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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

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President's Report

What a great start to 2025 with our 40th CABBI Exhibition doing so well. Congratulations to all the CABBI exhibitors and volunteers who did an outstanding job of making it so successful. For those who weren't at the CABBI General Meeting and Thankyou BBQ recently, our Treasurer, Carleta, provided some great CABBI financials. It included 55 Gallery and Exhibition members to receive payments for January.

The Exhibition alone paid over \$30,000 to members for painting and craft sales. The Gallery sales were just under \$10,000. The Exhibition showcased your art and crafts to over 1,000 visitors. On asking our VIP, Fiona Phillips, her opinion on the CABBI **Exhibition Opening night she said one word, 'Spectacular'**. That is a testament to the quality and finish of your art and these are record breaking figures!

Garry's 9x5" sales were pretty good too with a **\$2,000 donation** now to be given to the **SLSC Rookies program** at our next General Meeting. Well done to all those artists who donated their wonderful talents to make this so successful.

The Exhibition's **People's Choice Award** of a \$300 voucher from Mogo Village Framers was won by **Deb Smith** for her owl painting, 'Spirit of the night'. Deb was thrilled with her award.



Opening Night

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A huge **Thank You** must go to the 40th Exhibition Co-ordinator (and CABBI Secretary), Ian and the CABBI Management Committee of Carleta, Gary, Camelle, David and Lin that took on the Exhibition organiser roles when there were no other CABBI member to take on the role. Once an Exhibition debrief meeting happens soon, Ian will be able to let CABBI members know of the results and lessons learnt. CABBI Exhibitions and events can only happen when there are willing volunteers.

Other News:

- **Welcome to some previous, but now new members:** Ewen Cole, Kim Sarjeant and Maryanne Corby.
- An informal **General Meeting and Thank you BBQ** for Volunteers at the Botanic Gardens recently, was an enjoyable social event. A beautifully decorated sponge cake from Batehaven Bakery was enjoyed by all. 2x Lucky Door Prize winners were Nina Poulton and Sheryl Miller.
- The **Membership role will transfer to Lin** following Bindy's resignation. [Please let Lin know if you are interested in stepping into this position.](#)
- The recent **Gallery Twilight** had a fabulous attendance and vibe with Featured Artisan, Christina Allen and Featured Artist, Lin Barnes. These are fun social events that are so enjoyable and worthwhile. Thanks to Carleta and the Gallery Committee for organising these events.
- **CABBI Workshops** have already started with Camelle's wet on wet oil painting workshop has already been held. Sheryl has a mixed media one and Melissa has a series of clay workshops. Be early to enrol so you don't miss out.
- **Please let our sponsors know that you value their CABBI support** when you do business with them. CABBI Appreciation certificates will be going out to them soon.
- **Thanks Mundi** for giving the CABBI management Committee some great information about upgrading our website. It is a work in progress.

Till next time,

Lin

From Our CABBI Management Committee 2024 - 2025



Left to Right: Gary Kemp, Lin Barnes, Ian (Yogi) Barnes, Camelle Denny, Carleta Delac, David John

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GENERAL MEETING & THANK YOU BBQ



8yr old Daisy did some great art during our meeting. A potential new CABBI member?



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

February

- **23rd** Melissa Perryman Workshop

March

- **1st** Sheryl Miller Workshop
- **4th** Management Committee Meeting
- **13th** Melissa Perryman wWorkshop

April

- **1st** General Meeting, 2pm Malua Bay Community Hall
- **8th** Management Committee Meeting
- **30th** Melissa Perryman Workshop

June

- **15th** General Meeting



Congratulations to all of our winners

Best in Show: Jane Whiting for Wallpaper Room



Jan Whiting & Fiona Philips

Acrylic - First **Megan Dawes for Mark's House, Mossy Point**

Acrylic - Second **Kathy Smith for Where the Kookaburras Call**

Acrylic - Highly Commended **Corrie Searle for The Rocks**

Oil - First **Jane Whiting for Wallpaper Room**

Oil - Second **David Ramsland for Moruya River Morning**

Oil - Highly Commended **Garry Kemp for Cootamundra Canola Gold 1**



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Arts & Crafts EXHIBITION

JANUARY 4 - 20

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Pastel – **Second Natalia Wade for Dawn**

