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THE SOCIETY MEETS ON
2ND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

from the President

Hello All,

As we head into May we have lots to look forward to now that the Royal Easter Show and the Hawkesbury Show have completed.

Our local show is always fantastic for getting the word out about Art in our area to people who may not always have a look at Art!

We had some good success with sales and our winners. Congratulations to all on another wonderful show. Thank you also to those who volunteered for the hanging and as stewards. Excellent work as always.

The Wednesday Art Group & Portrait Group missed one while the show was on, but they are back again as usual for May. The Wednesday Art Group is a lovely get together to do your Art each fortnight, as with Portraits once a month, which is great practise for regular drawing and painting.

The Kids School Holiday Workshops have been well attended and our Term 2 is very full once again for the After School Kids Art Classes. Thank you to our teachers and coordinator for running these popular events for our local children to do their Art activities.

Our Demonstration this month at our Members Meeting is Dan Moulton and we saw lots of his work at the Hawkesbury Show with most of his works selling out. We are excited to see his beautiful works in action on 14th of May, 7.30pm at the Stan Stevens Studio in Windsor.

We are also excited to have a Workshop with Jeanette Starr on 5th May painting Animals & Pets at the Stans Stevens Studio.

Hopefully you got your Autumn Exhibition entry forms in and you are preparing your works for delivery!

We are very much looking forward to our Autumn Exhibition on 24th - 26th of May coming up at the Richmond School of Arts and all hands on deck!

Stay creative everyone and look forward to seeing you all soon,
Satya

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*“What moves men of genius, or rather what inspires their work,
is not new ideas, but their obsession with the idea
that what has already been said is still not enough.”*

Eugene Delacroix

DEMONSTRATION

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 14th May 2024 7.30pm

Stan Stevens Studio, Deerubbin Centre,
Hawkesbury Cultural Precinct, George St, Windsor

The basement carpark closes at 7.45pm

\$5 entry includes supper

Dan Moulton – Naive Art

Dan Moulton is happily married to Sarah and the father of three gorgeous young girls.

Encouraged from a young age in his sketching, Dan often gravitated to the visual image as a way to express ideas with a particular love of vibrant colour, paper mediums and black pen on paper.



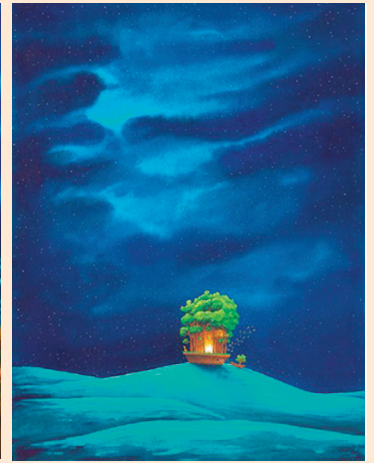
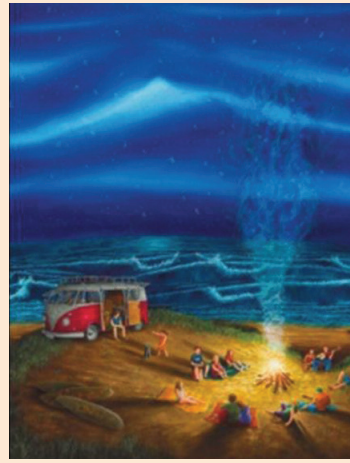
Pursuing a graphic design degree with the aim to specialise in illustration, through his 20's Dan fell in love with coloured inks as his primary medium- giving an intensity of colour on paper that he couldn't quite walk away from.



During his mid 20's Dan held three solo exhibitions which wove themes of whimsical simplicity, truthful spirituality alongside an invitation to come and enjoy the odd world that sometimes swam inside his head.

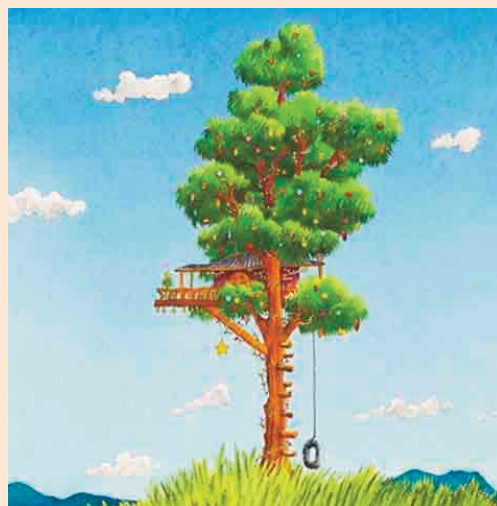


Making a conscious decision around 25 to put his art aside to pursue other aspects of life up till about 7 years ago, he felt it was time to jump in again. These days Dan's enjoyment in the art practice is a refined version of what he has always loved about art.



