

JULY  
2015

# QUEANBEYAN ART SOCIETY

Newsletter  
**A BRUSH WITH THE NEWS**

**PATRONS:** Frank Pangallo MBE , Mrs Hope Marland AM MBE (d).  
**LIFE MEMBERS:** Frank Alcock (d), Laurel Blyton, Julie Ballis, Judy Barber, Frank Bresnik(d), Barry Cranston, Jean Daniel (d), Trevor Hardy (d), M. Kaczmarowski (d), Bob Kalivoda (d), Phil Greinke, Jill Greinke, Jean Helmers, Royce Howlett (d), June Larkin, B McCooley (d), Hope Marland (d), Ivy McDonald (d), Pam Padovan, Frank Pangallo, Elaine Perrin, S. Peristoma (d), Derek Rogers, Joy Rogers, E. Stephens, Ron Vella, Pauline Weeks (d).  
**COMMITTEE 2015:** Barry Cranston (Pres.), Belinda Ingram (Vice-Pres.), Rosanna Burston (Sec.), Dee Hogan (Treasurer), Maria Bendall, Karen Hall, Ann Hand, Di Mortimer, Pam Padovan, Margo Piefke, Vivien Pinder, Kevin Richardson, Hope Upston, and Jean Helmers (Gallery Manager), .  
**HON. AUDITOR:** June Larkin (L.M). **HON. PUBLIC OFFICER:** Julie Ballis (L.M).  
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## GALLERY & MEMBERS PAINTERS

**T**HE annual Gallery and Members' Exhibition once again proved a huge success and the committee is looking for a sponsor for this event for next year.

One of the most valued contributions to the Society is the weekly Gallery Painters attending painting groups at the Gallery. This stream of money keeps the Society ticking over. The weekly \$3 per painter fee to paint at the Gallery is such a regular income for QAS and great friendships at these fun days leads to a healthy Society.

Long time member and Gallery Painter **Pam Kowald** opened the exhibition and 'painted' a wonderful picture of why she has long, loving memories at QAS. Pam is a prolific entrant at most exhibitions and values the friendships she has made at QAS.

If any members who would like to attend these Gallery Group painting days please ring Jean at the Gallery. The combined Exhibition allows other members to enter the monthly events and compete for the many awards.

Life Member **Phillip Greinke** was delighted with the overall quality of the works entered and required the help of wife **Jill** to select the award winners. Phillip suggested these Members Exhibitions were healthy for our Society.



QAS Secretary **Rosanna Burston** introduces **Pam Kowald** to officially open the Exhibition.



### GALLERY PAINTERS AND MEMBERS WINNERS

Back: **Erry Lewis, Pam Kowald, Amanda Denman, Andrew Smith, Jean Helmers, Bev Dougall, Mark Redzic, Therese Dowling, Irma Caldwell and Barry Cranston.**  
Front: **Belinda Ingram, Hope Upston, Phillip Greinke (Judge) Jill Greinke and Oliver McCauley.**



**Erry Lewis**  
Art Exhibition + Sale!  
at  
Queanbeyan Art Society  
Trinculo Place  
Under the bridge  
by  
the Riverbank Café  
open daily 10.30-1pm  
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GALLERY PAINTERS WINNERS



ACRYLIC 1  
67 Egyptian Cat  
Hope Upston



ACRYLIC 2 7 Group of Houses  
Dawn Wilson



ACRYLIC 3  
43 Big Seas  
Erry Lewis



ANY OTHER MEDIA  
1 3 Protea  
Therese Dowling



ANY OTHER MEDIA 2  
6 Garden  
Dawn Wilson



ANY OTHER MEDIA 3  
31 Standing Tall  
Meredith Husejko



OIL 1 1890's Ladies of the Court  
Barry Cranston



OIL 2 48 Van Gogh's  
Chives Craig McArthur



WATERCOLOUR 1 72  
Serene Scene Anna Stewart



WATERCOLOUR 2 2  
Still life with Pears Therese Dowling



WATERCOLOUR 3 21  
Dolphin Bay Esperance WA  
Bev Dougall



Regular Gallery  
Painter **Bev  
Dougall** accepts  
her award from  
judge **Phillip  
Greinke**.



A proud **Erry Lewis** holds her grandchild in the 'Erry Lewis  
Cheer Squad' most of them from Melbourne.



