

Arts Matter

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Welcome all to this autumnal edition of Arts Matter and Welcome to new members Tony & Lyn McMeel. As you can see we have a new font and new heading layout - all thanks to the unfortunate death of ed's computer [aaaaagh - what a headache] So, please accept Ed's apology for late newsletter. Anyway, life goes on, and as in all facets of life we have to accept change and move on. Speaking of which, May offers a feast of art and heritage opportunities in Corangamite starting with



Paint the Town

Camperdown

Make Art in a Day

between 8am - 4pm on Saturday 1st May 2010
in the historic town precinct of Camperdown

1st prize: \$500 cash
2nd prize: \$50 gift voucher Camperdown Picture Framing
Young artists 12-18yrs: prize \$50 cash
Children under 12yrs: 1st prize courtesy of Camperdown Newsagency

For entry forms and information: Phone Fiona Morris 5593 3883
Email: gnotuk2@bigpond.com



All artists are invited to take part, and forms of visual art such as painting, drawing, sketching, stitching or weaving are permitted. The challenge is to complete your work in one day, beginning at 8am-4pm. To enter, register before the day and pay only \$5 entry. Register on the day \$10, children \$5. At 4pm, all works are to be delivered to the Dining Room of Madden's Commercial Hotel.

The exhibition of works will open on Sunday 10am-4pm. Prizewinners will be announced at 11am. Nibbles will be served, and drinks can be purchased from the Tabaret Bar. Admission to the exhibition \$5. All works will be for sale.

Proudly sponsored by Camperdown Picture Framing, Camperdown Newsagency, Madden's Commercial Hotel and Imagination Station Toyshop. For more details check the website: www.corangamitearts.com

and on the same weekend May 1st + 2nd, Camperdown and District Historical Society celebrates 50 years! All members of the Society and interested friends are invited to the 50th Anniversary Dinner to be held on Saturday evening 1st May at the Camperdown Golf Club. \$30 per person (drinks extra at the bar)

Guest speaker: Dr Stephen Carey, a geologist and lecturer at the University of Ballarat. He will talk about the prehistoric megafauna that once roamed the Western District and the unique recently discovered megafauna trackway in the Victorian Volcanic Plains. The Heritage Centre will be open both Saturday 1st May 10am - 5pm and Sunday 10am - 3pm. All participants in Paint the Town should stop off and have a look at the wonderful heritage Camperdown and surrounds has to offer. Bookings by Friday 23rd April. Bob Lambell 5593 2213
Frank Rose 5593 1990 Email: cdhs@tca-online.net.au

Camperdown and District Hospital Auxiliary invite artists to enter

A Brush with Life 2010: a Corangamite institution offering the best of our artists work for sale.

Don't miss this exhibition: a wonderful Mother's Day outing open to the public on the weekend of **Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th May.**

At **St Paul's Anglican Parish Hall, Church St Camperdown**

All works will be for sale. Commission goes to the Camperdown Hospital

Entry forms must be lodged by **Friday 30 April.** Works delivered by **3 - 5pm Friday 7th June**

For entry forms and more details please contact :

Mr Tony Dupleix, Faayid, Elwood Rd, Camperown 3260

or email: brologa@tca-online.com.au

What's on at Lava Arts 2010

APRIL 19TH -25TH

Vickie Mahony: **Original Art for Children's Rooms**

MAY Fri 7th - Fri 14th

Dorothy Nichol: **"The Annual Ball"**: an exhibition of gowns and music from Dorothy's extensive collection.

JUNE Mon 21st - Wed 30th JULY- "The Amazing Orchard": a creative response to words ending in "try". Open to all artists in the region. Responses can be sculptural, or a combination of art and text. This exhibition will be thought provoking and whimsical. Works

To book LavaArts for an exhibition
please phone Joan Mahony on
5593 3777 BH

A flat rate applies to the hire of the
gallery. No commission fees apply.

may be sold. No commission fees. Entry: Gold coin donation to cover gallery costs. To be part of this display contact Joan Mahony at Imagination Station, Church St, Camperdown or phone 5593 3777

OCTOBER Fri 15th - Sun 24th

Custom Lane Gallery Hawthorn comes to Camperdown. All works for sale.

