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**Narooma School of Arts
and Soldiers' War Memorial Hall Inc**

FEBRUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER

Welcome to our new look newsletter. If you have any news you wish to be included please email us via this [link](#).

N S o A N E W S



TUESDAY 14 MARCH 2023 6:00PM

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The NSoA Annual General Meeting 2023

DATE: TUESDAY 14 MARCH 2023

TIME: 6.00 pm

VENUE: The NSoA Studios, 92 Campbell Street, Narooma

Membership fees are now due. If you have joined since 1 October 2022 your membership carries through all of 2023. You can renew or apply for membership on the [website](#) or the forms can be picked up from the Studios.

Would you like to be involved and be a part of the NSoA? Do you have a particular expertise that would contribute to the management of the organisation - are you a social media pro, do you have governance experience, volunteer organisation skills, grant or health and safety knowledge? Why not join our Management Committee or one of our Sub-Committees.

An email will be sent by the Secretary with the Management Committee nomination form attached, along with a reminder to pay your fee. You can also find the form on the website [here](#) (don't forget you need two proposers) and return it to the Secretary, Laurelle Pacey by Tuesday 7 March 6pm.

Send your forms to info@naroomaschoolofarts.com.au

EVENTS





arts talk

DATE: Tuesday 21 February 2023

TIME: 6.00 - 7.30 pm

VENUE: The NSoA Studios

An event to come together and share thoughts, reflections and inspirations in response to a selected artist's work.

Our first session will be focussed on the art of Australian painter **William Robinson**. Limited places. \$5 contribution. Register [here](#).



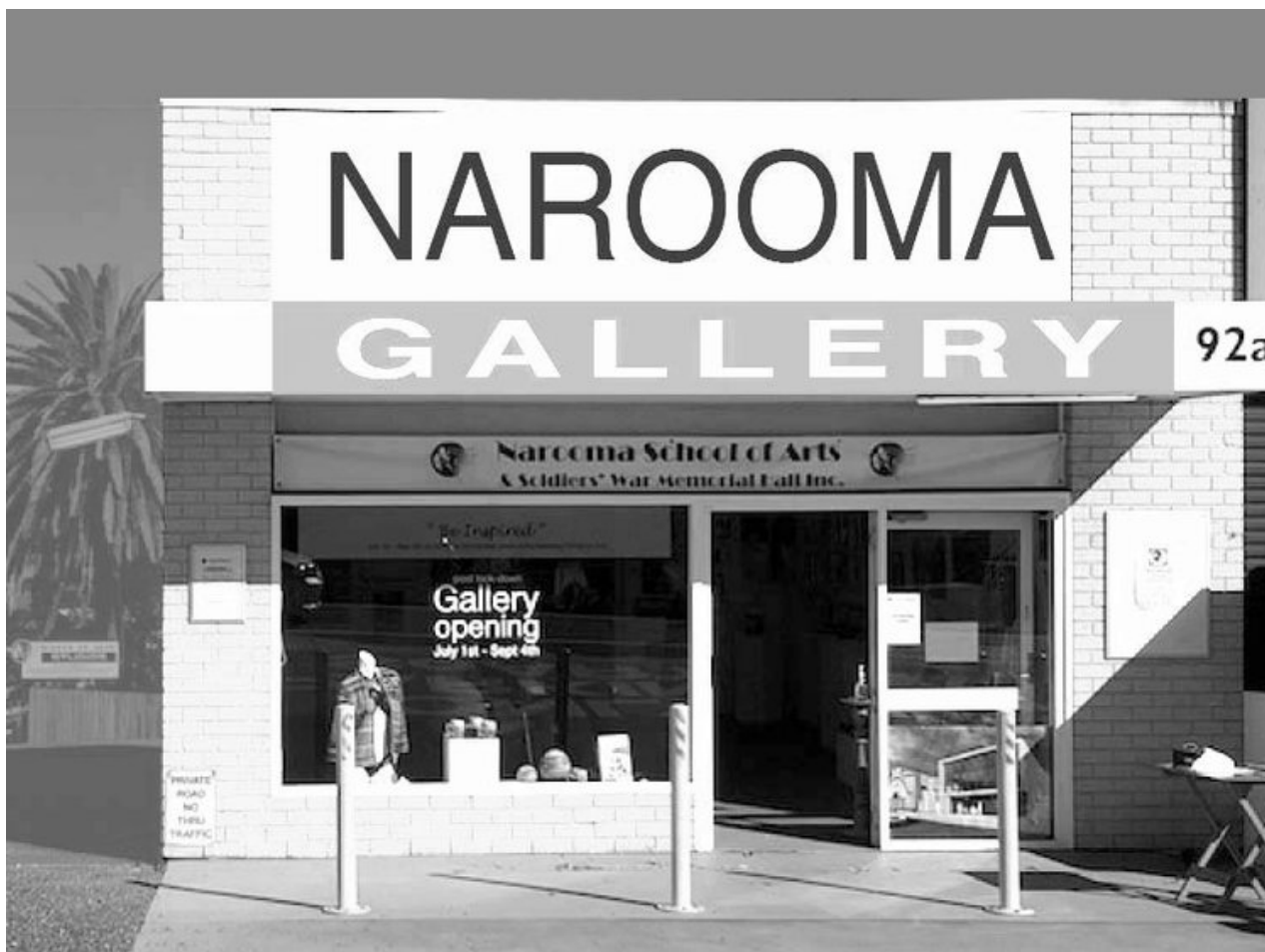
NSoA LIVE MUSIC at the Kinema

We are planning a set of live gigs at the Kinema. With Covid and the pandemic it has been a while since the NSoA presented a night of entertainment at the Kinema. We are busy in the planning stage to

Since the NCCA presented a night of entertainment at the cinema, we are busy in the planning stage to bring some live and funky music to our town. Hot tip - one band in the mix is the **Bondi Cigars** with their blues infused guitar rock and roll.

