



red house news

a newsletter of the Red House Group Inc.

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From the Co-ordinator

Happy New Year to all my fellow Red House Group members. There are currently about 250 of us, with new members joining all the time. Those members who chose not to renew for 07-08 have now been removed from the member list, but it is OK to rejoin if your membership has lapsed. Just pay the annual fee next time you visit Gallery M.

For those of you who would like to become more socially involved with your fellow artists, we have a number of new initiatives for members this year. The 'Coffee & Chat' get-togethers in Signatures Cafe will continue, held on the third Wednesday each month from 10.30am. Next 'Coffee and Chat' will be on 20 February.

Another new venture is for those of you who like to paint and draw 'en plein air' (outdoors). A schedule of interesting locations around Adelaide has been put together by RHG member John Hamilton; with the hope that like minded artists will meet at the specified spot and work in a social setting on their individual artwork. (See details in this newsletter)

We are also offering a range of school holiday activities for kids, to be held in the verandah area adjacent to Gallery M. Some vacancies still exist (see below).

The new year at Gallery M starts off in a big way with four separate exhibitions, opening on the evening of Friday 18 January. Please continue to support your fellow artists by coming along to the exhibition openings each month. Hospitality is generously provided by Patritti Wines.

And finally - you can now get your 2008 Gallery M calendar for just \$5 - HALF PRICE !! Still a great gift idea.

Regards from Julie

January 08 SCHOOL HOLIDAY 'ARTY' ACTIVITIES' at Gallery M

Some vacancies still exist for these sessions. Cost \$10 per child, suitable for children 8 years and over. For more details contact Gallery M.

- **make woollen felt balls**
With textile artist Jackie Pearce
Thursday 10 January: 10.30 - 12 noon
- **fun with clay**
With sculptor Makram Iskandar
Tuesday 15 January: 10.30 - 12 noon
- **acrylic painting**
With artist Shahin Azadegan
Wednesday 16 January: 10.30 - 12 noon

Paint OUTDOORS



This is a new initiative for those who would like to meet new people and paint outdoors with friends in an informal social setting.

A list of the locations is shown (below); or contact gallery M for more details. You can also download the whole program from www.gallerym.net.au

February 22	Brighton (Kingston Park) Caravan Park
March 28	Brighton
April 25	Anzac Day (no program)
May 23	Port Adelaide
June 27	St Peter's Cathedral
July 26	Wittunga Gardens, Blackwood
August 22	Hahndorf
September 26	Moseley Square, Glenelg
October 24	Botanical Gardens
November 28	Henley Square

Suggested program for the day:

9.00 am - 9.30am	Meet at the location
9.45 am - 12.30pm	Work on individual artwork
12.30 pm	Meet together to discuss work
1.00 pm	Lunch - bring your own or go to a nearby cafe

If it is raining - Phone to check but would cancelled in most instances.

Cost: As there will be no tutor there will be no cost to attend.

If you would like to arrange to share transport with other interested artists, let Gallery M staff know. We can then put you in touch with each other.

For more info contact John Hamilton on 8358 4546; or (mobile) 0431 616 948

MEMBER UPDATE

Welcome to new Red House Group members: Andrew Watherston; Phoebe Weightman; Bronwyn Irwin; Susan Hayfa; Sarah Philip; and Michele Nooteboom.

Also welcome new 'Friend of Gallery M': Michael de Rohan.



shop & exhibition SALES

Listed below are all those who have sold work **only up to 31 December 2007**. Please be sure you promptly pick up payments from previous months.



Please note, payments under \$10 will be paid in cash; (unless you have nominated Electronic Funds Transfer). All other payments will be made by cheque; remember that if you have not given your bank details for EFT, 45c will be deducted from any cheque payment to cover bank charges.

If you have an (E) next to your name, you will have your payment transferred to your bank account. Your statement of sales is included in this mail-out, or you can collect the information when you next visit the gallery.

