# The Art of Mosaics 2018 National Mosaic Art Exhibition and Competition

Judges: Carole Choucair Oueijan & Liz Hood



## 5 September to 30 September 2018 Opening function Friday 07 Sept 6.30pm

### Categories and Awards include:

Margaret Coupe Award, Best Reflections of New Zealand Award, Best Reflections of Maori and Polynesia Award, Best Overall, Best 2D, Best 3D, First time Entrant and Youth Award.

## FREE PUBLIC EVENTS in Studio 1 SATURDAY 08 SEPTEMBER

### No Booking required

Symposium speakers 9am – 10.30am

- 9am: Carole Choucair Oueijan
- 9.30am: Liz Hood
- 10am: Ellie Fijn and Susanne Williamson

### 10.30am morning tea

15-minute long Demo Workshops 11am – 12pm

### No Booking required

- Anne Bowden "China painting for Mosaics"
- Kate Lang "Carving Polystyrene shapes"
- Jo Luker "Cutting and shaping china"
- Claire Fairweather "Polymer clay to mosaics"

### 12 noon lunch

15-minute long Demo Workshops 1pm – 3pm

### No Booking required

- Pat George "Cutting marmox shapes using thinset to brace your substrata"
- Kate Lang "Carving Polystyrene shapes for mosaics"
- Claire Fairweather "Polymer clay to mosaics"
- Jo Luker "Cutting and shaping china for mosaics"

### Merchandiser's:

- 1) Mosaic Traders: Jackie Strickland
- Funky Glass: Sandi Webb & Chris Thurston
- 3) Garden Mosaics: Darienne Voyle
- 4) Auckland Beads NZ Limited

## To book and pay for the workshops below contact

### Pat George

nznationalmosaicexhibition2018@gmail.com

## China Painting for Mosaic with **Anne Bowden**

Studio 2 Max: 6 people

Time: 1pm – 3pm Day: Sat 8 Sept

Cost: \$25 pp. incl materials,

but not firing.

## Clay Lizard Sculpture for Mosaic with **Jan McLeod**

Studio 2 Max: 6 people
Day: Sat 8 Sept 1pm – 3pm
Sun 9 Sept 9am – 12pm
Cost: \$45 pp. incl materials

### **Textured Mosaics with**

### <u>Louise Herdman</u>

Studio 3 Max: 12 people

Time: 1pm – 3pm Day: Sat 8 Sept

Cost: \$40 pp. incl materials

### Mosaic Drapery Direct Technique with <u>Carole</u> Choucair Oueiian

Studio 3 Max: 12 people

Time: 9am – 4pm Days: Sun/Mon/Tues

Cost: \$520 pp. incl materials



### **Chair's Report**

Chair's Corner September 2018

the start of the year I told you this would be my in November. last year, then a couple of months ago I agreed we're back to Plan A which was always the goal. With this column I am stepping down from the Board and focusing that available time on my other pursuits. I have been active on up to four community Boards, now I can focus on just two. Estuary Arts has been a joy to be involved with. It's healthy and financially strong and led by an artist who excels in her curatorial activity. across the region in an exciting and progressive continue and prosper.

things in my annual review. The Community Street Seat has been a massive success and represents the very heart and soul of this place, the volunteer army. They make this place live. Without them the financial demands would be possibly too much to maintain a vibrant and successful location. So as always, thank-you to you, the volunteers who open and close our doors 7 days a week, congratulations on the received, well done! success of your time investments.

building facing the Te Ara Tahuna Pathway looks amazing. I remember early on in my Chair's role meeting someone who talked about passing the Gallery every day and never knowing quite what we were. So we started down the road of getting new signage and its installation this year is a really progressive move that will, I am sure, gain us extra participation from public unaware even of our existence.

