



Newsletter

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PRESIDENTS REPORT

Dear Members,

Firstly I would like to thank all the committee for their support during the refurbishment of our art rooms. I am sure we would all agree it is looking great and gives a much more pleasant environment to work in. Our thanks to Megan Carter for working with CEAC to ensure the smooth running of the makeover of the Studio. With many members from all the groups using the rooms, helping in one way or another, it has made a complex and time consuming job much easier. Thank you to everyone who helped. Our thanks also to CEAC for supplying the materials and labour which is much appreciated.

By now most of you would have seen the change in the kitchen and Megan's office, with her new desks and computers etc. This is thanks to a grant from the Trusts. Our new library shelving is also on order and due shortly. Thank you to Judy Beaton for taking care of the library duties for us. This has been a big job for her sorting all the books and working with Megan to create the best library that we can achieve.

Those that attended the film morning with Robin Kewell, on Wednesday 3rd of August, really enjoyed it. Michael Porter's techniques gave us all new ideas and a thirst for creativity. It was suggested that we all throw away our paint brushes and palette knives and use a broom and trowel like he did. Your committee is going to make these film mornings a permanent part of our programme.

Whilst much of this last month has focused on the studio, things have been moving along nicely with the Trust Art Awards and we are looking forward to an exciting and busy time ahead.

Lynette McKinstrie
President

In Memorial

Our sympathy goes to a dear member Lin Fleming with the loss of her husband Ian, we are all thinking of you. Ian was a very much loved helper and friend and will be sadly missed.

Love to Lin and your family,

From Shirley Beveridge and the WCCAC

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WCCAC is able to achieve so much more through the ongoing support of all our sponsors – please remember to thank them when you visit next .



[FRAMES] by Daniel



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STUDIO RENOVATION is almost Complete!

The paint is fresh, blinds hung, lights fixed, cleaned, with specific lighting for portrait and life drawing installed . The kitchen cabinet has been replaced (goodbye mice), the office is modern and functional with a colour copier for all your copy requirements.

All we are waiting on now is the new library shelving which will be here in approximately 3 weeks. Thanks to those who helped shift and carry ! Thank you to The Trusts for a grant to cover our upgrade, and thanks to the CEAC team for paint, blinds, and labour. We can now all be proud of the space we operate in and offer for use to other groups. Come and visit – join in an Open Studio session, and enjoy the new bright and fresh surroundings !



Spectrum House Mural Presentation.



On Tuesday 30th August the Bella's Artists group, headed by Lynette McKinstrie, were delighted to present a mural to brighten the environs at the Spectrum Care Respite Centre in Ranui. This Centre offers respite care to children aged 5-17 with special needs. This project was initiated by a request from Spectrum and is a Project Twin Streams initiative. Thanks to Janet Holt at PTS and to Lance at Homestead Picture Framers for supporting this project, and to Bella's Artists for donating their time and talent. From left : Sue Wood, Marion Sutcliffe, Jean Cooper , Tania Bell, Odile Sprenking, Jennifer Oden, Margaret Walsh, Kristina Chellew, Lynette McKinstrie. Not present: Christine Elliot, Valerie Arthur, Maria Creemers.

**Opportunities
available For
Experienced Tutors:**

We have Studio space available in our timetable for classes in Drawing and Painting in Oils and or Acrylics. There is interest in ongoing Intro and Intermediate drawing classes and in Intro and Intermediate painting from our membership.

We also have Studio space for Classes in any crafting medium.

Please contact Megan with availability, course outline, experience etc.

There is opportunity to run Open Studio evenings if there is enough interest. These would benefit those who have no space to work at home or need focused time to work on creative projects.

WCCAC have room times available for rent at very affordable rates- if you are a tutor offering classes or a Community group looking for a meeting space please contact Megan on 8385733

SHED 37 : 37 Shaw Rd Oratia: studio space available for classes / tutoring – work tables, available.

Gallery space available for individual exhibitions at 34 Shaw Rd Ph Jim Ellis 8181103

GENERAL NOTICES

FACEBOOK : remember to check our Waitakere Arts Facebook page for news and links to exhibitions and events. Become a friend and we can share photos of your work and help promote your exhibitions.