The joy of chewing on an artistic idea that drifts across his mind and somehow is scribbled down in a random diary, the hard work of bringing to paper a vague version of that original spark, and then sending it out into the world to be free to find a home. Always hoping to bring a bit of happiness, peace and rest, and at times inspire the consideration of how big and astonishing life is.

He still has an insatiable love of paper, the ferocious



intensity of coloured inks and feels most at home with a black pen and a diary nearby.



You can find more of his work at www.danmoultonart.com.

#MTAS #Macquarie Towns Arts Society #NaiveArtist #DanMoulton #DemoMeeting #DanMoultonDemo #DanMoultonArtworks #NaiveArt #AUartist #MTASDemoMeeting

For inquiries about this demonstration, please phone Leigh at 0401 228 624

CLASSES

MTAS CHILDREN'S AFTER SCHOOL ART CLASSES

Teacher Marcella Pyke

Term 2 resumes on 6th & 8th May 2024

**Term fees of \$120 paid via direct deposit to MTAS,
Cash or by Creative Kids Vouchers.**

ENROLMENTS ESSENTIAL

Richmond Art Supplies

328 Windsor St, Richmond (next to Brynorms)

Ph: Deidre 0412 979 731

PORTRAIT GROUP

MTAS Portrait Group meets 2nd Saturday each month,
1- 4pm, \$15. Model, easels & afternoon tea provided.

BYO Painting/Drawing materials.

Next session 11th May

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Hawkesbury Community Arts Workshop

Social Saturdays held each month (bring your
art/craft and chat to potters, painters etc) will be at
K13 at 1pm .

The Piggery Studios are open on the first Saturday
each month.

Enquiries: hworkshop@yahoo.com

CASS REPORT

The CASS cottage, Art Society members receive a
discount on the weekly rates - see <https://combinedart-societies.com/cass-cottage/> for details.

Kym

FIELD DAY

For venue or information, please ring Tony White
0410 624 918 or NAS website for further information
<http://nepeanartsociety.wildapricot.org/plein-air-painting-group>

FOHacRG Inc.

2nd Mosaic Workshop now enrolling
Sunday 16th June, Stan Stevens Studio,
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MTAS Art Group

1st & 3rd Wednesday each month.

from 10am – 4pm

Wednesday group - Next dates 1st and 15th May 2024

The Horse Judges Hut at the Hawkesbury showgrounds is the venue for
our 1st & 3rd Wednesday each month.

Enter by Gate 4 (the carpark gate) and drive taking the 3rd road on the
right to take you to the far side of the show ring. The hut is a separate
building on the right with some gravel parking. It has a shady verandah
with chairs and nearby toilets.

Inside there is air conditioning, fridge, sink, kettle, microwave, tables
and chairs. The HDAA are kindly allowing us to use this for \$2 per head.

Contact Sharron Whittington at (02)4572 5580 or email: info@mtas.com.au.



EXHIBITIONS

BDAS and Bowral Art Gallery

Bowral Sculpture Prize

New sponsors this year AJA + MHDP Architects with increased prize money of \$6,000