Pastel - Highly Commended **Grace Paleg for Tree Dahlias on Mirror**

Water colour/gouache – First **Suzanna Hay for Flying Over Flinders**

Water colour/gouache – Second **Eric Strachan for Bumbo Road Barn**

Water colour/gouache - Highly Commended **Han Van Haalen for Cape Arid Dunes, WA**

Mixed & other Media – First **Lin Barnes for Netted 1**

Mixed & other Media – Second **Karen Warburton for Cumulus**

Mixed & other Media - Highly Commended **Sheryl Miller for Rock Pool Treasures**

Print Making/Scratch Boarding – First **Bill Griffin for Fjord, vest-Norge**

Print Making/Scratch Boarding – Second **Deborah Ellis for Little Devil**

Print Making/Scratch Boarding - Highly Commended **Jane Elek for The Chase**

Sculpture – First **Richard Barrett for Renewed Rings**

Sculpture – Second **Garry Kemp for Movement Like Clockwork**

Sculpture - Highly Commended **Clay Sare for Octopus Garden**

Craft – First **Deborah Ellis**

Craft – Second **Christina Allen**

Craft - Highly Commended **Noelene Gibbs**

Photography/Digital Media – First **Dianne Clark for Under the Water**

Photography/Digital Media – Second **Marie Lund for Sun Illumination of Flora**

Photography/Digital Media - Highly Commended **Raquel Lawrence for Awakening**



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Peoples Choice (916 nominations)

Debra Smith for Spirit in the night

Other high scores: Eric Strachan for Bombala Beauty, Sheryl Miller for Acheron Ledge, Maloneys Beach, Joanna Love for The Light Keeper



Jan Whiting with Sheryl Miller showing Fiona's 9x5 purchase



Lin Barnes, Ian Barnes, Jan Whiting

Raffle

1. Vicki Wells
2. Vicki Wells
3. Jen Barbour
4. Chris Magus

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome

Please Welcome our newest member
Susan McAlister



Susan has had a lifetime passion for the visual arts including teaching art for over 25 years, being an art specialist for the last ten years. She retired from teaching in 2019 to focus on her art practice and exhibiting.

Susan graduated from the National Art School gaining a BFA with majors in Sculpture (Distinction), Drawing and Art History (Distinction). Susan paints, draws and loves to explore all artistic forms. She has a broad oeuvre including figurative sculptures that speak softly and are highly emotive. Her current practice has expanded to include brilliantly coloured birds, mythical beings and deities.

Her new works often have a social or political comment and can be placed inside or outdoors, sitting beautifully on patios and gardens. She works intuitively, influenced by emotion, memory, nostalgia, history, myths and identity. Susan has works in collections in Canberra, Northern Territory, Queensland, South Australia and New South Wales. She is also, thanks to Sculpture for Clyde, in the collections of several local high schools.



REMINDER!

Engaging with our social media posts, encourages the algorithm to share our posts on other people's feed, encouraging new followers.

Please like and comment!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Exhibition Lighting AVAILABLE

As a result of upgrading our exhibition lighting, we have some mini floodlights which are no longer of use to CABBI. The two types, lots of halogens and a few LED's (see below), are **now available to any CABBI member free of charge.**

Contact Ian Barnes on 04 1577 4810 if you are interested in taking them away.

1. **Halogens** Pierlite floodlight P/L Model TFI 50/4, black

- Specs: 240V 50Hz; Lamp Ttype R7s, Max 150W; IP44
- 56 units, wired in 28 pairs, 130cm apart, male plug in, female socket out

2. **LED** Jinhang floodlight Model JH -FL4, black, 7 units

- a. Specs: 220-240V, 30W, CCT 3000K, IP65, beam angle 110



Corrie Searle has Canvasses FOR SALE (Brand New)