MEMBERS WINNERS



ACRYLIC 2 64 Baxter Andrew Smith

ACRYLIC 3 58 Forest Sprite greets Thee Amanda Denman

ANY OTHER MEDIA I 13 Rocks & Trees Jean Helmers

ACRYLIC I 40 Lovely Lilies Sheryl Miller



ANY OTHER MEDIA 3 18 Still Life with Tomatoes Belinda Ingram



OIL I 44 Afternoon Shadows Mt Arapales Eric Strachan



OIL 2 23 Factory Oliver McCauley

ANY OTHER MEDIA 2 35 Red Centre Moon Adrienne Conway



WATERCOLOUR I 37 Sacred Kingfisher Dorothy Savvas



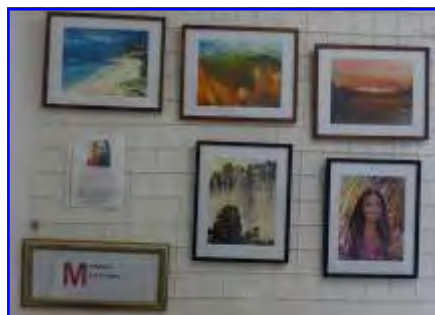
WATERCOLOUR 2 16 Dynamite Belinda Ingram



WATERCOLOUR 3 52 Desert Light Irma Caldwell



OIL 3 19 Morning Light Mark Redzic



JUNE MEMBER'S PROFILE Erry Lewis

THIS is the third Member's Profile Exhibition and the committee would like to thank Maxine Sumner for organising them every month. Only good comments have come from the Member's Profiles.

A EXCELLENT CROWD AT THE GALLERY/MEMBERS EXHIBITION



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**GUEST ARTISTS RAFFLE PRIZE**

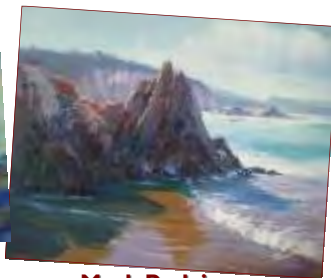
**THE QAS Committee has named the following members as guest artists for the 8th Charity Art Show in City Walk, Canberra 19th to 27th September 2015. Megan Dixon Dawes, Sheryl Miller, Maxine Sumner and Mark Redzic are flat-out painting and one of their works will be offered as prizes in the QAS Raffle. Each year the Guest Artists have sold well at the Charity Art Show.**



**Megan Dixon Dawes**



**Sheryl Miller**



**Mark Redzic**



**Maxine Sumner**

**ANOTHER CHAMPION CHAN WORKSHOP**



Standing: Therese Dowling, Anna Stewart, Sally Daniels, Margaret Wells, Janet Bedloe, Pat Fleming and Maxine Sumner. Middle: Meredith Husejko, Jan Pettigrew. Front: Christine Lee, Jenni Warren, Ros Dudek, Chan Dissanayake.



**Christine Lee**



**Therese Dowling**



**Anna Stewart**



**Jenni Warren and Patricia Fleming**

**2014-15 PEOPLE'S CHOICE**

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\$40 QAS MEMBERSHIP

- Points 16 **Jean Helmers**
- Points 16 **Vivien Pinder**
- Points 15 **Amanda Denman**
- Points 11 **Maxine Sumner**
- Points **Don Traynor**
- Points 10 **Barry Cranston**
- Belinda Ingram**
- Points 9 **Pam Padovan**
- Eileen Slattery**
- Points 6 **Janet Bedloe**
- Adrienne Conway**
- Patricia Fleming**
- Erry Lewis**
- Leigh Murray**
- Janet Bedloe**
- Kevin Richardson**
- Sue Roger**
- Camelia Smith**
- Eric Strachan**
- Points 4 **Annette Barker**
- Rosanna Burston**
- Leisa Fox**
- Jeff Isaacs**
- Pam Kowald**
- Sandra House**
- Leigh Murray**
- Nik Rajic**
- Hope Upston**
- Ray Barnett**
- Patricia Fleming**
- Karen Hall**
- Jane Helmers**
- Jacqui Michie**
- Siva Nathan**
- Andrew Smith**
- Hope Upston**
- Points 2 **Annette Barker**
- John Burdett**
- Marijke Gilchrist**
- Margaret Heseltine**
- Cheryl Hill**
- Sylvia Hughes Man**
- Robyn Klein**
- Jacqui Michie**
- Ina Olsauskas**
- June Roblom**
- Patti Tattersall**
- Point 1 **Diane Alder**
- Angel Elisabeth**
- Irmgard Caldwell**
- Sally Daniel**
- Moya Ewin**
- Val Fearnley**
- Meredith Husejko**
- Jeff Isaacs**
- Yvonne Kingsley**
- Isla Patterson**
- Sharon McCarthy**
- Nyree Mason**
- Sheryl Miller**
- Di Mortimer**
- Jan Pettigrew**
- Georgina Poulos**
- Jenny Shepard**
- Dorothy Savvas**
- Dawn Wilson**
- Ros Woodward**

