



Next General Meeting

Date: 9th April

Time: 10 am

**Venue: Cominos House
27 Greenslopes St,
Edge Hill**

President's Report

The team has been very busy reconciling the accounts, and working on the membership list, the main thing is that we are winning.

However we still need someone to do the publicity.

And the catering and PR for ArtEscape.

I will be continuing with the newsletter, and Lowen Hardy has stepped in temporarily as secretary.

ArtEscape, the Annual and Artists of the North Exhibitions are already in preparation. It's going to be a wonderful year. The list of tutors for ArtEscape is included in the newsletter.

The judge for the Annual Exhibition is...

Tom McAulay from Brisbane!

Looking forward to seeing you all on the 9th April.

Jennie

**CAS Management Committee
2011**

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Annual Exhibition
Coordinator: Rose Spencer

Contact us

N.B. Although CAS is based at Cominos House, please note that an office is not staffed.

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Got email? We can get news to you much more quickly if you give us an email address. You also get to receive this newsletter electronically and in full colour. This will save CAS a lot of time and money in folding and mailing hard copies of the newsletter. Please advise the membership officer of your email address, by sending an email to: cairnsartsociety@bigpond.com.au

Key Dates

Artists Of the North,
Tanks, Friday 13th May to
Fri 3rd June. Entries Close
30th April.

ArtEscape, Tanks, 18th
July to 22nd July. Phone
Michael Ferris on 07 4055
2544.

Annual Exhibition, Cairns
Regional Gallery, 21st Oct
to 4th Dec. Phone Rose
Spencer on 4059 0662.

Guest Speaker

Richard Klekocuiik

Realism with coloured Pencils



One of our Tutors for ArtEscape

Sat Meeting 9th April

Should not be missed



Presi's Monthly Pic

Tom Roberts

Australia

1856—1931

'Bailed up' reveals its qualities best with a patient examination to detail. The composition has been cunningly constructed with diagonal and vertical tree trunks and shadows leading the eye *up to, around and beyond* the main subject. The rich rendering of light gives it an almost timeless feel to the work, and the artist's wonderful use of yellow ochre and raw umber have enhanced the richness of the Australian Bushland.

jennie

Good Luck to Jacque Duffy



For her entry of Bob Katter in the Archibald Art Prize

I have always wanted to enter the Archibald and had asked Bob Katter to sit for me about seven years ago. This year I decided the time was right and called him on his promise.

The painting is charcoal and acrylic, five foot x four foot.

I am of the thinking that a portrait is not simply a likeness of the subject but a representation of who they are. I am lucky Bob being the character he is, was an interesting subject which gave me a lot to play with.

Innisfail Art News

The Innisfail Art Society has had their AGM and the new president (Jacque Duffy), vice president is Carolyn Teixeira, secretary Jenni Taylor and treasurer is Kym Bradow.

innisfailartsociety@live.com.au

Art Lessons in Acrylic

Held at 8 Fry Close Whitfield

Wednesday nights @6.30pm to 830pm

Or Friday Mornings 9am to 12 noon

Google Annette James or ph 40320882

Art Deco in the Tropics—Innisfail Inc

Napier Art Deco Week – Competi- tion

**Applications in writing to Art Deco
in the Tropics – Innisfail Inc, PO
Box 36, WANGAN QLD 4871 by
Thursday 7 April.**

The prize from the Napier Council in New Zealand is for 2 people – return flights Cairns Napier as well as twin share accommodation for a week and passes to local attractions.

*The holiday is available only from 1 May
until the end of Aug 2011.*

Residents of Innisfail and Tully (Deco Duo) interested in learning more about art deco and wanting to enjoy the delights of Hawkes Bay and Napier, the art deco capital of the world, are invited to respond in writing to the following questions.

Name:

Residential Address (Only residents of the Deco Duo - Innisfail and Tully - are eligible to apply):

Landline..... Mobile.....Email:

How were you personally affected by Cyclone Yasi?:

Name & phone contact of a Personal Referee:

Why do you want to win this holiday to Napier in New Zealand?

Who would you like to take with you and why?

Are you able to take the holiday between 1 May and the end of August 2011?

In what way will you be an Ambassador for Art Deco Innisfail/Tully while you are in Napier?

In what way will you contribute to Innisfail/Tully Art Deco when you return from Napier?

