



SUTHERLAND SHIRE ART SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER

APRIL–MAY 2024 EDITION

President's Report

My thanks go to those who turn up to our monthly meetings and demonstrations.

I would love to see more members coming along to Painting in the Hall on Wednesdays. It's lovely to be able to see what you are doing.

We now have a new treasurer, Fred Powell. I'm sure he will be an inspiration to us all. I am eternally grateful to him for putting his hand up to fill this position.

We still need a president and a secretary. Hopefully soon those positions will be filled. Our Art Expo will not go ahead unless these two positions are filled. A lot of time and effort goes into organising this.

We have new committee members now who have been of great assistance to me. They are Sandra O'Connor, Mal Young and Rob Jordan.

Spring Luncheon

We had our luncheon on 27 March at Club on East at Sutherland. I am sure all those who attended enjoyed the food and the company.



Art Lessons

Art lessons commenced on 10 April. Lessons are free for members and will be held in the Loftus Community Hall on our normal painting days. Due to the school holidays our second lesson will not be until 8 May.

Watercolour Workshop

I have organised a workshop for 29 May, from 10.00 am until 3.00 pm. This will be a watercolour workshop by Tanner Tan. Those who joined in his last workshop enjoyed it and some requested another.

Website

Our website has been updated to a degree. It is ongoing but at least the current info is there.

I am a novice with computers so hope you will forgive any mistakes made along the way. I am trying.

Peoples Choice

Get inspired to paint and enter our Peoples Choice on meeting days. Challenge yourselves and win the \$10 prize.

Up and coming People's Choice subjects:

May – Bird/s

June – Sport

July – Winter

August – Portrait

September – Train

October – Australian Landscape

November – Christmas

Meeting Minutes

The committee decided that the minutes of each meeting be emailed to members for your viewing.

Internet Banking

For those interested in Internet Banking see details below.

Please remember to include your name and what type of payment this is for in the Reference section.

BSB: 032 151

ACCOUNT No: 150766

Email address

I am updating our member's details so if anyone hasn't given us their email or has changed their original details and would like to receive our newsletter, workshop information etc via email, please call me or see me on a Wednesdays in the hall.

Happy painting, food for the soul.

*Carolynne Martin,
Vice President*

**NEXT MEETING
Wednesday 1 May**

**Peoples Choice – Bird/s
Demonstrator — Liz
Borghero**

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Copy Deadlines

Please send 2024 items to :

janupat@icloud.com

by 19 Feb, 15 April, 19 June,

19 August, 21 October

Mission Statement

To promote the visual arts in the general community and to provide supportive environment for members to enhance their artistic skill in a social atmosphere while also fostering the exhibition and sale of their work.

Monthly Exhibition & Demonstration

1st Wednesday of the month, February through November,

12.00 noon –3.30pm

at the Community Hall, 129R Loftus Avenue, Loftus.

Please arrive by noon to enter your exhibits and lodge your Peoples Choice vote before the meeting starts, and we can start our demonstration at 12.30 pm.

Painting in the Hall

2nd, 3rd & 4th Wednesday Loftus Community Hall,

12 noon–3.30pm.

Please come along and join our fun members, have some afternoon tea and exchange ideas with other artists. Own Choice painting and/or an occasional special class (refer our website for details)

5th Wednesday : When this occurs there is no regular Painting in the Hall. An occasional social outing or special workshop may be organised for those days.

Demonstration

March – Remy Lorkin



Our thanks to Remy Lorkin for our March still life demonstration, creating a variety of flowers using oils and palette knives.

Peoples Choice

March – Bridge



1 Barbara Porter



1 Len Hodge



2 Ian Forman

April – Sunset

The popular subjects of Bridges in March and Sunset in April resulted in some tied results.
The more the merrier !



3 Len Hodge



1 Ian Foreman



2 Len Hodge



2 Barbara Porter



3 Bert Griffin

Demonstration

April – Diana Garth



Many thanks to Diana for an interesting demonstration, including use of a greyscale photo to assist with paint tones.



What's On

Click on the underlined link to go directly to the relevant webpage.

AUSTRALIAN HERITAGE FESTIVAL

Includes local events in Sutherland Shire and Georges River council areas.

[nationaltrust.org.au/explore/?](http://nationaltrust.org.au/explore/)

GREAT LIBRARY BOOKS SALE

Might be worth a visit to see if any art books are available?

sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au/subsites/libraries/whats-on/

DISCOVER THE HISTORY OF YOUR HOUSE

sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au/subsites/libraries/whats-on/

TELEVISION

Foxtel Docos :
Portrait Artist of the Year

SBS / SBS On Demand :
The Art of France

ABC :
Anh's Brush With Fame

ABC News 24 :
The Art of Remembrance

GALLERIES & MUSEUMS

Hurstville Museum & Gallery Upcoming Exhibitions

[georgesriver.nsw.gov.au/
Community/Art-and-Culture/
Hurstville-Museum-Gallery](http://georgesriver.nsw.gov.au/Community/Art-and-Culture/Hurstville-Museum-Gallery)

Bundeena Maianbar Art Trail First Sunday of the month arttrail.com.au/

Hazelhurst Exhibitions

hazelhurst.sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au/whats-on/current-exhibitions

Art Gallery of NSW

artgallery.nsw.gov.au/whats-on/exhibitions/

ON THE INTERNET

You can access a variety of art and painting e-magazines online via your local library membership.

These are some of those available from the Sutherland Shire Library, and can be read on your desktop computer or device.

Artist's Back to Basics
Australian How to Paint
Artists & Illustrators
Creative Artist
Leisure Painter
The Artist
Plein Air Magazine
Artist's Palette
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