**10th Anniversary Celebrations**  
 Featuring 10 guest artists  
 Exhibition 4 July - 31 August 2015  
 Official opening by Dr Marjorie Gross Sat 4th July 1.30 pm  
 Help us Celebrate



**JOINT PEOPLE'S CHOICE WINNERS**

**TWO** of the Societies most popular members **Vivien Pinder** and **Jean Helmers** finished at the top of the People's Choice ladder. Well done 'Girls'.



**MAP TO CHARITY ART SHOW**



**MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**  
**1st June 2015 to 31st May 2016**  
 Pay \$40 Full Member Pay \$15 Friends of Society  
 by: Cash when you are at the gallery, post cheque or Direct Deposit BSB 062 593 Acc 10395610  
 Renewal form on: [www.qarts.com.au](http://www.qarts.com.au)  
 Remember to send your renewal form to:  
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**JENNY IS BACK**

**JENNY ROBBINS** is happily back at QAS teaching every second Tuesday morning to her keen class. Jenny wants to invite others to join in her teaching sessions at QAS.

Jenny teaches in a variety of media and is an enthusiastic and encouraging teacher, who places great importance on giving each student practical help and individual attention. Jenny is a consistent prize-winner, her work is held in many public and private collections and been published in The Australian Artist magazine. QAS is delighted Jenny continues to be a tutor at our gallery. Please contact Jenny on 6290 1948, 0417 240 668.



**HELEN HONOURED**



**HELEN MUSA** received an Order of Australia Medal recognising her service to the performing and visual arts as a critic and magazine editor. The Queanbeyan Art Society congratulates Helen on the Prestigious award and as a Queanbeyan resident is well aware of the many arts in Queanbeyan. Helen is pictured viewing the 2015 Along The Molonglo Exhibition recently. **Well done Helen!**

**QAS HONOUR BOARD**

**T**HE Committee is keen to bring the QAS Honor Boards up to date.

Also several requests from members has prompted the search which is a bit tricky. If any members can help please contact the secretary. Over the years committees come and go in mid year and some could just 'slip' off the books but we must record their contribution. Please call Rosanna.

**WORKSHOP DATE CHANGE**

**T**HE Lesley Wallington Workshop (Painting on Collage Paper) has been moved to Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th October 2015. The Queanbeyan City Council will hold the QCC River Festival on 16/17/18 March 2015 (in front of the Gallery). The QAS Committee is in the process of organising some special events at the Gallery for the River Festival. Members Free Exhibition (on the fence at the Gallery).

**QAS IN USA**

**M**embers Helen Marx and Hayley Boyle will be soon homeward bound after participating in three art workshops in the USA. Dedicated to art the pair have flown across America to work with chosen tutors. Helen's informative reports, generously done for QAS, will be available soon on the QAS website. Art insights and travel tips for carrying oil paints Thanks Helen and Hayley for your work will be of real interest to our members.

**2015 QAS WORKSHOPS**

**John Wilson - 8/9 August - Oils**

**Julie Ballis - 12/13 September - medium of your choice.**  
**Lesley Wallington - October 24/25 - Painting on Collage Paper -**  
 Cost for John Wilson is \$160 for members, \$200 for non members. All other workshops cost \$120 for members \$160 for non members for the weekend. Contact: Pam Padovan to book for the Workshops please ring 044 831 2995.



