



BRIGHT ART GALLERY & CULTURAL CENTRE A9293R

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61st Annual Autumn Art Exhibition

Saturday 1stnd April — Sunday 7th May 2023

\$14,500 PRIZE MONEY

A Grand Acquisitive Prize of \$5000 will be awarded to the entry judged “Best in Show”

Section 1	Oil	\$1,500
Section 2	Acrylic	\$1,500
Section 3	Watercolour	\$1,500
Section 4	Pastel	\$1,500
Section 5	Work in monochrome	\$1,000
Section 6	Other media (e.g. gouache, oil pastel, mixed)	\$1,000
Section 7	Small Painting Acquisitive Prize sponsored by: BRIGHT ON TRACK Luxury Accommodation, Art Gallery, Bar	\$500 Acquisitive
In addition:	Best Painting of a scene within the Alpine Shire* *must be identifiable by the TITLE, e.g. “ Ovens River at Bright ”, otherwise not eligible. Sponsored by Bright Community Bank Branch of Bendigo Bank	\$1000

❖ **Highly Commended certificates will also be awarded by the Judge (Ross Paterson)**

OFFICIAL OPENING NIGHT will be on **Friday 31st March at 7:00pm**, which includes previewing and announcement of the prize-winning entries. Finger food and one complimentary drink provided. Exhibitors have complimentary admission, and additional tickets are available at \$30 per person.

Artists are asked to collect a name tag at the door on arrival. This is a great opportunity to meet other artists and prospective buyers. We hope that you and your family and friends can join us on this special evening.

The exhibition will then be open from **Saturday April 1st to Saturday 6th May daily from 10am to 4pm; and Sunday 7th May 10am until 12 midday**

Other Key Dates:

Entries close (must be received by): **Monday 13th February 2023 [No late entries will be accepted]**

Personal delivery of paintings: **Friday 17th, Saturday 18th + Sunday 19th March from 10:00am to 2:00pm**

Freight deliveries must arrive by: **Friday 17th March**

Pick up paintings: **Sunday 7th May 1:00pm to 5:00pm, Monday 5th May 10am-4 pm**

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY (Please read carefully)

1. Entries must be the original and unassisted works of the entrant. NO COPIES
2. Paintings previously exhibited in the Bright Autumn Exhibition are ineligible.
3. In Sections 1 – 6, the painting, including frame, must not exceed **1 square metre**. *Oversize paintings will not be included in the judging and will only be hung if there is room.*
4. In Section 7, paintings, including frame, must not exceed 1100 square centimetres (approx. 30 x 36cm).
5. In Sections **1 – 6** the number of entries must not exceed **three (3)** in any section, with a **total limit of six (6)**. In Section 7, **four (4)** entries are allowed. **NO PAIRS** permitted.
6. Please note that Section 4 is for **soft pastels only** - oil “pastels” should be entered in Section 6.
7. All entries must be properly **framed (please avoid cheap, hollow plastic frames), undamaged, clean and labelled** on the back (use provided label sheet), and securely prepared for hanging with **flush D rings and multi strand picture wire**. **No protruding screw eyes, or single strand wire**. Canvas on stretcher bars **must** have an **external and visible** frame. Works not meeting these requirements will NOT be accepted. Please note that for a charge of \$20 we MAY choose to replace inadequate D rings and hanging wire, after consultation with the Artist.
8. Please provide a personal profile/CV for exhibition publicity and information for potential buyers.
9. If you would like to have your works for sale on the gallery’s website <https://www.brightartgallery.org.au/art-for-sale/> , you will need to submit **good quality digital photographs in JPG format only by Friday February 17th**. It is preferable that works framed under glass be photographed BEFORE framing. Photos should be taken dead square on, with minimal background showing. **RENAME** file before sending in, simply with the Title of the painting
Example: **Trees in Bright**. **Only** photos submitted as per above guidelines will be processed.
10. The Committee shall have the right to photograph work for any promotional purpose. No photos will be taken by the committee for the website, this is to be done by the artist. (See above)
11. Due to space limitations or other reasons the Committee reserves the right to not hang any painting, and no discussion verbally or in writing will be entered into; however, all works will be judged, provided size and other requirements are met.
12. The Committee will exercise all reasonable care with submitted works. Insurance cover is provided by Alpine Shire whilst works are on display.
13. The work that wins the Bright Art Gallery “Grand Acquisitive Prize” will be ineligible for other prizes.
14. Refunds will not be given in the event of non-compliance with any of the stated conditions.
15. Entries sent by post must include return postage. Tape on Bubble wrap creates problems when re-packing- PLEASE consider alternative methods such as cloth bags and cardboard boxes.
16. Entry fee is \$15 per painting, except for Section 7 (Small Paintings) which is \$10 per painting.
17. A 25% commission is charged on all sales made during or as a result of the exhibition
18. All payments to the artist will be **PREFERABLY** paid by direct transfer to a nominated account (details to be provided on the entry form) or made by cheque and sent to the address shown on the entry form.

DELIVERY

Any cost of transport must be borne by the entrant. Contact your courier service for all delivery and collection details.

The only courier currently operating from the Melbourne area as follows:

Noble Art Courier
43 Box Street
DOVETON VIC 3177
Tel: 0418 175 307

Contact us on 0429 127 444
(Pauline McCall) for advice on
Freight deliveries.



Bright Art Gallery & Cultural Centre 2023 Annual Autumn Art Exhibition ENTRY FORM

Mail to PO Box 216, Bright 3741 or scan & email: manager@brightartgallery.org.au

SURNAME	GIVEN NAME
POSTAL ADDRESS	
SUBURB/TOWN	POSTCODE
EMAIL	TELEPHONE
YOUR BANK DETAILS BSB: _____ ACCOUNT NO.: _____ ACCOUNT NAME: _____	METHOD OF ENTRY PAYMENT (please circle): Cheque Direct Deposit TOTAL \$..... Bright Art Gallery BSB 633 000 ACC NUMBER: 146612726 REF: (your surname + autumn)

If you are currently registered for GST, please provide your ABN here:

SECTIONS	TITLE	Size in cm H X W	Alpine Shire scene ?	Section Eg 6	MEDIUM	PRICE
1 - 6 Limit of 3 in any one section. e.g. 3 pastels Total of 6 paintings \$15 per entry						
7 (limit of 4) \$10 per entry				7		
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METHOD OF DELIVERY eg post, courier, freight, in person If Courier, please state which one.	METHOD OF RETURN
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If NOT using Post or Courier, please list anyone who may be collecting work on your behalf. Paintings will NOT be released to anyone else.
 AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE (S)

I have read and agreed to all conditions set for the 2023 Bright Art Gallery Annual Autumn Art Show.

SIGNED:

I will be attending Opening night..... (tick)
 I will haveothers at \$30 per head. (Please notify any changes.)

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