The only downside of the year has been the dispute with our Website developers. Trustees Brent and Stephen have spearheaded that effort and we are pretty confident that after a judgement in our favour at the Disputes

Tribunal that their appeal will fall on deaf ears and that we will recover the monies paid this far for the development of a web and customer Well there's nothing as constant as change. At database solution. That will be decided we believe

to stay on at the Board's request, but now Wedelivered 100 Holiday programmes for 1000 kids, we enjoyed a massive hit with our puppetry festival (again, well done to Kim), we ran a partnership with Whangaparaoa Library through more Puppet shows and tiles for the forthcoming Library Courtyard upgrade, we enjoyed a successful Christmas Art Market, the new office opened upstairs (well done Phil), and we enjoyed another financial surplus.

We will carry on delivering artistic endeavours In addition to my departure, we also saw Trustees Bill Trotter and Gendi Burwell resign and long-term way and like you, I will enjoy watching that Trustee Phil Crow retires at this year's AGM as with our constitution. It's been a real pleasure to serve on the Trust with them and those from the At this year's AGM I would have touched on many last three years like Kim Lane and Roy Burgoyne. I'd also like to note the very special contribution of our minute taking secretary, Wendy Hayton. Her wisdom was often useful to me. I know she's loving her Queensland retirement with her husband and has mentioned the pride of place on her wall that her departure gift, a Phil Crow original, has. One highlight of the year was the Community Volunteer Award that two term Board member Phil Crow

Onwards for us all, and here's to decades of growth The new signage on the southern side of the in our little corner of the Western Reserve.

> Kind wishes John Davies

> > Opportunity to Exhibit for October 2018

Gallery two have become available to hire for a solo or group show

SPECIAL 1/2 PRICE RATE

### From the Manager

We are very busy preparing for the New Zealand National Mosaic showcase and Symposium. See details on the first page. Everyone is welcome to attend the opening and award function on Friday 04 September from 6 to 8pm. We will hear from international judge Carole Choucair Oueijan and Liz Hood about the winners and you can come along for free on Saturday 08 September from 9.30am to listen to the panel of speakers and to view the mini-workshops from 11am. Ahuge shout out to the overall event / exhibition organiser Pat George ably assisted by her team of helpers. It was a pleasure to curate such a vibrant, bold and diverse showcase of mosaics. Congratulations to all of the artists who have entered this year.

Coming up in October is another fun-filled creative holiday programme designed by Leigh Freeman. Such a great line up of classes. We also have a project which our current volunteers are working on called "Little Squares for Little Sprogs". Come along and help us keep vulnerable babies safe and warm - one square at a time! Simply join us on Friday 5 October to knit or crochet as many peggy squares or granny squares as you can. Our wonderful Craft Angels will turn them into amazing blankets for babies in real need! They will all be given away for free to babies via our fantastic Charity Partners. Some wool and knitting needles will be available but please bring along Double Knit/8 ply yarn and 4mm, 4.5mm or 5mm knitting needles if you have them.

If you can't join us on Friday, but would like to join in our initiative, knit or crochet as many peggy squares or granny squares as you can and drop them to us at the Centre.

Square Details/Patterns:

Peggy squares:

Knit a 16cm square using 100% wool/acrylic Double Knit/8 ply yarn

Using 4mm or 4.5mm needles you will need to cast on around 30 stitches

**Granny squares:** 

Crochet a 16cm square in any pattern using 100% wool/acrylic Double Knit/8 ply yarn in all-natural fibres.

Don't forget that you only have till October to get your entry into the Hibiscus and Bays Art Awards. Always a great one for our Exhibition programme with fab prize money and merit awards.

## Recognising our fabulous volunteers

This month we would like to recognise the amazing contribution that our Friday volunteer crew do at EACT. Anyone who has visited on a Friday will know how crazy busy the day is with the casual students all signing in and out, buying clay, paying for firing, chatting and people in the gift shop and the gallery and our friday team of Judy Paterson (above) and Maureen Gresty (below) calmy and capably handle the crazy pressure. Maureen has been volunteering for over 7 years and Judy has been with us for about 5 years.



