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## PORT COMMUNITY ARTS CENTRE INC.

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## Welcome to the first Newsletter for 2015!

**Happy New Year everyone and welcome to the first newsletter for 2015.**

We will be having three member's exhibitions this year, May, August and November. All of these will be prized and the prizes chosen by our sponsors. Last year was the first time we had invited our sponsors to be involved; the response from them was very encouraging.

**The Port Community Arts Centre** was recognised this year in the **Australia Day Awards** for the "most outstanding community event".

This was for the **Ports Youth Festival**. The festival started with one school and now we have eight involved. Well done to the team led by Mandi Glynn-Jones who every year work hard to make this event the success it is.

**I have been having discussions with PAEC to create low cost workshops.** These are planned to be based on the 'Come and Try' system and will be held at weekends. We are hoping that these workshops will also include materials. If all goes to plan, we hoping to schedule these on a trial basis March, April and May. We will inform you all in plenty of time.

Included in the newsletter you will see information for a couple of workshops coming up in the near future. Supporting these helps with attracting new members and also giving you, members opportunities to try something new!

We have an exciting year ahead with **14 exhibitions** already booked in the gallery. This year is the centenary of ANZAC DAY and we have a major exhibition in the gallery in April, a special prize in our member's exhibition to be held in May will also compliment this theme.

Finally enjoy your art and it has been rewarding to see new members exhibiting and winning merit awards. Keep up the good work.

JOHN FORD  
CHAIRMAN



## Welcome to our new Membership Coordinator

**Board member Debra Thorsen** has taken over the role of **Membership Coordinator**.

We would like to thank **Mick Freeborn** who has done such a sterling job over the last few years in this role and welcome Debra.

PORT COMMUNITY ARTS CENTRE NEWSLETTER

## An Apology

I now realise that the wording of the letters I sent last year, regarding the new "Direct Debit" method of renewing membership, might have been somewhat misleading. The result was that some already-financial members renewed their memberships and for this I apologise even though they are now a year ahead. Sorry also to any other members who were confused by the letter.

Mick Freeborn

## Don't Forget to Renew your Membership!!!

### Membership renewals have been sent out.

To assist with the viability of the Centre could you please renew your membership as soon as possible. To assist those of you who do internet banking, a letter is about to be sent out to all members detailing future proceeding to make membership renewal easier."

## Black Diamond Gallery - you can hire it for an exhibition!

### If you have an exhibition idea, you are welcome to hire the Black Diamond Gallery too, heres how:

1. Check the above exhibition calendar and the Online calendar to see if your desired dates are available.
2. Download a Gallery Plan, **Booking Form & Conditions of Hire**, from: [www.portartscentre.com.au](http://www.portartscentre.com.au)
3. **Complete the forms & mail to:** Gallery Coordinator, Port Community Arts Centre, 66 Commercial Rd Port Adelaide SA 5015. John Ford ( 04 00593987) [fordmarineart@adam.com.au](mailto:fordmarineart@adam.com.au) - Gallery hire fees:Members \$120 /week, Non-members, \$150/Week

## New Members & Memberships

### Welcome to the Feb 2015 newsletter and to our newest members:

*Adam Hodgson, Julie Meadows, Graham Roberts, Jane Carlisle,  
Kylie Macey, Sally Giles, Michael Wright, Marie McLenaghan*

Members can also receive member discounts from our sponsors. Show your membership card and receive a **10% discount from:**

**Port Art Supplies, Port Mall News Agency,  
All Frames & Mirrors, Riot Art & Craft,**

Or receive a **15% discount on framing** from **Damien and Nelleke Mobile Framing Service** 0408290181  
Our Sponsor **Art to Art** also offers discounts, they will provide you with a customer card entitling you to discounts.

### Past newsletters are available online and can be viewed at our newsletter archive:

<http://www.hollogram.net/pcac-newsletters/>

### Also, If you haven't already, check out our Facebook page for regular updates and information:

[www.facebook.com/pages/Port-Community-Arts-Centre](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Port-Community-Arts-Centre)

For any new members who would like to have a short profile about themselves included in the newsletter featuring an example of their work, or if anyone has an event or anything else they would like to include, please contact acting newsletter editor: Emerson Ward at [emersonward@hotmail.com](mailto:emersonward@hotmail.com)

For adding or updating your members page info on the Website,

contact **Mick Freeborn** by email: [mickfr@arcom.com.au](mailto:mickfr@arcom.com.au) or Phone: **0466942937**

# PCAC Exhibition Report "Deja Vu 3" - Nov 15 - 30 2014



The exhibition was opened by our erstwhile Chairman, John Ford and 279 visitors came to enjoy it over the ensuing nine days.

