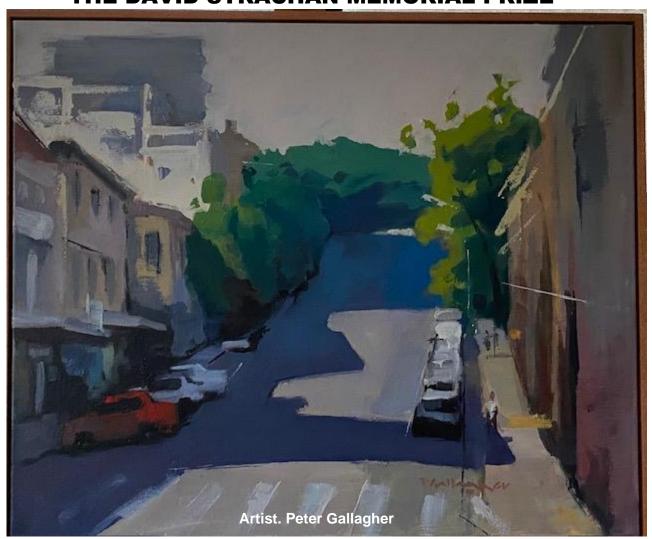


2024 Newcastle Show Art Competition & Exhibition

Featuring THE DAVID STRACHAN MEMORIAL PRIZE



ENTRIES CLOSE
WEDNESDAY, 14 FEBRUARY 2024
At 5PM

NEWCASTLE SHOW ART COMPETITION & EXHIBITION 1,2,3 MARCH 2024 WELCOME

We invite artists to submit their entries and exhibits

TRADITIONAL OWNERS

The Newcastle Regional Show respectfully acknowledges Traditional Owners and Indigenous Peoples, their rich and dynamic cultures and their continuing unique affinity and cultural obligations for land and sea. We pay our respect to them and their cultures, and to elders both past and present.

HOW TO ENTER

- Please visit the Newcastle Show website: www.newcastleshow.com.au competitions tab / Art link for competition schedule and to complete your online entry Entries should open mid November,.
- Entries to be made online and payment is required at this time by credit card.
- If this is not suitable, you are able welcome to call into the Show Office and fill out an entry form and make payment.

Newcastle Show Office Newcastle Showground. Griffiths Rd. - Entry drive in, or Curley Rd entry gates. BROADMEADOW NSW 2292

Enquiries:

- Enquiries may be directed to the Newcastle Show Office on 49 61 2085
- Email: jenny@newcastleshow.com.au

ART/SCULPTURES/JEWELLERY PRESENTATION AWARDS & FUNCTION EVENING: - For artists and guests

*More information will be provided closer to the event. ACCEPTANCES ONLY.

When: Monday 26th February 2024 Time. TBA Location: Newcastle Showgrounds.

Details: You will receive an emailed invitation at a later date.

RSVP: Essential

Purchase of Art Exhibits

Artwork & Jewellery will be available for purchase at the Art Presentation Awards evening. Please Note: Any Art and Jewellery purchases may be collected on completion of the three day show.

Artwork and Jewellery, will also be available for purchase during the Newcastle Show during the show period. **How to Purchase:** A small deposit is normally required. We will attach a red dot on your selected artwork. Collection of purchased Artwork: To be collected from 4pm to 5pm at completion of the Art Exhibition on Sunday 3 March. Full Payment is required with collection.

Publicity: Permission to use Artworks for publicity purposes is assumed on entry into the competition.

Entry to the Showground:

Exhibitors wishing to enter the showground during the running of the show will pay normal gate prices UNLESS the exhibitor is a member of the Show Association, or you are collecting your exhibits. Please have your receipt for gate entry. Vehicular access is permitted in the lead-up to the Show for the delivery of your exhibits. You will not be able to drive in to collect your exhibits on the Sunday afternoon 3/3/24.

Membership of the Association - Optional:

Newcastle A.H.&I Association is a not for profit, community - based organization.

Membership runs from 1 July to 30 June. Standard member fees are Adult \$30. Members are entitled to unlimited entry to the Show. <u>Note</u>: If you join after 1 April, your membership will be valid until 30 June the following year. Members can purchase guests' tickets at a discounted rate.



To Contact the Show Office

Visit Admin Office, Newcastle Showground

Curley Road, Broadmeadow.

Write: PO Box 53 Broadmeadow 2292

Phone: 02 4961 2085

Email: jenny@newcastleshow.com.au www.newcastleshow.com.au

SPONSOR THANKS

ART2Q4

Eleanor Anson is a consistent award winner and experienced art teacher, with over 20 years' experience in the industry.