You are amazing Maureen and Judy Thank you

### Estuary Arts Charitable Trust Annual General Meeting

All Welcome

Tuesday 25 September 2018 7pm, Studio 1

Nominations NOW open forms are available from the Manager or Reception

Members are requested to send any matters they wish to be considered at the Annual General Meeting to the Secretary, Estuary Arts Charitable Trust, P.O. Box 480, Orewa, so that such items are received by the Secretary no later than 14 days prior to the Annual General Meeting.

### The curly question of COPYRIGHT

We have all trolled the internet on sites like Google and Pinterest in a neverending search for inspiration or research for our artmaking practice. We are bombarded by imagery - erverywhere we look and sometimes we appropriate images or ideas from other artists or from photos that we find. I hope the article below will help shed some light on the Copyright issue. I think the best practice is to NOT COPY other peoples artwork, but if you are inspired by or have made an artwork based on another artist's imagery then you are obliged to obtain permission from the artist in advance and to reference the artist in the title of your work.

The correct interpretation of copyright is detailed below: Kim Boyd

### Can an artist use a photograph, for example from the internet, as inspiration for a painting?

Doing so raises issues of copyright. Copyright is the group of legal rights given to owners of creative works to protect the fruits of their efforts. Copyright owners in artistic works have the exclusive right to copy and publish their work.

Copyright automatically protects many types of works, including artistic works, from the time of their creation. In New Zealand, photographs are artistic works. Artistic works created in other countries are also protected in New Zealand.

Copyright protection is limited, however, to reflect a balance between encouraging and rewarding creative effort, and promoting broad public availability of the arts. These limits determine whether, and the extent to which, an artist may use a photograph for inspiration, or "copy" that photograph.

First, to attract copyright protection, the photograph must be original, being the product of independent skill and labour of the photographer. However, it need not possess artistic quality – copyright protects both mundane and high art.

Second, copyright in an artistic work lasts for a limited time, i.e. the life of the creator, plus fifty years. Third, copyright protects only the original expression – not the ideas used in making the work. Furthermore, copyright protects only against use of the whole or a substantial part of the work. That said, "substantial" refers to the importance or quality of what is taken, not the quantity. If, for example, a photograph portrays an image in a unique way, say via the positioning or angle of an object, or employs a unique lighting effect or focus, such elements may be protected as comprising a substantial part of the photograph, notwithstanding that they represent only a small portion of the work.

Accordingly, an artist will breach copyright if they copy a substantial part of an original photograph within fifty years of the death of the owner of the copyright, unless an exception applies (i.e. unless copied for the purpose of criticism, review, research, education, etc.), or unless permission is given by the copyright owner. A copyright owner may seek recompense for harm caused by the breach. It is no defence that you cannot find the owner. Permission may be given by the owner subject to certain conditions, for example payment of a fee. Merely acknowledging the photographer or the source of the photograph is not a substitute for obtaining permission.

Often, copyright works are made available freely on websites for use without the need for permission from the copyright owner. In such cases it is important to check the terms of use for any conditions which might apply, for example that the work may only be used for non-commercial purposes, and provided credit is given.

This article is for informational purposes only, and is not legal advice.

## **Upcoming Adults workshops**

**Professional Development Talk:** 

How to present and frame your "Artwork" and "How to photograph your artwork"

with Vanessa Grant and Paul Conroy

Time: 6pm to 7pm

**Date:** Wednesday 26 September **FREE** 

Join Vanessa Grant from Orewa Picture Framers and professional photographer Paul Conroy to learn about the tricks of the trade. Presentation of your artwork can mean acceptance into an art awards, selling your work or just the pride of framing an artwork well for your own home. Vanessa and Paul will share with you their expert opinions and guide you through some common pitfalls and mistakes. custom framers / PHOTO, CANVAS SINGLE WILLI YOU WILLIE GAPER OPHINIONS AND FINE ART PRINTING / LOCAL ART + SUPPLIES Please book your place for catering and planning purposes. Phone 09 426 5570 email: admin@ estuaryart.org