There were 104 works exhibited by 38 members and as usual, the standard was high.

This was not to be a judged exhibition and the board decided to provide three \$100 Fran Coop Memorial Peoples' Choice award prizes for the works judged best by the public.



The winners were:

#11 "My Australian tree of life"  
Mandi Glynn-Jones

#24 "Younger Simon"  
Ursula Wright

#103 "Dry creek"  
Alan Ramachandran

# LEST WE FORGET - 100 years of the ANZAC Spirit Exhibition on Sat April 18

**On the 25th April 1915 a new world was born.** A new side of man's character was revealed. The spirit of ANZAC was kindled. The ANZAC Spirit is not confined to the battlefield. It lives in the schools, on the sports fields, in fact over all of the country. Anzac stood and still stands for, reckless valour in a good cause, for enterprise, resourcefulness, fidelity, comradeship and endurance that will never own defeat.

This event titled 'LEST WE FORGET 100 YEARS OF THE ANZAC SPIRIT' will be in the form of an art exhibition of paintings and sculptures. Memorabilia and ephemera in display cases will compliment this. The artists, **Drew Harrison, Barry Spicer, Matt Welsby, Elizabeth Webb, Belinda Blesing, Gerhard Ritter and John Ford**, will through their artworks tell their story of the ANZAC Spirit.

The themes covered by the artists will show events on land, sea and in the air. They will create images to show the human side of how these events impinged on the lives of every Australian.

The objectives of the event are to commemorate the achievements of the ANZAC's from Gallipoli to the present day.

The exhibition is also designed to increase the public's awareness of the ANZAC Spirit and to recognize the contribution those men and women from our local community and state have given. A large number of personnel left Port Adelaide and South Australia for many theatres of war and many did not return.

We intend that through the works of art, memorabilia and ephemera show the public the people's story at this very special anniversary.



"McKenzie Hero" by Artist Barry Spicer

During the exhibition the artists will be available to discuss their work and some will be giving free demonstrations of their techniques. We expect the general community and schools to see the exhibition and engage with the artists.

**The exhibition will be opened by:**  
**Mark Butler Federal MP for Port Adelaide,**  
**Saturday 18th April at 2pm.**  
The Black Diamond Gallery,  
66 Commercial Road Port Adelaide.

**Open daily 11am to 4pm**  
**19th April to May 3rd 2015**  
Closed ANZAC Day.



"HMAS Protector" by Artist John Ford



"Poppy" by Artist Elizabeth Webb

**Wednesday 22 April 2015** at 7pm Guest speaker **Ken Duthie**. will give a presentation on aspects of world conflicts, the ANZAC SPIRIT, how our attitudes should be introduced to our youth. This is a family event, bring the young ones!

All entry gold coin donations will be given to Legacy.

**Wednesday 29th April, 2015** at 7pm. Guest speaker **Trevor Powell**, will give a presentation, titled “**Our Local Heroes**”.



“Vietnam Veteran” by Artist Gerhard Ritter



“Lest We Forget” by Artist Matt Welsby

These will be very interesting and informative events.

A **RSVP is important**, as space is limited.

Venue:- **Black Diamond Gallery**, 66 Commercial Rd. Port Adelaide.

RSVP 84493987.

*We dedicate this exhibition to members of our forces who have and still give all to their country for freedoms sake. Let us never forget.*

**John Ford F.A.S.M.A.** Curator

[fordmarineart@adam.com.au](mailto:fordmarineart@adam.com.au)

08 84493987 / 0400592987



“Beyond the 38th Parallel” by Artist Drew Harrison

# Campbelltown Art Show and Sale - coming soon!



Dear Artist

The 32<sup>nd</sup> annual **Campbelltown Art Show and Sale** is rapidly approaching and now is the time to secure your place in one of South Australia's largest and most enduring community art shows.

The **Campbelltown Art Show and Sale** has been a joint venture between the Rotary Club of Campbelltown and Campbelltown City Council since inception and all proceeds raised directly assist the charitable works of Rotary.

A very reasonable fee of \$10 per entry applies with a limit of four entries per artist. The sale price is set by the artist and a commission of 20% of the sale price is deducted by the Rotary Club of Campbelltown to support their vital community projects.