ERALDO HEAVY DUTY STRETCHED CANVAS - FINEST COTTON - MEDIUM GRAIN - ACID FREE CANVASSES FOR SALE - STAPLE FREE EDGES

36" X 36" (2 1 PIECE LEFT) - 91.4CM X 91.4CM = \$80

EACH (WAS \$139EACH) 1 LEFT

40" X 40" (4 PIECES AVAILABLE) - 101.6CM X
101.6CM = \$90 EACH (WAS \$160EACH)

42" X 42" (2 PIECES AVAILABLE) - 106.7CM X
106.7CM = \$80 EACH (WAS \$150EACH)

36" X 48" (4 PIECS AVAILABLE) - 91.4CM X 121.9CM
= \$110 EACH (WAS \$199 EACH)

20" X 60" (2 PIECES AVAILABLE) 50.8CM X 152.4CM
= \$65 EACH (WAS \$85 EACH)

30" X 60" (2 PIECES AVAILABLE) 76.2CM X 152.4CM
= \$85 EACH (WAS \$120EACH)

MONT MARTE - HIGH DENSITY PREMIUM DOUBLE THICK CANVAS

40" X 40" (1 PIECE AVAILABLE) - 101.6CM X 101.6CM
= \$90

14" X 28" (3 PIECE AVAILABLE) - 35.6CM X 71.1CM =
\$40 EACH

12" x 12" (2 PIECES AVAIL) - \$10EACH

PAINTWELL - PURE COTTON DUCK - TRIPLED PRIMED

30" X 40" (76CM X 102CM) 1 PIECE AVAILABLE = \$20

X-PRESS - GALLERY STRETCHED - COTTON DUCK CANVAS - STAPLE FREE EDGES - TRIPLED PRIMED

20" X 10" (4 PIECES AVAIL) - \$25EACH

THE GALLERY

Wow, what a massive month January turned out to be! Many of us are still reeling from all of the activity. Already into February now with a big bang.

Changeover of all hanging art was completed in record time on Saturday and Sunday Feb 1 & 2, and The Gallery once again fresh, inviting and fabulous.

A large crowd attended the Twilight evening for *Lin Barnes and Christina Allen* on February 3. Thank you to all those who attended and support these two great artists, and thanks to Lin and Christina for their fabulous insights into their art journeys.

Please join us at 4:30pm Monday April 7th, when we celebrate the “Saturday Social Art Group” and Karen Warburton.

Carleta Delac
Gallery Manager



Gallery Committee

Manager - Carleta Delac

Roster - Camelle Denny

Garry Kemp, Anne Bruce, Noelene Gibbs, and Barb Stewart

And don't forget to email Sheryl Miller with photos and ideas to be featured in our social media:

sunbaymiller@gmail.com

OPPORTUNITIES



Batemans Bay Soldiers Club.

CABBI members regularly exhibit art within the Batemans Bay Soldiers Club.

The convenor, Nina Poulton advises:

“We had a very quick response to the last changeover request so all places are now full.

This quarter’s exhibitors, 27th February to end of May 2025, will be the following eight artists - Lin Barnes, Megan Dixon-Dawes, Deborah Ellis, Ksana Gamaly, Garry Kemp, Cathy O’Neill-Harding, Kathy Smith, and Natalia Wade

Artists already on the June-September waiting list are Sue Greenshields, Raquel Lawrence, Martyn Lloyd, Susan McAlister”.

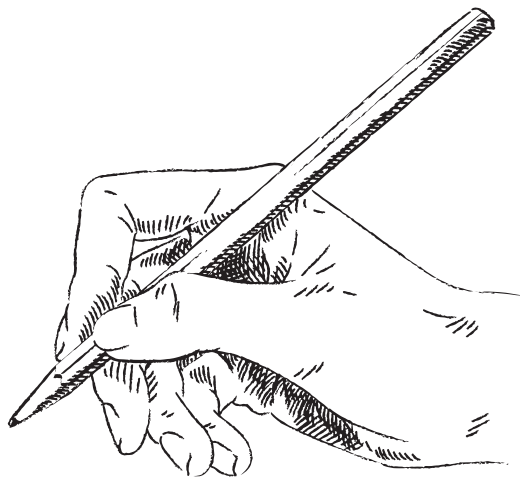


NEW INFO!

