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And in the Beginning.....



It needed someone with vision to believe that this was what we displaced artists needed!



And that person is Lynda Thomas:

who pursued and persuaded us to see through the grime and dust.

Who would have believed.....



Less than 6 weeks from
the previous pictures!



Hebden Bridge Arts Festival July 2009



And so it came to Pass.....





**Chris and Angie,
relaxed and
confident that their
efforts are all
straight and above
board!**

**Here, Debs is tying the
magnificent red ribbon
around the pillar in the
gallery ready to be cut
by our honoured guests.**

**No expense has been
spared!**



**Last minute
preparations, and
agonizing!**

**Lynda obviously
delighted at
something Sue has
said.
David in the
background seems
less sure!**



**Debs gathers more
help to get this ribbon
right!**

**Artists and their
guests mingle!**





Lynda and Sue meet Cllr Catherine Groves and Cllr Robin Dixon, Deputy Mayor and Mayoress of Hebden Royd Town Council.

Alan of Corista relaxes before the singers entertain us. Cllrs Robin and Catherine are unaware of the interest being taken in them by the dog!



A fine selection of songs by Corista held us all spellbound.

A GRAND OPENING!



Are these scissors sharp?

Yes they are!



**Relief and smiles
all round.**



Corista - a group of seven singers, an off-shoot of the Calder Valley Voices.



Debs, beautifully framed by Chris Herbert's painting.
Members thank Corista for providing our entertainment; it was a joy to hear.....



**.....as is obvious from
the group of visitors
pictured right.**



**Angie deep in discussion
with one of our guests.**



**The audience are still
enjoying the singing.**



A general view of the artists and their guests.

The 'children's table' proved very popular with all the youngsters.

We like to get them young!



Sarah chatting with Mary Loney (MBE) popular Founder of the very successful Arts Courses, and tutor, in Todmorden Community College. Mary is also a leading light at the Northlight Studio (next door to us).



Welcome to our youngest member – Aubrey, infant son of Cathy and Andy

Here's to our new artist.



..... and so say all of us!

**And now what do
we do next?**



**Watch this space
for what these are
up to!**