



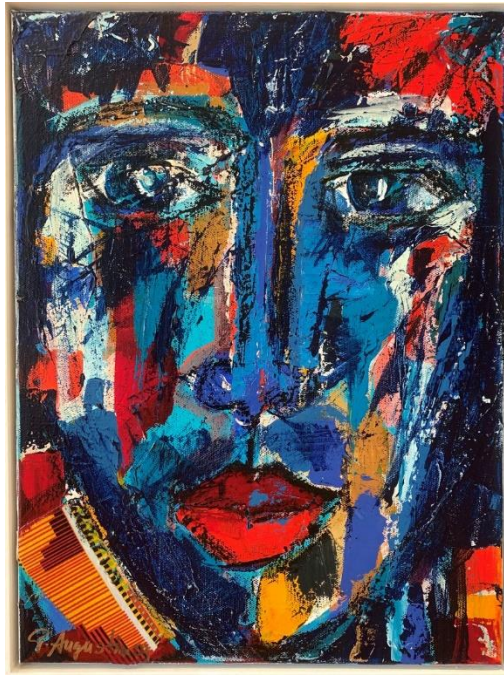
WSA Artspost bi-weekly update - 13th February 2025

To our valued WSA members, clients, and supporters

Welcome to our second update for 2025. The heat is ramping up outside but it's lovely and cool in our gallery and retail spaces - so call in and view our latest exhibitions.

- **Term 1 Art School enrolments are open.** We have new classes available this term and a few spaces left in some of the returning classes. View and 'Book a Class' online at wsa.org.nz. Term 1 dates are **10th Feb – 5th April 2025**.
- **New & current exhibitions:**
 - **13 Feb –23 March 2025: opening at 1.00pm on Saturday 15th Feb 2025 in the Artspost Galleries**
 - "Interaction' by Volker Hawighorst
 - 'The Interplay' by Josef Kleininger
 - 'Carnival and Anxiety" by Michele Rumney
 - "Realizzare un Sogno ('Fulfilling a Dream') by Caroline Peacocke
 - **20 Jan - 16 Feb 2025: 'Structures' by Max Nasmith**

- **Upcoming exhibitions**
 - **21 Feb –23 March 2025:**
 - NZ Painting and Printmaking Awards: opening event 5.30pm on Friday 21 Feb 2025; Judges Talk 10.30am on Saturday 22nd Feb, Artist talks Saturday 22nd Feb, 1pm
 - **27 March - 28 April 2025:**
 - SSA 2025 (Small Sculpture Award) – opening event 5.30pm on Friday 28 March 2025; Judges talk 10.30am on Saturday 29 March
 - PCANZ Small Print touring exhibition
 - “The Calling” Bruce McLachlan
 - “Still Hooked on Bronze” The Bronzies
 - “Apples to Oranges” Paul Darragh
- **Tuesday Talks:** a free event unless stipulated below.
 - **25th Feb, 10.30am – 12.00pm**, “Women in Property – from Hobby to Hustle’, featuring WSA’s Caroline Peacocke, Holly McVicar, Jake Payne and Emily Cleland. **This event is hosted by Property Council New Zealand and is a paid member event.** If you are not a member and would like to attend, please contact Sarah Rundstrom at sarah@propertynz.co.nz
 - **4th March 12.00pm – 12.30pm:** Michele Rumney
 - **4th March:** NZPPA, artists TBC
 - **15th March:** NZPPA, artists TBC
- **Feature artist:** this week’s feature artist in the Artspost retails space is Peter Augustin. The work below is titled ‘Velazquez Boy’ and is a framed acrylic painting on canvas. Call in now to see this work and another by Peter titled ‘Romantique Bouquet’.



Other art events happening in the Waikato

- **The Cathedral Church of St Peter**, 51 Victoria Street, Hamilton, will be holding an Autumn Gala on **7 March** this year to raise funds for earthquake strengthening. You are invited to submit one donated work of art and exhibit two works at 20% commission for the 'Art Mart' that will be part of the Gala. Paintings will be accepted from 3-6 March 2025. For entry forms and more details please:
Contact Ann Harlow at aharlow24@gmail.com
- **Grey Street Studio** gallery space available
Exhibition opportunities are available for local artists.
We are situated at 718 Grey St. in Hamilton East and the small gallery space is located alongside our studio, where we offer classes for artists with intellectual disabilities.
Parking is available at the off street site we share with three other local businesses.
We are currently open Monday – Thursday, from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. as well as at other times by arrangement and opening functions can be held at times that suit the exhibiting artist. We are offering exhibition space at no charge for the first few artists who book a show and our commission on sales is 20% of sale price. We are not GST registered. Exhibition length can be discussed on enquiry.
Contact - Maree Glass. 021 322575 maree.glass@gmail.com.
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