



# red house news

a newsletter of the Red House Group Inc.

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From the Co-ordinator

Hi all

This seems to be the month for milestones. The Red House Group exhibition 'XIV' draws to a close this weekend, and celebrates 14 years of the Red House Group. The AGM is coming up, once again is an acknowledgement of the past 14 years. And incredibly, I have reached the milestone of 10 years employment with the Red House Group. Later this month I will enjoy a little Long Service Leave, leaving Jeremy and Pat to capably take care of business with the assistance of Kathryn Hill, one of the original staff members here at Gallery M.

Our operations at Gallery M have notched up some milestones as well. During the past financial year we have had very good sales, with over \$69,500 being returned to artists for shop and exhibition sales. The ex-tax revenue for Gallery M operations since opening in late 2001 is now over \$490,000 - which should hit the half million \$ mark by the time we reach our 7th anniversary in November this year. Everyone involved with Gallery M can share in the credit for this - it is entirely due to all the hard work and commitment by so many of our willing helpers.

I hope that many of you will make the effort to come to the AGM on Thursday 21 August. The new Board of Management will be elected, and annual reports given; but it is also a social event with food and refreshments, and a friendly atmosphere. This year there is a theme if you would like to join the fun - wear a hat (a party hat). Please RSVP as soon as possible if you are coming, so we can make arrangements for setting up.

The creation of the 2009 promotional calendar is now underway, with all artwork from the 'XIV' exhibition being photographed for inclusion. Please sign the Image Reproduction form when you collect your artwork on Monday 11 August. If your work has been sold, a form will be sent to you.

Please come to the next opening of three new exhibitions on Friday 15 August - remember the café is open with live music and 'Happy Hour' from 5-6pm. Help make the evening a success - bring along some friends. Hospitality at Gallery M is generously donated by Patrilli Wines.

See you again soon....Julie

## MEMBER UPDATE

Welcome to new Red House Group members: Zhu Cheng Qin; Norma Jean Mansell; Jo Schofield; Marie Sheridan; Charmian Quintrell; Deb Long & Kaaren Temme.

Also welcome to new 'Friend of Gallery M': Marlene Sampson

## CONGRATULATIONS...

Alan Louis Ramachandran won 2nd prize at the recent Rotary Club of Blackwood 2008 Art Festival

## NEXT RED HOUSE GROUP MEMBER EXHIBITIONS

'XIV' exhibition concludes on Sunday 10 August - please collect unsold work on Monday 11 August between 11am-4pm. Artwork from this exhibition will be used in the 2009 calendar.

Some members also have work to collect from the Naracoorte Art Gallery exchange exhibition

The next Red House Group exhibition will be a half gallery from 10 October - 2 November. Entry forms have been included in this mail-out, and the title will be decided at the next Exhibition Committee meeting. Once again, the number of entries will be limited, so return your entry form and payment of \$10 fee as soon as possible to ensure your place.

If you have an idea for a title, theme, or invitation design for a member exhibition, please advise one of the committee members or Gallery M staff. There will be three half gallery exhibitions for members in 2009.

## AGM reminder 7.30pm Thursday 21 August

All members are invited to attend this Annual General Meeting at Gallery M.

BYO supper, refreshments provided.

Help to elect the new Board of Management, and socialise with your fellow Red House Group members.

RSVP Monday 18 August. PS: If you like, wear a hat!!

## ART "N" ABOUT

Mike Barr & John Hamilton are showing new works in 'Coast to Cathedral' at St Peters Cathedral Friday 8 to Sunday 10 August. Opening 7 - 9.30pm, Friday 8 August; Sat: 9.30-4pm; Sun: 12.30-2pm.

'Let There be Light' is at the Stationmaster's Art Gallery, 20 South Tce, Strathalbyn until 14 September. Open daily during SALA 10am-4pm 'til 17 August, regular hours Wed-Sun 10am-4pm. Ph: 8536 4263

Glenda Bowen has a SALA open studio (prints and courtyard ceramics) at Beau Studio, 42 Thirkell Avenue, Beaumont 12-4.30pm Wed-Sun 'til 17 August. Ph 8379 5726, or glynda@ozemail.com.au