### BCW1: Beginning Oil with Bernadette Coetzer

4 day weekend workshop

Day 2 - Saturday 22 Sept 2018 Dates: Day 1 - Saturday 15 Sept 2018

Day 3 - Saturday 29 Sept 2018 Day 4 - Saturday 06 October 2018

Time: 9:30am – 2:30pm (all days) Duration: 4 days / 20 hours

EAC Member: \$185 Price: \$200

Oil painting doesn't have to be difficult! Join Bernadette, painting as Hannah, on a journey to discover the joy of painting your own masterpieces. Focussing on the needs of first-time painters, covering a range of useful topics such as:

- Introduction to art materials, tools and art terminologies, Tips and techniques with art materials specifically for beginner artists (e.g. making your own Gesso); Learning to mix your own, unique paint colours whilst keeping them looking fresh;
- How to master the brush and palette knife;
- The key principles of colour and composition; Step-by-step completion of individual painting projects; and more. Materials extra.



### CMW1: Learn to Paint workshop with **Catherine Mitchell**

**Date:** Sat 20 and Sun 21 October 2018 **Time:** 10am – 3pm (both days) **Duration:** 11 hours / 2 days **Level:** Adult - Beginners **Price:** \$140 EAC Member: \$120

Learn about colour mixing, tone, composition and acrylic painting techniques. As a beginner painter you will gain knowledge and confidence. You will complete 3 small projects.

Materials: Kit can be bought from the tutor at \$50 each or students could use the tutors materials for charge of

\$15 - \$20.

### GWW3: Chinese painting Fish with **Ginette Wang**

Date: Sat 1 December 2018 Time: 10am - 3pm Level: Adult - all levels Duration: 5 hours Price: \$115 EAC Member: \$95

Ginette will demonstrate and guide you step by step to paint fish with Chinese ink and watercolour. This workshop is great for people who have taken Ginette's Chinese painting workshop in 2017/2018 or have absolute no experience but with great interest to learn how to paint with this fun and exciting medium. Materials extra (For return students, please bring your own material according to the list. For new students, Ginette can prepare the material needed for you that day at \$20 to be paid at the commencement of the workshop.)





### MWW1: Hands on clay with Marilyn Wheeler

4-day weekend workshop

Day 1 - Saturday 20 October 2018 Day 2 - Saturday 27 October 2018 Day 3 - Saturday 3 November 2018 Day 4 - Saturday 10 November 2018

Time: 10am – 3pm (all days) Duration: 4 days / 20 hours Level: Adult - All Levels Price: \$260 EAC Member: \$240

How to make hand made pieces of table ware and learn how to glaze and fire them. No expensive wheel required. Create table ware and glaze with your own hand made glaze recipes. Mugs, bowls, plates, dishes, all shapes and sizes. Clay and firing extra.





### RMH4.1: Forest Creature Flowerpot (course 1) with Rix Meaker

Day 1: Monday 1 October 2018

Day 2: Monday 8 October 2018

Time: 10am - 3pm

Cost: \$85 / \$80 (EAC Member)

Ability Group: Children, 8 years & older REF: RMH4.1

Create your very own Forest Creature Flowerpot using a recycled plastic bottle and paper clay. Make our own paper clay and then use it to sculpt the features of our forest creatures. Once the sculpture has dried we will paint it using detail and shading to look realistic. We will finish the flowerpot off by planting a plant to bring our creature to life.



