



## WSA Artspost bi-weekly update - 11th March 2025

To our valued WSA members, clients, and supporters

A warm welcome to our Autumn months and the wonderful exhibitions we are hosting. We are thrilled that a number of works from our national art awards, NZPPA, have sold. Do call in to see this exhibition and the other 4 current exhibitions - all of which close on 22nd March.

### Artists in Residence in Artspost galleries:

A new initiative for artists whose exhibitions are being held in the Artspost Galleries: starting **next Tuesday 18th March 11am - 3pm**, with printmaking demonstrations by Caroline Peacocke whose exhibition 'Realizzare un Sogno' (*'Fulfilling a Dream'*) is on until 22 March 2025.

### BOON Street Art Festival: 12th - 15th March 2025

Small works by street mural artists exhibited in Artspost retail gallery:

- Theo Arraj
- \* Alison Mooney

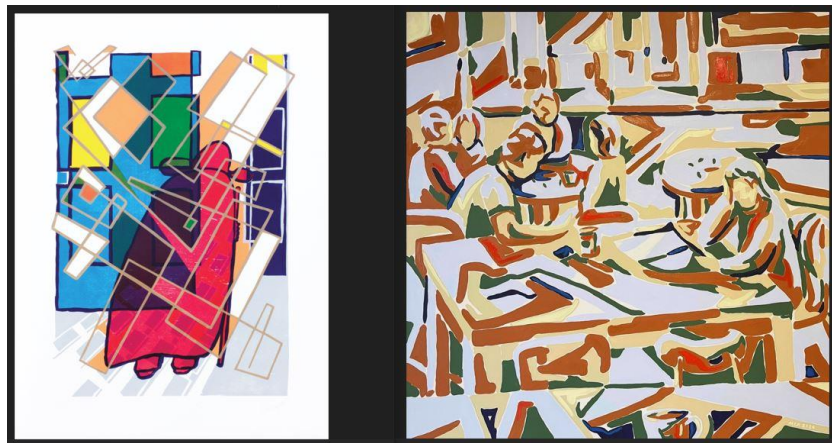
- Pierre Hadlow \* Flox
- Kophie Su'a-Hulsbosch

### Artspost hours:

- Weekdays: 9am - 5pm
  - Saturday: 9am-3pm
  - Sunday: CLOSED
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### Current exhibitions - on until Saturday 22 March 2025:

- **NZ Painting and Printmaking Awards (NZPPA)**
- **'Interaction'** by Josef Kleininger (*below - top left*)
- **'Carnival and Anxiety'** by Michele Rumney (*below - top right*)
- **'Reimagination of the Unfamiliar'** by Volker Hawighorst (*below - bottom left*)
- **'Realizzare un Sogno' ('Fulfilling a Dream')** by Caroline Peacocke (*below - bottom right*)





## Upcoming exhibitions

- **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** (Print Council Aotearoa New Zealand) **Small Print** touring exhibition
      - Member's talk hosted by Central Region Coordinator, Vicky Jones
    - **The Calling** by Bruce McLachlan
      - Opening event Saturday 29th March 2025 at 1.00pm
    - **Still Hooked on Bronze** by The Bronzies
      - Opening event Saturday 29th March 2025 at 1.00pm
    - **Apples to Oranges** by Paul Darragh
    - Opening event Saturday 29th March 2025 at 1.00pm
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## Gallery and workshop spaces for hire:

If you are looking for a venue or space to hire for a business event, consider Artspost galleries or one of the studios as great networking spaces. Workshops studio spaces are also able to be booked.

Please direct enquiries to: Julie Johnstone: [wsa@wsa.org.nz](mailto:wsa@wsa.org.nz)

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**Feature artist:**

Brendon Jaine Jewellery - a local Hamilton-based artist whose lovely new pieces have just arrived in the Artspost retail store.



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**Other art events happening in the Waikato**

- Exhibition Opening - Morrinsville Gallery, 167 Thames Street, Morrinsville
  - Diane Scott (@diane\_scott\_art\_nz), Cambridge
  - Keirryn Hintz (@keirrynhintzart), Hamilton



- Jay Drew (@jay\_.drew), Mount Maunganui

Opening event: **06 April 2025 from 11am - 1.30pm**

Exhibition period: **01 April - 27 April 2025**

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**We warmly thank our NZPPA sponsors**





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