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| L. ABERCROMBIE (E) | H. LORENZEN |
| P. ADAM (E) | M. MARGETTS (E) |
| B. ADAMS (E) | B. MARTIN (E) |
| A. BATES (E) | L. MAYES (E) |
| H. BLAKE | J. MCCALLUM (E) |
| J. BOOT (E) | M. MCCAUL (E) |
| S. BRADLEY | D. MORGAN |
| E. BUTTON (E) | S. MORIZZI (E) |
| G. CARRAPIETT (E) | H. NIKITINS |
| CITY OF MARION (GST) | M. PARTIS (E) |
| M. COLLINS-MCBRIDE (E) | J. PEARCE |
| CONCERTINA GROUP | J. PRITCHARD (E) |
| H. CUTTING | E. PUSCHART |
| A. DAVIS-QUANTRILL | C. RICHARDS (E) |
| DEPT ENV-MENT & HERITAGE | M. SAGE (E) |
| S. DOUBLE (E) | H. SHERRIFF (E) |
| T. FLEMING (E) | P. SHINKFIELD |
| N. FORBES (E) | S. SKILLITZI (E) |
| C. GILES - CLARK (E) | A. SMITH (E) |
| S. GINSBERG (E) | P. SMITH (E) |
| C. GREIG | B. STOCK |
| N. HENNESSY | SUNEDEN SCHOOL (GST) |
| G. HERBERT | M. H. TANG |
| K. HILL (E) | A. THOMPSON |
| R. HJORLIEFSON (E) | P. WEIGHTMAN (E) |
| C. J. HOYLE (E) | M. WELSBY (E) |
| V. JORDAN (GST) (E) | L. WENDELBORN |
| F. KAT (E) | B. WHITINGTON (E) |
| K. KEANE (E) | Z. WIJESINHA (E) |
| J. LAMING | J. WRIGLEY (E) |
| N. LEWCOCK (E) | |

As you can see by the above list, many artists are receiving payments for sales (both shop and exhibition) during December. Over \$7,000 will be returned to artists for that period, which is a great result.

If you have work in the shop, please check your stock levels to ensure that we have fresh new work to start the new year. It is also a good time for all shop exhibitors to have a 'stocktake' - ask for a printed list of your items next time you are on shop duty or visit the gallery, and do a manual check so that any adjustments can be made.

The 6th Annual Christmas Community exhibition continues to attract attention, and has also had some good sales. The standard this year is very high, and visitors can still vote for the "People's Choice" award, which will be announced at the close of the exhibition. If you have work in the exhibition, please remember to collect it on Monday 14 January between 11am - 4pm.

diary dates

Sunday 13 January

Close of current exhibition

Monday 14 January: 4pm

Exhibition Committee meeting

Thursday 17 January: 7pm

Red House Group Management Meeting

Friday 18 January: 5:30 - 8pm

Official opening of four new exhibitions

- "Feathered Friends"
- "Space, Sea and Fantasy"
- "Afghanistan in Transition"
- "Ha-ji-me-ma-shi-te"

Sunday 27 January: 2pm - Artist Talk

- Shahin Azadegan "Feathered Friends"
- Paula Kerr "Space, Sea & Fantasy"

Monday 28 January

Australia Day Public Holiday - Gallery M Closed

Saturday 2 February: 2pm - Artist Talk

- Susan Hayfa "Afghanistan in Transition"

Sunday 3 February: 2pm - Artist Talk

- Janine Paris "Ha-ji-me-ma-shi-te"

ART "N" ABOUT

Brighton Jetty Classic 'Sculptures by the Sea' - on display in the new Brighton Surf Lifesaving clubrooms and in the adjacent Bindarra Reserve. Fri 1 Feb 6pm-9pm; Sat 2 Feb 10am-9pm; Sun 3 Feb 10am-2pm. For more info www.brightonjettyclassic.com

The Rotary Club of Flagstaff Hill '2008 Art Exhibition' will be held 19 - 26 April 2008 at Flagstaff Hill Primary School, Black Rd, Flagstaff Hill. Official opening 6.30pm Friday 18 April. Total prizes (non acquisitive) \$7,100. Entries close 28/3/08. Forms are available at Gallery M, or contact organiser Bronte Crisp on 8270 1126, or email: bcrisp@picknowl.com.au

'Miniatures' - an exhibition featuring 15 South Australian award winning printmakers is on display at Red Poles, McMurtrie Rd, McLaren Vale until 20 January. P: 8323 8994.

Artists are invited to submit artwork for the '2008 Limestone Coast Art Prize' to be held at the Keith Institute from 14 - 21 February. Entries close Tuesday 22 January. \$2,500 prizes. Ph: 08 8756 4243 for more info; forms are available at Gallery M.

Exhibitions of paintings by Karen Fennell & Carol Goess, and ceramics by Caroline Walker Grime - opening at Hahndorf Academy 6.30pm Friday 11 January. From 10 January - 19 February. 68 Main St, Hahndorf 10am-5pm daily