**2015-16 COMMITTEE**

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**PRESIDENT'S PALETTE**

**T**HE QAS Committee is working hard to get more of the member's paintings 'out there' by firstly developing the Members' Profile Exhibition and the first other Members Exhibition to go up now hung in the Molonglo Catchment office block in Queanbeyan. There are two other sites in mind, one in Queanbeyan and one in Canberra. More at a later date. What wonderful news on **Helen Musa's** Australia Medal - a real friend of the arts over many years. Thank you Helen for being a champion to QAS. Member **Stuart Marshall** was the guest speaker (artist) at the Queanbeyan West Rotary Club dinner and he donated his lovely demo watercolour painting to the Club to auction at their changeover dinner. The framed Flinders Ranges painting fetched \$500 and this money will go to the Heart Foundation. Well done Stuart for your generous donation, perhaps we all should use Rotary as our art agent. What talent we have in the Society and when called to step to the plate they do. At Sunday's Gallery/Members Exhibition long time member **Pam Kowald** officially open the exhibition. Like a real trooper Pam told use what enjoyment over the years at QAS she has had especially her time spent at the gallery with the Gallery Painters. Members it is getting close to the QAS Charity Art Show this year supporting Soldier On.

**Yours in Art,  
 Barry Cranston  
 President**

An invitation to view... **Secrets of the Forest Celebrating Tassie Timbers** March 2011

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**QUEANBEYAN ART SOCIETY 2015 EXHIBITION OPENING DATES**

Members please keep an 'eye' on the Calendar of Events as it may be updated.

- Sunday 2nd August Queanbeyan City Council (Exhibition hangs for 2 months)  
Members Competition/Exhibition (works in Sat 25th Jul)
  - Saturday 19th/27th September Queanbeyan Art Society Charity Art Show Open to all artists  
(Supporting Soldier On) (works in Sat 19th Sep)
  - Sunday 4th October Bespoke 'The Art of Lest We Forget' (World War 1) Members Competition/Exhibition  
(works in 27/29 Sep)
  - (All winners go to Queanbeyan Q Gallery for special public Exhibition in November 2015)
  - Saturday 17th October Queanbeyan Festival. Members Art on the QAS Fence (free entry) (works in on the day)
  - Sunday 1st November Greinke/Ballis Drawing-Portrait-Miniatures Open to all artists  
(works in Sat 24th Oct)
  - Sunday 6th December Queanbeyan City Travel (Exhibition hangs for 2 months) Members Competition/Exhibition  
(works in Sat 28th Nov)
- QAS Christmas Party.



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on the bank of the  
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**QAS GALLERY ART CLASSES ALL WELCOME**

**MONDAY**

Painting Group  
10am to 12-00pm  
No Tutor  
Cost \$3 per person

**TUESDAY**

Acrylic/Watercolour Group  
10am – 1-00pm  
(Every second Tuesday all media, no pastel)  
Cost \$15 per person  
Tutor Jenny Robbins

**WEDNESDAY**

All Media  
10am to 1pm  
No Tutor  
Cost \$3 per person

**THURSDAY**

Water Media  
10-30am to 2pm  
Tutor Annette Barker  
0262317221  
Cost \$20 per person

**FRIDAY**

\*Painting Group 10am to 1pm No Tutor  
Cost \$3 per person

**SATURDAY**

Painting Group  
10am to 2pm No Tutor  
Cost \$3 per person

**SUNDAY**

9-30am to 1-00pm  
\*Last Sunday each month  
Ray Barnett  
Watercolour Cost \$28  
\*All Other Sundays  
Belinda Ingram  
Any Media Cost \$15

**QAS Gallery Open**

\* Weekdays  
10.30am to 1.00pm  
\* Weekends  
10.30am to 1.00pm

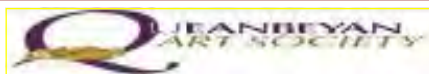


**ART COMPETITION / EXHIBITION**  
Any Medium - Any Subject  
(one painting one award)

**OFFICIAL OPENING SUNDAY 2nd August 2015**

\* Guest Speaker at 2-00pm \* Art Presentations  
\* Music \* Refreshments  
All Welcome

**Works in Saturday 25th July 2015**



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\* Music \* Refreshments  
All Welcome

**Works in Saturday 27/29 September 2015**

(All winners go to Queanbeyan Q Gallery for special public Exhibition in November 2015)



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