



MALVERN COMMUNITY
ARTS COUNCIL *Newsletter*

July, August, September 2016

Current Exhibition

SELWYN GALLERY
DARFIELD



Vicki Knudsen

Quinces and More

Exhibition



Philip Beadle

Back to Basics

Of



Pamela Hueston

Nudes

Exhibition from 1 - 28 July 2016
Opening Friday 1 July 6pm - All welcome.

Selwyn Gallery, 17 South Terrace, Darfield
www.selwyngallery.co.nz P 03 3188702
Open 10am - 4pm Tues - Sun
www.facebook.com/Selwyngallery

Nudes 1st July - 28th July

Vicki Knudsen
Philip Beadle
Pamela Hueston

An exciting selection of nudes and partial nudes for the month of July. Come and see Philip's oils and dry points, Vicki's water colours and Pamela's pencils and acrylics. They are selling fast so don't miss out, come and see them now.

Message From the Treasurer

Thanks to all the Artist Members who have paid their 2016 Membership Fee and to Friends for their kind donations. The current totals for both of these are a bit behind the budgeted figures for 2016 so if you have one of my communications around that hasn't been responded to, please help me reach my target.

Alastair Nicol
MCAC Treasurer
(email: treasurer.mcac@xtra.co.nz)

Upcoming Exhibitions



Above: Two examples of works for the **Printmaking Exhibition** in August
Early Settlers Seed. Co. by Jo Ogier and **Coral Wreath** by Sandra Thomson

Below: Two examples of works for the **Small Works Exhibition** in September
Landscape by Anne Bowman and **'Now you see me'** by Jen Dearborn



Print Making Exhibition

Friday 29th July - Thursday 25th August 2016

Superb works of printmaking by Sandra Thomson, Nicole Bourke and Jo Ogier.

Small Works Exhibition

2nd Sept - 29th Sept 2016

An intricate exhibition of small works from May Wright, Jen Dearborn, Michael Abrahamson, Amelia Jang, Anna Bowman, Olwyn McKinlay, Joan Pascoe, Quilliam Collister and Barbara Jaine.

Thanks to the Performing Arts for the Christchurch Cathedral Boys' Choir.

The Performing Arts committee ran a great evening on Saturday 21st June with over 100 in attendance.

John Linker and the Christchurch Cathedral Boys Choir performed Evensong followed by a Recital which included two fantastic organ pieces. It was great to have this Choir out in our area again, the first for many years.

Darfield Art Week

8 - 16 October 2016

Artweek is a 10-day art exhibition being held for the 35th time in Darfield in October 2016. The exhibition is a major event on the Selwyn calendar and brings over 1500 people to Darfield. Over 120 artists usually exhibit and we display over 250 pieces of art including painting, photography, sculpture, ceramics, jewellery, wood carving etc. The exhibition is open to anyone. Malvern Community Arts Council are once again preparing for this October event and are calling for all artists, both amateur and professional. Application forms can be found on <http://www.selwyngallery.co.nz/> or at the Selwyn Gallery, 17 South Terrace, Darfield. All enquiries to Sylvia Townshend, sylandbill@yhoo.co.nz or 03 318 4773



Ingrid Cole



Illustration by Ingrid



Farewell to Ingrid Cole

It is with sadness that we must farewell our former Gallery Co-ordinator Ingrid Cole, who has moved to Oamaru with her family.

Ingrid began work with the Selwyn Gallery in July 2011 and has been one of the driving forces behind the gallery's exhibition programme, ensuring that all the artists were booked and organised, writing and creating advertising editorials and posters, and maintaining our database of exhibition records. One of Ingrid's most important contributions has been to create and manage our digital presence, keeping the webpages and Facebook notifications up to date.

On behalf of MCAC, we would like to thank Ingrid for all the great work she has done for us, and in particular for the way in which she has done so much to promote the Gallery. We wish Ingrid and her family all the very best for the future in their new home.

Terri Elder
Chair, MCAC

New Selwyn Gallery Arts Coordinator

Hello readers and friends of the Selwyn Gallery Newsletter, my name is Rose Gerard and I have just started as the Arts Co-ordinator for the Selwyn gallery. I grew up on Ben Lea Farm up the Rakaia gorge and now live in the Waianiwaniwa valley with my husband Charlie Pinfold. Some of my hobbies are reading, cooking and fishing.

I have always had a love for the arts. I completed a Fine Arts Foundation course in Dunedin in 1998 then headed to Sydney where I worked on the opening and closing ceremonies for the 2000 Olympics as a painter. I went into Film and Theatre work for the next seven years, working for Fox Studios on the Matrix 2 & 3 as a set painter, then with Opera Australia as the assistant to the head scenic where I helped create very large works for the opera as well as repairing the older sets. I moved to Auckland in 2004 to paint on The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe. I moved back to Christchurch in 2005 and was the head scenic for the Wiggles children's ride for Dreamworld, and as a set painter on the film 10,000 BC in Wanaka.

I then worked for my husband fencing for six years, the earthquake struck and I painted for EQC for four years. I look forward to this new and exciting time ahead working with the Artists and the Malvern Community Arts Council.

Rose Gerard.

Opening Nights

All Friends of the Gallery are warmly invited to each Exhibition Opening throughout the year, a good way to be first to inspect the artwork and meet the artist, no special invitation required and complimentary refreshments. Opening Nights will usually be either on a Friday evening at 6pm or Saturday morning at 10am, depending on artist requirements (not all artists have one) - please do look out for dates and times for each exhibition as we advertise them.

Seeking Volunteers

Malvern Community Arts Council are always looking for more volunteers to help with a once a month gallery duty at the Selwyn Gallery. It is a pleasant way to spend a morning or afternoon and you will be helping us keep the gallery open for the more than 6000 people who visit the gallery each year. Please let Meg Morten know if you can help in this way on 021 189 6596 and she will ensure you are trained and supported in your role.



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