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NEWSLETTER

Next Meeting - Wednesday 7th February @ 7.00 pm at the TUI Room, Greenmeadows Community Centre, corner Songer St & Main Rd Stoke



GUEST SPEAKER(S)

SUMMER EXHIBITION - REVIEW

Queens Gardens produced the perfect setting for our Summer Exhibition with 40 Artists showing off their skills. We had lovely weather, a good turnout and people spoke of a "friendly atmosphere".

So what did we learn? Five Exhibitors will speak about their experience covering pricing, selling, people's tastes etc. They will also suggest improvements that can be made which are important going forward. If you were a Spectator your opinion is very valuable too as various viewpoints create a lively discussion.

The Speakers are

Brian Dobson, Emily Lake, Kim Filshie, Virginia Watson and Michael Doyle.

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.

WORKSHOPS

Portrait Painting Guidelines

TONY MILNER

Getting a good likeness and producing a pleasing work of art. Produce an alla prima portrait that looks great, and is a good likeness. (See samples below) Then learn how to take it further and produce a highly detailed studio rendition.



Examples of alla prima portraiture. Each took about an hour



Saturday 17 February, 9 am – 4 pm

Greenmeadows Centre

(Main Road. Stoke)

Members \$90. Non-Members \$130 For information or to register contact William Liebisch wsliebisch@gmail.com





Watercolour Painting class (Beginners/Advanced)

When: Mondays, 26th Feb – 25th Mar 2024, 10-12:30pm (5 weeks) Where: Nicole Russell Art Studio, 300 Pomona Road, Ruby Bay, Mapua, 7173 Fee: \$150 (materials not included) For more information visit <u>https://www.nicolerussellart.com/art-classes/</u> Nicole Russell 022 378 6099, <u>nicole@nicolerussellart.com</u>

EXHIBITIONS

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MOTUEKA ART GROUP

We are holding our annual art exhibition at St Thomas' Church. This opens Thursday 7pm 25th January Then open daily 26th Jan and closes 3rd February. 10am til 5pm

It would be lovely to see you there.

Thank you Motueka Art Group Members.

