July - August 2014 CURRENT EXHIBITIONS

CREATIVE MOMENTS & 'OBJECT LESSON' Opening Saturday 26 July 2014 - 12 > 2pm

Creative Moments is the inspirational, annual joint exhibition of the Shoalhaven Woodcraft Society Inc., Nowra Spinners & Weavers Inc. and the Shoalhaven Potters Inc. This local, non-competitive exhibition provides an opportunity for the artisans and crafts people who are members of these three community groups to share their gifts and talents with all others, extending their own enjoyment in their craft.

The Creative Moments exhibition provides an outlet for those who mould, sculpt, carve, plane, chisel, knit, felt and weave their art with clay, wood or wool to jointly exhibit their works from these three natural and tactile media which are complementary, enhancing and enriching the experience. Many of the items on exhibition will be for sale.

'Object Lesson', exhibiting in the Main Gallery, features 7 local professional artists applying their creative skillset in the broader community service context. Working across many different mediums these artists cover film making, photography, printing and painting to make a difference in areas such as social history, education, disability and health.

SOLACE - READING THE LAND Nowra School of Arts with Lisa Havilah - Director of CARRIAGEWORKS, Sydney. Opening Saturday 26 July 2014 - 12.30pm

Reading the Land is an opportunity for artists to examine and learn about a landscape and interpret it as they see it. In May and June 2014 Reading the Land was held at Sanctuary Point, Bomaderry and Huskisson.

Reading the Land is a project of Shoalhaven Landcare supported by Shoalhaven Arts Board.

Exhibition open Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm closing Friday 1 August 2014.

CONCERT

Farewell winter in style with Shoalhaven City Concert Band's Blue Skies Concert featuring the Youth Concert Band, the Concert Band , Dance Band and the Brass and Wind Quintets. 2pm Sunday 10 August 2014 at the Nowra School of Arts. Tickets at the door include afternoon tea - Adult \$15 Child \$5

The Shoalhaven City Concert Band was established in July 1994 and is a Non Profit community organisation. We offer Senior Band, Junior Band and Stage Band, with over 60 members in woodwind, brass and percussion.

Weekly rehearsals are held at the Nowra School of Arts Annex in Berry Street, Nowra each Tuesday from 6pm to 9.30pm. The aim of the Concert Band is to provide musical training for beginning and developing players and opportunities for sharing the joy of music for anyone in the community. For further information, contact Margaret Bowcher on (02) 4421 8973.

SAMUEL ELYARD: SHOALHAVEN LANDSCAPES in TEXTILE



Come to the Inaugural 'What We Do for Fun' craft exhibition

at the Lady Denman Maritime Museum to see Shoalhaven landscapes of artist Samuel Elyard interpreted in reccyled textiles.

This inventive project, created by Shoalhaven City Council Waste Services, highlights the concern around the 1000 tonnes of textiles disposed of each year in the Shoalhaven. The members of the St Georges Basin Creative Craft Group and the G6 Group of artists have worked on interpreting a number of landscapes which are part of the Ladt Denman collection.

> 13 July - 28 September 2014 10am - 4pm daily 'What We Do For Fun' Craft Exhibition Lady Denman Maritime Museum.

> > For information on forthcoming events at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre, please go to the website: www.shoalhavenentertainment.com.au



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