Stay tuned for further info in our next newsletter.

EXHIBITIONS



Exhibition spaces available NOW

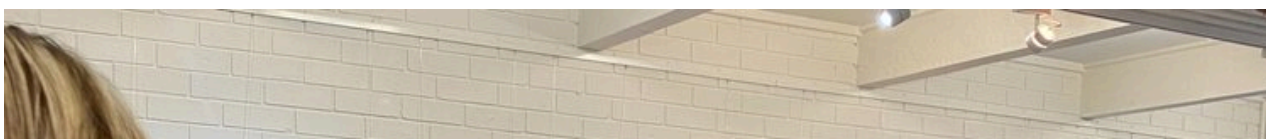
Are you an artist looking to exhibit your work? Why not show your work at the Narooma Gallery, a simple and effective showing space in the heart of south east NSW.

You can apply for an exhibition at the Narooma Gallery online [here](#).

Exhibition weeks run from a Wednesday (set up) through to Tuesday (take down). We have hanging systems and plinths, an EFTPOS machine (fees apply) and, best of all, full street frontage.

1 weeks hire for members is only \$120. For non members \$140.

It's the cheapest deal in town. Send in an application [now](#).





Opening of *Postcards from Narooma*, at Narooma Gallery

During summer, we hosted two exhibitions at the Narooma Gallery and the timing was perfect to catch the crowds.

Congratulations to the En Plein Air and Urban Sketchers art groups who collectively presented *Postcards from Narooma* (picture above). This show had a diverse mix of works and mediums which attracted many of the visitors to the region, demonstrating that culture is an active part of the tourism profile for Narooma.

The second exhibition was *Frida & Feathers* presented by Petti McInnes and Donna Goulding (Picture below). This was a strong and vibrant exhibition showing their two individual styles. They also included a range of their ceramic work, created after after meeting at local artist and President of the NSoA, Jenni Bourke's ceramic classes.





Petti and Donna in their exhibition *Frida & Feathers*, Narooma Gallery

WORKSHOPS

Glass Fusing and texturing has moved to June 2023

Glass Fusing and Texturing workshop with Jan Huon. This is a fresh new workshop presented by the NSoA and will be an introduction to working with glass. You will create your own special set of glass coasters and a plate. The workshop will take place over two weekends in June. Click [here](#) to see all the details

In the Studios and satellite venues:

Recently we hired the studios out for a workshop hosted by the AtWork Australia team from Batemans Bay. If you need a space to do a workshop or a class, [contact](#) us to find out more.

Other NSoA art activities are now taking place at NSoA *outposts* around town:

- **Urban Sketchers & Plein Air** groups have combined for the first half of 2023 see the schedule [here](#).
- **Mahjong**: 1.00 - 4:00pm Wednesdays @ the NSoA Studios and later at the CWA. See our Workshop listing [page](#) for when they will be at the NSoA.
- **Meditation**: 9.30 -11:00am Wednesdays @ Fish Tank in the Mid Town Arcade
- **Playing with Polymer Clay**: 10:00 - 12:00pm Tuesdays @ the Fishing Club
- **Thursday Art Group**: 1:00- 4:00pm Thursdays @ Fishing Club
- **Narooma Historical Society**: 2:00-pm on the 3rd Sunday of the month: next meeting Sunday 19 February at the NSoA Studios.

The Studios are still available for casual bookings by groups or individuals for arts, cultural and educational activities, as well as specialty workshops until late September, [email](#) us with your information.

ART NEWS

BAS

Want to know what is happening at the BAS? You can follow them on Instagram - [@thebascentre](#)

NSoA Pick: Machine Embroidery with Sue Barford at the BAS: A series of

o sewing workshops to turn your machine into an embroidery tool focussing on creative stitching types and techniques. Full details [here](#).

Sculpture Bermagui

Sculpture Bermagui is on 11 - 19 March 2023. Nine days to view this amazing 'local' sculpture exhibition. It begins on the weekend of Labor Day in Victoria and Canberra Day in ACT, so expect to see some crowds on that first weekend.

The Outdoor sculptures are displayed on Dickinson Point headland and foreshore overlooking Horseshoe Bay and Gulaga. [Read more](#).

South East Arts

South East Arts is our regional arts and cultural development organisation covering the Bega Valley, Eurobodalla and Snowy Monaro council areas. They have a full program bursting with workshops, talks, support and listings of all the arts festivals happening in the south of NSW. Check out all their offerings [here](#).

The Bay Pavilions

The Bay Pavilions at Batemans Bay has a full program ahead with plenty of theatre, comedy and music. Visit their website [here](#) to check the full offerings.

Revive: Australian Government's new National Cultural Policy

Great news coming out this month as the Australian Government released its new National Cultural Policy—**Revive: a place for every story, a story for every place**. This is the most positive and financially robust policy from the Australian Government in decades. The Government notes:

Revive is a five-year plan to renew and revive Australia's arts, entertainment and cultural sector. It delivers new momentum so that Australia's creative workers, organisations and audiences continue to thrive and grow, and so that our arts, culture and heritage are re-positioned as central to Australia's future.

You can read their policy documents [here](#).



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