

Our Place Exhibition

Our thanks to Dennis Neil and Hugh for hanging the artwork; to the sub-committee for their organisation; to the staff at Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom for their amazing contribution and to the design team for the great advertising

The opening evening was a success, and the exhibition is going well, with positive feedback from many visitors. Several members are enjoying painting on location every Tuesday while the exhibition is on. Levinites, make sure you pop over to have a look! See below for a couple of Audrey Garratt's paintings.



And part of the south wall, with Sue's great slideshow on the big screen, which mostly has all six screens going.



Visit from River City Artists

River City Artists will be visiting the Art Society rooms on **Wednesday 4 September**.

They are expected to arrive between 12-12.30 after visiting the Our Place Exhibition in Foxton. It would be good to have artists working during the visit and perhaps enjoy a cuppa with the visitors.

Next Friday Workshop

6 September, 9:30-12 noon with Dorothy Burt.

Scenes using water soluble pencils or oil pastels. Bring watercolour paper, toilet or face tissues, watercolour brushes, and pencils to draw the subject.

\$3 class and \$3 entry.

Photography Tips

When you photograph your artwork, do it on a cloudy-bright day outside to get the best light, eliminating shadows. It's easiest to put the painting on the ground, hover over it with your camera/phone, making sure the sides of the painting are parallel on the screen. Good luck!

Foodbank

Thanks to those who have contributed to this. If you haven't and would like to, please

place your non-perishable goods into the box on the table.

Member Activities

Sue Taylor, Jill Hammond and Paul Anderson from Sea Gallery have an exhibition at Te Takere called **Realism and Nostalgia** during August. Sue and Jill are normally there on Thursdays, and would love to see you.

Competition Results

From now on we will publish results from the previous month. There has been an excellent response to this month's pen and ink competition, so make sure you get your vote in.

Competitions 2019

Sept: Palette Knife
Oct: Reflections
Nov: Sea
Dec: Flowers

Dates to Note

- **August** Realism and Nostalgia at Te Takere
- **4 Sept** Visit from River City Artists
- **6 Sept** Friday Workshop
- Ongoing until 29 Sept 'Our Place' exhibition at Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom

Don't forget to share our facebook posts to all your friends, especially while the exhibition is on.