

## from our President

The meeting on Tuesday, 11th September will be our AGM. We hope that members will show their support by attending to receive reports from committee members who have worked diligently for the advancement of the society during the past twelve months. The formal proceedings will precede a talk by Kerry Ainsworth on the value of Art Tourism and the thought of an art holiday should interest everyone as the warmer weather approaches.

Members are encouraged to volunteer for the committee which has only 7 members at present. Committee meetings are held at the Deerubbin Centre at 5:45pm on the evening of the general meeting. Occasionally an extra meeting may be necessary to finalise arrangements for major exhibitions but this does not happen very often as group members are dedicated to their responsibilities and most times everything falls into place to achieve the great results that we have. New committee members with different ideas will enliven our society, so do not hesitate to "have a go" if you have the time to spare.

The August Sale of Work at Richmond Market Place was a record breaking success. Participating members sold 41 works in the four days. Sincere thanks to all who entered and special thanks to Margaret Mackisack who transported the screens, to Sheila Sharp who organised everything, to Natalie Wilson who prepared the tags, to Sandra and Tony White who helped to set up and put away the equipment and to all the members who filled the roster.

The proceeds from the raffle painting donated by Pat Latta will go to the Hawkesbury branch of the Animal Welfare League. It was won by Dr Mary Bergin, our patron.

We have been unable to engage a tutor for a workshop in September. To fill the gap in the calendar our Functions Officer, Kym Morris, suggests a Plein Air Day at Yarramundi on Sunday, 16th September. The entrance to the area proposed is on the northern side of the road, just past the bridge. This could be an opportunity to catch up with members we have not seen for a while. Bring your own lunch but we will still supply morning tea. Further information available at the September 11 meeting or contact Kym on 0413809685.

You will have noticed that there is an entry form for the Spring Affair Exhibition (October 26th to 28th) with this newsletter. We hope to see your work entered and have you and family and friends look in sometime over the weekend. The Hawkesbury Art Fair is to be held in November. More information will be available soon.

Narelle Ward President MTAS Inc

## CASS report

CASS Art Direct open studio month is on again this October. Studios from the Central Coast, Randwick, St Peters, Roseville, Peakhurst, Alford's Point, Sutherland, Miranda, Banskia and Surry Hills have registered and their opening times are on the web at [www.cassartdirect.com.au](http://www.cassartdirect.com.au). There's still time to register your studio - for one, for a small group or for a large group - CASS will provide advertising opportunities on radio, the web and your local papers.

Entry forms for the Art of Sydney will be available at the September MTAS AGM and talk by Kerri Ainsworth about exotic local and overseas art adventures - I hope to see you there,

Cheers,  
Kym (CASS President and MTAS Delegate)

### Hawkesbury Community Arts Workshop

Workshops: 'Down to Earth', Virginia Wheatley teaches you to make & use earth pastels (as per Greg Hansell). Saturday 3rd November 10am -3pm at K13 on WSU Richmond Campus. \$35 non HCAW members includes sample pack. BYO lunch. Materials List on booking, ph Virginia 04089618240 or Email: [bluetoucanart@bigpond.com](mailto:bluetoucanart@bigpond.com)

Alan Sumerville. 'Sculpture from a Life model'. 20th, 21st October at K13. BYO lunch. Approx \$200 inc. Clay.  
Ph: Judy Brownlie ph 4579 1173  
[hawkesburycommunityartworkshop@yahoo.com.au](mailto:hawkesburycommunityartworkshop@yahoo.com.au)

*Vale Sandra Boronyak  
It is with heartfelt sadness we are reporting Sandra's passing; a long time member and talented artist. We extend condolences to her husband, Les and the family.*

### MTAS SCHOOL HOLIDAY ART & CRAFT WORKSHOPS

for kids 5 - 15yrs  
2nd - 12th October 2018  
2hr workshops \$15 each,  
all equipment supplied.  
At Richmond Art Supplies  
328 Windsor St, Richmond.

**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**  
ph 0412 979 731

### HAWKESBURY PRINTMAKERS INC.

We will not meet in September.  
Enquiries:  
ph Sheila 0408161284

### FOHacRG Inc.

The old committee was re elected,  
next meeting 4th Oct.  
Enquiries Sheila 0408 161 284

## Classes

### PORTRAIT GROUP

MTAS Portrait Group meets  
2nd Saturday each month,  
1- 4pm, \$12, Model, easels &  
afternoon tea provided, BYO  
Painting/Drawing materials.  
Next session Sat. 8th Sept. at  
Richmond Art Supplies,  
328 Windsor St, Richmond.  
ph Deidre 0412979731.

### MTAS LIFE DRAWING GROUP

3rd Tuesday each month  
7pm - 9pm \$12.  
Model, easels & supper.  
BYO drawing materials.  
Next session, Tuesday  
18th Sept. at the Art Shop,  
328 Windsor St, Richmond  
Ph Deidre 0412 979 731

### MTAS CHILDREN'S AFTER SCHOOL ART CLASSES

Teacher Marcella Pyke  
Term 3, 2018 begins  
Monday 30th July and  
Wednesday 1st August  
\$96 (8 week term)  
incl. materials

**ENROLMENTS ESSENTIAL**  
Ph Deidre 0412 979 731

### FRIDAY ART CLASS

with Deidre Morrison

All media

Work at your own pace in  
relaxed, friendly atmosphere.  
Every Friday 12.30 - 3.30pm.  
\$25 p.w.

Richmond Art Supplies  
328 Windsor St, Richmond  
(next to Brynorns)  
**Ph. 0412 979 731**



John Perkins with his demonstration painting