CAIRNS SHOW 2011: 20th-22nd July

The Visual Arts Association of far North Queensland is, once again, coordinating the works and entries for the Visual Arts Section of the Show.

A copy of the entry form may be filled out on-line

<http://www.cairnsshow.com.au/competitors/sections-a-forms.html>

The Launch of Cairns Ink—Tropical North Queensland Printing

By Margaret Genever

This exciting new initiative will be introduced to you by speakers: Ingrid Hoffmann, Paul Brinkman and Terri Golding-Clarke. Theo Tremblay will be M.C. for the evening.

All interested members of the media, artists, and members of the Cairns community are invited to attend this historic occasion.

The Interim Committee of the newly formed group, Cairns Ink, takes pleasure in inviting you to an historic occasion:

The media launch of CAIRNS INK - Tropical North Queensland Printmakers was at Canopy Artspace, 124 Grafton Street, Cairns, on Friday 18 March 2011.

The AGM is 5.30pm on 29th April at Canopy Artspace.

All Welcome

For further information about this event, please contact Christine Eyres, Ph 4055 9354 christine.eyres@bigpond.com



Irene Bullock

100 years Old and still Painting

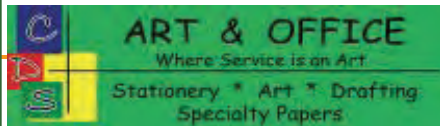
Irene, one of our oldest members, turned 100 years last Sunday. Congratulations and fond wishes from members of the Cairns Art Society.

Fun Art Group

Fun Art Group is an informal group of amateur artists who meet every Wednesday at the YMCA, Smithfield (near the Library) from 11 am to 3 pm.

BYO materials and lunch, with tea and coffee provided. To assist with the hire of the hall, cost is \$4 per session. Everyone is welcome to come along and have some fun.

Contact the YMCA on 4057 7507.



For your arts and business needs, come see the friendly staff at

Art & Office

110 Scott Street Cairns

PH: 4051 0552

Art Classes

with Greg Dwyer

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Cominos House
27 Greenslopes St, Edge Hill

Fees: \$25 for a 3 hr class
Classes are kept interesting with each student receiving individual attention.

For details and bookings:
ph: 4055 9910
mob: 0447 773 995

Gallery c.1907

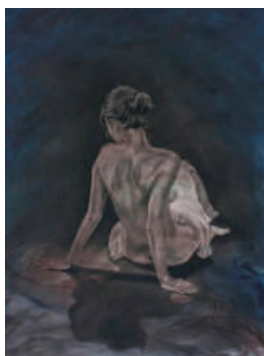
3 of a Kind

FRI 8 APRIL 2011 5.30 - 8.30PM

3 of a Kind celebrates the work of past and upcoming Cell Art Space exhibitors and co-directors, curated by Rebecca Claire Edwards.

This exhibition showcases works by a vibrant group of art practitioners working in contemporary art forms including photography, painting, ceramics, sculpture, felt and mixed media.

Deb Clarke
Melissa Edwards
Rebecca Claire Edwards
Amanda Feher
Natalie Green
Lyndell Hayes
Shane Morris
Kirsty Mulley
Regan O'Neill
Sangit Tafelmaier
Carly Whouley
Nicolette Worth



EXHIBITION DATES 5 - 9 APRIL 2011
C.1907 CONTEMPORARY ARTSPACE -
CITY PLACE, CAIRNS CBD
GALLERY OPEN TUES TO SAT 10AM -
4PM.

Cairns Regional Gallery: Exhibitions

Ranamok Glass 2010

A travelling Exhibition by Ranamok Glass Prize

The Ranamok Glass Prize is an annual acquisitive award for glass artists who reside in Australia and New Zealand.

Birds of a Feather

A Cairns Regional Gallery Community Exhibition program

The Cairns and District Chinese Association inc (CADCAI) presents a visual art project in which 30 local artists will participate by creating an original artwork inspired by the colourful bird markets of Hong Kong and South China.

Calling all CAS Members

If any of you have any arty stories to share with us please send them to Jennie editor newsletter, that also applies to anyone who would like to share their experiences as guest speaker at the members Saturday meeting. For guest speaker contact Reesa or Jennie.

A big Thanks To Everyone who

Donated Artwork

To the Yasi Appeal



Calling for enrolments

ArtEscape 18 - 22 July 2011

contact Mike Ferris for more information

phone: 07 4055 2544 or 0412 855 515

Note! if you are unfamiliar with artist, please check out their website.