Entry forms due 22 May

Judged by Dave Ball and Greer Taylor

The Agency Still Life Prize

Entry forms due 10 July

Judged by Maryanne Wick

Tim Copes Portrait Prize

Entry forms due 4 September

Judged by Kate Stevens

Bowral Art Gallery

Incorporated under the Bowral & District Art Society

Phone: 02 4861 4093 E:office@bdasgallery.com

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Awards

Hawkesbury Agricultural Show

Traditional

3rd Joy Myers Creed

HC Sue Gasser

Local District

1st Mark Wilson

Drawing

1st Jeanette Starr

3rd Patricia Latta

HC Joy Myers Creed

Watercolour

1st Gloria Galvin

2nd Marcia Rea

Aboriginal

2nd Dianna Miller

Abstract

1st Joy Myers Creed

3rd Yvonne West

Seniors

2nd Patricia Latta

3rd Beth Gibbeson

HC Deidre Morrison

HC Deidre Morrison

Printmaking

3rd Sheila Sharp

Miniature

1st Deidre Morrison

Digital

1st Patricia Latta

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CLASSES & GALLERY

Weekly Classes

- Oils, Drawing, Acrylics Watercolours & Pastels 2hrs \$30
- Friday All media Class 3hrs \$30
- Portraits - 2nd Saturday \$12
- Local Artists Gallery \$4 for 4 months per painting hanging fee
- 20% commission on painting sales

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Satya Morrison 0405 337 652

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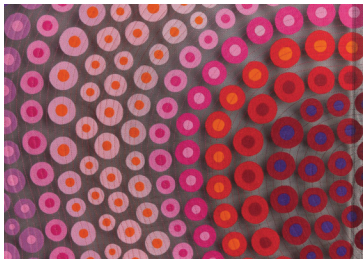
EXHIBITIONS

Hawkesbury Regional Gallery & Museum

Ph 4560 4441, closed Tuesday

The New Quilt

The New Quilt 2024 is a juried exhibition presented by Quilt NSW (www.quiltsw.com) that showcases the art of the quilt medium. The exhibition features 37 works of contemporary textile artists from across Australia highlighting the rich diversity of stitched and layered materials. 3 May - 23 June.



Art Gallery NSW

24th Biennale of Sydney

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Until 10th June 2024



Purple Noon

606 Terrace Rd, Freemans Reach Ph: 4579 6579

CLOSED: Monday/Tuesday/ Wednesday

(by appointment) OPEN 10:00am - 5:00pm:

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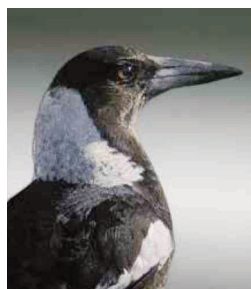
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Birds of a Feather

Sisters Irene manion and Ellen King work in different media inter-perenting their common subject -

birds in unique ways. Ellen King understanding of felting in exciting directions in her wearable jackets and shawls, while



Irene works 2-dimensionally both in watercolour and fibre.

3:00pm in the gallery, Saturday 4th to 26th May

The Village Kitchen Kurrajong

83 Old Bells Line of Road, Kurrajong Village

Ph:4573 0988

'A Few of My Favourite Things' Rosalie Neef

12th April - 17th May.

Nigel Compton 17th May -

Jocelyn Maughan ^{OAM}

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The busy banks of the Seine, bustling marketplaces, grand boulevards, idyllic public gardens, and the heady atmosphere of bohemian Montmartre are brought to life in more than 170 works of art and artisan objects. From the renowned collection of the Musée Carnavalet, the iconic museum of the history of Paris, this exhibition reflects on an effervescent period of great social change, urban development and artistic innovation which shaped modern Paris and continues to capture the global imagination.

WORKSHOP



Full-Day 5th May Mixed Media Workshop



Originally from Yorkshire England, Jeanette worked as a graphic artist/photographer before venturing to Australia in her 30's to live on acreage.

She is well known for her love of horses and her beloved subjects are never too far away. She loves painting all animals and portraits alike and is happy to do commissions.

Jeanette draws and paints in various mediums but particularly oils, acrylics, inks and charcoal.

She works from her Little River Art Studios where she holds workshops and exhibitions.

She is also a member of the Hawkesbury Artists and Artisans Trail. She often successfully wins awards at the Hawkesbury Show, MTAS exhibitions and other shows.

Title: Painting Animals & Pets

Date: Sunday, 5th May 2024

Time: 10am – 4pm

Venue: Stan Stevens Studio, Deerubbin Centre,
300 George St, Windsor

Price: \$70 Members and \$75 Non Member

Includes morning & afternoon tea. Bring your own lunch.

Materials: All students to supply own materials.

Please see materials list with the enrollment form. For more info and enquiries, please contact :

Leigh 0401 228 624.

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Friday 24th May 2024, 7 for 7.30pm

Saturday 25th 10am to 4pm

Sunday 26th 10am to 4pm

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