<u>Borderline</u> **NEV**S

October 2011

When I let go of what I am – I become what I might be. (Lao Tzu – a 6th century Chinese philosopher)

At our last meeting we briefly touched on possible exhibitions, events, workshops etc etc for **2012/13**, and the call went out for ideas. So if you have any ideas or thoughts please let me know.

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"State of Flux" finishes October 2. While sales may not be great, the response to the show has been very positive. And it certainly has been good for the Borderline image in the community, and beyond. At least two new members have joined via forms left at the gallery. And it appears to have engendered a new enthusiasm within our group, if the 15 members (a record?) who attended our last meeting are any indication. (see a photo of the meeting attendees on our website).

As well, Penelope Hillam has indicated that she would like to have us back in early to mid 2013 **with a new theme**. So suggetions please!

Our exhibition "Shine" opens on Saturday Oct 8 at 4:00pm.

RSVP Thursday Oct 6 johnlobley@bigpond.com (Or to Nola Sindel). If you would like to be there, I am sure we could do some car pooling. For more details contact:-

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02 673 6 3216
Note: Sindal ashnol@skymesh.com.au

Nola Sindel ashnol@skymesh.com.au 02 6736 1399

Check out our website! Louise is doing a major makeover and she is not finished yet! And, if you haven't already done it please, please send in your short artist's statements and a couple of images. I know it took me a while, but it is not that difficult.

Send to

<u>i4ljenkins@hotmail.com</u> or to borderline@granitenet.com.au

Our website is:

http://www.granitenet.com.au/groups/crafts/borderline

User ID and password to members only section: Borderline10 and claudemonet

Maggie Brockie Spring Workshops.

Saturday November 12 - Surface Finishes - fired and unfired - In this workshop you will be introduced to techniques for finishing your sculpture including a demonstration on using an air brush; applying under glaze colours, oxides, acrylics, metallic paints and more. Demonstration and some hands on.

Cost \$65 due by the 28th October.

If you would be interested in a plaster mould making workshop where you would learn how to make a simple two piece or open form mould please let me know. An October date is a possibility for a one day workshop.

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Stanthorpe Art Gallery

From October 6 - November 13

"Of the Land" - Landscapes by Judy Wilford

"Quilt" - an exhibition works by 12 successful Australian quilters. All the quilters have been selected at some stage for the biennial Quilt National in USA.

The opening for both shows is Saturday
October 8 at 4:00 pm (rsvp by October 6)

The Stanthorpe Art Festival 2012 is open to all artists and all forms of media. It is expected that works entered for the 2012 Festival will have been created since February 2010. There will be one (1) winning prize of \$10,000, a Volunteers Choice Award, and a Local Artist Award (artist to who reside in the area covered by the Southern Downs Regional Council).

Entries close Friday November 18 2011 The official opening is February 24 2012 The Festival closes April 9 2012 Borderline NEWS October 2011

Further information: Contact Art Festival

Secretary on: **0438 260 843** or

deebooth@bigpond.com

http://www.srag.org.au/events.php

New opening hours for SRAG 10:00am - 4:00pm (Tues - Fri) 10:00am - 1:00pm (Weekends)

Penelope Hillam (Gallery Director)

Tel: 07 4681 4021

Email: director@sraq.org.au

Warwick Art Gallery

September 29 - November 13 Collective Choice

Warwick Art Gallery project creating access to works from the Southern Downs Regional Council collection.

www.warwickartgallery.com.au

Karina Devine (Gallery Director)

Tel: 07 4661 0434

Email: artgallery@warwick.qld.gov.au

Monthly Artists @ Lorenza's

Lorenza's Café, 29 Maryland Street, Stanthorpe. There is an exhibition of works by various artists, including Allan English, Lois Strickland, and Norm Clayton. Contact Allan English on 07 4681 0504 for details about exhibiting.

Nest Gallery

"Art on Amiens" – an art trail showcasing contemporary art of the Granite Belt, and involving nine venues in the Amiens Road area. Borderline artists such as Sue Jurd, Albert Verschuuren, Maggie Brockie, Maryke Miller, Keith Cameron, Eva and Bent Rasmussen and Michael Pieper are among those represented.

Emma **07 4683 3197** or

emma@nestgallery.com.au www.nestgallery.com.au

1257 Amiens Road, Stanthorpe 4380

And check the website for workshops being offered by Nest gallery

Big Time Gallery

From September 24 – October 24
Three exhibitions in One Space
Living Next Door to Ellis, Don't Fence Me In
and OUT ...back.

