



HUON ART EXHIBITIONS GROUP INC.

Members e-Letter

FEBRUARY 20, 2010

SOUTHERN EXPOSURE EXHIBITION - MARCH 2010

IMPORTANT!!

All Members and their friends are invited to this year's "SOUTHERN EXPOSURE" OPENING to be held in the Cygnet Town Hall on Friday March 5 at 7:00 pm. The Official Opening will be performed by Cr. Rosalie Woodruff, Arts & Heritage Portfolio, H.V.C.

This year we have \$4850 worth of Awards and Prize Money to be presented to deserving winners of the various sections. Entry form closing date is **last mail February 26**, with deliveries of art works to Cygnet Town Hall on either Wednesday March 3 or Thursday March 4, hours 10am-4pm. **NO LATER!!**

We need volunteers to fill the rosters for the Exhibition, plus volunteers for Lovett Gallery which will also be open during this period. If you have not already chosen your spot, then ring Lovett Gallery during open hours (03) 6295 0582. You will also have the opportunity to do so when delivering your artwork to the Town Hall. We must ensure that we have enough people to supervise the event.

DINNER/QUIZ NIGHT ANNOUNCEMENT OF PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD \$500

We are holding another of our popular Quiz Nights, this time with dinner, at the Cygnet Art Hotel, Mary Street, Cygnet on Saturday March 27 - time 6:30 pm for 7:00 pm. The SOUTHERN EXPOSURE People's Choice Prize will be announced on the night.

The cost will be \$30 per person (includes Quiz participation and a 2 Course Menu which has a choice of 3 mains and 3 sweets). The evening is limited to 50 participants (5 tables of 10) so book early to avoid missing out! **Bookings - info.haeg@bigpond.com, phone 6297 8209, 6297 8325 or fill out the forms at Lovett Gallery. Forms will also be available during Southern Exposure. BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL FOR CATERING PURPOSES.**

THE LONG AWAITED HAEG WEBSITE TO GO LIVE THIS WEEK

It is finally happening! HAEG's website will be up and running live this week. There has been a lot of work in the background (**very special thanks to our web-designer Paul Raffety**) but also with a lot of input by our Chairman Paul Thomas. You will be able to see the results on www.haeg.org.au so make sure you check it out.

As well as a gallery of works at Lovett Gallery, there will be links to Member's websites. These links will be available at \$20 per year. Notice of upcoming exhibitions, facility to download membership forms, entry forms, newsletters and much much more will be accessible through our web-site.

EN PLEIN AIR COMPETITION

Plans are underway for the *en plein air* competition to be held in conjunction with Channel Regional Arts Group (CRAG). This is to be held in two locations - Port Cygnet and Oyster Cove - across the weekend of 9, 10 and 11 April. Entries will be exhibited at LOVETT Gallery, Cygnet (Opening 7pm on Friday 16th April) and will run for that plus the following weekend - so there will be plenty of time for the public to view your masterpieces. Entry fee \$15. **REGISTER YOUR INTEREST NOW!!**

G.G. RESIGNATION

POSITION VACANT!!

No - not that one!! It was with surprise and great regret HAEG received **Greg Guy's** resignation from the Committee at our Meeting on February 18. All of you who know him will understand the importance of his input, hard work and energy to the development of the Huon Art Exhibitions Group and the success of our Lovett Gallery. As a Committee Member, past Chairman, this year's Publicity Officer and Social Director, he has been a tireless member. However, he now has new seas to sail and we NEED A NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER/PUBLICITY OFFICER. If you are out there, please get in touch URGENTLY. There are a lot of interesting times ahead.

Kind regards,

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