

RHG member no: **1440**

Sharyn Helman

RHG Board member 2016-2017

Sharyn, an artist since the '80s, has explored many mediums and painting techniques. Thus challenging her in many ways, she is constantly changing her techniques to move with the times.

On her way through the journey of her painting life, she has engaged with many wonderful artists at TAFE and in the field - Joyce Condon, Clark Barrett, Brian Martin, Geoff De Main, Phil Jones, Ann Coffey (mother) and Diane Ball (sister) who are all dynamic artists in their own right.

Sharyn uses colour, emotion, movement, design and light to create an impact in her paintings. She also believes colour is a great healing force that helps to absorb into the spirit and heal the soul.

Recently, upon moving to Adelaide, she has become a member of the Red House Group and has exhibited in group exhibitions at Gallery M. She is currently on the Red House Group Board of Management.

Sharyn is a member of the Marion Art Group at Marino and recently exhibited and sold in the Flagstaff Rotary Art Show 2017. She is also a member of the Marion City Council Art Register and the online National Register of Artists at Gallery247 (www.gallery247.com.au).

Sharyn's paintings have been in many exhibitions and have homes in many places including Adelaide, Victoria, Broken Hill, Sydney, New South Wales, Melbourne, New Zealand and Japan.

Sharyn is always looking forward to her next great challenges.



DIARY DATES

Sunday 4 June:

Close of the current exhibitions '*1967...*' & '*Squared Up*'

Monday 5 June: 4pm

Exhibition Committee meeting

Friday 9 June: EXHIBITION OPENING

Opening Night Hours 5 - 8pm

'Mingle' evening in Signatures Cafe from 5.30pm

- ▶ '*Proudly Pastel*' - an exhibition of artworks by members of the **Pastel Artists of South Australia (PASA)**
Guest speaker: 6pm, Hon John Hill, Chair of SALA

Thursday 15 June: 7pm

Red House Group Board of Management meeting

Gallery M closure:

Gallery M will be closed on Monday 12 June for the Queen's Birthday Holiday.

MEET THE ARTISTS: At Gallery M

Sunday 18 June - 2pm

A chance to talk to the artists from the '*Proudly Pastel*' exhibition in a relaxed and informal atmosphere.
All welcome. Free entry.

RED HOUSE MEMBERS.....

Do you have your own website that you'd like to promote on our Gallery M website? Yes?? Then drop us an email at info@gallerym.com.au with your website address, a (very) short bio and a small, high resolution image of your work and we'll post it on our links page. If you're not sure about what we need, then have a peek at www.gallerym.com.au/links.php to see what others have done.

membership update

Welcome to new Red House Group members who have joined since the last newsletter: **Lush for Life (Yvonne Eberhard & Parveen Sharma); Louise Warren & Sara Norwood**



Gallery M is proudly operated by the Red House Group on behalf of the City of Marion
The Red House Group at Gallery M thanks the City of Marion and Patritti Wines



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SMITHSONIAN RED HOUSE

A NEWSLETTER OF THE RED HOUSE GROUP INC

JUNE 2017

Red House Group member exhibitions

2017

- ▶ **Monday 5 June: 10am - 4 pm**
Collection of artwork for 'Squared Up'.
Please remember to collect your artwork.
- ▶ **29 September - 22 October**
(HALF GALLERY) *title to be advised*

2018

- ▶ **19 January - 11 February** (WHOLE)
- ▶ **18 May - 10 June** (HALF GALLERY)
- ▶ **7 - 30 September** (HALF GALLERY)

(details will be provided closer to exhibition dates)

If you have any ideas for future exhibition themes etc - please let us know.

Hi fellow Red House members

Can you believe we are coming up to mid year – a busy time for businesses with end of financial year tasks. We are very fortunate to have the service of our Treasurer, Fred Thomas, to help us through – Fred has been involved with the Red House Group since 1996 and has made a huge contribution over the years.

With the new financial year Red House memberships become due, and we have enclosed your invoice in this mailout. You now have the easy option of paying your subs via direct bank transfer – look for our bank details on your invoice.

We are always trying to come up with ideas to benefit members. One initiative we are considering is creating a new Red House Group web page, separate from Gallery M. This could have a focus on Member artwork, and even provide the opportunity to sell your work online. If you have any thoughts, or would like to be involved in the planning and creation, please let me know.