Classes cater to young children, teenagers, and adults of all abilities, encouraging students to develop their own unique style, consistently building their skill base going on to win awards and selling their art works and just having fun.

ENQUIRIES: email art2q4@bigpond.com or telephone 4954 8480.

CHROMA AUSTRALIA ONLINE

<u>Chroma Australia</u> has been delivering quality paints and mediums in Australia and world-wide for over 50 years. Visit their website for their Product catalogue and stockists, articles, project downloads and news.

Local Stockists: Eckersley's, Hamilton & Artist Mart, Belmont.

Email: marketing@chromonline.com.

JENNY VARLEY

The Varley family have a long association with the Newcastle Show. Jenny's Husband, Clem Varley, was a past Newcastle Show President. We thank the Varley Family who continue to support the Show.

MAC- MUSEUM OF ART AND CULTURE, LAKE MACQUARIE

MAC Yapang invites you to experience art and be inspired. The Museum offers a range of workshops, tours and events, including curriculum-based activities. Discover artesian made gifts at Shop MAC, come for lunch at three bears café and explore the sculpture park at this stunning location on Lake Macquarie. Keep up to date with the latest exhibitions and events at mac.lakemac.com.au.

Tuesday – Sunday 9am - 3pm ph. 02 49210382 e: mac@lakemac.nsw.gov.au @MACmuseum

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ESSENTIAL CRITERIA – CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entries Close Wednesday 14 February 2024 - 5pm - No Late Entries Accepted

Please Note: All Art exhibits must have a suitable cord/wire for hanging.

- 1. Entry Fee: \$10 Open & \$5 Jnr classes. All exhibitors must complete the GST section on the entry form. All prizes are inclusive of GST where applicable. Please allow for gst to be deducted from sales.
- <u>2</u> Exhibit Details-Art: Back of Exhibit Title, price, class entered, artist's name, phone number on back.
- 3. JNR ART Maximum number per exhibitor- Two exhibits up to ½ square metre.(incl. frame)
- 4. **OPEN ART** Maximum number per exhibitor Three exhibits up to 1metre square, plus one additional allowed up to ½ square metre. (incl. frame) You can enter into any of the classes.
- 5. JEWELLERY MAKING Design must be original with the use of authentic gemstones and precious/semi-precious metals. The winning exhibit will be showcased at Williams the Jewellers Store at the Junction By entering this class, you agree for your jewellery to be displayed. All care will be taken with exhibits.
- 6. Any one exhibit cannot be entered in multiple classes. Entries must have been completed within the last 18 months and original uncopied work of the artist. You must not enter an exhibit that has been previously entered into the Newcastle show.
- 7. Entry Alterations: Careful consideration should be taken when choosing title and sale price as there are to be no changes to the work entered, its title or sale price etc.
- **8. Freight and Insurance:** Exhibitors are responsible for the insurance of works, delivery and freight costs to and from the Newcastle Showground.
- 9. Sale of Works: All entries are to be for sale (Exception Jewellery & Jnr Art, classes, which is optional) with the Art prices in dollars marked on the back, which includes the cost of the frame. A commission of 25% in the Open Artwork & Jewellery (Inc GST) will be charged by the Show Association on all artworks sold which will be deducted from the sale price. Please ensure you allow for the cost of your frame and any commission which is to be deducted from any sold ART. We will do our best to deposited funds to your nominated account within two weeks of any sale.
- **10. Judging**: All eligible entries will be judged, however, due to limited space, it will be at the discretion of the Committee regarding hanging of Art exhibits. **Judging** for Art & Jewellery is closed to the public and will take place on Monday 26 February 2024. All decisions of the judge/judges will be final in all matters and no correspondence will be entered into.
- 11. **Framing:** All Artwork must be framed and mounted ready for hanging with 'D' rings and hanging wire/framing cord. Kitchen twine is not acceptable. Works on Canvas may be stretched over frame.
- **12. Sculptures:** If entering a sculpture, please have ready for assembly. *The exhibitor is responsible for providing their own plinth and assembly onsite.* Maximum weight 10kg unless floor mounted. Sculptures will be exhibited in an area with public access. Bollards will be erected around sculptures for additional protection however, it is the artist's responsibility to ensure that adequate stability and protection are incorporated into the work.
- 13. DELIVERY OF EXHIBITS FRIDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2024: 8.30 AM 11.00 AM ART DELIVERY- NEWCASTLE EXHIBITION CENTRE

All works being exhibited must be delivered directly to the Newcastle Showground, **Exhibition Centre.** Vehicle **e**ntry via Griffiths Road or walk-through Brown or Curley gates. Directions Griffiths entry – After turning into showgrounds, turn right and follow the road to the very end. The Exhibition Centre is situated just in front.* Works delivered outside these times will not be accepted.