#### Artists can purchase their own stand at the show

At a cost of \$100, artists can purchase 1 side of a stand at the show. This opportunity is open to all artists and they can show as many pieces on the stand that they like. There is no restriction on the size of the pieces, and the artists information will be included (with a photo and a biography) on the stand and in the catalogue. All works must be for sale (maximum \$3000). Contact Ele Stoddard to register your interest.

#### Photography exhibition

This photography section is back again in 2015. Photos must be professionally mounted and for sale. Please let any photographers know that might be interested in entering.

The **Campbelltown Art Show and Sale** is inclusive and accepts entries from both emerging and professional artists. We are also particularly interested in growing our Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Art category. Further information, including entry forms, entry conditions and previous winners can be obtained at Council's website:

[www.campbelltown.sa.gov.au/goto/artshow](http://www.campbelltown.sa.gov.au/goto/artshow)

Entry forms will be posted to members of our mailing list (if you received this email, you are on the mailing list) by March. If someone you know would like to be added to this list or if you would like multiple copies of the entry forms for a group, please contact the Campbelltown Council or a member of the Rotary Club of Campbelltown.

#### For more information contact:

**Elizabeth Gagliardi**  
Rotary Club of Campbelltown  
P. 0403 602 999 (m)  
E. [efgagliardi@internode.on.net](mailto:efgagliardi@internode.on.net)

**Ele Stoddard**  
Campbelltown Council  
P. 8366 9302 b/h (Mon-Fri)  
E. [estoddard@campbelltown.sa.gov.au](mailto:estoddard@campbelltown.sa.gov.au)



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## PCAC Workshop in the Studio!

**Landscape in oils** with tutor **Peter Mclay**

**Saturday 14 March 10 am – 4 pm**

**Cost \$20** per person maximum 12 students  
Peter is a realist artist who has been painting and exhibiting for more than 30 years. He is past President and tutor of the Henley and Grange Arts Society and his work is held in local and overseas collections.

**You need to bring:**

A canvas board 16"x12" or a canvas pad  
Your own oil paints, brushes, rags etc.  
Notebook & pen  
Your lunch. (Tea/coffee provided.)

**The work shop will be in three stages** as Peter demonstrates from his chosen picture how to paint sky, middle ground and foreground and you follow him after each demonstration with as much help as needed.

**To enrol contact:**

**Vikki Waller**

ph. 8242 2769 after 5.00pm

or email [walwil@westnet.com.au](mailto:walwil@westnet.com.au)

Non-refundable payment of \$20 required on enrolment.

## ART at the HEART - call for Artists

# ART AT THE HEART

## CALL FOR ARTISTS



The Shire of East Pilbara is providing an exciting opportunity for an artist to spend six to ten weeks in the region, working on their creative practice and engaging with local communities.

The residency includes accommodation, workspace, hire vehicle, a commission budget of \$40,000 and an artist prize of \$15,000.

**APPLICATIONS OPEN: Monday 8 December 2014**

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE: Friday 27 February 2015**

**EMAIL: [projects@archipelagoarts.com.au](mailto:projects@archipelagoarts.com.au)**

# Steampunk Art Exhibition! - Starting May this year



**Steampunk Derailed: Art inspired by the world of Steampunk**

**National Railway Museum**

**Saturday 30 May to Saturday 30 Oct 2015**

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## Artist Information Form

### DATES:

**Exhibition Dates:** The exhibition will be held at the National Railway Museum (NRM) from Saturday 30 May to Saturday 30 October 2015 and will open on the Saturday of the Steampunk Festival weekend (30–31 May). Artworks must be available for the full length of the exhibition, unless an alternative date has been organised with the Curator.

**Artist Registration Form submission:** by 5pm Monday 13 April 2015

### DELIVERY:

All works must be delivered to the Museum by 3pm on 1 May 2015. Please advise Moana Colmer (Curator) of the incoming delivery details at least 24 hours in advance.

The National Railway Museum  
Attn: Moana Colmer (Curator)  
76 Lipson Street,  
Port Adelaide,  
SA 5015

### COLLECTION:

Art must be collected Monday 2 November 2015, between 10am and 4pm, unless an alternative collection date has been organised with the Curator.

Work that is not collected by 23 November 2015 will be disposed of at the discretion of the National Railway Museum.