Cheree Densley Basket Making Workshops (see separate sheet) operate on the following Market Sundays through the year from 2 - 4pm at Lava Arts:

Sunday May 2nd: Apple Collecting Basket

Sunday July 4th: Rag Basket

Sunday October 3rd: Bush Basket

Sunday November 7th: Contemporary Wall Hanging

Bookings: Please ring 5568 7266 or email cherree@hotkey.net.au

At the last General Meeting: The possibility of changing the Corangamite Arts Inc Model Rules were discussed, as a member suggested that office bearers should only hold their positions in the Association Committee for 1, or at most 2 years within a 5 year period. Two views were then discussed and will be further investigated. 1. Change the Model Rules and restrict office bearers time to office. 2. Stay with Model Rules but encourage changes in committee positions. **What do you think??** This can only be altered via the constitution at an AGM so this will be on the agenda at the next AGM in October. Also discussed, was the need for new *[and improved?/headquarters/performance/workshop space, however this issue was not resolved and looks like continuing for some time get so any suggestions from members and other interested persons are welcome]*

"An Evening Interlude of Classical Music."

Featuring local artists on pipe organ, piano, violin, cello and voice

When: Friday, 30 April at 7.30p.m

Where: Noorat Niel Black Presbyterian Church

Admission: \$15 adult/\$5 student
Supper provided.

Contact Fiona Pugh 0437 588785
or Jo Kenna 55926267

ARTIST'S WEBSITES

If you are a working artist and have your own website, why not let Corangamite Arts spread the word for you by putting a link on our site, at

www.corangamitearts.com.

Just send your details to our webmaster [mistress?] Angela at ozlaho@inet.net.au and she'll do the rest!!!!



Thanks to everyone who has submitted stuff for this newsletter ie Gail, Lynn, Marion. Many thanks also to Berice and Gail for printing, collating and distributing the newsletter [Ed].



Corangamite
SHIRE

"The arts help keep doctors and other professionals in country Australia!!"

As always we gratefully acknowledge, assistance from our local Shire, including the production of this newsletter.



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SURFING THE STARS

WITH THE SOUTH WEST ASTRONOMY GROUP



If you are interested in astronomy and want to have fun discovering the stars with our informal group then come along to one of our viewing nights

There is a gold coin donation for casual visitors and a small fee for regular members to cover venue cost.

Autumn - Spring 2010

Wed 21 st April	Sidewalk Astronomy - Part Two! <small>If you enjoyed the first Sidewalk Astro, here's the next one at the Showgrounds (7-10pm) - IT'S FREE!</small> The Moon - Saturn - Mars
Fri 23 rd April	
Sat 8 th May Fri 21 st May	The Moon - Neptune The Moon (1 st quarter) - Saturn - moons
Sat 5 th June Fri 18 th June	Winter night star highlights Winter solstice skies
Sat 17 th July Fri 30 th July	Galaxy hunting Scanning the skies
Sat 7 th August Fri 27 th August	General exploring Jupiter - Uranus - The Moon
Sat 4 th September	Venus - Spica - Mars

Venue: Camperdown Showgrounds Main Shed at dusk

On viewing nights we identify star clusters (nebulas), deep-sky objects, planets etc. with the naked eye, binoculars & telescopes. Come along, learn how to use a telescope, or bring your own! If the sky is overcast or rainy we may have astronomy videos. Evenings can be cool, so dress to impress polar bears!

For further information, please contact:
Barry- 55931542 Dallas- 55951203 Irwin & Anna- 5593 3994

Become a member
of Corangamite Arts and
stay informed, inspired
and in touch with arts in
the South West.

Annual Subscriptions:

Single - \$20

Family - \$25

Organisation - \$30.

Ph: Pam Redgewell

5593 3299

the wonder of creativity ...



a painting created using
melted chocolate on
white cardboard, painted
with a kitchen knife. Lorry
says: "I did this to amuse
my art class when we
were working with new
and unfamiliar media."