WAITAKERE TRUST ART AWARDS 2011
Entry forms now available online at www.waitakere-art.co.nz
or contact Megan at the Studio for e-mailed or posted copy.

Entries close Friday 28 October.

Bringing In day Saturday 12 Nov 9am – 12.30 pm at Projectspace.

Awards Presentation Evening 17th Nov from 6pm

The trip to Pah Homestead : was enjoyed by all attendees – the offering was incredibly varied and there is something there for everyone. Gerry was particularly taken with the video art on offer. Visit Pah Homestead to view selections from the Wallace collection, a constantly changing exhibition.

NEXT TRIP Auckland Art Gallery 28th September :

Come and enjoy the new and improved Auckland Art Gallery – Toi O Tamaki – explore the new exhibits or visit old favourites. Meet at the Studio 9.30 for 10am departure. Book with Megan wccac@xtra.co.nz or ph 8385733 so we can arrange transport and possible guided tour.

Movies 5th October 10.30am

Robin Kewell brings us a screening of Dame Barbara Hepworth (Sculptor) and Bernard Leach (Potter)

Short documentarys made in the 1960's.

Robin Kewell worked for Bernard Leach and Barbara Hepworth in the early 60's during school holidays and weekends, he will be telling a few stories from his experiences in St. Ives at this time and showing two films about these remarkable Artists, who put St. Ives on the map.

Storyfest :Adventures in a New World

Saturday September 24th 2011 10am – 4pm

Kelston Community Centre, Cnr Awaroa Rd and Great Nth Rd, Kelston.

A FREE event for children and their families.

Storytelling, performances, mural art, workshops and activities

Including:

Starlab – come and see the Southern Sky!

Puppet theatre with Alison Collings, Poetry performances with Printable Reality group, Stilt walkers, Travelling Tuataras performance and workshop, Tanya Batt storytelling, Chinese Calligraphy, Pacific Arts, 'Float your boat' workshop, Healing thru Arts trust interactive performance, Shy volcano dance performance, Boat displays, Mural art displays, Kite making, Collage, story writing,

Meet authors and well known celebrities

Food and drink on sale Come along and join in the fun!

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CLASSES & SESSIONS

2011

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**OPEN STUDIO SESSIONS MONDAY
& THURSDAY MORNINGS**
Come and join our regular
members, tea & coffee available –
all welcome

FRIDAY CLASS Free Range Painting.
Friday 9.30 for 10 - 12 class \$10.
An ongoing class for those with some
experience; participants are
encouraged and critiqued in their
own projects, new subjects and styles
of working are introduced on a
regular basis to enable participants to
develop insight and skills in their
personal development.

For information ph. Robin Binsley
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| MONDAY | OPEN STUDIO 8.30am – 2.30pm (no oils after 11am to assist those with solvent allergies) Free to all – newcomers welcome | Open Studio continues until 1.30 1.30-3.30 Special Needs Tutor booking | 7-9pm Painting group booking FULL |
| TUESDAY | Lynette's Group booking AM FULL | | Available for Workshops, classes, projects |
| WEDNESDAY | 10am-12 noon Portrait Drawing Untutored \$15.00 <i>Please note – \$15.00 if you are doing both sessions</i> | 1pm-3pm Life Drawing Untutored \$10 per session Includes model fee | Available for Workshops, classes, projects |
| THURSDAY | 8.30 – 12.30. Open Studio Drop in and join in. | 1-3 PM Watercolour painting with Helen Steven Ph 8345832 FULL | 6-8.30PM NOVICE Watercolour With Grant Waugh ph 8341238 5th May – 14 July \$150.00 (11 sessions) |
| FRIDAY | 9.30am – 12. Free Range Painting with Robin Binsley. All levels welcome \$10 ph 8496356 or 0211873494 | Available for Workshops, classes, projects. | Available for Workshops, classes, projects. |
| SATURDAY | Available for Workshops, classes, projects | Available for Workshops, classes, projects | Available for Workshops, classes, projects |
| SUNDAY | Available for Workshops, classes, projects | Available for Workshops, classes, projects | Roche Art sessions rocheart@live. com |