



Maryborough Regional
Art Society Inc



December 2023-February 2024

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PATRONS: G Richers, R Nicholson,
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2023 COMMITTEE

PRESIDENT: Jeanette Rogers

VICE PRESIDENT: Vera Hammond

SECRETARY: Jaqui Dodds (interim)

TREASURER: Hans Schmidt
(Interim)

GALLERY

MANAGER: Helen Strachan

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GRANTS OFFICER: Jaquie Dodd

NEWSLETTER: Jeanette Lewis

PRESIDENTS REPORT:

Hello to Members, Patrons and Volunteers,

As the year comes to a close I would like to congratulate all the members, patrons and volunteers for their continued support and hard work that we have all achieved.

It has been a bit of a roller coaster with the impending sale of the building, however we have persevered with council, meetings and paperwork to ensure that we are not being left behind or in the dark regarding new premises. As I have previously stated, what we know is exactly what you all know, we will not keep anyone in the dark over this process. We again have had meetings with Councillors Paul Truscott and Danile Sanderson, Nancy Bates (Mary Inc) regarding the building. Again you will know something when we know something.

The Gallery has been solidly booked this year and 2024 is fully booked as well, a big congratulations to all our Exhibitors and the Gallery Staff for their assistance with installing, assisting in Opening Nights and uninstalling. Our Members Exhibitions have been very well received and we look forward to 2024 exhibitions with great pride.

Our AGM is on March 5th 2024 at 10.30am. Please be aware that you must be a financial member to vote for a new Management Committee. If you are interested in becoming a member of Management, nomination forms will be available from January 2024

Remember we must have a full committee to ensure our ongoing success. Please think carefully about these positions, remember there is only so much we can do if we don't have your support and new blood is always a good thing.

To the members who have stepped into positions to assist us from members having to resign, I personally would like to congratulate you both, Jaqui Dodds (interim Secretary) and Hans Schmidt (interim Treasurer) and Jeanette Lewis for keeping the Website up and running.

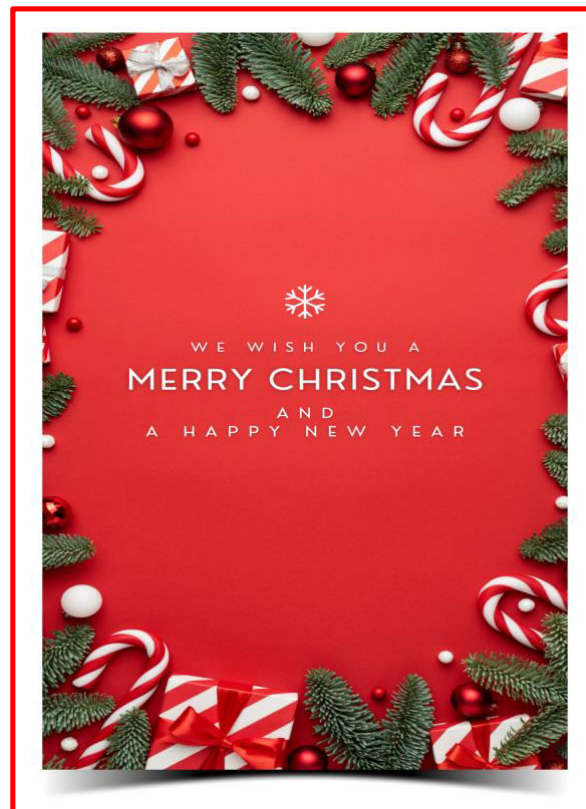
On a lighter note, I and the Management Committee would like to wish each and everyone of our Members, Patrons and our invaluable Volunteers the Very Best Christmas and a safe and Prosperous New Year.

We will see you all in 2024 for yet another fantastic year.

Kind Regards

Jeanette Rogers
President

CHRISTMAS CLOSURE 17 DECEMBER 2023 TO 8 JANUARY 2024



MEMBERSHIP

A friendly reminder that Annual Membership expires on 31 December 2023. We urge members to renew their membership early in order to vote at the Annual General Meeting.



PHOTOGRAPHY EXPO OPENING
DECEMBER 2nd

3:00-5:00
PM

PHOTOGRAPHS IN GALLERY
UNTIL END OF JANUARY

ERIC BRANDSETH
PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINT EXHIBITION

MARYBOROUGH ARTS
SOCIETY

282 KENT ST
MARYBOROUGH, QLD

The poster features three photographs: a coastal town built on a cliffside, a person in a gallery, and a landscape with a river and hills.

DECEMBER TO JANUARY EXHIBITIONS

*1-17 December = Eric Brandseth & Deanna Bennett. Pammy Mac
Regional Members Exhibition*

*8-31 January - Eric Brandseth & Deanna Bennett, Pammy Mac
Regional Members Exhibition*

GENERAL INFORMATION

GENERAL MEETINGS

General Meetings are held bi-monthly, starting at 10.30am. The first 2024 General Meeting will be on 6 February. Your attendance at these meetings is very important as we welcome your input and your attendance gives you the opportunity to vote on what and how the society is operated.

SOCIAL ART GROUP

For those who prefer to be involved in purely social painting. This is another way to make new friends and learn different techniques in a social atmosphere. Please contact the gallery volunteers for more information.

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