Student fees shown are Early Bird and Full Fees.

Malcolm Beattie
Realistic Watercolor
Student fee \$550 - 600



Greg Dwyer
Realism
Student fee \$500 - 550



Marcel Desbiens
www.marceldesbiens.com
Student fee \$550 - 600



Lyn Diefenbach
Portraits and Flowers in oils
Student fee \$600 - 650
www.ldief.com
Add fee for models \$20



Sylvia Ditchburn
Tropical/Australiana Acrylics
Student fee \$550 - 600
www.sylviaditchburn.com



Eve Hales
Realistic watercolour
Student fee \$550 - 600
www.evhailes.com



Michael Ferris
Realistic watercolor
Student fee \$500 - 550
www.michaelferris.com.au



Peter Griffen
Abstract acrylics
Student fee \$550 - 600
Add fee for models \$20
www.petergriffen.com



Pamela Griffiths
Drawing
Student fee \$550-600
www.pamelagriffith.com



Fu Hong
portraits etc in oils
Student fee \$600 - 650
Add fee for models \$50
www.jennypihanfineart.com.au



Richard Klekociuk
Realism with coloured pencils
Student fee \$550 - 600
www.artkleko.com



Paul Margocsy
Student fee \$550 - 600
Wildlife in watercolour
www.paulmargocsy.com.au



Grace Paleg
realistic pastels
Student fee \$550 - 600
www.gracepaleg.com



Judy Pomroy
Contemporary Acrylics
Student fee \$550 - 600
www.judyart.com



Richard Rogers
Acrylic Tricks and Techniques
Student fee \$550 - 600
www.richardrogers.com.au



Jennie Scott
Concrete Sculpture
Student fee \$550 - 600
model fee \$20.00
www.jenniescott.com.au



Rex Backhaus-Smith
Contemporary watercolour
Student fee \$550 - 600



Payment details : Account Name: Cairns Art Society Inc; BSB 633108 A/c 112765391

Somebody to Share

Cost of Accommodation
During ArtEscape Week

17th -22nd July

Contact

Christa Youngman

40925769



Cairns Art Society

Hello,

Thank you for your interest in the Cairns Art Society.

Membership of Cairns Art Society entitles you to receive the monthly newsletter, a 10% discount on art materials at Cairns Craft Centre, Cairns Drawing Supplies, Australian Art Framers and The Picture Framer on presentation of your card, plus discounted fees for CAS exhibitions and workshops.

General meetings are held:

At 10 a.m., the 2nd Saturday of each month (except January) at Cominos House,

27 Greenslopes Street, Edge Hill.

Meetings usually include a Guest Speaker, presenting information or a demonstration on the many facets of art. Members and guests are always welcome to attend, meet fellow artists and enjoy a chat over morning tea. Please note that although Cominos House is our base, this is not a manned office.

Throughout the year we hold three major events; the Annual Open Art Exhibition, the Artists of the North Exhibition, inviting all incorporated art societies and associations within the region to participate and CAIRNS ARTescape, a 5-day workshop to learn or improve art skills with professional tutors.

Membership Forms can be posted to Cairns Art Society Inc., PO Box 1400, Cairns 4870, emailed or presented at our Gallery at the DFO Shopping Centre at Westcourt Plaza.

Due to recently changing our financial year to end 31 March, your membership will be current until 31 March 2012.

If you have any further queries:
Please contact Helen on 4045 3131 or
email: helen@cairnsartsociety.com

Membership Form

Cairns Art Society Inc., PO Box 1400 Q 4870

email: helen@cairnsartsociety.com

Enclosed is the amount of \$ _____, payable to Cairns Art Society Inc. by:

Card Cash Cheque Money Order

Cardholder Name: _____

Credit Card No.: _____

Expiry date: ____/____

Direct Deposit BSB 633108 A/c 112765391

(Please specify your name in transaction details)

Membership Fees (tick whichever applies)

Individual \$40

Family \$50

Concession (Centrelink card) \$30

Student (ID No. _____) \$25

Donation / sponsorship \$

Membership Details

I am renewing / rejoining my membership

I am a new member of the Society

Mr/Mrs/Ms: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

Skills to assist CAS: _____

Could you volunteer for CAS events: _____

Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

Note: Membership is valid until 31st March 2012

Receipt Date: _____ No. _____

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