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gulp_kayewinwood Saturday was an emotional day! After 8 months of working, we launched the Sensory Trail at @the_morw which has been developed in collaboration with @themondaynightclub2011 (MNC) as part of 'Taste, Touch, Smell'. It's been the best of journeys, and the trail is only one part of the creative process we have travelled.

Over 8 months I worked alongside artists and museum staff to run workshops, trips and activities with the members of MNC. During this time we made plaster casts and porcelain fruit and veg to create sensory tactile plates; we decorated plates with images of the things we cherish; we recorded sounds of porcelain being used and made music; we squeezed clay in our hands to create objects of the same weight of items in the collection; we made pickles; we prepared great, nutritious food; we ate together; we drew in sketchbooks; collectively we made a tablecloth with outlines of our hands amongst stencils of 18th porcelain objects in the collection; we went to Croome Court on a minibus; we saw, we tasted, we heard, we sniffed, we touched, we sensed, we explored, we laughed, we talked and we got to know each other...

I am sad this project is coming to an end, I have learnt so much during the process - as an artist and as a person. It's given me perspective and a fresh new outlook.

Heartfelt thanks to members and volunteers at Monday Night Club, in particular Laura and Helen who set up and maintain this wonderful growing beast of a club, and for filling the hearts, bellies and minds of the members and everyone involved. Also to @nualaclooney and @lookatthethingsisee for your creativity; @spectraartscompany @katederight and @robinplayschords for leading an inspiring workshop about accessibility and neurodiversity with the museum's staff; @_annabelleeats for delivering an amazing menu; @annabsexton for sharing words of wisdom and support; @molly_mcdonagh1 for being my RH woman.

Thanks to the Museum of Royal Worcester for inviting me and giving me the time and space (and patience) to ask questions, and make a few slip ups along the way. I think this project has been a steep and wonderful learning opportunity for us all.

Go see it!

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