### CONTACT:

Exhibition Curator:  
Moana Colmer (Curator)  
curator@natrailmuseum.org.au  
08 8341 1690

Alternative Contacts:  
Bronwyn Lloyd (Registrar)  
registrar@natrailmuseum.org.au  
08 8341 1690

Shylie Edwards (Graphic Designer)  
[graphics@natrailmuseum.org.au](mailto:graphics@natrailmuseum.org.au)  
08 8341 1690





# Steampunk Derailed Artist Registration Form



**Artist Details:**

Artist's name:

Home address:

Postal address (if different):

Telephone B/H:

Email:

Postcode:

Postcode:

Mobile:

Webpage/s:

**Artwork details. Maximum of 3 works per artist, unless organised with Curator:**

Artwork Title	Medium	2D or 3D	Size: Height, Width & Depth	Weight	Ready to hang/ display? Yes or No
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					



Please attach an image of your art work/s to this submission (if your artwork is not ready yet please attach a description – 50 word maximum)

Is your 2D artwork framed or stretched and ready to hang  Yes  No

Is it framed in glass or Perspex?  Yes (if yes, glass or Perspex?)  No


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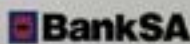
# MEDIEVAL FAIR®

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# Workshop Schedule 2015

Day	Class Times	Class	Tutor & Contact	Room
MON	12.30 am - 3.30 pm	Watercolours for Everyone	J Ford 84493987 / 0400593987	Main
	4.00 pm - 5.30 pm	Children's Art	P Mortimer 0438458936	Main
WED	10.00 am - 1.00 pm	Watercolours for Everyone	J Ford 84493987 / 0400593987	Main
	1.00 pm - 4.00 pm	Printmaking	Hazel Harris 0403994698	Main
	4.00 pm - 5.30 pm	Children's Art	P Mortimer 0438458936	Main
	7.00 pm - 9.00 pm	Pottery & Mosaics	M Wienert 82482754	Pottery
THURS	10.00 am - 12.00 pm	Traditional Art	K Pedersen 0434876643	Main
	1.00 pm - 4.00 pm	Comet Art	M Burgermeister (NEAMI 82402566)	Both
	7.00 pm - 9.00 pm	Suburban art	G Benson-Smith 82683273 / 0433672513	Main
FRI	10.00 am - 1.00 pm	Watercolours	A Ramachandran 0431289133	Main
SAT	9.00am - 2.00 pm	* Finger Painting	Katie Standish 0422602930	Main

\* These classes will be on: Saturday, February 21 and Saturday, March 21



**Please support our amazingly cheap workshop initiatives!**

The above workshops are held in the building behind the Black Diamond Gallery,

If you are interested in booking the workshop space for your own workshop, or have questions about the space, contact John Ford for more Information or check [www.portartscentre.com.au](http://www.portartscentre.com.au)

# Black Diamond Gallery - Calendar of Events

2015		
FEBRUARY	Feb 20 - Mar 8	"Knot" exhibition by Tony Kearney
MARCH	Mar 21 - Mar 29	"Fringe photo mania" exhibition convened by Mandi Glynn-Jones
	Mar 11 - Mar 16	PAE "The art of reconciliation" Schools Art Show
	Mar 31 - April 12	SAWS Members Exhibition
APRIL	Apr 18 - May 3	"Lest we forget - 100 years of the ANZAC spirit" exhibition by J Ford
MAY	May 9 - May 24	PCAC "Once upon a time" Members Exhibition
JULY	Jul 4 - Jul 19	"ARTiculated" exhibition by Ursula Wright and friends
AUGUST	Aug 1 - Aug 16	PCAC Youth Festival
	Aug 22 - Sep 6	PCAC "StART at the Port" Exhibition
SEPTEMBER	Sept 21 - Oct 13	PAE Port Festival exhibition
OCTOBER	Oct 17 - Nov 1	"Wood re-visited 2015" exhibition by Northern Turners
NOVEMBER	Nov 3 - Nov 5	Alberton Primary School "Specialist Art Show 2015"
	Nov 7 - Nov 15	"Merz.com" Exhibition by Barbara Gillis and friends
	Nov 28 - Dec 6	PCAC "Serendipity" Exhibition
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FEBRUARY	Feb 13 - Feb 28	PCAC "At the edge" Exhibition
MARCH	Mar 5 - Mar 20	Gerhard Ritter Exhibition
MAY	May 7 - May 22	PCAC "Recollections" Exhibition
JULY	Jul 30 - Aug 14	PCA C Youth Festival
AUGUST	Aug 20 - Sep 4	PCAC "ARTiculated" Exhibition
NOVEMBER	Nov 26 - Dec 4	PCAC as yet untitled Exhibition
OCTOBER	Oct 1 - OCT 16	"Wood re-visited 2016" exhibition by Northern Turners

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