# shop & exhibition SALES

Listed below are all those who have sold work to **31 July 2008**. 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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| B. ADAMS (E)       | M. MARGETTS (E)      |
| R. ARMAN (E)       | MARION HIST. SOCIETY |
| A. BATES (E)       | B. MARTIN (E)        |
| J. BOOT (E)        | L. MAYES (E)         |
| D. BRUSS (E)       | J. McCALLUM (E)      |
| J. BURBIDGE (E)    | M. McCAUL (E)        |
| E. BUTTON (E)      | H. NIKITINS          |
| J. CARL (E)        | M. O'DONOGHUE (E)    |
| G. CARRAPIETT (E)  | J. PEARCE            |
| CITY OF MARION     | J. PRITCHARD (E)     |
| S. DOUBLE (E)      | E. PUSCHART          |
| E. EASTWOOD        | J. RALPH             |
| J. EDWARDS (E)     | C. RICHARDS (E)      |
| N. FORBES (E)      | M. SAGE (E)          |
| K. FRIEBE          | M. SHERIDAN (E)      |
| C. GILES-CLARK (E) | H. SHERRIFF (E)      |
| S. GYAPJAS         | P. SHINKFIELD        |
| J. HAMILTON (E)    | R. SINGER            |
| M. HARRIS (E)      | S. SKILLITZI (E)     |
| G. HERBERT         | A. SMITH (E)         |
| C. J. HOYLE (E)    | P. SMITH (E)         |
| E. JACKSON         | SUNEDEN SCHOOL       |
| V. JORDAN (E)      | J. TELLERIA (E)      |
| F. KAT (E)         | J. ULLRICH (E)       |
| K. KEANE (E)       | B. WHITINGTON (E)    |
| K. KEAST (E)       | J. WRIGLEY (E)       |

Please ensure that you check your stock regularly, and replace stock when it has been sold. New art/crafts people are always welcome - ask staff for details.

## EVOKE

### Art Exhibition & Showcase 08

The Adelaide Showground in conjunction with The Royal Society for the Blind is proud to present this new exhibition that will bring prestige and glamour but most importantly real opportunities for emerging artists to take their passions further.

The event will open on Friday 17 October with a red carpet gala in the state of the art Duncan Gallery that is under construction at the Adelaide Showgrounds. Exhibition concludes Sunday 19 October. The gallery is part of a \$42 million redevelopment, with over \$300,000 being spent on lighting alone inside the gallery.

Showcase and sell your art to thousands throughout the display period, with no commission charged (costs for display spaces vary). For more info go to [www.evokeart.com.au](http://www.evokeart.com.au) or phone Brian on 0401 676 810

# diary dates

## Sunday 10 August

Close of current exhibitions

## Monday 11 August: 4pm

Exhibition Committee meeting

## Friday 15 August: 5:30 - 8pm

Opening of three new exhibitions

Signatures Cafe will be open from 5pm with drinks, food and entertainment

➤ **'Touch of Reality'** -  
paintings by Marion Art Group

➤ **'Aqueous'**  
photography by Gilbert Roe

➤ **'Desire'**  
artwork in various media by the Vizlinx Group

## Thursday 21 August: 7.30pm

Red House Group **AGM** (Annual General Meeting)

## Friday 22 August: 9am

'En Plein Air' painting group - meet at Hahndorf outside the Hahndorf Academy. For more info contact John on 8358 4546 or 0431 616 948

## Sunday 24 August: 2pm

### Meet the artists & Demonstration

Artists from each of the exhibitions will be in Gallery M to talk to visitors, with Marion Art Group artists also demonstrating painting.

## PRIZES, EXHIBITIONS etc

'The Heysen Prize for Interpretation of Place' - Two categories : Open: \$7,000 non acquisitive, and Small Drawing: \$2,000 non acquisitive. Entries close Monday 18 August. [www.hahndorfacademy.org.au](http://www.hahndorfacademy.org.au)

'Adelaide Cathedral Art Show' will be held at St Peters Cathedral from Friday 10 - Sat 18 October. 1st Prize \$3,000 non acquisitive, other prizes to be announced - go to [www.stpeters-cathedral.org/artshow](http://www.stpeters-cathedral.org/artshow).

Display your artwork in an architectural and heritage icon of Adelaide with a mission to be Adelaide's home for arts, music and spirituality. Return entry forms by 5 September - available at Gallery M or email [rhamilton@stpeters-cathedral.org](mailto:rhamilton@stpeters-cathedral.org)

'2008 CCP/Colour Factory Award for Emerging Photographic Artist' - to be awarded to an artist in the first eight years of their practice, prize includes type C exhibition prints and a solo exhibition in Oct-Dec 2008 at Centre for Contemporary Photography, 404 George St, Fitzroy, Victoria 3065. Entries close Friday 15 August. More info at [www.ccp.org.au](http://www.ccp.org.au)

Call for artists! 'Beside the Seaside' exhibition will be held during the Adelaide Fringe Festival in March 2009 at Pepper Street Gallery, 558 Magill Rd, Magill. All art forms created around a nautical, sea, sand, beach, marine-life theme are welcome. Selection deadline is 17 September 2008. For more info call Alex on 8364 6154.