



President: Karen Loten karenloten@yahoo.co.nz

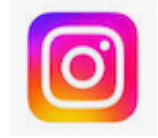
Secretary: Lyse Beck lyse@lysebeck.com

Treasurer: Glenis Ambrose
artgroupnelson@outlook.co.nz

Newsletter Editor: Robbie Burns
robbieandanita@iconz.co.nz

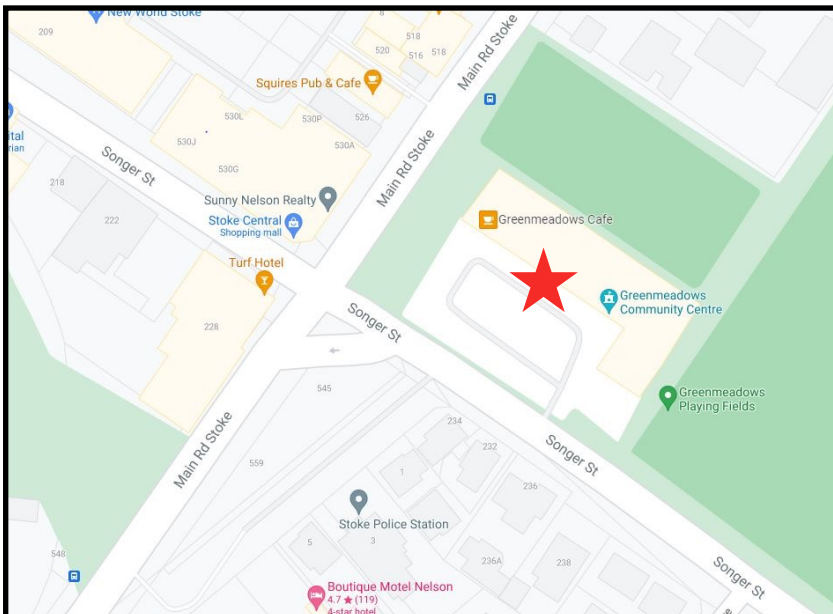
www.artgroupnelson.org.nz

November 2023



NEWSLETTER

Next Meeting - Wednesday 1st November @ 7.00 pm at the TUI Room, Greenmeadows Community Centre, corner Songer St & Main Rd Stoke



GUEST SPEAKER

Our guest speaker this month is a relatively new member, Tania Spitzmesser.

Title: Dancing with paint

My creative life started at the age of 2 years old with dance classes.

Movement and colour in many forms have always inspired me. Abstract painting has the same sense of movement that dance gives. I marvel at the way paint can dance across the canvas drawing the eye with it. It draws an emotional response from the viewer, creating many areas for the eye to wander, rest and reflect. I look forward to sharing my understanding of how this works for me.

My website: taniaspitzmesserart.com



SHOW AND TELL

Bring along your creations (max. 2 per person) and share with the group. It could be a finished piece, or a work in progress. You may wish to have your work critiqued, or simply show, and tell us a little about it.

UPCOMING VACANCIES ON THE AGN COMMITTEE

TREASURER

As mentioned previously, Glenis Ambrose is standing down as Treasurer at the end of the financial year. It is **imperative** we find someone well before the AGM in June, so Glenis can 'show them the ropes' before she goes away for two months (June/July).

This is a '**must have**' position that the group needs to continue functioning, so please give it due consideration if you think it's something you can help with.

PRESIDENT

Karen Loten has indicated that this will be her last term as President. Again, this is a '**must have**' position, and while not as urgent as finding a new Treasurer, it would be great to have a replacement **before** the AGM in June.

VICE PRESIDENT

As per our Constitution, we need to have a named Vice President. Robbie will be stepping down from the committee next June. In the meantime he is looking to relinquish his present duties, including membership officer, newsletter editor, name tags.

These are not 'must have' positions, and the newsletter and name tags could be done by a non-committee member if necessary.

Please contact a committee member if you can commit to any of the above. (Contact details at the top of the newsletter).

WORKSHOPS

Two Days Beginner/Refresher Watercolour Workshop with Jan Thomson

Sat 4th/Sun 5th November 2023, 10-3pm, \$240 (\$300 with materials)
Tutor: Jan Thomson

Watercolour Painting Class (Beginners/Advanced)

Mondays, 6th Nov - 4th Dec, 10-12:30pm (5 weeks), \$150
Tutor: Nicole Russell

Let's Paint with Oils and Acrylics Class (Beginners/Advanced)

Tuesdays, 7th Nov - 5th Dec 2023, 10-12:30pm (5 weeks), \$150
Tutor: Nicole Russell

Cubism Unleashed Workshop

with Marian Painter
Saturday, 11th November 2023, 9:30-3:15pm
Tutor: Marian Painter

Plein Air Painting Workshop

Saturday, 18th November, 9:30-4pm, \$120
Tutor: Nicole Russell

Watercolour Journaling Workshop

Saturday, 2nd December, 9:30-4pm, \$120
Tutor: Nicole Russell

More information on the workshops can be found at
www.nicolerussellart.com/art-classes/

Contact: Nicole Russell, 022 378 6099, nicole@nicolerussellart.com

Location: Nicole Russell Art Studio, 300 Pomona Road, Ruby Bay

EXHIBITIONS

Two of our members, Pat Reid and Karin Gembus, along with Heather Lindsay, are exhibiting at the the Nelson Golf Club over the months of October and November. Well worth a visit, as will the two exhibitions mentioned below.



'Evening Glow' by Janet Adamson

ART SHOWCASE

Ernest Rutherford Village along with the MOA Art Team warmly invite you to their art showcase

- This is a free event
- Village tours available

Artwork from this talented group of artists will be displayed in the village atrium and will be available for sale.

**Saturday 28 and
Sunday 29 October**
10am-3pm

For more information call
Jacqui on 03 538 0882

ERNEST RUTHERFORD VILLAGE

49 Covent Drive, Stoke

rymanhealthcare.co.nz



007

LIFE'S SIMPLE PLEASURES



Artist, Tony Milner
presents a wide-
ranging collection of
artwork exemplifying
the simple, agreeable
side of life

30 Oct - 19 Nov 2023

Open every day 9:30am - 4:30pm
At the Nelson Suter Art Society's
McKee Gallery
Located within The Suter
Te Aratoi o Whakatū
208 Bridge Street, Nelson P:03-546-9164



your art is our business
Impressions
Picture Framers & Art Supplies

*Celebrating 40 YEARS of
Service*

40% OFF

All
Wooden
Easels

NOVEMBER

or while stocks last

SPOT SPECIALS

40% OFF

The amazing Pilot
Pintor
Paintmarkers

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Thank you to all our customers for your patronage during 2023.
We would like to take the opportunity to wish you and your family
a very Merry Christmas and happy summer holidays.
Impressions will be closed for all the statutory holidays.

Between Christmas and New Year we are open

Wed 27, Thurs 28, Fri 29 from 9.30am - 4.00pm
Sat 30 Dec 10.00am - 1.00pm
Back to normal hours from Wed 3 January 9.30am - 5.00pm