CanXsee is a local community connecting app. They are also an in kind sponsor advertising CABBI events for free.

When you have an event, tag us @canxsee... pretty please, so we don't miss it !

Life Drawing Workshop Opportunity



Miriam Shilling is running 6 workshops on life drawing at the Basil Sellers Exhibition Centre.

Its starts on Monday 24th February, 5pm to 7pm and continues every Monday until 31st March.

Potential participants can choose to do all 6 workshops for a discounted price or choose 1 workshop for \$65 each. There will be a live model each week.

Details and bookings are on the BAS website <https://thebas.com.au/events>



WORKSHOPS



Sunday Morning Pottery Sessions

Presented by: Melissa Perryman.

A series of 10 Ceramic Workshops for CABBI Members

➔ Only 4 positions available for each workshop



Session #1. Sunday 23 February 10 am -1 pm

A tiled wall hanging using a slab of white clay with texture from found objects, stamps, dollies and tissue transfers. Tiles will be underglazed and bisque fired to finish.

Session #2. Sunday 30 March 10 am - 1 pm

Using a mould to make a shallow bowl and decorate the rim with coils and handmade embellishments. The white clay bowls will be bisque fired and washed with underglaze then clear glazed and fired again.



Session #3. Sunday 13 April

We will make a house number or front door plaque. Using a slab for the foundation, the decoration of your plaque could include the use of low relief sprig moulds, stamps, dollies or texture from found objects. The plaque will be made in terracotta, bisque fired and finished with oxide and underglaze wash.

Dates : #1. **23rd** February. #2. **30th** March. #3. **13th** April

Time : All workshops are between 10am to 1pm

Venue: To be held at Melissa's studio in Long Beach

Cost : **\$85** for each workshop. You choose the ones you like to do.

Bookings: Email your name, phone number and preferred email address to workshops@cabbi.com.au

Materials: Melissa will supply all materials for this workshop

Light refreshments provided each Sunday

➔ We will send you an online Invoice to be paid in full to secure your booking.

Workshop Overview:

A series of workshops for Cabbi members, introducing ceramic hand building methods to create a variety of Ceramic Forms. Each workshop will focus on different methods to create a functional pottery object. We will use the three main techniques of hand building, pinch pot, slab work and coiling. Workshops are beginner level but open to all those interested in working with clay. Morning tea provided. Attendees to bring their own apron.

Please read the Cabbi Refund Policy before booking at <https://cabbi.com.au/cabbi-workshops>

WORKSHOPS

Ink & Watercolour Painting Workshop



'Still Life Floral'



Presented by:

Sheryl Miller

Instagram: sherylmiller

Facebook: Sheryl Miller,
South Coast Artist

Date : **Saturday 1st, March 2025**

Time : 10am to 3 pm

Venue: The Pavilions, Batemans Bay Wet Room

Cost : \$125

Bookings: email your name and phone number to
workshops@cabbi.com.au

Materials: Sheryl will supply Artist quality Inks, Watercolour paints, and all other materials needed for this workshop. So just come along and enjoy the day while learning new experiences in making artworks.

Working in ink can be messy, so please wear an apron.

➡ We will send you an online Invoice to be paid in full to secure your booking.

Workshop Overview:

A fun and enriching way to spend a few hours with like-minded people. Suitable for beginners and the more experienced. You will begin with learning the technique of using a brush with ink, then creating a Still Life composition. At the end of this workshop, you will take home your very own original designed artwork.

Please read the Cabbi Refund Policy before booking at <https://cabbi.com.au/cabbi-workshops>

WORKSHOPS



The inspiration for the **next Bob Ross Workshop** to be held on the **13th April** 11am to 4pm at the Bay Pavilion (Flyer coming soon)



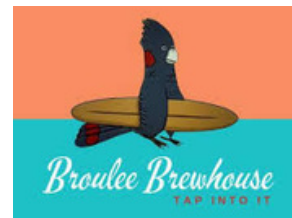
NEWS?

If you have information or news to share, please send it to Kelly Ryner for inclusion in our Newsletter, and/or Sheryl Miller for our Social Media:

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- sunbaymiller@gmail.com

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