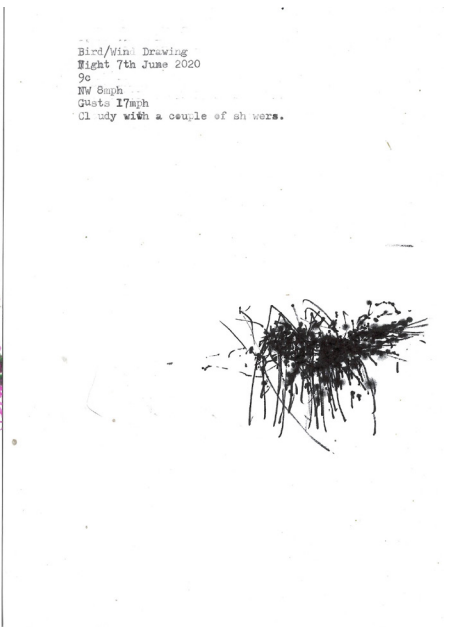
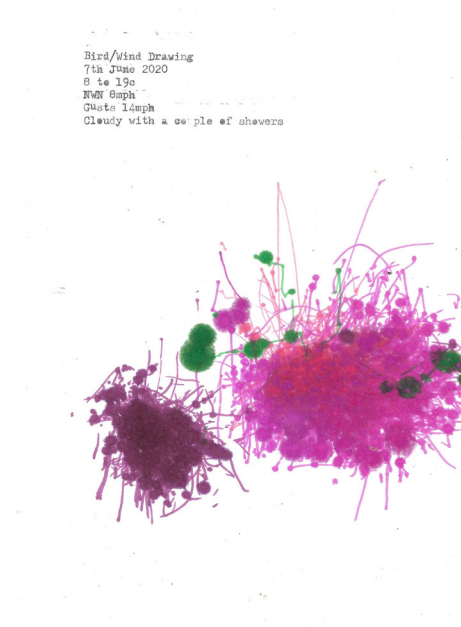
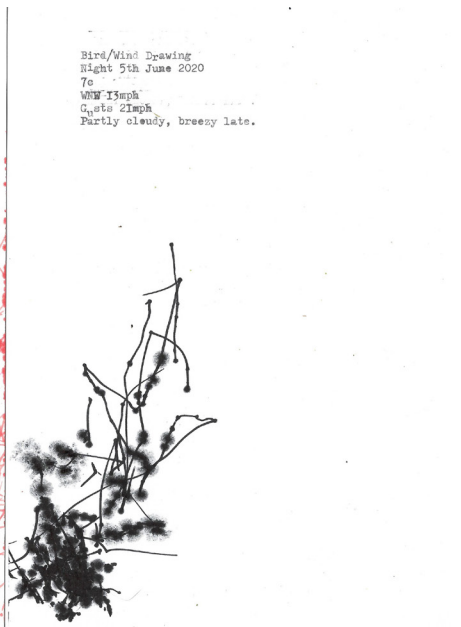
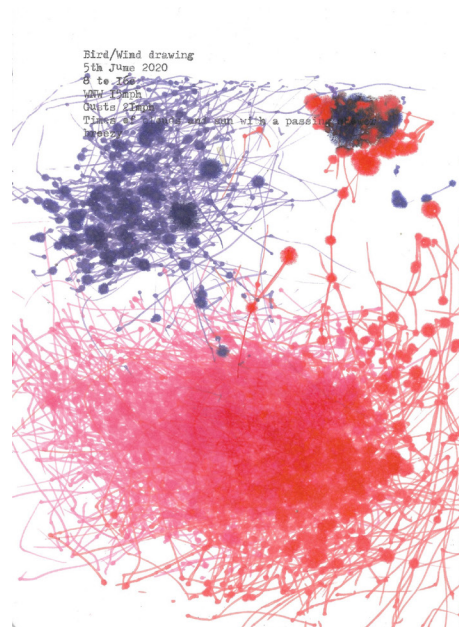


Bird/Wind Drawing
4th June 2020
10 to 17c
NNW 8mph
Gusts 13mph
Times of clouds and sun.



Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 4th June 2020
9c
WNW 9mph
Gusts 16 mph
Mostly cloudy with a passing shower





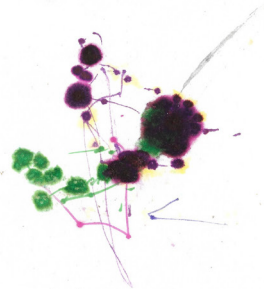
Bird/Wind Drawing
9th June 2020
11 to 19c
W 6mph
Gusts 10mph
Mostly cloudy with a shower in places.



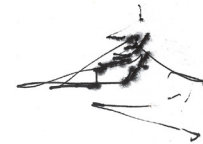
Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 9th June 2020
11c
W 6mph
Gusts 14mph
Mostly cloudy.



Bird/Wind Drawing
11th June 2020
12 to 18c
ENE 15mph
Gusts 22mph
Periods of rain; breezy in the evening.



Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 11th June 2020
12c
NE 12mph
Gusts 22mph
Breezy this evening; otherwise, mostly cloudy with a couple of showers late.



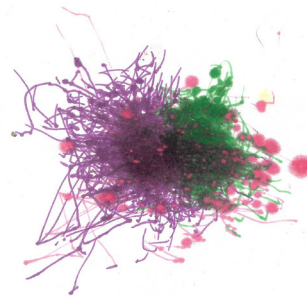
Bird/Wind Drawing
10th June 2020
10 to 16c
WSW 5mph
Gusts 8mph
Mostly cloudy with a couple of showers and a thunderstorm.



Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 10th June 2020
10c
SE 8mph
Gusts 14mph
A little evening rain; otherwise, plenty of clouds.



Bird/Wind Drawing
12th June 2020
11 to 20c
ENE 15mph
Gusts 22mph
Mostly cloudy; breezy in the morning with showers followed by a little rain in the afternoon.



Bird/Wind Drawing
Night 12th June 2020
12c
E 7mph
Gusts 15mph
A couple of evening showers and a thunderstorm otherwise, partly cloudy.