Regular Events

Tune a Week - a fun way to get into music in
a relaxed, easy-going atmosphere. Meets at
5.30. Wednesdays during term, in the Corner
Room. BYO instruments, preferably Celtic
or folk style, ie guitars, fiddles, tin whistles,
bodhran, mandolin etc. Must be member of
Corangamite Arts, plus gold coin per session.
All ages welcome. Ph Peter Daffy 0417 378 859.

Gobden Painting Group - meets on
Thursdays during school terms, \$20 per term,
10.30-12.30. BYO lunch. Conference Room,
Gobden District Health. Ph. realist landscape
painter extraordinaire Gwen, 5593 1645.

Ladies and Blokes in Black - meet at St.
Pat's Church, Thursdays, 7.30pm. New members
are always welcome.

Writing Group - meets at 1.30pm on the 1st
and 3rd Saturday in the month, at the Corner
Room, corner of Bath + Mantfold Sts.
Camperdown.

Visual Art Group - meets 1st + 3rd
Wednesday of the month, at the Corner Room.

Book Reading Group - meets on the 4th
Tuesday of each month, at the Corner Room.

Lakes + Craters Band - meets on Friday
nights, 7.30pm. At the Killara Centre (behind
Camperdown Library), Mantfold St. Ph. Annette
Mulholland 5595 4337 or email



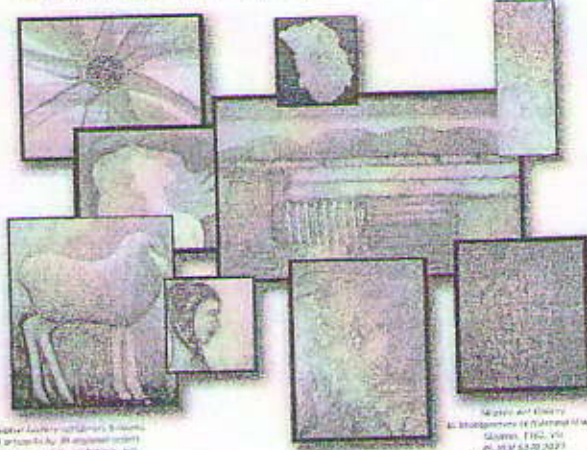
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SKIPTON ART GALLERY
presents
"Alchemy - A Transformation"
an exhibition of appropriation and assemblage works
by contemporary Australian artist

Juli Davine

24th April 2010 - 22nd May 2010
Exhibition preview - 3pm-6pm Saturday 24th April



Skipton Art Gallery is a not-for-profit organisation. All proceeds from all activities go to support the gallery's operations, including the purchase, restoration and conservation of artworks.

Skipton Art Gallery
41 Bridge Street (at end of Market Street)
Skipton, Vic. 3673
Ph: 08 53 39 2023
www.skiptonartgallery.com

Congratulations and Thankyou to the following:

Executive Committee 2009/2010

Acting President- Marton Manifold

Vice President -

Secretary - Lynn McDonald

Minutes Secretary- Berice Jones

Treasurer - Pam Redgewell

Membership - Pam Redgewell

Archives/Library - Fiona Morris

Website - Angela Priest

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Eat Local • Eat Fresh • Eat Healthy

SIMPSON

Farmers Market
at the end of Market Street
Skipton, Vic. 3673

Supporting Local Producers

2009/10 Market Dates
Skipton, Vic. 3673
Market 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th
Market 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th
Market 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th
Market 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th

Market Hours: 9am - 12pm

Market Entry: Free

Market Fees: \$2.00 per stall

Market Rules: See Website

Website: www.visitstkipton.com.au

Camperdown Theatre Company

Calendar

April

- Sun, Mon, 18th, 19th Auditions for *Allo Allo*
- Fri 23rd Social Play Reading, Avenue Cafe

May

- Sun 16th 2pm - 4pm **Puppet Workshop**, Theatre Royal. For ages 10+. Entry \$5. To register please ph: 5593 1959, by Thurs 13th May. Instructors Lyn McLean, Russell Reed, Ellie Roseburg, Wayne Blackney

June

July

- Fri, Sat 30th, 31st. *Allo Allo* Performance, Theatre Royal.

August, September

- October AGM