JEWELLERY DELIVERY: - NEWCASTLE SHOW OFFICE

Entry by car – Griffiths Road. Take the right-hand road, when entering. Alternatively, walk through Curley Road gates, Broadmeadow.

14. COLLECTIONS OF EXHIBITS: SUNDAY 3 MARCH 2024

Between <u>4.00 PM - 5.00 PM - Not before 4.00 PM</u>

ART COLLECTION - NEWCASTLE EXHIBITION CENTRE

JEWELLERY COLLECTION - NEWCASTLE SHOW OFFICE

Written authority must be given to agents of exhibitors not collecting works personally.

<u>Note:</u> Your Receipt must be presented when collecting exhibits at Brown or Curley Rd. Gates from 4pm-5pm Sunday, and not before. No vehicles are to be on the grounds on the Sunday as the show will still be in progress.

. Newcastle Show closes 5pm Sunday.

- 15 **Exhibits not collected:** Exhibits will be held at the Show Association office for 3 weeks after the Show for collection
- 16 **Care and Responsibility:** The Association will exercise all reasonable care and security in the handling and exhibition of works submitted but will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any work while in its custody. Please list special handling instructions, if any, with entry.

NEWCASTLE SHOW ART COMPETITON/EXHIBITION

Note: Not adhering to the "Essential Criteria" Page, could result in disqualification ALL ART works must be ready for hanging via a secure wire/cord on back.

ART CAN BE A PAINTING/ DRAWING -Any media, including mixed media/lino Exception 407/408

Up to 3 x exhibits up to 1 square metre and (an additional) 1 x exhibit up to ½ square metre. Total of 4 x exhibits within above guidelines. You may enter exhibits in any of the relative classes.

IUNIOR Classes - Classes 409, 410 & 411 - Up to 2 x exhibits ½ square metre max size.

CLASS 401: Landscapes – Rural/Agricultural or Urban/Industrial

18 years and over -Traditional or Non-Traditional

Prize money 1st \$500 and Rosette. Sponsored by Jenny Varley

CLASS 402: Traditional - People - Animals - Miscellaneous

18 years and over Prize Money 1st \$500 and Rosette. **Sponsored by Jenny Varley**

CLASS 403: Contemporary /Non-Traditional – Any Subject

18 years and over Prize Money 1st \$500 and Rosette -Sponsored by Jenny Varley

CLASS 404: Interiors - Flowers - Still Life

18 years and over Prize money 1st \$500 and Rosette **Sponsored by Jenny Varley**

CLASS 405: Waterways of the Lower Hunter –

18 years and over Newcastle, Lake Macquarie, Port Stephens LGA's

Prize money 1st \$500 and Rosette Sponsored by Jenny Varley

CLASS 406: Indigenous Art (by an Indigenous Australian)

18 years and over Prize money 1st \$500 and Rosette -Sponsored by Jenny Varley

CLASS 407: Sculpture – 3D

18 years and over Prizemoney 1st \$500 and Rosette. Sponsored by MAC, Lake Macquarie

CLASS 408: Jewellery Making – Original design.

18 years and over Prizemoney - 1st \$250 and Rosette. In Kind for this category also.

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CLASS 409: Any Subject

4 yrs. to 9 years Prize money 1st \$100 plus Ribbon, Runner-up Ribbon. Sponsored by ART2Q4

CLASS 410: Any Subject

10 yrs. to 13 years Prizemoney 1st \$100 plus Ribbon, Runner Up- Ribbon. Sponsored by ART2Q4

CLASS 411: Any Subject

14 yrs. to under 18 Prizemoney

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Prizemoney 1st \$100 and ribbon, Runner Up-Ribbon. Sponsored by ART2Q4

SPECIAL ART

HIGHLY COMMENDED AWARD

AWARDS

To be awarded at the judge's discretion.

Overall Award

Prize money \$150 & rosette Sponsored by Jenny Varley

PEOPLE'S PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

CHOICE -ART

A People's choice prize of a \$300 online voucher & rosette shall be awarded to the

artist whose work is voted the most popular piece of work on display.

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BEST-ART THE DAVID STRACHAN MEMORIAL PRIZE FOR THE BEST ART EXHIBIT

EXHIBIT Selected from the winners of Classes 401-407

Prize Money \$1,500 plus Rosette. Proudly Sponsored by Jenny Varley