See you soon Julie



CONGRATULATIONS...OPPORTUNITIES...EVENTS...ART+ABOUT

ART & ABOUT

Tandanya Art Gallery. Three exhibitions until 10 July.
1. Colours of Lajamanu, Lorna Fencer Napurrurla. An innovative Warlpiri artist from Lajamanu, Yulyurlu Lorna Fencer Napurrula took up acrylic painting at the Lajamanu School in 1986. Her highly personal style illustrates her ancestral stories.
2. Ngali-Ngalim-Boorroo (For the Women). Images depicting country, culture & language in a series of works that reference the importance of inter-generational teaching & learning are brought to the viewer in works by significant Gija women artists of the East Kimberley.
3. Sistas & Grannies. Carol McGregor is of Wathaurung (Vic) and of Scottish descent. She applies multi-media disciplines including metalwork, photography, printmaking and weaving ephemeral natural fibres in her art practices. **Tandanya**, 253 Grenfell Street, (cnr East Tce) Adelaide. Open Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm. Closed Sun & Pub Hols. T: 8224 3200 www.tandanya.com.au

Pepper Street Arts Centre. radiance: an exhibition of mixed media by Audrey Emery, 2 - 23 June. Light gives us life on Earth. Sunlight uplifts our heart and inspires hope. *radiance* is a continuation of Audrey's study of the effects of light and nature. Meet & chat with Audrey, Sat 3, 10 & 17 June, 2 pm - 4 pm. Dates: Fri. **Pepper Street Arts Centre**, 558 Magill Road, Magill. Open Tues - Sat 10am - 5pm. Closed public holidays & Easter Saturday. T: 8364 6154 **W: www.burnside.sa.gov.au/Community-Venues/Facilities/Pepper-Street-Arts-Centre**

Prospect Gallery. Form and Re-Form. Annabelle Collett and Jeff Trahair. Textiles and mixed mediums. Deconstructed, conceptual clothing forms next to detailed, tailored garments. Prospect Gallery, 1 Thomas Street (cnr Main North Road), Nailsworth. Tues 10.15am-8.30pm; Wed-Fri 10.15am-6pm; Sat 9am-4pm; Sun 2-5pm. T: 8342 8175 www.prospect.sa.gov.au

Burra Regional Art Gallery. Is That Me? You? Who? Burra Regional Art Gallery Portrait Competition 2017 Exhibition of finalists' works. Closes 18 June. Burra Regional Art gallery, 5 Market St, Burra. Tues-Sun 1-4pm. T: 8892 2411 **W: www.burragallery.com**

Red Poles. Rolling Hills, Jewel Seas and our Rural and Urban Landscape - a mixed media exhibition featuring work by 16 artists, including RHG members **Jennifer Hockey & David Taylor**. 3 June - 30 July at Red Poles Art Gallery, licenced cafe-restaurant, 190 McMurtrie Rd, McLaren Vale. Open Wed - Sun 9-5pm. E: redpoles@redpoles.com.au T: 08 8323 8994 www.redpoles.com.au

OPPORTUNITIES

Paddington Art Prize. A \$25,000 National acquisitive prize for a painting inspired by the Australian landscape. **Online submissions are now open for 2017.** There are a total of 7 prizes this year including the \$25,000 acquisitive prize and the \$5,000 non-acquisitive Young Artist Award for artists aged 18 to 30. Other prizes include: UNSW Art & Design will offer a selected artist the opportunity to create a limited edition print; Honourable Mention prize of \$2,000; \$1,000 gift certificate from the Sydney Art Store for the Highly Commended recipient; People's Choice Award of a \$1,000 gift certificate sponsored by Charvin Oils; and a selected artist will be given the opportunity to enjoy a 1-week retreat at Sofala Cottage. Entry fees: \$50 entry fee for a single work entry and \$90 for a two work entry. **Entries close: 3 Sep 2017.** More info at www.paddingtonartprize.com.au

RSASA/Sala Biennial Portrait Prize Exhibition. Open to all artists in all mediums. The purpose of this exhibition is to give South Australian Artists their own Portrait Prize, encouraging artists to think beyond the realms of the human face. The exhibition is to be held in the magnificent RSASA gallery and a number of pop-up venues, hosted by the RSASA/SALA. 1st Prize (Acquisitive) - \$10,000 Kennedy Arts Foundation Prize; 2nd Prize - \$2,000 RSASA; Carbins Trust Youth Award - \$5,000 (emerging artists 26 & under); Friends of SASA & Peoples Choice Award - \$1,000; RSASA Sculpture Prize - \$500; Helpmann Academy Prize - \$500 (artists must be within 5 years of graduation from Adelaide College of the Arts or University of South Australia). Artists are encouraged to submit up to 3 entries of work in all mediums, not only painting. **Entries close: 16 Jun 2017.** Entry fees: RSASA Members \$25 / Non Members \$30. More info at www.rsasarts.com.au/portrait-prize-exhibition-2017

Splashout Art Studios. Introduction to Drawing and Painting, Term 3. Course Fee: \$ 310 (plus discounted materials) Explore and develop the creative experience of drawing and painting. Learn to work with line, space, composition, tonal observation, perspective, and rendering. Learn the basics of simple colour mixing and use of colour palettes. Learn how to apply your paints with a range of different brushstrokes. Develop the ability to draw, then paint your drawings. Mon 9.30am-12noon 24 July- 25 Sep or Thurs 6.30pm- 9pm. 27 July - 28 Sep. More info at www.splashout.net.au/introduction-to-drawing-and-painting/ Splashout Art Studios - 5 Ravine St, Marino. P: 8296 3859, E: art@splashout.net.au www.splashout.net.au

Large easel for sale - \$100. Call Pauline on 8278 1583.