### BHH4: Printmaking without a press with Bev Head

Day 1: Tuesday 2 October 2018 Day 2: Wednesday 3 October 2018 Time: 10am - 3pm Cost: \$75 / \$70 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 7 years and older REF: BHH4 "Printmaking without a press" using Printing foam as the plate and making marks and producing final pieces of work that will be then made into a collaborative piece. All work is done with non-toxic water-based printing inks and the marks made with either pencil or ballpoint pen. I look forward to working with the children and introducing them to printmaking, something really attractive out of nothing.



#### JHH4.1: Mix Media House Canvas with Jude Howker

Tuesday 2 October 2018 Time: 9:45am - 12:15pm

Cost: \$30 / \$27 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 8+ years REF: JHH4.1 Come have fun designing and creating Houses on your very own canvas. We'll be using lots of yummy scrapbooking papers, stamps and stickers on a painted background .....end result ..... Amazing !!!



### JHH4.2: Painted Flowers with Jude Howker

Tuesday 2 October 2018 Time: 1pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 5-9 years REF: JHH4.2

Join us and enjoy exploring colours by painting flowers, using acrylics and your creative expression .... discover how using bright coloured paints will bring your painting to life ..... nice easy techniques used for the smaller artist!!



### JHH4.3: Collaged Rainbows with Jude Howker

Wednesday 3 October 2018 Time: 9:45am - 12:15pm

Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 5 - 8 years REF: JHH4.3 New Zealand gives us many rainbows as it rains when the sun's out .... which is a lot!! We love rainbows and their promise of something good ..... so it's time you came and made your own collaged one.



### EBH4.1: Drawing and Acrylic Painting workshop with Eion Bryant

Thursday 4 October 2018 Time: 10am - 3pm

Cost: \$55 / \$50 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 7 - 14 years REF: EBH4.1 With step-by-step demonstration children will create a vibrant acrylic painting while learning tips and techniques along the way. Fun and focused.



### RMH4.1: Forest Creature Flowerpot (course 1) with Rix Meaker

Day 1: Thursday 4 October 2018 Day 2: Thursday 11 October 2018 Time: 10am - 3pm Cost: \$85 / \$80 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 8 years & older REF: RMH4.2 Create your very own Forest Creature Flowerpot using a recycled plastic bottle and paper clay. Make our own paper clay and then use it to sculpt the features of our forest creatures. Once the sculpture has dried we will paint it using detail and shading to look realistic.



### JHH4.5: Coming up Roses with Jude Howker

Tuesday 9 October 2018 Time: 9:45am - 12:15pm

Cost: \$30 / \$27 (EAC Member) Ability Group: Children, 8 years and older REF: JHH4.5
Paint a masterpiece of roses on canvas ..... step by step guidance .... colour mixing .... shading ... blending ... using acrylics .... this class is suited to older children who want to expand their painting skills.



### JHH4.6: Collaged Day of the Dead with Jude Howker

Tuesday 9 October 2018 Time: 1pm - 3:30pm Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member)
Ability Group: Children, 7 years and older - need to be proficient with scissors REF: JHH4.6

Design and cut out your own shapes from ideas that you will be shown to create a Day of the Dead Mexican picture. Children must be proficient with scissors.





JHH4.7: Giant Take Home Pizza with Jude Howker

Wednesday 10 October 2018 Time: 9:45am - 12:15pm Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member)

Ability Group: Children, 5 - 9 years old REF: JHH4.7

Who doesn't love Pizza ...... create your own giant Pizza decorated with paints and collage cheese, mushrooms pineapple ..... your favorite toppings use your creative ideas and end up with Pizza fit for a king!!! Lots of fun class!!



Wednesday 10 October 2018 Time: 1pm - 3:30pm Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member)

Ability Group: Children, 5 - 8 years old REF: JHH4.8

Yeay we are heading into summer ....... in this fun lighthearted class you'll get the opportunity to create and design your own sun.... with a smiley face ..... these are just too cute and make excellent art to frame and hang on your walls. Firstly drawing in pencil then using pastels or crayons in beautiful coloured patterns to bring them alive ...... let's see who can have the smiliest sun!!



