



\$1000 First Prize
Gold Star Peoples Choice Award
Saturday 7 – Sunday 22 February 2008

At the Carterton Exhibition Centre
OPEN 10AM – 4PM DAILY

Exhibition opening and Awards presentation
Friday 6 February 7.30pm

KEY DATES TO REMEMBER:

Sunday 1st February

Personally deliver your artwork between 10am - 4pm

Monday 2nd February

Couriered artwork delivered between 10am - 4pm

Saturday 7 February – Sunday 22 February

The Wai Art Portrait Exhibition is open 10am - 4pm daily

Sunday 22 February

Collection of artwork between 4pm - 5pm

Wai Art Portrait Award and Exhibition 2009

\$1000 First Prize & \$500 Gold Star Peoples Choice Award

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entries

Artists must be New Zealand citizens or residents

Limit of three entries per person.

Entries must be two dimensional portraits of identified people in any medium; the subject(s) New Zealand resident(s) or citizen(s), and with emphasis on their identity as individuals. Artist must have obtained appropriate model releases from the person(s) featured in their submitted portrait.

Artworks **do not** need to be for sale. No commission will be charged.

There is **no selection process**, however the committee reserves the right to decline any work deemed unsuitable.

Entry fee

Entry fee is \$20 per artwork and must be included with the entry form when the artwork is delivered.

Labeling

The artwork must be clearly identified on the back with the:

Artist name, address & phone number

Title of artwork

Media

Price of artwork

Swing Tag

A swing tag **must** be attached to your artwork to assist with cataloguing. The tag must be firm paper or cardboard and clearly state your name, address, title of the work, price, media used. Attach the tag to a piece of string and staple or tape it firmly to the top of the back of your work. Do not tie the swing tag onto the artwork hanging cord. The string needs to be long enough to reach over the painting to be visible on the front side for cataloguing, but not so long that the label hangs below the painting when tucked behind the artwork.

Presentation

Artwork must be presented with flat exhibition eyelets and ready to hang. The presentation and layout of the exhibition is the responsibility of the committee.

Explanation of why subject chosen

All entries **must** be accompanied by a short written explanation (no more than 150 words) on the reasons why the artist chose the particular subject or subjects.

Biography

The biography folder is well utilised. We strongly encourage the artist to provide an **A4 single sheet** biography that will be displayed in a folder for the public to view.

Delivery of artwork

Deliver your artwork in person on Sunday 1 February between 10am and 4pm
Couriered artwork to arrive on Monday 2 February between 10am and 4pm.
Deliver artwork with entry form and entry fee to:

**The Carterton Exhibition Centre
Holloway Street
Carterton**

Couriered artwork

Artists are responsible for freighting of artworks to and from Carterton.
Prepaid courier tickets must be **attached** to your entry form for return freight.
Cheques are not acceptable. (Return freight tickets will be returned if the artwork is sold).
Packaging of artwork should be designed to be re-usable for the return of the work, and labelled with your name and address.

Payment for sold artwork

If your artwork sells a cheque will be sent to you ASAP after the exhibition closes.

Collection of artwork

Artwork is to be collected when the exhibition closes on Sunday 22 February only between 4pm and 5pm. Further collection of artwork on Monday 23 February between 10am & 4pm.

Insurance

Insurance in transit between the artist and the exhibition centre and while on exhibition is the artist's responsibility. All reasonable care will be taken of exhibits but the committee cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage during the exhibition or in transit.

Checklist

Have you:

- Completed the details on the **entry form** correctly
- Checked the details on the back of your artwork are the same as on your entry form
- Included your artwork **entry fee of \$20 per artwork**
- A short written explanation (no more than 150 words) on subject choice
- Included an A4 size **biography**

Thank you for entering in the Wai Art Portraiture Award 2009. Your support is very much appreciated!
We hope you enjoy the exhibition and bring along lots of family and friends to view the artwork.

Contact

Anna-Marie Kingsley (phone 06 379 9177 or email info@waiart.org.nz)

Wai Art exhibitions

Are run and organised by the **Wai Art Trustees**, a voluntary group of five people who believe passionately in supporting artists in the Wairarapa.

All the proceeds raised by Wai Art go back into promoting and supporting artists and their exhibitions.

www.waiart.org.nz

The Wai Art website has a calendar of major art competitions and exhibitions in New Zealand.



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Receiving day Sunday 1 February 2009

At the Carterton Exhibition Centre
Open 10am - 4pm daily

ENTRY FORM

NAME OF ARTIST

ADDRESS

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DAYTIME PHONE NO. MOBILE

EMAIL ADDRESS

NAME OF ARTWORK	MEDIUM	PRICE <small>if for sale</small>	SOLD	COLLECTED

I agree to the terms of entry for this exhibition

Signed

Date

Would you like your contact details included in a Wairarapa Artist database administered by the Wairarapa Heritage, Arts and Culture Coordinator to be contacted about arts related events?

Yes / No

Would you like to be notified of upcoming WAI ART events?

Yes / No