The three founding members of *Revolutionary Ceramicos* - Deborah Gower, Cassandra Purdon & Clare Urquhart - will be exhibiting together for the first time at Big Time Gallery. All three artists are currently in their final year of Advanced Diploma of Fine Arts (Ceramics) and are showcasing their skills by presenting work which expresses each artist's distinctive ceramic practice.

To see more about the artists and their work see www.deborahgowerceramics.com www.earthfirespirit.com

Big Time Gallery, 8/9 Bruxner Hwy, Drake 02 6737 6790

bigtimegallery@gmail.com

Inverell Art Gallery The Inverell Art Society Competitive Exhibition 2011

\$5150 in Prize Money, plus the Inverell Shire Council Annual Acquisition of **\$3500**. Special feature this year is **Contemporary Art**; and a new section, called **Young Artist**, has been added for 15 to 22 year olds.

Exhibition opens with a Gala Cocktail Evening, Saturday, **October 15 at 7.30pm** (Admission \$25), and then continues until **October 29**.

Inverell Art Gallery, PO Box 329, 5 Evans St, Inverell NSW 2360.

Email: invart@bigpond.com.au

Ph 02 6722 4983

Glen Innes Art Gallery "Shine"

October 10 - November 4 10am- 4pm (Mon - Fri) 9:30am-12 noon (Sat)

For more information phone the Glen Innes Art Gallery on **02 6730 2610** or **John Lobley** on **02 6732 7073**.

Texas Regional Art Gallery

September 6 - October 15

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Local Artist Exhibition

A collection of works by local artists who live within 100km of Texas.

"Snapshot" – An interactive exhibition containing children's artworks from state collections (a Qld. Arts Council touring exhibition)

October 18 - November 26 "The Very Hungry Caterpillar"

A quilt project by **Karen Walden** inspired by Eric Carle's book - in partnership with the Bundaberg Regional Gallery.

The gallery is located in the Texas Cultural Centre and is open 10am – 4pm (Tues to Fri) and 10am – 1pm (Sat) Tel: 07 4653 2614

Armidale Art Gallery

The Armidale Regional Art Prize is on from the end of October. Details and entry forms can be found on their website (Nola has some entry forms also).

October 29 to November 17

Proudly Sponsored by The Greater Building Society TOTAL PRIZE MONEY \$3200

Sections:Painting, Sculpture, Works on Paper, Photography and People's Choice

Entries to be submitted by **October 24** www.armidaleartgallery.com

The schedule (with revised Art Section) for the **Tenterfield Show** will be out in a few weeks. However, in 2012 the Tenterfield Show will precede the Stanthorpe Show and not the other way round. The dates for Tenterfield are January 27,28,29 and for Stanthorpe, February 3 and 4. The**Tenterfield Show Society** is having a 'Showing Off' event on October 22 and 23 to show potential exhibitors how to prepare their works for competition. The art section will be on show from 3:30pm to 4:00pm on the 22nd. For further information contact Sue Jurd. – **07 4684 3308** or sjurd@halenet.com.au

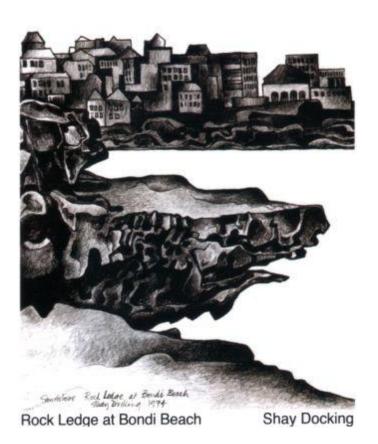
There is another **Blacksmithing Workshop** at **Keith Cameron's Fire and Stone Sculpture Park** on the weekend **October 15-16.** . Cost \$150 plus \$30 for camping and BBQ. Phone Keith on **02 6661 3511** for details.

1668 Plain Station Rd, Tabulam.

Early I know, but keep December 17 free. Sue Jurd is organizing a secret Christmas party

AND A WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Emma Fraguas, Barry and Karlyn Brooks, Judi Pidgeon and John Christopher.



Pencil Drawing 1974 25.3 \times 20.3 cm Shay Docking 1928-1998

Next Meeting is at Jennings
Hotel on Saturday, October 15
at 8:30 AEST (9:30 DST?).
Everyone is welcome, and feel
free to bring works for
discussion. The challenge for
October is "freedom"