VCH4: Plaster Prints with Val Cuthbert

Wednesday 10 October 2018 Time: 9:30am - 12pm Cost: \$35 / \$32 (EAC Member)

Ability Group: Children, 8 years and older REF: VCH4

Use an etching needle to scratch a design onto an A5 plastic sheet. The etched design will be inked up and printed using the printing press onto paper to make a small edition of artwork suitable for cards or framing. Then mix up plaster and pour it over the etched plastic to make a plaster casting of the design.

The plaster print will be left overnight at EAC to completely dry.



EBH4.2: Drawing for Beginners with Eion Bryant

Thursday 11 October 2018 Time: 9:45am - 12:15pm Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member)

Ability Group: Children, 5 - 8 years old REF: EBH4.2

A structured drawing session where your child will learn how to produce a picture they can be proud of with step-by-step instruction from fulltime Artist/Tutor Eion Bryant.



EBH4.3: Drawing for Intermediates with Eion Bryant

Thursday 11 October 2018 Time: 1pm - 3:30pm Cost: \$28 / \$25 (EAC Member)

Ability Group: Children, 9 years and older REF: EBH4.3

A structured drawing session with step-by-step instruction from fulltime Artist/Tutor Eion Bryant where your child will learn techniques and tips while being guided to produce a picture that they can be proud of! Fun and Focused.



PPH4.2: "Colour Me Happy" tie dye - Public Programme

Friday 12 October 2018 Time: 10:30am - 12:30pm Cost: \$3 per item being dyed.

Ability Group: Public Programme REF: PPH4.2

Bring your own white cotton shirt and have fun dying!

NB! This is a community programme that works on a casual "drop-in" basis. Children must be accounted for at all times. Parents and/or caregivers MUST accompany children under 10 years of age. Children over 10 years must be signed in by Parents/Caregivers arrival and out on pick up.

Wear old clothing! Dye will stain

"THE ESTUARY" BY THE PENINSULA WEAVERS

HOST: ESTUARY ARTS CENTRE G2: GALLERY TWO

01 OCTOBER TO 28 OCTOBER

ANNETTE ASHTON, SOPHIE AUSTIN, HILDE BLANK, ROSEMARY BURNBY, PAM CHRISHOLM, ELAINE CURTIS, SHARON DOONEY, MARGARET MARSHALL, LINDA MACDONALD, ANNETTE MONTGOMERY, SUE PARKER AND RAE SIMPSON.









"HELEN E. DOUGLAS"
G5: GALLERY FIVE
(UPSTAIRS)
AND CAFE

01 TO TO 28 OCTOBER

BORN IN EDINBURGH SCOTLAND. ATTENDED EVENING CLASSES FOR A SHORT TIME BUT BASICALLY SELF TAUGHT. JOINED THE UPPER DEESIDE ART SOCIETY AND EXHIBITED TWICE A YEAR. APRIL TO THE END OF JULY AT BALMORAL CASTLE AND IN SEPTEMBER EACH YEAR IN BALLATER. THE DUCHESS OF CORNWALL OPENS THE BALLATER EXHIBITION AND IN SEPTEMBER 2015 JUST BEFORE LEAVING TO LIVE HERE IN NEW ZEALAND THE DUCHESS BOUGHT ONE OF MY PAINTINGS. I ALSO EXHIBITED TWICE AT ART ABOYNE ON INVITATION.

MY WORK COMES FROM SEEING SOMETHING THAT TAKES MY EYE. I MOSTLY PAINT FROM PHOTOGRAPHS. HAVING VISITED VENICE ON A COUPLE OF OCCASIONS, THE CANALS AND ARCHITECTURE WERE VERY INSPIRING. I LOVE ANIMALS AND FIND THEM FASCINATING TO PAINT





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Mon to Fri, 9am - 4pm only Please note Weekends are manned by volunteers only

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